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School Officers, 1st Term, 1918

Senior Prefects:—J. B. Hawkes.

Prefects:—W. C. Peter, E. G. M. Riggall, L. C. Cruickshank.

Cricket Captain :—J. B. Hawkes. *Vice-Captain*:—W. R. Macpherson.

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Captain of the Boats :—W. C. Peter.

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Swimming Committee:—Mr. H. J. Cuthbert, J. B. Hawkes, E. G. M. Riggall, L. C. Cruickshank.

" *The Pegasus* " :—Mr. A. H. Harry, F. M. Lee, R. K. McArthur.

Librarians:—Mr. A. H. Harry, W. C. Peter, W. L. Langslow, J. K. Carmichael.

Cadet Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers:

Lieutenant:—V. R. Hill.

2nd Lieutenants :—L. C. Cruickshank.

Company Sergt.-Major:—J. B. Paterson.

Sergeants:—W. L. Langslow, A. E. Purnell.

Corporals:—V.J.C. Peter, F. R. Apted, J. K. Carmichael, W. N. Ricketts, F. P. Steele, J. W. Robertson.

School Items.

THE Second Term of 1918 begins on Wednesday, June 5th.

It will be remembered that in the time of our former Headmaster, Mr. W. R. Bayly, an interchange of flags was made between the College and Campbell College, Belfast, Ireland. Mr. Price for some time has been trying to fix a suitable date for specially saluting the Campbell College Union Jack, as the date on which they salute ours—Empire Day, falls in vacation time. This year the day selected was Anzac Day, April 25th, and it is so obviously appropriate that the ceremony will no doubt continue to be held on that day. After the ceremony, the School assembled in the Norman Morrison Hall, and Mr. Price briefly referred to the objects of the gathering. The Rev. J. J. Hastie then gave a short, but eloquent address on the meaning and ideals of Anzac Day. He described the landing of the Anzacs on April 25th, 1915, and mentioned that **many Old Boys had taken part** in that immortal event, which showed that no better soldiers than Australians existed in the Empire. In referring to the ideals that animated the Anzacs, he said that chivalry, love of liberty, justice, and determination dominated the daughter, Australia, just as they did her mother, England.

We wish to thank Mr. James Robertson for presenting to the School a framed enlargement of the photograph "Three Generations of Geelong Collegians," that appeared in the December issue of the "Pegasus." It is now hung on the wall of the Dining Room.

Dr. George Morrison, political adviser of the Chinese Government, recently paid a holiday visit to Australia. He found time to visit his birth-place, Geelong, and his old School, the Geelong College. It was a great disappointment that his arrangements did not allow him to visit the School in actual working hours, and to address the boys, as they would have been delighted to hear one whose name was already so familiar to them.

One day during the term Mr. J. L. Best, an Old Collegian, and a member of the Royal Life Saving Society, very kindly gave the boys a demonstration of methods of life saving, and the Schafer method of resuscitation. He was heartily applauded for his interesting and useful address.

On Anzac Day some ladies invaded the grounds, their motor car being-loaded with sweets of various kinds. These found ready purchasers in the recess hour, and the funds of the Returned Soldiers and Sailors must have been swelled considerably as a result of the visit.

Another local effort for War Funds —the concert given by the "Patrios" on April 24th—was attended by most of the boarders. With memories of the previous concert, in November last, they expected something good, and were not disappointed.

Three new Masters have been appointed to fill the vacancies that occurred last Christmas. The upper classes in Science are being taken by Dr. Schapper, who took his degree of Doctor of Science at the Geneva University, Switzerland, and was formerly on the staff of the State University of Arkansas, and of the Carnegie Technical School, Pittsburg, U.S.A.

Mr. G. E. Clark, B.A., brings to the classroom a wealth of experience gained in English and Australian Schools, and Mr. V. R. Hill, who comes from Caulfield Grammar School, has taken charge of the cadet work of the College.

Mr. A. H. Harry, B.A., who has been on the staff since 1904, has been appointed Vice-Principal of the College.

The recently appointed Chief Justice of Victoria, Sir William Irvine, was many years ago a member of the College staff.

Mr. Harold Hurst has presented a very interesting collection of American magazines for the use of the boarders.

It could hardly be expected that we should get through a whole term without an epidemic of some kind. It took the form this time of "Kodakitis." Its symptoms were a painful twitching about the fingers, and a tendency to snap at unconscious victims. Its development was particularly rapid in a dark room; but it is thought that its virulence has abated, and that there will be no need of calling in medical advice.

A pleasing feature of this term has been the revival of Saturday boating trips "down the river." The long, dry autumn, with all its faults, has lent itself to this useful and healthy form of relaxation, and the boarders have taken advantage of it.

It may interest present boys, and Old Boys too, to know that H. Newman and Sons, jewellers, of Elizabeth Street, Melbourne, have a stock of mementoes, such as sleeve-links, tie-pins, etc., with the College badge on them. These are of dark blue enamel, gold and silver, and being well made and chaste in design, should meet with favour from any who are anxious to obtain suitable mementoes.

Salvete.

- VI. —
 F. W. Gilmour
 J. B. Paterson
 W. J. Scarfe
- Upper V.—
 J. P. J. Colvin
 A. E. McDonald
 R. R. Rand
- Middle V.—
 A. R. G. Colvin
 H. G. Harvey
 J. B. King
 A. R. McRorie
 C. M. Paul
 A. J. Roffey
- Lower V. —
 A. J. Barnes
 A. P. Kendell
 E. W. McCann
 H. R. Miller
 L. B. Spehr
 R. J. Wilson
- Upper IV.—
 B. H. Ford
 A. W. Freeman
 W. E. George
 F. R. Howell
 W. W. V. Maguire
 J. P. McCosh
 S. J. McCosh
 N. A. V. Young
- Middle IV.—
 M. C. Price
 A. E. Rushbrook
- Lower IV.—
 J. A. Cochrane
 V. C. Ekstedt
 G. G. Howell
 W. L. Ingpen
 J. A. J. Wadelton

Valete.

- VI.—
 J. Bell
 A. L. Brumley
 R. N. Campbell—XVIII., 1915-16-17. XL, 1915-16-17. VIII, 1916-17. Prefect, 1917.
 L. M. Clark—Dux, 1917.
 T. B. Hawkes—XVIII., 1914-15-16-17. XL, 1915-16-17. VIII, 1915-16-17. Senior Prefect, 1916-17.
 J. R. W. A. Heath
 A. W. King
 W. E. Macmillan — XVIII., 1916-17. VIII, 1916-17. Running Team, 1915-16. Prefect, 1916-17.
 E. A. R. Price
 G. E. M. Scott
 A. G. Sloane
 C. S. Smith—XVIII, 1916-17
 R. R. Taylor
 R. C. S. Webb—XVIII., 1917. VIII, 1917. Prefect, vjy.
- Upper V. —
 W. L. Barber
 P. B. Callan
 I. A. Campbell—XVIII., 1915-16-17. XL, 1916-17. VIII, 1916-17. Running Team, 1915. Prefect, 1917.
 L. M. Cotton
 F. W. Ford
 E. V. Gross—XVIII., 1916-17.
 H. M. Hedges
 J. F. Higginbotham
 J. W. Hope
 J. H. Lucas—XVII., 1917.
 L. H. Pattinson
 E. M. Philip—XVIII., 1917. XL, 1916-17.

Salvete.

- 111,
 C. K. Carmichael
 V. E. Rathausky

Valete

- G. T. Skinner
 A. E. Trim—XVIII., 1916-17.
 VIII., 1917
 Lower V.—
 H. de G. S. Ash
 S. S. Barber—XVIII., 1917.
 G. C. Bell
 H. H. Bell
 C. H. Bourchier
 Lower V.—
 C. Brownlow
 W. N. Brushfield—XVIII.
 1917.
 J. C. Douglass
 H. Jacobs
 A. F. Lang
 C. E. Lawrence
 F. C. Lewis
 R. A. Loughnan
 J. R. Madden
 W. M. Nash
 J. W. Ransley
 Remove—
 C. A. L. Simmons.
 Upper IV.—
 F. T. Smallman
 L. Solomon

Swimming.

OUR Swimming Sports were held in the Western Baths on March 27th, and we were lucky enough to have a perfect day. G. Coghlan won the Championship in good style, just beating Paterson by a few feet. The baths were kindly lent for the occasion by Mr. T. McCoy, and we must also thank Mr. H. Young for acting as starter, who with the aid of Mr. H. Cuthbert, got the races off very promptly.

The full results were :

- Under 16 Handicap (50 yards)—1, R. W. Milner (5 sees); 2, W. Waugh (3 sees.); 3, McRorie (8 sees.) Time—37 sees.
 Senior Championship (100 yards)—1, Coghlan; 2, Paterson; 3, W. Macpherson.
 Time—77 3-5th sees.

- Beginners' Race (30 yards) —1, P. Stewart (4 sees.); 2, W. Scarfe (4 sees.); 3, D. Neville (5 sees.) Time—31 secs.
- Dayboys' Handicap (50 yards)—1, R. W. Milner (5 sees.); 2, I. Richardson (9 sees.); 3, N. Richardson (9 sees.) Time—38 2-5th sees.
- Novelty Race—1, J. D'Helin; 2, D. Hope; 3, L. Langslow.
- Relay Race (30 yards each)—1, W. Macpherson and J. B. Hawkes, (scr.); 2, Coghlan and Paterson (scr.); 3, A. Moreton and W. Ricketts (2 secs.) Time—43 secs.
- Lower School Race (30 yards)—1, R. Smail (scr.); 2, R. Waugh (3 secs.); 3, G. Waugh (4 secs.)
- Boarders' Handicap (50 yards)—1, W. Waugh (6 sees); 2, L. Langslow (9secs.) and H. Wilson (10 secs.) dead heat. Time—38 3-5th secs.
- Long Dive—1, W. Peter; 2, L. Brooke; 3, W. Macpherson. Distance—27 yards.
- Forms' Race (30 yards each)—1, Middle V. (Coghlan, W. Waugh, Daniel, D. Kennedy), 8 secs.; 2, Lower V. (12 secs.); 3, VI. (scr.)
- Breast Stroke (50 yards)—1, Ising (5 sees.); 2, J. R. Wilson (10 sees.); 3, L. Kaufmann (5 secs.) Time—46 secs.
- Life Saving—1, W. Macpherson; 2, J. Paterson.
- Over 16 Handicap (75 yards)—1, D. Dobie (6 sees.); 2, Paterson (T sec.) and I. Hawkes (scr.) dead heat. Time—61 2-5th secs.
- Junior Cadet Race (50 yards)—1, D. Davies (5 secs.); 2, N. Richardson (4 sees.)-3, J. Smail (4 secs.) Time—38 sees.



OFFICIALS AT THE SWIMMING RACES.

C. C. Bell, *Photo*,

Cricket.

