

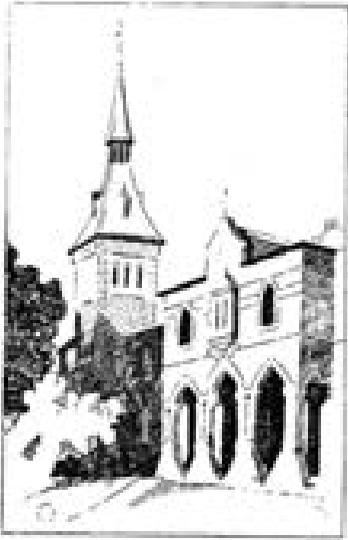


The
Pegasus

Geelong College

June

1952



EDITORIAL.

" SIC ITUR AD ASTRA "

As every Geelong Collegian knows, our motto may be translated "thus we journey to the stars," and the underlying meaning is that by our application to our work and sport we shall gain in intellectual and moral stature. This was what the Roman author was thinking of when he wrote the words which have since become the motto of one of the world's greatest schools.

Over the last quarter of a century, however, "journeying to the stars" has developed from a picturesque figure of speech to a physical possibility. Rockets, space-ships, atomic power—all are combining, and it seems well within the bounds of possibility that space travel will be realized in the future.

This material, physical ideal has almost completely obliterated the old intellectual and moral one, and we now place far more value on things material than things spiritual. In many schools for instance, more emphasis is put upon the scientific branches of study than on the more cultural. The boy who intends to become a doctor or engineer must devote the rest of his school and university career to the study of mathematics, physics, and chemistry. This is true the world over, culture is being overthrown by materialism, and we are breeding a race of clever devils.

A little knowledge may be a dangerous thing, but a great deal of knowledge, unless accompanied by wisdom, is far more dangerous.

Atomic power, for instance, is being developed to destroy mankind, rather than to assist it, and if we do not very soon come to our senses, we shall journey to the stars in several pieces.

Let us, therefore, develop wisdom with knowledge, for without each other they are worse than useless.

A.McI.S.

J. F. SUTHERLAND.

The death of Jim Sutherland occurred in Melbourne on Saturday, 5th April. Jim was at Geelong College last year, and won the Histories and Literature prize. He was a School Prefect, a Cadet-Lieutenant, Sub-Warden of the House of Guilds, and a leader in the Debating Society and the P.F.A.

This year he commenced his studies at Ormond.

His death came as a severe shock to all those of us who knew him, for he was loved and admired by masters and boys alike in the School, which owes so much to his having passed through it.

It is difficult for earthly eyes to see the plan of the Almighty in depriving the world of one who had all the potentialities of a great man; but we must be thankful for the fact that we have benefited both from the brief but glorious presence of one who has passed on to his reward, and from a life in which he accomplished more good than many of us accomplish in a lifetime.

A.McI.S.

Visit from the Moderator.

Memories of defeats on our Senior Oval when he was at Scotch, and later at Ormond, did not deter the Rt. Rev. Eric Owen, Moderator of Victoria, from visiting us on Monday, 23rd February, when he gave us a most interesting and inspiring address.

Australia, said the Moderator, is in danger of being overrun by great totalitarian systems, which are opposed to freedom, and once in power will not tolerate opposition or criticism.

The only answer to these forces is a strong, free Church, and our Protestant Churches will be strong only if supported by us—the laymen. There is a place in the Church for everyone.

The Church, said the Moderator, needed ministers and missionaries—and both these careers, although not easy, offered wonderful opportunities. The minister sees warped and

twisted souls improve under his care, just as a doctor sees broken bodies heal under his care.

The greatest life, however, was that of a missionary. Missionaries were scattered all over the world, and they were engaged upon the most thrilling, interesting, and important work in the Church.

Finally, said the Moderator, we should not be deterred from joining the ministry through feeling that we would be unable to pass the necessary examinations. If we are called to serve the Church, we shall have the necessary determination and perseverance which will overcome all.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Our congratulations are extended to A. Worrali Jones on his appointment as Captain of the School.

Three new masters were welcomed by the Headmaster at the first school assembly of the year. Mr. D. R. T. Macmillan from the Melbourne University and Mr. V. Crittenden from Ballarat College, who have joined the Preparatory school staff, and Mr. B. R. Wardle, who comes from the Werribee Research Farm to take the position of assistant Science master.

A few mornings later the new school prefects made the promise of loyalty to the College and were presented with the Prefect's Badge by Dr. Buntine.

On the Wednesday previous to the first day of school resuming, a cricket match was played between Old Boys and Present Day Boys. Among the former, most noted cricketers present were: Jack Iverson, Lindsay Hassett and John Chambers.

Early in the term we had a visit from the Moderator of the Presbyterian Church the Rt. Rev. J. Owen, who gave us a challenging address on the evils confronting our Faith. Reference to his visit is to be found elsewhere.