At the commencement of the term it was thought generally that the team would be weak as several good boys left at the end of last year. However, the boys in the Eleven, led by the Captain, took great interest and keenness in their work and soon a great improvement was noted. As usual our bowling seemed to be very weak, but in the matches it improved, and no side has made 300 in an innings against us yet. Our batting, mainly through want of confidence, was very feeble in the first two matches. However, it was always improving slowly, and in the last match the boys showed what they were really capable of. In our first match against Geelong Grammar we failed lamentably, but in each succeeding match the form improved. The Wesley match was a good one, and we had two excellent chances of victory, but the batting again was inexcusably weak. Against Melbourne Grammar our true form was displayed and a great match was witnessed. Our fielding on the whole has been very good, but the ground fielding was poor in the last match. The loss of Mr. J. Cameron, as cricket master, was keenly felt as he had helped boys immensely throughout the School; we are indebted to Mr. Clark for capably filling the vacant position. Our best thanks are again due to Rankin for his assistance in the mid-day fielding practice, also to Mr. C. Calder for his bowling at the nets on every possible occasion. W. Eason has also been up on two nights in the week, and his slow bowling has benefited us greatly. Coming to the Eleven themselves, it is evident that W. Sharland and J. Hawkes have borne the brunt of the work in both batting and bowling. Sharland has improved tremendously in batting, and his innings of 93 against Melbourne Grammar was a very fine display. His fast bowling has been fairly successful, though in the first two matches the wickets were suiting him to a certain degree. Hawkes has not made any big scores, but has been fairly consistent. His bowling is better than in previous years and he, too, finished up the term with a very good performance against Melbourne Grammar. Macpherson, who was elected vice-captain at the commencement of the year, has been a great disappointment so far in his batting, but may get going in the next two matches. Colin McArthur and Carmichael are two others who want confidence badly, as their

batting at the nets is very good. For improvement F. Lee and D. Kennedy are easily most noticeable. Both did very well and Kennedy has the makings of a fine bat. Taken all round the team has great possibilities and should be capable of acquitting themselves well in the remaining two matches in the last term.

COLLEGE v. GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Having won the toss we decided to bat on a very bumpy wicket. The side collapsed for the small score of 39, of which Macpherson was top score with 11. Our opponents did fairly well in making 191, seeing that four good wickets were down for 42 at one stage. Sharland bowled well, taking 5 wickets for 33, the wicket helping him to a certain extent. In our second innings we again batted poorly and were all out for 44, of which Sharland made 17, and L. Morton 11. No boy at all seemed to face with any confidence Jackson's fast bowling, and he took in all 8 wickets for 18 runs, and capped this by making 56 in good style. The fielding on both sides was excellent, with special mention of R. Lee and C. McArthur. Grammar won by an innings and 108 runs.

The full scores were:—

GEELONG COLLEGE.

| First Innings. | | Second Innings. | |
|--|----|--|----|
| W. Sharland, b Jackson | 5 | W. Macpherson, c Taylor, b Jackson | 0 |
| L. Morton, b Jackson | 4 | J. Hawkes, b Tewksbury | 1 |
| J. Hawkes, b Jackson | 2 | L. Morton, b Barker | 11 |
| F. Apted, run out | 8 | F. Apted, b Hasker | 3 |
| W. Macpherson, c and b Irvine | 11 | W. Sharland, b Jackson | 17 |
| C. McArthur, c Hasker, b Barker | 2 | C. McArthur, b Barker | 0 |
| J. Carmichael, c Irvine, b White | 0 | J. Carmichael, b Jackson | 0 |
| R. McArthur, hit wkt., b Barker | 4 | R. McArthur, c Jackson, b Tewkesbury | 4 |
| F. Lee, b Barker | 3 | F. Lee, c Barker, b Jackson | 4 |
| E. Riggall, c Armstrong, b White | 0 | E. Riggall, c Hesketh, b Jackson | 2 |
| D. Kennedy, not out | 0 | D. Kennedy, not out | 0 |
| Sundries | 0 | Sundries | 2 |
| Total | 39 | Total | 44 |
| Bowling:—Jackson, 3 for 6. | | Bowling:—Jackson, 5 for 12. | |
| White, 2 for 4. | | Tewkesbury, 2 for 4. | |
| Irvine, 1 for 12. | | Barker, 2 for 12. | |
| Barker, 3 for 5. | | Hasker, 1 for 11, | |

GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

First Innings.

| | |
|---|----|
| C. Hesketh, b Sharland | o |
| A. Barker, c J. Hawkes, b Sharland | 4 |
| T. Jackson, c C. McArthur, b J. Hawkes | 56 |
| A. White, c L. Morton, b Sharland | 2 |
| W. Armstrong, b Sharland | 10 |
| W. Irvine, not out | 43 |
| M. Taylor, b Sharland | 28 |
| Hasker, c C. McArthur, b J. Hawkes | 7 |
| R. Ritchie, b J. Hawkes | 5 |
| L. Tewkesbury, run out | 14 |
| E. Capper, c L. Morton, b J. Carmichael | 5 |
| Sundries | 15 |

Total191

Rowling:—W. Sharland, 5 for 33.
J. Carmichael, 1 for 35.
J. Hawkes, 3 for 63.

COLLEGE v. WESLEY COLLEGE.

Wesley won the toss and elected to bat on a very bad wicket. Good bowling and keen fielding soon had them out for **101**, Beattie being top scorer with a very lucky 32. Our bowlers all did well, J. Hawkes getting the best average with 3 for 23. We went in and should have held a commanding lead, as we had six wickets for 99 at one stage. Lawther then bowled a sensational over, getting the hat-trick, and the side were all out for 99. J. H. Hawkes with a patient 25, and Sharland 18, batted best for the College. Wesley went in again and had 5 wickets down for 52 at one stage, but Albiston and Newham saved the side and played out time, with the score at 5 for 136. Continuing on Saturday, the tail batted well and the total reached 281, Albiston being top score with a brilliant 80. With 284 to win we went in again, but failed again and were all out for **114**, of which J. Hawkes made **34** by very careful cricket. Carmichael showed a bit of his true form in making 17 not out, and Lee and Macpherson hit merrily for **10** and 12 respectively. Wesley won by **169 runs**,

The full scores were:-

GEELONG COLLEGE.

| First Innings. | |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| W. Sharland, b Scott | .18 |
| L. Morton, c Head, b Lawther | 8 |
| F. Apted, run out | 3 |
| J. Hawkes, b Lawther | 25 |
| W. Macpherson, c Newham, b Scott | 9 |
| R. McArthur, c Newham, b Lawther | 0 |
| C. McArthur, c Beattie, b Lawther | 13 |
| J. Carmichael, c Tulloh, b Scott | 1 |
| F. Lee, b Lawther | 0 |
| A. Purnell, b Lawther | 0 |
| D. Kennedy, not out | 0 |
| Sundries | 22 |
| Total | 99 |

Bowling:—Lawther, 6 for 22.
 Scott, 3 for 22.

| Second Innings. | |
|------------------------------------|-----|
| W. Sharland, c Newham, b Jenkin | 4 |
| L. Morton, b Lawther | 7 |
| J. Hawkes, b Scott | 34 |
| F. Apted, c Campbell, b Lawther | 8 |
| W. Macpherson, c Campbell, b Scott | 12 |
| R. McArthur, b Lawther | 4 |
| C. McArthur, c Beattie, b Scott | 0 |
| J. Carmichael, not out | 17 |
| F. Lee, b Lawther | 10 |
| D. Kennedy, c Albiston, b Lawther | 5 |
| A. Purnell, b Lawther | 2 |
| Sundries | 11 |
| Total | 114 |

Bowling:—Lawther, 6 for 42.
 Jenkin, 1 for 15.
 Scott, 3 for 33.

WESLEY COLLEGE.

| First Innings. | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Tulloh, c Kennedy, b Sharland | 4 |
| Bedggood, c J. Hawkes, b Sharland | 20 |
| Jenkin, c Carmichael, b Apted | 8 |
| Head, b Sharland | 8 |
| Beattie, st. Macpherson, b J. Hawkes | 3 ² |
| Albiston, b J. Hawkes | 7 |
| Thackeray, c Sharland, b Carmichael | 1 |
| Newham, c and b Carmichael | 6 |
| Campbell, c and b J. Hawkes | 7 |
| Scott, not out | 2 |
| Lawther, c and b Apted | 2 |
| Sundries | 4 |
| Total | 101 |

Bowling:—W. Sharland, 3 for 32.
 F. Apted, 2 for 18.
 J. Hawkes, 3 for 23.
 J. Carmichael, 2 for 24

| Second Innings. | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Tulloh, b Sharland | 8 |
| Bedggood, c Lee, b Apted | 15 |
| Head, c Macpherson, b Apted | 0 |
| Beattie, b Sharland | 3 |
| Scott, c C. McArthur, b J. Hawkes | 2 |
| Albiston, run out | 80 |
| Jenkin, thrown out | 44 |
| Campbell, c Apted, b J. Hawkes | 14 |
| Newham, b J. Hawkes | 52 |
| Thackeray, c L. Morton, b Carmichael | 2 |
| Lawther, not out | 30 |
| Sundries | 3 ¹ |
| Total | 281 |

Bowling:—W. Sharland, 2 for 66.
 F. Apted, 2 for 71.
 J. Hawkes, 3 for 67.
 J. Carmichael, 1 for 43.

COLLEGE v. MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Having won the toss J. Hawkes could not but go in on one of Rankin's best wickets. A good start was effected after Morton had been bowled for a single, and J. Hawkes and Sharland put on 43 runs, when the former got himself out with a foolish cross-bat swipe. The next two wickets went cheaply and a collapse seemed imminent at 4 for 65. However, Sharland and Bob McArthur saved the situation and put on nearly a hundred runs. McArthur batted pluckily for his runs, and once he got going, displayed some very good strokes. Soon after, Sharland run himself out, for the splendid innings of 93. His batting was perfect and his leg strokes a treat to watch. He hit ± 4 fours and gave only one chance, and it was indeed bad luck for him not to get the century. Lee and Kennedy continued the good batting and brought the total to 203, Lee making 20 not out, and Kennedy backing him up well for 12. Melbourne Grammar then went in, and at six o'clock had 5 down for 125. On Saturday the tail batted very well, and the good total of 285 runs was reached. Sargent and Croft saved the situation at a very critical time. Our second innings was also quite up to our first, as more of the team got going. Sharland again batted well for 27, and Macpherson was at last a bit successful and made 37 in good style. J. Hawkes was as usual very slow, and his 41 took a long time to make. With 9 wickets down for 121 the prospect was gloomy, but Kennedy and Lee once more saved the situation and put on 47 for the last wicket. both these boys are to be congratulated on their performances in each innings. The total reached 158, which gave Melbourne Grammar 77 to win, in an hour and a quarter. They entered on their task quite readily, but after Sharland had had a couple of overs, J. Hawkes replaced him against the wind; his bowling soon had the batsmen in trouble, and at the call of time six wickets had fallen for 67 runs. J. Hawkes secured the fine average of 5 for 8, and it would have been an interesting finish if time had allowed it. Melbourne thus won by 82 runs on the first innings, after a well fought out game. The team are to be congratulated on their fine up-hill fight and it showed plainly of what they are really capable.

The full scores were:-

GEELONG COLLEGE.

| First Innings. | | Second Innings. | |
|--|-----|--|-----|
| VV. Sharland, run out | 93 | VV. Sharland, c Gregory, b Wood | 27 |
| L. Morton, b Cuming | 1 | L. Morton, b Larritt | 1 |
| J. Hawkes, b P. Wood | 15 | J. Hawkes, b Cuming | 41 |
| F. Apted, b Cuming | 1 | VV. Macpherson, c Patterson, b Larritt | 37 |
| VV. Macpherson. 1.b.w., 0 Wood | 5 | F. Apted, c Macdougall, b Cuming | 0 |
| R. McArthur, c and b Patterson | 25 | R. McArthur, thrown out | 4 |
| C. McArthur, b Patterson | 3 | C. McArthur, b Cuming | 0 |
| j. Carmichael, b Macdougall — | 5 | J. Carmichael, b Larritt | 5 |
| F. Lee, not out | 20 | F. Lee, c and b Wood | 25 |
| E. Riggall, b Patterson | 1 | E. Riggall, c Cuming, b Larritt | T |
| D. Kennedy, c Guthrie, b Sargent | 12 | D. Kennedy, not out | 7 |
| Sundries | 22 | Sundries | 10 |
| Total | 203 | Total | 158 |

Bowling:—Cuming, 2 for 53.
 Patterson, 3 for 31.
 P. Wood, 2 for 14.
 Macdougall, 1 for 17.
 Sargent, 1 for 16.

Bowling:—Larritt, 4 for 35.
 Cuming, 3 for 48.
 Wood, 2 for 26.

MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

| First Innings. | | Second Innings. | |
|---|----------------|---|----|
| K. Macdougall, c and b Carmichael | 47 | Macdougall, b J. Hawkes | 14 |
| Gregory, b Sharland | 18 | Guthrie, b J. Hawkes | 4 |
| F. Lemann, c Sharland, b Carmichael | 24 | Lemann, b J. Hawkes | 0 |
| P. Wood, b Sharland | 0 | Wood, c Riggall, b J. Hawkes | 7 |
| F. Guthrie, c Apted, b Sharland | 0 | Gregory, c Morton, b Apted | 4 |
| Croft, c R. McArthur, b Apted | 29 | Paterson, b J. Hawkes | 16 |
| Sargent, run out | 54 | Sargent, not out | 8 |
| Patterson, b Apted | 5 ¹ | Croft, not out | 0 |
| Larritt, b Lee | 7 | Sundries | 14 |
| Clapin, c Kennedy, b Lee | 3 | Total—6 wkts for | 67 |
| Cuming, not out | 18 | Bowling:—J. Hawkes, 5 for 8. F. Apted, 1 for 37. | |
| Sundries | 34 | | |
| Total | 285 | | |

Bowling:—W. Sharland, 3 for 47-
 Apted, 2 for 47.
 J. Carmichael, 2 for 59.
 F. Lee, 2 for 45.

FIRST ELEVEN PRACTICE MATCHES.

College v. B. Rankin's Team—Won by a wicket and 93 runs. College, 9 for 229 (Sharland 39, J. Hawkes 32, Macpherson 33, each retired). B. Rankin's Team, 129. College bowling: Sharland, 2 for 23.

College v. Old Boys' XL—Old Boys, 115. College, 87 for 5 wickets (Macpherson, 63 retired). Drawn.

SECOND ELEVEN.

This year Rankin has taken charge of this net, and improvement was quickly noted in most cases. His readiness to help them in any spare moments was greatly appreciated by the boys.

College v. Scotch College—Lost by 45 runs. College, 110 (D. Kennedy 41). Scotch, 155. College bowling: A. Moreton, 2 for 18.

College v. Geelong Grammar School—Lost by 65 runs on 1st innings. College, 87 and 107 (Dobie 34 not out, Ricketts 27, D'Helin 18). Grammar, 152. College bowling: Dobie, 7 for 65.

College v. Melbourne Grammar School (under 16)—Lost by an innings and 208 runs. College, 41 and 56 (Purnell 18). Melbourne Grammar, 305. College bowling: Dobie, 5 for 80.

LEADING AVERAGES—All Public School matches during the year :

| Name | Innings | Not out | H. Score | Total | Average |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|----------|-------|---------|
| W. Sharland | 6 | 0 | 93 | 164 | 27.3 |
| J. B. Hawkes | 6 | 0 | 41 | 118 | 19.6 |
| F. M. Lee | 6 | 1 | 25 | 62 | 12.4 |
| W. Macpherson | 6 | 0 | 37 | 74 | 12.3 |
| D. Kennedy | 6 | 4 | 12 | 24 | 12 |
| Name | | | Wickets | Runs | Average |
| W. Sharland | | | .13 | 186 | 14.3 |
| J. Hawkes | | | .14 | 202 | 14.4 |
| F. Apted | | | .7 | 196 | 28 |
| J. Carmichael | | | .6 | 161 | 26.8 |

THIRD ELEVEN.

College v. Geelong Grammar School—Lost by an innings and 114 runs. College, 44 and 43 (W. Waugh 21). Grammar, 201. College bowling: W. Waugh, 3 for 47.

UNDER 15.

Dr. Baird, an Old Boy of the School, has come up regularly and coached this net. The boys have improved immensely, and they appreciate Dr. Baird's kind help very much.

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College v. Geelong Grammar School—Lost by an innings and 34 runs. College, 56 and 84 (Mack 28 and 23). Grammar, 174. College bowling: R. Morton 5 for 63, Burnet 4 for 24.

College v. Melbourne Grammar School—Lost by 8 wickets. College, 45 and 43 (E. Greeves 14 and 13). Melbourne Grammar, 74 and 2 for 23. College bowling: Coghlan, 6 for 11.

College v. Melbourne Grammar School—Lost by 8 wickets. College, 52 and 87 (E. Greeves 17, Mack 15, Coghlan 34). Melbourne Grammar, 106 and 2 wickets for 38. College bowling: R. Morton, 4 for 30.

UNDER 13.

College v. Geelong Grammar School—Lost by 4 wickets and 144 runs. College, 54. Grammar, 6 wickets for 198.

The Christening of the "Rex Bell."

THE "Rex Bell," our new racing eight, was formally christened on Anzac Day, April 25th. Fortunately the weather was all that could be desired, and a good number of the supporters of the School mustered to witness the ceremony. The Principal detailed to the visitors the events leading up to the offer of Mr. R. C. Bell, of "Mooramong," Skipton, to whose generosity the gift of the boat was due. He was glad that it was given by an Old Boy of the School, and glad that it was to bear the name of another Old Boy (the son of the donor) who was away at the front helping to keep the old flag flying. He considered that there were three essentials for the winning of a boat race : (1) A good boat. (2) A good coach (which connoted a good crew). (3) Good luck. The first of these we now possessed, owing to Mr. Bell's generosity; the second we also had, without any doubt, in Mr. Henry Young; the third we were still lacking. This was shown by the fact that Ned Riggall, who was rowing (6) in the eight, had been out of the boat first of all through illness, and then through being called into camp to make up time lost owing to that illness; he would thus have been out of the boat for some four weeks. However, Riggall would be back in a few days, and everyone hoped that

he would quickly get into form again. Mr. Price then introduced Miss E. Bell, the sister of the donor, who had graciously consented to perform the ceremony.

W. R. Macpherson, the stroke of the crew, presented Miss Bell with a silver-headed hammer, bearing the College crest, and a suitable inscription.

Miss Bell said she was very interested in rowing, and always followed keenly the fortunes of Geelong College on the river.

She then, with the hammer, deftly broke a bottle of "fizz" over the boat and declared it to be called the "Rex Bell".

In accepting the gift on behalf of the School, J. B. Hawkes, the Senior Prefect, made a neat speech, heartily thanking Mr. Bell and his sister, for their kindness. He said that experts had declared that the "Rex Bell" was probably the best clinker-built boat in Australia. He then called for three cheers for Miss Bell and Mr. Bell, after which the boat was launched and the eight indulged in practice spurts.

Subsequently the visitors watched the performances of the second and third eights, and saw the final races of the regatta.

Rowing Notes.

ROWING has been carried on enthusiastically during the term. More interest seems to have been taken than previously, with the result that the general form has improved.

The first eight got into training early and showed commendable keenness. Mr. Henry Young again took them in hand, and our thanks are due to him for the great interest he has taken in the crew all through the season. He and the boys worked harmoniously together, and all the supporters of the College were very pleased at the form shown by the crew at the end of the season. They might not be able to "command" success, but they certainly "deserve" it.



CHRISTENING THE "REX BELL"

- (1) Miss Bell performing the ceremony.
- (2) Getting ready to launch the boat.

A. A. Gray, *Photo.*

The Second Eight were coached by Mr. Cuthbert, who by his enthusiasm was able to effect a remarkable improvement in their form, but, alas, he could not give them the necessary weight.

A Third Eight was started from the best of the Senior Fours, and was used in practice against the Second Eight.

Much of the success of the rowing season, as a whole, has been due to the unusually capable Rowing Committee.

The Annual Regatta was held on the Barwon on April 24th and 25th. The preliminary heats were rowed off on the first day, under ideal conditions. The river was at its best, the surroundings were beautiful, and the masters who had charge of the arrangements, carried everything through with entire satisfaction. Between the heats the spectators had an opportunity of seeing the First and Second Eights hard at practice.

The following were the results of the races :—

SENIOR FOURS.

| | |
|------------------|------------------------|
| F. M. Lee (str.) | J. R. Macmillan (str.) |
| J. T. Home (3) | H. Wilson (3) |
| K. J. Taylor (2) | R. J. Barnett (2) |
| R. R. Rand (bow) | D. I. Morrison (bow) |
| C. C. Bell (cox) | R. K. McArthur (cox) |

A very good race, but in the end Lee's crew won comfortably by a length.

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| J. F. Forrest (str.) | D. W. Hope (str.) |
| W. L. Waugh (3) | F. P. Steele (3) |
| E. G. Greeves (2) | A. G. Burnet (2) |
| L. R. Kaufmann (bow) | N. K. Russell (bow) |
| C. C. Bell (cox) | R. K. McArthur (cox) |

Though Hope was "off colour" at the time, he pluckily fulfilled the engagement, but Forrest's crew were too strong and, rowing well together, won by a length and a half.

MIDDLE FOURS.

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|---------------------|---------------------------|
| P. Stewart (str.) | J. R. T. Macmillan (str.) |
| I. V. Steele (3) | G. F. Waugh (3) |
| W. R. C. Waugh (2) | G. G. Pern (2) |
| F. W. Gilmour (bow) | L. A. Reseigh (bow) |
| C. C. Bell (cox) | R. K. McArthur (cox) |

Another good race, Won by a length by Stewart's crew,

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JUNIOR FOURS.

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|------------------------|-----------------------|
| J. T. Robertson (str.) | R. S. L. Young (str.) |
| C. M. Paul (3) | H. J. Price (3) |
| L. B. Spehr (2) | W. J. Scarfe (2) |
| W. E. Riggall (bow) | J. A. Boyd (bow) |
| A. M. Baird (cox) | R. Morton (cox) |

The closest race of the day. The crews kept well together all the way and it was only by about six inches that Robertson's crew ultimately won.

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|----------------------|-----------------------|
| A. P. Kendal' (str.) | K. H. Phillips (str.) |
| S. McCosh (3) | J. McCosh (3) |
| J. Cochrane (2) | H. R. Miller (2) |
| A. J. Barnes (bow) | C. G. Greeves (bow) |
| A. M. Baird (cox) | R Morton (cox) |

Another very exciting struggle, though the form shown was not up to that of the other races. Kendell's four, which was composed entirely of new boys, plugged away and won by half a canvas.