During the term, Sunday night Services took place as usual in Morrison Hall. In addition to film services, addresses were given by Dr. M. A. Buntine, Messrs. D. Webb, T. Henderson, E. McLean, G. Murray and D. Macmillan.

Early in the term Mr. E. B. Lester left for a holiday trip with his wife to England and the Continent. We wish them both a happy and restful holiday abroad.

We welcome Mr. Tait on his return to the College shortly after Easter, from his trip abroad.

The College Anzac Day Service was held

for the first time in the picturesque setting of the completed quadrangle. The Rolls of Honour were read and "Last Post" and "Reveille" were played by G. Crawford. A wreath was placed in the new Memorial Hall by the senior Prefect. An address was given by Group Captain C. C. Bell, O.B.E., who pointed out the obligations confronting us, not only in upholding the school traditions but also those of the Democratic countries.

In the afternoon of the same day, a contingent of Geelong College Cadets took part in the Anzac Day March through the streets of Geelong and finally attended a service held in Johnstone Park.

On Sunday, 27th April, the Cadet Corps marched to St. George's for the Annual College Church Parade. Col. W. S. Kent-Hughes, M.H.R., M.V.O., M.C, O.B.E., B.A., gave the Address and Cadet Lieutenants G. W. Barber and A. Mel. Scott read the Old and New Testament lessons.

The following films were shown in Morrison Hall during the term. "The Adventures of Tartu," "The Happy Years," and "The Red Danube."

During the Easter vacation, the First Eleven were the guests of Scots College, Sydney. An enjoyable weekend was had by all and College returned with one win to their credit.

The first three Eights spent the Easter vacation at College in order to further their training. An enjoyable weekend was had on the river as well as at their quarters in Warrinn House.

The P.F.A. held a Folk Dance in Morrison Hall with Morongo on Saturday night, 19th April. Members of the P.F.A. also attended a short camp at Point Lonsdale on the weekend of 26th April.

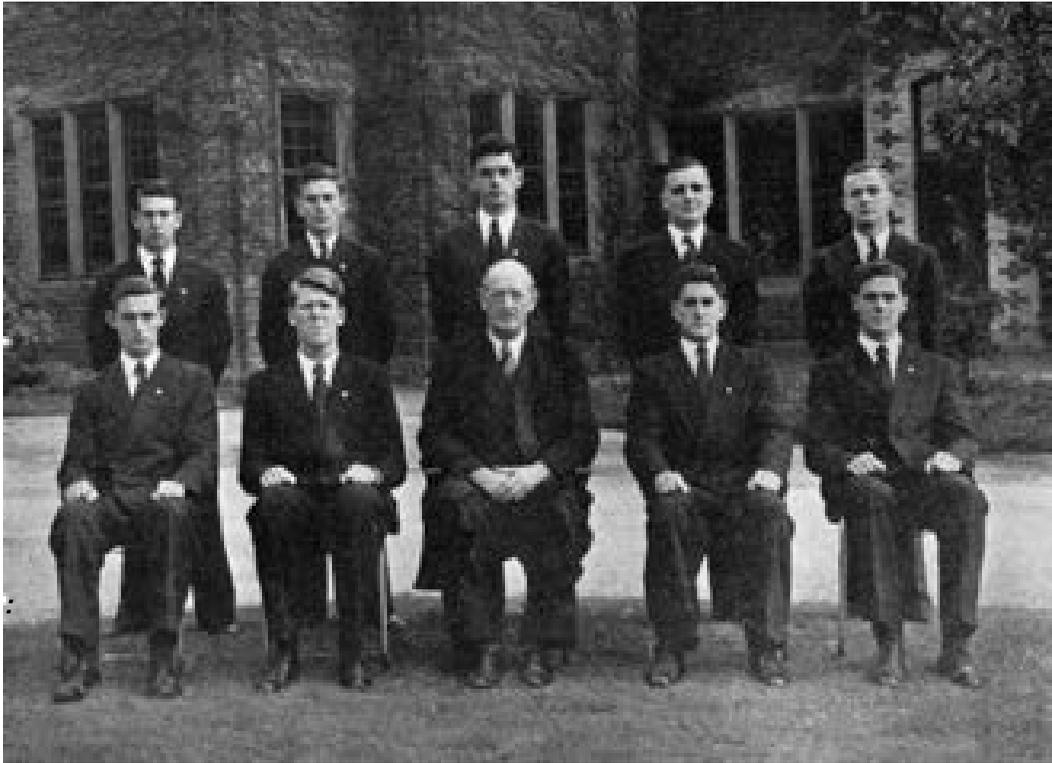
The school has recently bought a "tape recorder" which will prove invaluable to all Musical Activities within the school.

Visitors to the school this term included Commander T. H. Cynnot, who spoke on the Navy as a career with special reference to Flinders Naval College.