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|---------------------|------------------------|
| N. J. Callan (str.) | J. T. Robertson (str.) |
| H. S. Kennedy (3) | C. M. Paul (3) |
| R. J. Smail (2) | L. B. Spehr (2) |
| J. J. Smail (bow) | W. E. Riggall (bow) |
| A. M. Baird (cox) | R. Morton (cox) |

Robertson's crew was much the smaller, and had already rowed one hard race, so Callan's four had little difficulty in winning by two lengths.

The final heats were rowed on April 25th, after the ceremony of christening the "Rex Bell." The conditions were still very favourable, though the finishes were not so close as on the previous day. The results were:—

SENIOR FOURS.

F. M. Lee's four won from Forrest's by about three-quarters of a length, after a very tough race.

MIDDLE FOURS.

Maddern's crew (Maddern, str., A. J. Wilson (3), A. M. Riggall (2), F. Daniels (bow), beat Stewart's by a clear length.

JUNIOR FOURS.

N. Callan's crew were too good for Kendall's, and won easily by two and a half lengths.

C. C. Bell, R. K. McArthur, and J. R. T. Macmillan coxed the winning crews.

THE SECOND EIGHTS' RACE

The five furlong race between the College and Corio Grammar second eights took place on the Barwon on 3rd May, before the usual crowd of spectators. There was a slight breeze blowing from the South. We drew the South station.

Mr. Henry Young, acting as starter, got the crews away together.

We held the Grammar School for the first 200 yards, but the greater weight of our opponents told near the Mills, and they gradually moved away, and later increased their lead to two clear lengths, which they held till the winning post was reached.

The following comprised the crew:—

A. AT Baird, 9.2 (bow)
 J. K. Macmillan, 9.0 (2)
 R. K. Macarthur, 9.0 (3)
 L. C. Cruickshank, 9.6 (4)
 E. M. C. Webb, 10.10 (5)
 C. C. Bell, 9.8 (6)
 A. R. Moreton, 9.11 (7)
 P. Adzen, 9.12 (str.)
 J. K. Taylor (cox)
 Average weight of Collegians.. 9.8
 Avg. weight of Grammarians n.o

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS' BOAT RACE.

THOUGH only two of our last year's crew were available, we felt confident of making a good show at the Head of the River races, as our Eight had trained assiduously, and under Mr. Young's expert coaching, had come on extremely well. They felt at home in the "Rex Bell," and were determined to make a bold bid for victory. Through an unfortunate set of circumstances, Ned Riggall was unable to take his place in the boat for some weeks; otherwise training operations were practically uninterrupted. The preliminary heats were rowed on the Yarra on Friday, May 10th, in the presence of a crowd which seemed even larger than usual. The special train was the largest that has left Geelong.

In the first heat Geelong Grammar School (North Station) met Geelong College (Centre Station), and a splendid race resulted—the best of the day. The College got off well and led by a small margin until they reached the Botanic Bridge. Erratic steering caused them to go too

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close to the buttress of the bridge, and they faltered. This gave the Grammar School the advantage, and they forged ahead, and at Brander's, led by three-quarters of a length. Coming into the home run the College put on a great spurt and it looked as though they would pull the race off, but the Grammar School responded, and amidst intense excitement, won by about half a length. Time—5min. 28 secs.

In the second heat Xavier College (North Station) met Wesley College (Centre Station). Though Wesley College won by a clear length only, it seemed as if they could have easily increased this, as they were quite fresh at the end of the race. Time—5 min. 22 secs.

The third heat provided another very interesting race. Melbourne Grammar School (North Station) met Scotch College (Centre Station). In the early stages there was little to choose between them, but Melbourne Grammar lasted better, and eventually won by a bare length. Time—5 min. 16½ secs.

Probably the six crews in this year's race, taken all round, were equal to any that have appeared in the Head of the River races, and our Eight are to be congratulated on their excellent showing in such company.

The amount of interest displayed in the Boat Race by Old Boys at the Front is remarkable. Many messages wishing our crew "good luck" have come through, among them being a telegram from W. E. Macmillan, H. I. Gibb, and H. M. Hedges, from Fremantle, their last calling-place, as they left Australia.

The final heat was rowed on Saturday, May 11th, but after the close races of the first day, it proved somewhat unexciting. The day was blustery and clouds of dust made conditions unpleasant for the spectators; these were not improved by the rain which fell directly the race was over.

Wesley College were the first to get going and held the lead for a time, but on turning the Bend they felt the effect of their exposed position (they had drawn the South side), and allowed Melbourne Grammar to pull up. Whatever chance Geelong Grammar had was spoiled by one of the crew catching a crab, and though they recovered and struggled gamely on they had to be content with third place, Wesley College beating them by half a length. Melbourne Grammar School were

favoured by their position, and rowing well together, as they had done in practice, and in their heat against Scotch College, they won with the greatest of ease by 2½ lengths. Time—5min. 13secs.

The following are the names and weights of the crews:—

| North Station. | | Central Station. | |
|--------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|----------|
| Geelong Grammar School. | | Geelong College. | |
| Colours—Light Blue. | | Colours—Green, Blue and White | |
| Coach—Mr. E. Curnow. | | Facings. | |
| | st. lbs. | Coach—Mr. H. Young. | st. lbs. |
| A. R. McLeod (bow) | 10 0 | J. K. Carmichael (bow) .. | 10 2 |
| W. S. Fraser (2)..... | 10 0 | J. G. Steele (2) | 10 3 |
| J. C. O. Capper (3) | 11 12 | W. N. Ricketts (3) | 10 2 |
| J. K. Angas (4) | 11 32 | W. C. Peter (4)..... | 11 I |
| D. A. White (5) | 11 11 | T. W. Robertson (5) | 11 8 |
| P. C. Ferguson (6) | 11 11 | E. G. M. Riggall (6) | 12 4 |
| J. L. Jardine (7) | 12 13 | W. L. Langslow (7) | 11 12 |
| T. A. S. Jackson (stroke) .. | 11 11 | W. R. Macpherson (stroke) | 11 1 |
| R. H. H. Perry (cox) | 8 0 | C. E. McArthur (cox) | 8 4 |

| Central Station. | | North Station. | |
|-------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|----------|
| Wesley College* | | Xavier College, | |
| Colours—Purple and Gold. | | Colours—Red and Black | |
| Coach—Mr. C. Donald. | | Coach—Mr. D. Ross. | |
| | st. lbs. | | st. lbs. |
| F. B. Gamble (bow) | 10 9 | J. C. D'Arcy (bow) | 10 2 |
| A. P. Tulloh (2) | 10 2 | L. Cussen (2) | 10 0 |
| A. P. Reynoldson (3) | 10 13 | A. Keane (3) | 9 11 |
| J. H. Lockwood (4) | 10 12 | D. I. Markey (4) | 10 12 |
| F. C. H. Ross (q)..... | 11 4 | I. M. McGinnis (5)..... | 11 5 |
| H. S. Thomas (6) | 11 8 | R. Porter (6) | 11 5 |
| K. H. Hadley (7) | 10 12 | V. J. Lanigan (7) | 11 2 |
| E. D. Barden (stroke) | 10 7 | J. V. Acton (stroke) | 11 13 |
| R. Barden (cox) | 8 0 | G. Ruscombe Poole (cox) | 8 12 |

| North Station. | | Central Station. | |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|----------|
| Melbourne Grammar School, | | Scotch College, | |
| Colours—Dark Blue. | | Colours—Cardinal, Gold and Blue. | |
| Coach—Mr. J. M. Macfarlane. | | Coach—Mr. A. B. Sloan. | |
| | st. lbs. | | st. lbs. |
| G. A. Soilleux (bow) | 10 6 | C. C. Login (bow) | 10 7 |
| J. W. Derham (2) | 10 9 | J. M. Buchanan (2) | 10 7 |
| K. G. Begg (3) | 11 3 | F. S. Simpson (3) | 10 11 |
| W. B. Fleming (4) | 11 4 | R. L. Almond (4) | 10 12 |
| M. Y. Withers (5) | 12 2 | J. Cobain (5)..... | 12 0 |
| J. H. Tuckett (6) | 11 11 | G. W. Whatmore (6) | 11 0 |
| J. A. Campbell (7) | 12 9 | G. M. Dallimore (7) | 10 6 |
| R. Weir (stroke) | 11 3 | C. N. McKay (stroke) | 11 1 |
| _____ (cox) | 8 0 | J. N. Manders (cox) | 8 1 |

The University Examinations.

The following boys passed the recent Intermediate Examination:—

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|--------------------|-----------------|
| J. K. Carmichael | J. H. Lucas |
| J. F. Higginbotham | A. J. B. Wilson |
| B. R. Keith | H. Wilson |
| A. W. King | C. E. McArthur |

The following completed the Junior Public Examination:—

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| A. L. Brumley | J. R. W. A. Heath |
| J. F. Forrest | R. K. McArthur |

The following passed in four or more subjects :—

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|-----------------|-----------------|
| P. B. Callan | J. R. Macmillan |
| W. F. Marquardt | |

The following passed the Senior Public Examination:—

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| L. C. Cruickshank | W. C. Peter |
| F. M. Lee | R. R. Taylor |
| E. A. R. Price passed in English and History. | |

In the Honour Examination L. M. Clark obtained 1st Class Honours in Chemistry (seventh on the list), and 3rd Class Honours in Physics.

R. R. Taylor obtained 2nd Class Honours in English, and 3rd Class Honours in History.

Dr. Morrison.

(From the "Geelong Advertiser/' 26th February, 1918).

DR. GEORGE ERNEST MORRISON was very cordially welcomed to his native city yesterday afternoon. When he arrived by car from Queenscliff, about noon, he was met at the City Hall by the Mayor (Cr. Hitchcock) and a representative gathering of Old Geelong Collegians and other citizens. In the Council Chamber the Mayor extended to him a cordial welcome on behalf of the citizens, and also his many friends. He said the name of Morrison was revered in Geelong. Various members of the family had risen to magnificent positions, and the name of Morrison was known throughout the world, The Mayor lightly sketched the

career of the guest from his schooldays to his appointment as political adviser of the Chinese Government. In all these things he had done honour to himself, to his family, and indirectly to the city in which he was born. Dr. Morrison's motto in life seemed to be "Preparing for Bigger Things." As citizens we could all take that idea to heart. He felt sure they would all be truer citizens through the knowledge of what Dr. Morrison had accomplished.

Cr. Robert Purnell, M.I.,A., supported the chairman's remarks. As a native of Geelong he was proud of the name of Morrison. He knew the late doctor very well. All who knew the College must have been wonderfully impressed by the way the character of the Morrison family had been stamped on the students. This had been shown in the way they had volunteered for service in the war.

Dr. Morrison, who was warmly received, returned sincere thanks for the honour accorded to him. It gave him the greatest pleasure to again visit his birthplace. After 15 years' absence, Dr. Morrison said he could not help favourably commenting on the great improvements in Geelong. During his long absence he had many experiences. One of the most curious was associated with an incident which occurred in 1900. He understood that in Geelong flags were flown at half-mast out of respect to his memory, as it was thought he had been killed in the Boxer upheaval. In 1903 he was staying at an hotel in Port Arthur. On answering a knock at the door he was confronted by an athletic-looking man who asked if he was Dr. Morrison. On replying in the affirmative the visitor asked if he could shake hands with him. He said: "I am the Flying Jordan, of the circus now performing here. The last time I was in Geelong the flags were at half-mast, and they told me it was for you." Dr. Morrison added: "I shook hands with him heartily." Continuing, he said he had been fortunate in bearing the name of Morrison. One of the most distinguished men who ever went to China was Robert Morrison, the Missionary. People would confuse him with this gentleman, and they did not seem to understand how he looked so young. Dr. Morrison said he had spent 22 years in China, 17 years as correspondent of the London "Times," and the last five years as political adviser to the Chinese Government. He had met every grade of Chinese, from the highest to the lowest, and invariably met with courtesy, consideration and generosity

which he would never forget. It was a precious memory for himself and his children. He came away for a short spell and was returning earlier than was anticipated. This was necessary owing to an outbreak of pneumonic plague in Northern China, where he had left his wife and three children. He was proud to see the progress made in Geelong, and wished all the citizens the greatest prosperity.

The health of Dr. Morrison was drunk in the Mayor's room, to the accompaniment of "For he's a jolly good fellow."

Old Boys' Reception to Dr. Morrison.

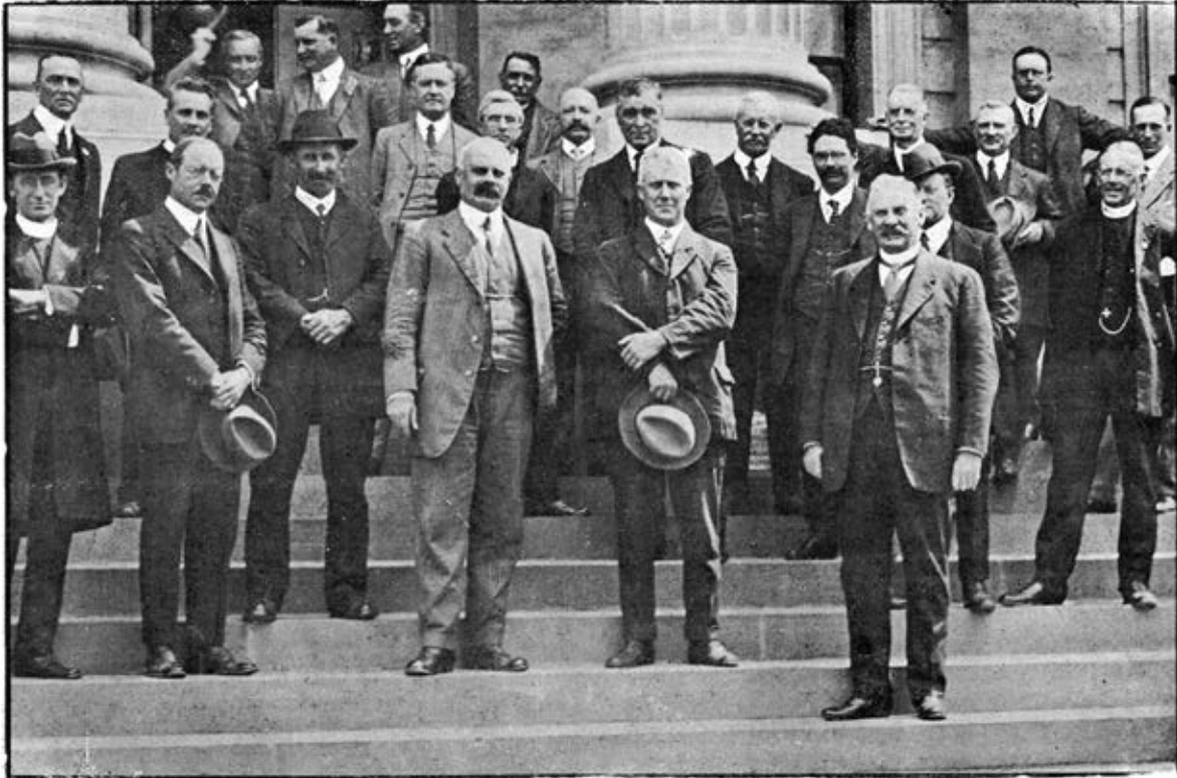
At the invitation of the Old Geelong Collegians' Association, a number of gentlemen met Dr. Morrison at lunch, at the A.B.C. Mr. E. R. Sparrow presided. Mr. S. B. Calvert read a number of apologies, including one from the Hon. H. F. Richardson, President of the Association, who was absent at Lome.

The chairman, who said he was "the first Sparrow at the College," proposed the health of Dr. Morrison.

Mr. Guthrie said, on behalf of the Old Geelong Collegians' Association, he had pleasure in supporting the toast of the illustrious name of Dr. Morrison. He briefly sketched the life of the doctor, describing him as the most illustrious Australian, and one of the most illustrious men in the world. The name of Morrison would always be revered. He came of great stock. He was a great schoolboy, a great athlete, a great journalist, a great doctor of medicine, finally becoming the correspondent of the greatest newspaper in the world. He wrote that remarkable book, "An Australian's Tramp Through China to Burmah." Dr. Morrison went further and further to greater heights, and became political adviser to the Chinese Empire—the greatest in point of numbers in the world. When the doctor was at College he was a keen footballer and cricketer. He started training by making a canoe trip alone down the Murray, relying on his gun for food. He then walked from Geelong to Adelaide; thence to

the Gulf of Carpentaria. He went to New Guinea doing pioneering work. There he was speared, but recovered. These journeyings and his subsequent acts had made his name a household one throughout the world. He had accomplished much, and through it all had to work for his living.

Dr. Morrison deprecated Mr. Guthrie's glowing eulogy. He did not deserve it. He was proud to be connected with the Old Geelong Collegians' Association, whose members had done such splendid work in the war. He understood that out of 460 who had enlisted, 67 had laid down their lives ; five received the D.S.O. ; eleven the Military Cross ; five the D.S.C. ; six Military Medals ; and one a distinguished Italian decoration. It was a noble record. Any man should be proud to be associated with a school that had produced such heroes. He was glad to meet so many of the friends of his boyhood—men like Messrs. Sparrow, Parker and Shannon. It gave him pleasure to come over again to the place where he was born. Next Wednesday week he would be on his way to China again. He wished to be there when many important questions were to be settled. From being the oldest monarchy, China had become the youngest republic. He believed this form of Government was well adapted to the Chinese temperament. Thus far China had not been able to make any material contribution to the fighting forces. That had been due to circumstances over which she had no control ; but she was dealing a severe blow to the enemy. She had dismissed every German in Government employ ; she had terminated all trade with Germany ; she had confiscated all Germany's share in the various indemnities in China, and she had assumed possession of Austro-German concessions. Having terminated her treaties with the enemy she was now in a position to make reciprocal agreements. He hoped that Australians would realise the great opportunities offered for an expansion of trade in the Far East. After some interesting remarks on international questions, Dr. Morrison concluded by wishing success to the Old Boys' Association.



CITIZENS' WELCOME TO DR. MORRISON AT CITY HALL, GEELONG.

THE PEGASUS.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS' ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA.

FOOTBALL FIXTURES, 1918.

(First-named School has choice of Ground),
 (G.G.S. v. W.C. (G.G.S. v. X.C.)
 July 12th -: (X.C. v. G.C. Aug. 2nd (G C. v. M.G.S.
 (S.C. v. M.G.S. (W.C. v. S.C.)
 (M.G.S. v. G.G.S. (S.C. v. G.G.S.)
 July 19th - (G.C. v. S.C. Aug. 9th (W C. v. G.C.)
 (X.C. v. W.C. (M.G.S. v. X.C.)
 (G.G.S. v. G.C.)
 August 23rd (X.C. v. S.C.)
 (M.G.S. v. W.C.)

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Old Boys' Column.

EXTRACTS from Association Rules :—

No. II. The chief objects of the Association shall be:—

- (a) " To hold an annual Social Reunion of Past Collegians.
- (b) To unite and foster good fellowship among the Old Boys.
- (c) To promote the welfare of the Geelong College."

No. III. " All Old Boys of the College may become Members on the payment of five shillings annual subscription, or Life Members on payment of five guineas. The financial year ends 30th April in each year. Each Member shall be entitled to receive a copy of each issue of "The Pegasus," the journal of the Geelong College."

The following Annual Reports and Sports Programmes are required :—
Annual Reports, 1861, 1862, 1867, 1870.

Sports Programmes from 1862 to 1867, 1870, 1872, 1891, 1897, 1900.

The following is a list of Old Boys who have volunteered and given all for their country.

We shall be glad to amend any errors that are pointed out to us.

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| Aikman, A. C. | Birnie, N. E. S. | Campbell, P. S. C. |
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| Anderson, A. L. | Birrell, W. A. H., Dr. | Campbell, R. N. |
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- Edgar, I. S.
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 de Gruchy, T.
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- Hooper, A. A. W.
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- Jackson, A. C.
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 Jennison, J.
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- Kaufmann, J. C. S.
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 Kennedy, E. J.
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 Lawrence, L. H., Dr.
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 Levy, A.
 Littlejohns, R. W.
 Lock, S. M.
 Longden, C. R.
 Longden, F., Dr.
 Longden, N. A.

- Lowe, T. R.
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- MacDonald, W. S.
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MacLeod, E. L.
Malcolm, R. H. B.
Macmillan, W. E.
Mathews, N. R.
McArthur, G. S.
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- Nasmith, D. S.
Needham, A. B.
Newbury, Rev. A. C.
Nicholson, L. W.
- O'Farrell, V.
Officer, R., Jr.
Ogilvie, G. S.
O'Hara, M. O.
Oliver, D. H.
Oliver, W. D.
Opie, E. W.
Osborne, J. B.
- Paine, D. W.
Parrington, T. VV.
Paul, G. G.
Paul, H. K. B.
Paul, J. C.
Peacock, T. K.
Pearce, T. V., Dr.
Pearce, J. W.
Pearce, W. B.
Pearson, C. K.
Philip, E. J.
Philip, E. T.
Philip, W. H.
Philip, W. S.
Phillipps, M. T.
Pillow, H. F.
Pillow, R. N.
Piper, K. M.
Porter, J. R., Dr.
Poynder, G. H.
Price, C. L.
Price, F. N.
Pullar, P. G.
Purnell, F. C.
Purnell, F. O.
Purnell, H.
Purnell, H. W.
Purnell, Dr. K. C.
Purnell, N. R.
- Rand, T. E.
Rankin, J. M.
Read, A. G. F.
Reeve, C. F.
Reid, H. B.
Reid, J. W.
Reid, L. E.
Reid, R. A.
Reid, W. J.
Reid, W. J. (2)
Reilly, W. L.
Rhind, H. G. S.
Richardson, F. E.
Richardson, L.
Richardson, R. A.
Riordan, K. V.
Roberts, R. A. J.
Robertson, H. C. H.
Robertson, Rev. Hume
Robertson, J. C.
Roebuck, A. K.
Roebuck, F. H.
Roebuck, S. R.
Rogers, E. G. G.
Rogers, J. D.
Ross, J. F.
Ross, H. H.
Rowan, A. G.
- Sadler, N. H.
Sadler, V. W. S.
Salmon, J. W.
Sandford, P. H.
Sandford, E. W.
Sandford, G. T.
Scott, F. E. S.
Scott, R. O.
Sewell, H. E.
Sevell, P. B.
Shannon, A. N.
Sharland, J. L. W.
Sharp, H. J. D.
Shaw, H. T.
Shepherd, C. I.
Simson, C. E. P.
Simson, M.
Sinclair, C.
Sinclair, J. H.
Slater, J. H.
Sloane, A. J.
Sloane, H. R.
Sloane, W. D.
Small, L. J. L.
Smith, A. V.
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| Snow, F. N. | | Webb, H. |
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| Spittle, A. A. | Tait, J. B. | Weddell, R. H. |
| Spittle, J. N. | Tait, J. T., Dr. | Welch, D. E. |
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| Stanlake, R. | Thacker, W. E. | Wettenhall, R. R., Dr. |
| Steele, F. W. A. | Thomson, N. A. | White, M. |
| Stewart, J. S. | | White, P. F. |
| Stock, A. C. | Urbahns, A. R. H. C. | Whitehead, H. E. |
| Stock, L. G. | Urquhart, A. R. | Wighton, J. R. N. |
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| Stodart, C. M. | Vigar, C. F. | Willis, T. N. |
| Stodart, D. E., Dr. | | Wilson, A. B. |
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| Strong, H. W. | Warnock, S. R. | Young, C. L. |
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| Sutherland, C. T. | Watson, G. J. M. | Young, J. W., Dr. |
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| Sutterby, T. E. | Waugh, A. J. C. | |

The following distinctions have been officially announced as gained by Old Boys since the December issue :—

Captain H. R. Collier (since deceased) was awarded the Military Cross.