Wing Commander Costello spoke on the Air Force as a career and included in his address a film showing the R.A.A.F. in action in Korea.

Maj. General Hopkins of the Australian Army spoke to the school on the Army's future and showed a film of Royal Military College at Duntroon.

A successful House Music competition was



PREFECTS, 1952,

Back Row: A. Mel. Scott, J. B. Coombe, B. J. Henderson, J. G. Heggie, M. S. John.
 Front Row: G. W. Barber, A. W. Jones (Captain of School), the Head Master,
 K. McD. Cameron, J. G. Howden.

held in Morrison Hall on Saturday night, 10th May. Dr. A. E. Floyd was the adjudicator for the evening.

It was announced by Dr. Buntine that the Day Boys would one day be built a special House in which to hold their own activities at the College. This has long been desired in the College. The new House will be known as Knowle House. This name was used because of its historical significance.

An interesting visitor to the College was an old Winchester Collegian from England. He helped design the east window in the school Dining Hall, and actually made the Pegasus portion of stained glass himself.

It is with deep regret that we learn that Mrs. Trunkfield, who has held the position of Matron of Warrinn for a year is leaving at the end of first term. We sincerely wish "Mrs. Field" every happiness in the future, -and hope that she will always have happy memories of War-

P.F.A.

At the opening introductory meeting for the year, the committee for 1952 was announced. It is:

Messrs. E. C. McLean and D. Webb, Presidents; T. S. Dennis, Secretary; P. W. Sutherland, Assistant Secretary; G. W. Barber, J. G. Howden, Social Services; M. S. John, Treasurer; D. F. Lang, Publicity Agent; A. D. Steele; J. D. Fenton; I. W. Macmillan.

The term's syllabus has been a varied and interesting one. It included: A visit from Captain Hunter of the Salvation Army who spoke on the subject "Is there a God;" a Bible quiz, between two teams, the Dills and the Drons; an address by Mr. McLean on the book of Amos; some overwhelming evidence was put forward by Mr. Barclay on the subject "Did Christ really rise?"; an address by Mr. Wardle, a new master, on "Science and Religion;" a discussion opened in debate fashion by C. Peel and A. Tatlock on "Should State Lotteries be introduced to benefit hospi-

tals; a continuation of our camp discussions and a "study of the hymns we sing."

It was decided by about thirty-five members, that, instead of the usual trip to the pictures, a folk dance night be held on Boat Race night. Mr. McLean taught us several folk dances. A party from Morongo attended the dance and everyone enjoyed it immensely.

From 25-26 April, we held our annual camp at Toc-H, Pt. Lonsdale. Our visitors were Mr. Anderson who spoke to us on the Indonesian situation, Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Whiffen, whose subject was "Minorities," and Miss Shaw, who had dinner with us on Saturday. I think that everybody felt that although it was a short camp, it achieved its end and everyone had a thoroughly good time. We are very indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and to Toc-H for having us. We appreciated their kind hospitality very much.

Members of the group have attended two very pleasant teas at Belmont and St. George's, and we thank those branches very much for their kind invitation.

The Treasurer has been very pleased with the response for collections from this year's membership of 120, which is a considerable increase on that of 1951. The total amount for the term was £8/16/6½ of which £6/6/6½ was from collections, and £2/0/0 from odd jobs. We are disappointed that we have no day-boy members. If there are any who would like to join the fellowship we would be very pleased to see them next term.

T.S.D. & P.W.S.

HOUSE OF GUILDS.

The Warden and Council acknowledge with gratitude the generous gifts made during First Term of useful equipment for the House of Guilds.

To Mr. Pasco of Toowoomba, Queensland, the senior Old Collegian, we tender special thanks for the Swiss Alpine Axe which he kindly sent for use in snow country during hikes; to Mr. Banfield of "The Ararat Advertiser" for a font of printer's type, and to Mr. Thacker of Ryrie Street, Geelong for a double font of printer's type, we express our gratitude also.

The House of Guilds is constantly mindful of the generous and valuable service so regularly given by Mrs. Quick to the Potter's Guild, Mr. Seale to the Model Engineers. We have special reasons too for thanking Mr.

Arthur Gliddon who keeps an expert eye on the loom, and Mr. Bruce Campbell whose experience and advice have prevented us from making too sticky a mess of the printer's ink and slugs of type.

Some pictures of regular activity during the Term are published on other pages.

EXCHANGES.

The Editors acknowledge with thanks receipt of the following exchanges, and regret if any have been inadvertently omitted:—

The Southportian, The Camberwell Grammarian, The Clansman, The Herioter, The Scotch Collegian, The King's School Magazine, The Caulfield Grammarian, The Merlin, The Aberdeen Grammar School Magazine, The Campbellian, The Waitaki'an, The Knox Grammarian, The Canberran, The