, Captain K. McK. Doig has won the Military Cross.

Lieutenant A. G. Allardyce has been awarded the Belgian Croix de Guerre (1st class). He was previously mentioned in despatches.

Sergeant Roy Malcolm has been granted a bar to his Military Medal.

Sapper Erskine Collins, Lance-Corporal D. H. Oliver, and Private A. G. Jones have been awarded the Military Medal.

Sergeant F. G. Herman has been mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's despatches.

Corporal A. W. Cavanagh has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.

We have heard also, but unofficially, that Major L. E. McKenzie has won the D.S.O., and J. Fenton and R. Buchanan, the Military Medal. Can anyone verify these?

We congratulate the Cavanagh Brothers (Corporal A. W. Cavanagh, Lieutenant E. R. Cavanagh, and Corporal B. H. Cavanagh) on the most unusual distinction of having each been awarded the D.C.M.

The Headmaster wishes to acknowledge communications, either by letters, cards, or newspapers, from the following Old Boys at the front:—L. E. Reid, E. S. Finch (2), R. P. Blake, A. Levy, D. H. Oliver, J. Fenton, A. J. C. Waugh, E. T. Hearne, C. J. Ireland, A. Milne, K. McK. Doig, S. R. Warnock.

We have been sorry to notice the names of several Old Boys who have been wounded in the late offensive, viz.:—Lieut. S. R. Warnock (a second time), Driver N. H. Hodges, L.-Cpl. D. H. Oliver, Lieut. R. W. Hope, Lieut. A. Allardyce, Lieut. A. R. Urquhart.

G. N. I. Morrison is now a Bimbashi (or Major) in the 13th Soudanese, fighting in the Nubian Mountains. He hopes to be coming to Australia some time this year.

Sergt. C. E. Briant has been a prisoner of war for two years in Holland and Germany.

Capt. R. Lamble has been appointed Brigade-Major on the staff of the 10th Brigade. He was recently mentioned in despatches.

Chaplain A. I. Davidson has returned to Australia, after nearly two years at the front.

We congratulate Captain G. A. Birnie on his recent marriage to Miss Campbell, of Ayr. His brother, Dr. R. K. Birnie, has returned from the Salonika front, and found time to look in at his old school.

Other Old Boys whom we have been pleased to see at the School are Dr. Spencer Holloway, who has been enjoying a short furlough in Australia; R. Skewes, of Gippsland; Rev. F. Chisholm, of Wangaratta; and Eric Simson, who is back for a time on furlough.

Lieut. Cecil Moreton has been accepted for the Flying School. Roy Pillow has also transferred from his unit to the Flying Corps.

Amongst other spectators at the cricket match against Melbourne Grammar School, we noticed three Old Boys who have served the College well in that branch of sport—Capt. W. J. Reid, M.C.; J. I. Birnie, and A. S. Philip.

F. M. Burnet has obtained 1st Class Honours for Natural Philosophy Pt. I., and Chemistry Pt. L, at the Melbourne University, and divided the Dwight prize in those subjects. He also obtained 2nd Class Honours in Biology Pt. I.

F. E. Moreton, one of the original Anzacs, has passed his final examination for the degree of Bachelor of Electrical Engineering, and has been appointed lecturer in Engineering at the Gordon College.

We note the names of the following Old Boys as having done well in their different stages of the Medical Course at the University :—J. R. Hobbs, I. Wartzki, N. E. S. Birnie, G. F. Cherry, H. I. Gibb, R. W. Miller, A. E. Lee, and E. E. Mackay.

A. S. Marshall obtained 3rd Class Honours in British History and in Zoology.

S. R. Warnock has obtained his commission at Oxford.

Capt. H. T. Shaw is an instructor in aviation in Yorkshire. Previously he was flying in France for about twelve months.

Corporal J. H. Campbell was champion of the Bayonet Fighters and Physical School in Perth.

C. L. Price, who left Australia as 2nd Lieut, in the 4th Light Horse, is now Captain. He has been mentioned in despatches twice, and is in full charge of Embarkation and Transport at Port Said. His brother, F. N. Price, is in the A.S.C., invalided to England. He is trying to get into the Flying Corps.

Geoff. Mitchell is a Major in the R.F.C. (Balloons), and was mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's despatches. He modestly says: "The luck has been in my favour—nothing more." He had been to see Gordon McArthur, in hospital in London, and found that he was getting better slowly. He met Billy Dunlop and Les. Reid; the former had just got his majority, and the latter was getting sick of waiting to join an O.T.C.

We congratulate Major W. A. S. Dunlop on the birth of a son and heir.

Boys of the Old Brigade will be sorry to hear of the death of one of their number—Herbert Longden.

Dr. N. McArthur has been appointed representative of the graduates on the Council of Ormond College.

Percy W. Dowling, who for several years has acted as our delegate on the Public Schools' Boat Race Committee, has very kindly acted in a similar capacity this year.

We must congratulate Lieut. W. M. Bell, one of the "Older generation," on gaining his commission in November last. Early this year he developed trench feet and pneumonia, in France, and was sent to a convalescent hospital, near Monte Carlo, which he describes as a very interesting old place. He soon recovered, and is now in the trenches again.

A good number of last year's Old Boys have gone into camp already, and several of these have sailed at the time of going to press.

Jim Hope and Rob Scott left as despatch riders early in February, while W. E. Macmillan, H. I. Gibb, H. M. Hedges (in the Artillery) and Reg. Campbell (Flying Corps) have just sailed.

Tom Hawkes (our last year's Head Prefect) and Les. Brumley (Public Schools' Unit) are at present on a recruiting tour of the Western District of Victoria.

Capt. (Dr.) Keith Doig has been fighting in France for some time now. In November of last year he was recommended for the Military Cross for conspicuous bravery in the field, and was decorated in December, having returned on furlough to England at the beginning of that month.

Tom Murray (from a letter dated 14th January, 1918), is on leave in England. He says he has met Les. Reid and Gordon McArthur. The former is doing a course in a Training School. Tom remarks on the bad state of England: he says all foods, such as sugar and butter, are very difficult to procure.

Lieutenant-Colonel Fred Purnell, who recently sailed from Geelong, we hear is now in France. Colonel Purnell volunteered for service shortly after the outbreak of the war, but the Defence authorities desired that he should be retained for Australian service, and for some time he was in charge of the large camp at Geelong race-course. Recently he received an urgent call from the British War Office for special service abroad, and we have just heard from London that he has already been sent to France on important work with armoured cars,

Lieut. Rowland Hope gained his 1st Lieutenancy in King Edward's Horse, 'about November of last year, while he was in France, and after that got a few weeks' leave in England. From France, he was sent on to Italy for a while, where he had a comparatively quiet time. The last we have heard of him is that he received severe gunshot wounds in the neck and shoulder, and is now in a hospital in England, progressing favourably.

C. B. Carrick, who left the College in 1915, and represented us in cricket and football, is still in Belgium, and getting on well.

Lieut. Tom Rand, who left the College in 1913, was attached to the Flying Corps in Egypt, where he obtained a commission. He left for England last October, and is now an instructor at one of the English Flying Schools. He says he met Russell Blake (another Old Collegian) in England, and that he is very well.

Sergt. Roy Malcolm, who has been fighting in France for some time past, has had his services rewarded by receiving the Military Medal, and later on a bar attached to it, for conspicuous bravery. He got leave in England about Xmas time, where he met Tom Rand.

Lieut. G. S. McArthur, who left the College near the end of 1915 to enlist, received such severe gunshot wounds in his right leg, in August last, that amputation above the knee was found necessary. Since then he has spent most of his time in an hospital in England, but is now moving round on crutches, and hopes soon to have an artificial leg. Several copies of the "Daily Mirror" and the "Daily Sketch" have been received, which contain quite interesting photos of Lieut. McArthur being wheeled round the streets of London in an invalid's chair.

The "Daily Sketch," in speaking of the opening of the "Tank Bank" in London, says: "The Mayor of Westminster was to have opened the "bank," . . . but he was forestalled, for a wounded officer, Lieut. G. McArthur, R.F.A., was wheeled up a little earlier, and the authorities, not liking to keep a wounded officer waiting, allowed him to make his purchase."

The CO. of Captain Harry Wrathall, who was killed towards the end of last year in France, speaks in the highest terms of his heroism. He says: "He deliberately sacrificed his life for his men. He exposed him-

self intentionally, knowing he hadn't a chance to come out of it alive, in order to draw the fire of the enemy. His men reverence his memory, for his sacrifice saved over 1000 of them."

A soldier in the Motor Transport Column in France, writing to his parents, refers to an Old Geelong Collegian in these terms: "I met the Presbyterian chaplain one evening under shell fire. I was just about to go up for some wounded that were in a German 'pill-box,' when up came this chap and asked could he come on board. Of course I never noticed that he was a padre, so I said: 'Get up matey. By cripes you're taking a risk coming up here, old chap, and another thing, I'm not much good on a Ford car, so look out I don't break your neck.'" We got on all right. shells kept landing almost on us, and close by, and Chaplain-Captain Robertson said: "I feel just as safe here as if I was in the old Black Rock 'bus." I had to laugh. However we got there. He shook hands and wished me luck, and off he went right up to the front. He is still going strong."

A. G. Rowan, who was previously reported wounded, is now reported wounded and missing since October 4th, 1917.

Arthur David has been promoted to the rank of Captain.

V. R. Jewell, who is engaged in chemical munition work in England, has been elected Associate of the Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and Ireland.

A. R. Small has completed the course at the State Forestry School, at Creswick, and has been selected to go to the State nursery works in connection with forestry operations.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. James D'Helin on the death of his son, Norman Morrison D'Helin.

Private L. W. Sharland, A.A.M.C, during a week's leave in London, met three old College chums—Roy Pillow, Clem Aikman, and "Streak" Paine.

In the last letter received from Lieut. Frank Richardson, he stated that as he was writing, an air raid was in progress, and shrapnel was flying everywhere. He enclosed his sugar permit, allowing him to purchase or use loz, of sugar during his stay in England,

A meeting of the Committee of the Old Geelong Collegians' Association was held on May 7th, at the Geelong City Hall, to make arrangements for Old Boys' Day. The Hon. H. F. Richardson, M.L.C., President of the Association, occupied the chair. It was decided that June 14th should be observed as Old Boys' Day, and the programme will include a football match between teams selected from the present boys. Afternoon Tea, at which the Principal will be host; and the annual business meeting of the Association at 4 o'clock. At the latter meeting the proposed War Memorial is to be further discussed. The Committee decided to abandon the time-honoured Re-union in the evening, on account of the number of Old Collegians at the front; and it was for the same reason that Old Boys are not to take part in the football match.

Just as we are going to press, letters and postcards have been received by the Headmaster, from the following Old Boys at the Front :—C. Hendy, H. N. Hall, A. G. Maclean, A. J. Cruise, E. S. Finch, A. Milne.

The date chosen for the Annual Old Boys' Re-union for this year is **Friday, June 14th**. Owing to such a great number of the Old Boys being-absent at the war, it has been decided for this year to discontinue the dinner.

The programme arranged is as follows:—

- 1.—A Football Match between present boys of the College.
- 2.—Afternoon Tea with Mr. Price, the Headmaster, in the School Dining Hall.
- 3.—The Annual General Meeting to receive Balance Sheet, Annual Report and Election of Officer-Bearers.
- 4.—To definitely decide upon a War Memorial Scheme as agreed at the last General Meeting of Old Boys, held in Geelong in November, 1917.

It is particularly necessary that a large and representative gathering of Old Collegians should attend at this meeting, to enable the members to formulate the best Scheme,

Our Honour Roll.

We are deeply thankful that since the last issue of "The Pegasus" the number of Old Boys reported as killed has been so small. The following are officially reported as having given their lives for their country :—

H. R. COLLIER.
L. W. ENGLAND.
I. E. FERRIER.
W. P. HALL.

Private L. W. England, of 5th Battalion Infantry, entered the College in 1908, and attended it for nearly five years. To gain practical experience he went for a time to the Longerenong Agricultural College, and subsequently returned to Geelong. At the time of his enlistment he was a student of marine engineering at the Gordon Technical College. Though he might have excused himself on the score of his youth, he felt that it was his duty to enlist. He fought as one of the glorious Anzacs at Gallipoli, where he was wounded on 7th August, 1915. He was posted as "missing" on 25th July, 1916, after the battle of Pozieres, and it was not until early in the present year that the Military Authorities reported him as killed in action. Private advices from Chaplain Captain Neville state that he lies with many others just at the site of the windmill at Pozieres, where the heaviest fighting took place. He was only 20 years old at the time of his death.

Private W. P. Hall joined the College in 1902, and attended it for over four years. During that time he passed the Junior Public Examination, and part of the Senior, and took an active part in the Athletics of the School. At the time of enlisting he was engaged on the land. He sailed for the front on September 19th, 1916. He was in the Infantry and took part in several big engagements. He fell at Polygon Wood in September, 1917, and for some time was posted as wounded and missing.

Capt. H. R. Collier entered the College in 1904, and left in 1910 to join the Chemical Staff of the Colonial Sugar Refining Co. He spent three years at the Yarraville Works, and a further two years at Goondi, North Queensland, where he was given charge of some important experiments in connection with sugar-cane parasites. On the outbreak of the war

he decided to go to England and enlist as a private in one of the British regiments, and sailed for London early in 1915. He was given a commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the King's Own Scottish Borderers. After a year's training he crossed to France, and was in action several times subsequently, being on one occasion wounded with shrapnel. He was rapidly promoted to 1st Lieutenant and Captain, and was awarded the Military Cross for successful military operations at Cambrai. He was killed in the recent offensive. While at School "Ron" was exceedingly popular; in addition to doing a good school course, he was a fine athlete, being in both the football and cricket teams. On his day he was one of the best slow bowlers the School has produced; as an instance, many Old Boys will remember his 7 wickets for 35 against the Geelong Grammar School, in 1909.

Gunner Ivo Ferrier attended the School in 1909. At the time of enlisting, in June 1915, he was following the occupation of grazier, near Echuca. He left Australia early in November. After about four months in Egypt the 8th Brigade, to which he was attached as a machine gunner, sailed for France, and went into their first great fight at Flurbieux, on July 19th, 1916. After a short leave in England, he fought in Belgium, and later in France, and fell on 22nd March, 1918—the second day of the present great offensive.



H JR. COLLIER



L. W. ENGLAND.



W. P. HALL.



I. E. FERRIER.



A. K. ROEBUCK.

Letters from Old Boys at the Front.

From Lieut. E. T. Hearne (2nd D.A.C. In the Field) :—

" . . . Just a line or two for Christmas. We are getting well into winter again, plenty of snow and frost. Sometimes when my boots are wet at night they are frozen to the floor by morning. Jack Salmon got his commission a couple of months back; Jack Fenton also has now got a star up. Les Douglass, Selwyn Scott, and Joe Porter are here, and are going strong. Had Jock Young (Capt. A.M.C.) to dinner the other night, and we naturally got going about the old School, and wondering how you all were."

From D. H. Oliver, France, Jan. 14th :—

" . . . Trudging through knee deep Flanders' mud is the hardest work imaginable. I remember walking 25 miles one day and night choosing tracks to lead the infantry up to the hop-off point, and the consequent exhaustion was painful. Fritz's "pill box" system of defence has not proved so thorough as he anticipated, the chief reason for its failure being that his men, isolated as they are in small parties, lose their nerve under our terrific barrage (although they are fairly safe in their concrete shelters), and make, in a great many cases, only a feeble resistance. . . . Winter is well advanced now, and the snow, covering the unspeakable mud, and garlanding the sombre trees and hedges, renders the landscapes beautiful. One can have too much of beautiful snow landscapes, however, especially when a piece of the said landscape insinuates itself between your shirt and yourself."

From E. S. Finch, France, Jan. 10th :—

" . . . I have a bit of news here that will interest you. I wrote to the Rev. J. Forrest sometime ago and received a reply with his address. Will Macdonald, an Old Collegian, and myself, set out one night, after coming out of the line, to look him up. We had a rough spin, but found him and had a real good chat. My word, he is looking well. Talk about being pleased to see us, why he was just like a little kid ! He was trying to arrange a gathering of the Old Boys, but it is practically impossible."

From Lieut. S. R. Warnock, Magdalen College, Oxford :—

" . . . I have been well out of the w'ar since this year's anniversary of the landing, on which day a sniper, after considerable practice and many misses, scored an inner on me and gave me a trip to England for the summer. In July last I was pronounced fit for furlough, and visited Ireland, seeing Dublin, including the Sinn Fein damage, Cork, and Blarney Castle, where I duly kissed the famous

stone, finding it a considerably more difficult proceeding than I expected, as it entails hanging head downwards over the side of the Castle and getting a fine view of the countryside, upside down. . . . To us the intense green of the Emerald Isle is even more remarkable than England, beautiful as an English spring is. They say, "Drop a flatiron in Ireland one year and it grows a rosebush next. . . . We have had two light falls of snow and have now given up any further ideas of tennis, which we carried on long after the people here considered sanity forbade. Indeed snow was on the court on our last attempt, and though we played a set it was not altogether a success, through preferable to a wet Easter at Geelong, as far as conditions are concerned, however gladly we would change the venue. . . . Wishing you and the College every success in 1918 and thereafter."

From Cadet L. E. Reid, No. 1 R.F.A. Cadet School, 31/12/17:—

" . . . I thought I would drop you a few lines to wish the College the best of luck for 1918. You will see by the above that I am in a Cadet School, and with any luck should have my commission by March. . . . We are examined in all sorts of things, e.g. —Morse code, semaphore, horse management, gun drill, and many others, but the principal things are one's behaviour and confidence, for word of command, etc. It is a most important thing over here to have had 1 Public School education, so you will be able to tell any of the other boys who intend coming over here to train for commissions in the Imperial Forces. . . . We received the 'Pegasus' after a long wait, I thought they must have gone down. I was sorry to hear that Edgar Philip had been killed; he was a fine chap. . . . Have been in London during five or six air raids. I think the old Hun is beginning to realise that it is a pretty costly game, as two or three Gothas seem to come to grief in each visit they pay us."

From C. B. Carrick, Belgium, 5th December, 1917:—

" . . . We have got the cold weather on us again. The ground is frozen as hard as a brick and there is a coating of ice on the water in the shell holes. This is the time of the year I should like to be back in dear old Australia, but I shall not be there for a good while yet I am afraid. . . . During my ten days' leave I had a great time, seeing the sights of London, Edinburgh and GlasgOvV. Well, old chap, my hand is so horribly cold that it almost refuses to write, so I shall turn in and try and get warm."

Capt. K. McK. Doig, M.C., Belgium, 1st March, 1918 :—

" . . . Just a few lines to let you know how we are getting on over here where, in spite of circumstances, the memory of the old School is ever before us. We are at present in the line on a quiet sector of the front; consequently my work is reduced to a minimum, and beyond an occasional sick soldier, business is very quiet at the regimental aid post, My R.A.P. (as it is called for short) is located

in one of Fritz's 'pill-boxes,' an excellently-built concrete affair, which he, perforce, had to leave some time ago. Allardyce, whom you will remember at School, is at present Transport Officer, and he occasionally comes in to see me, when he brings the rations up at night. He, by the way, has just been awarded the Croix de Guerre. Tom Kerr is in England, having a very well-deserved rest at the Training Battalion. Mr. MacRoberts is very fit and well. He went away to a school (the tables are reversed) two or three days ago. Bill Leggatt, our signalling officer, is much the same as of yore, good-natured and very well liked. Before we moved in, Arthur David came and had tea with us one night, and another night Jimmy Kininmonth came along to see us. . . . Good luck to the School."

Capt. H. T. Shaw, Training Squadron, 25/10/17:—

". . . . Nothing much out of the ordinary has happened lately. That is I have had a couple of minor crashes, been bombed by Zepps, and moved round the country a bit doing odd jobs, and have just come back again to my old job of teaching the young idea to flit. . . . A few evenings ago a few of us were smoking and talking in the anti-room and one of our number made some remark re Colonials. I looked round the room and remarked, 'Careful, Old Scout, seven to one,' and so it was. A Scotsman from Shanghai, two Canadians, two South Africans, a New Zealander, and an Australian, and an American drawled from a corner, 'Count me in with the Fire Eaters.'

I have been away from home for over three weeks. First I was sent off at a few hours' notice to take charge of a squadron during the temporary absence of it's O.C. Then a Medical Board required my presence (and awarded me another month home service). From there I moved on to a Scout Squadron to have a go at a fighting Scout. Great little machines! Goes about 26 feet across the wing tips, carries an 80 h.p. rotary, and does 100 m.p.h. without any fuss, also goes to 10,000ft. in under the ten minutes' mark. I wish I could describe even some of the every day stunts these machines are capable of. A loop is 'child's play.' Spin, shut off the engine, hold her level till she loses way, then kick the rudder hard over and pull the 'stick' over and back; the machine falls over sideways, puts her nose down, and just 'spins' like a falling dart. Rolling—The same thing, only forwards like a bullet. (N.B.—Strap in.) Zoom—Push her nose down a bit below the level till she gets up a good speed, then yank her nose up and go vertically heavenwards for several hundred feet; and other variations too numerous to mention. It does not matter much what you do with a good machine, as long as you have plenty of height. They will come out of anything in a thousand feet or so if you first put everything central, and don't be too violent. Most war machines will stand a speed of 200 m.p.h. and over; holding a 'dive' for a few thousand feet makes your head sing a bit though.

But here I am back with the old 'School' busses and the Dual control. No stunts, just hard work round and round the aerodrome. Take off, circuit, land, and then hold post-mortem on his (the pupil's) performance, And so on till you think he

can do it, on his own; then give him the machine to himself and let him go, with an inward prayer for his welfare. Fortunately he does not realise, as you do, how much there is yet to learn.

Flying is easy, but the necessary judgment, knowledge, and nerve control, is a matter of experience. We have a great many minor smashes, and a few pretty complete ones, but it is marvellous how few people are even badly hurt. From reading newspaper reports one is led to the conclusion that flying machines are dangerous things, but it is nearly always the man, not the machine, that is to blame. Many men have lost their lives through engine failure. An engine giving up at a critical time may mean a bad crash, but very many causes with fatal results should be written, 'Lost his head.' Talking about crashes. I asked a Colonial the other day if he had ever had any accidents. 'No; never,' he replied. I pressed the point, and he admitted having been bitten by a snake once. 'Well, don't you call that an accident? 'Hell, no! the brute did it on purpose.'

Air stories are one up even on fishing ones. Some suffer very much from over imagination, but many of the genuine ones sound wilder than the wildest fiction. Luck, skill, tragedy, humour, freaks, and all the trimmings. There are even some 'supposed to be genuine' ghost stories, of sorts. A pilot told me the other day about a cat that must have gone to sleep somewhere in his machine. Anyway, he found it rubbing round his legs after he had got well over the enemy lines, on a bombing raid. He assured me that every time a shell burst anywhere near them, the cat retired under the seat, swearing violently!

Flying has come to stay. The machine of the commercial future will be simple and inexpensive. The ordinary man of mechanical taste could get a working knowledge of it's riggings and engine in a few days. Up-keep should compare quite favourably with an ordinary large car. Breakages will depend upon the pilot to a great extent, and a couple of smashes would of course boost the up-keep tremendously. Tires cost next to nothing. Petrol, roughly, about 20 miles per gal. Speed about 40 to 70 miles per hour. The engine will be a four or six cylinder, very much on standard lines, giving from 40 to 150 horse power, according to requirements. Machines will vary in size and speed, from the sporting single-seater of 150 miles per hour, to the express goods and passenger machine, with 'spare lift' of several tons and a modest speed of about 50 miles per hour. Personally, I don't see much future for the 'gas bag,' but I don't know much about it, and I dare say it may have it's uses. The ones I have met round these parts show distinct signs of nerves if you go anywhere near them with a machine, and they don't come out at all unless it is dead calm."

Lieut. A. H. MacRoberts, France, 2/3/18 :—

" . . . It will be like coming back to a strange place if I ever return. I am pretty certain that my only chance of getting back is to be badly wounded. I don't think it is possible to last to the end of the war. Of the 48 men who formed

the draft in which I left Australia, 32 are killed or missing; six prisoners, and four returned to Australia. . . . Lately I put in three weeks in the line, attached to the Engineers, and had a fairly good time, but was supposed to be so exhausted at the conclusion that I have been sent out for a rest to a school. The course lasts five weeks, and after that I shall go to 'Blighty' on leave for a fortnight. Of course, if Fritz becomes disagreeably active, leave may be cancelled, but I am hoping for the best."

In a subsequent letter, Mr. MacRoberts writes:—

" . . . At present I am in the line and the atmosphere here is hardly conducive to literary inspiration. You might be able to make a paragraph out of the fact that we held a Public School Dinner the night before last, in a place about three miles behind the line. It was restricted to the officers of our Brigade, and there were 30 present. Colonel Norman Marshall (Scotch College) was in the chair, and there were representatives from each of the Victorian Public Schools. From Geelong College there were Capt. K. M. Doig, M.C.; Lieut. W. W. Leggatt, and Lieut. A. Allardyce. I meant to send you a menu card with the signatures of all present, but unfortunately I have mislaid it. . . . This is a pretty quiet front, and nothing exciting has happened so far, but as Shakespeare says, 'You never can't tell,' and things may liven up at any minute."

The Death of Lesbia's Sparrow.

CATULLUS III.

Mourn, gods and men! my loved-one's bird is dead.

The greatest joy of her who holds my heart
Now silent is. Sad, sad it was to part,
But Orcus' flame must evermore be fed.

How he did sing! As though he would have said
That he loved Lesbia, as I ever do.

Alas! these strains which far into the blue
Oft rose, are now on longer journey sped.

Melodious mite, who could such pleasure give,
What heavy grief has followed on thy death,

Ah! would that I might see thee here, once more
With my adored. How drear it is to live
When thou art gone, for she, with every breath,
Sobs "Ne'er can I be happy as of yore,"

B. R. KEITH.

Mutton Birds.

One of the most interesting hobbies for boys is Ornithology. Many a pleasant hour may be spent in watching birds and studying their habits. The more you learn about them the more interested you become. Last summer I spent part of my holidays near Port Campbell, where I had the opportunity of observing the ways of several birds hitherto unknown to me. Among these were the "Mutton Birds/" which nest in thousands on the cliffy islands along that part of the coast. The season being well advanced the parent birds were busy feeding their young. This they do only once a day, leaving them in the morning and returning to them at sunset. During the day the young ones are obliged to wait patiently in their nests while their parents go to seek for food. The old birds are said to go miles out to sea, gathering fish oil, which they carry home. It is an interesting sight to see the birds returning from their day's foraging. Just at sunset each evening they appear in thousands, rising silently off the water and circling round several times before going to their nests.

Perhaps the most striking thing about the "Mutton Birds" is their migratory habits. They come and go regularly every year, always returning on the same day, about the middle of November. They are supposed to spend the winter far in the North, near Alaska, where they take their young ones, whenever they are strong enough to fly. Unfortunately, these interesting birds, although their flesh is uneatable, are shot in hundreds by sportsmen. Is it not time that the Government put an end to such cruel and useless destruction ?

W. H. SLOANE.

Contrasts.

Rose in a moonlit garden, scent of the new-mown hay,

Rustle of trees to the whispering breeze,

Blush of the dying day.

Swallows that come with the summer, perfume that goes with the gale,

Lap of the stream where the fire-flies gleam,

Flash of the glittering **sail:**

These for our moments of pleasure, what for our hours of pain?—

Heart-gnawing fear and the unshed tear,

Till our heroes come back again.

H.

Random Notes.

"One of the properties of hydrogen is that it has a colourless smell."

"Troop-trains are used for carrying troops backwards to the front."

"The singular of goose is gander/' (Hardly; though a gander would be a singular goose).

In describing a 440 yards' race, one youth remarked that "the oval was surrounded with a crowd of interesting spectators."

"If Germany wins this war we will be relieved of these worries (i.e. repatriation, trade and labour problems) and burdened with worse ones. Girls will not be able to go about with their hair beautifully done, but will have to do it in two plaits."

How many centimetres in 10 miles? 100 cen.—one inch; 1000-10 inches. Answer—1000 cen.

Weight is (a) the attraction the earth has for a substance. It is stated as Pacific Gravity, (b) the force of the earth's pull on a man. (c) the thing of which a body weighs.

With the Citizen Forces.

THIS year the University Camp for Citizen Forces was held at Broadmeadows. We, the College detachment, which this year consisted of only three, boarded the 8.5 train for Melbourne on Good Friday, and had perforce to stand owing to the large number of holiday-seekers travelling. Hurrying from Spencer Street we took the tram to Flinders Street, and there fell in with the detachment from the Geelong Grammar School. After bartering our warrants for railway tickets, we entrained for Broadmeadows, but at Essendon the party was blissfully unconscious of having to change trains, and would eventually have been borne back to town had not one of the more wakeful members discovered this important fact. Shortly after, our destination was reached, and a walk of a mile or so from the station found us at the 16th Brigade Headquarters. Then we came upon the Melbourne quota patiently waiting for the issue of equipment, which was eventually supplied—Dungaree suits, white hats, boots, web equipment, and rifles constituted our outfit.

Next, Hut 14 was allotted to "C" Company (to which we had the honour to belong) and the rest of the afternoon was spent issuing blankets and palliasses.

On retiring to our hut our civilian clothes were doffed for the more becoming "blueys." Naturally much amusement was provoked when these "suits" were tried on; especially when one of the party gave up all hope of securing a fit, after finding that the largest pair of trousers procurable, reached to his knees. Then came mess. Two mess orderlies are appointed from every eleven men each day. These unfortunate individuals fall in and march up to the cook-house, and after an agonising wait are served with a "dixie,"—a bucket of tea and a dish of bread. Generally the —er—compound in the "dixie" was quite edible, though of doubtful origin.

Our peaceful slumber was rudely broken at six each morning by the blatant bugle and M.U.R. band. Reveille was hardly regarded with enthusiasm, though guard and piquet duty, which luckily No. 2 Platoon escaped, was much worse. However, after a cup of coffee we faced the misty grey dawn and were marched down to "physical jerks" as the first crimson rays began to shoot over the purple hills to the east.

At eight, we broke off and, before falling in again at 9.15, made our beds, shaved and breakfasted. Then the whole Brigade fell-in on the parade ground, and each battalion, headed by its band, was marched past the A.I.F. Camp to the drill paddocks, where we indulged in extended order drill, and musketry instruction.

At 12.15 we all marched back past the Commandant, and were dismissed. After dinner the fall-in was sounded at 1.30, and drill occupied till 5 p.m. when, after another march past, we went to our private parades, and were dismissed for the day.

After tea there were plenty of attractions. In the Stanley Hall we had four concerts, Melbourne artists appearing on two nights, and the University Minstrels on the other two. At the latter the pianist was an Old Collegian, Pat Dunlop.

"C" Company was the crack company of the Brigade, and every day the tidiness of the hut, and the general steadiness of the men, were favourably commended on by the Brigade Commandant. He also said that in marching there was not a weak platoon.

On Friday we woke with joyous feelings, and dressed with more celerity than was usually observed. Once more we donned mufti and gave in our equipment. The Geelong boys paraded before the Adjutant for leave to get away early in order to catch the train to Geelong.

With mixed feelings we boarded the train at Broadmeadows, and soon arrived in Melbourne. After lunch we started for home weightier in purse and in military experience, after a well-spent eight days' holiday.

"LUMME."

Cadet Notes.

Saturday, April 6th, was a "let off" to the elder cadets, for, while the "youngsters" stayed at the College and performed rifle exercises, they took a visit to the Geelong Rifle Butts, and put in three hours' rifle practice. They first did group shooting at 100 yards; and then application shooting, at 200 yards. The shooting was very satisfactory, about 96 per cent, being qualified.

On Tuesday, April 30th, we had an inspection of our cadets. Everything passed off very smoothly, and apparently the stern-looking inspector was satisfied.

Exchanges.

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of the following Exchanges since our last issue:—The Scotch Collegian, The Melburnian, Wesley College Chronicle, The Corian, Coe-ee, Patchwork, The Bluebell, Aurora Australis, The Sydneian, The Torchbearer, Prince Alfred College Chronicle, The King's School Magazine, St. Peter's School Magazine, The Armidalian, The Hamiltonian, Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal.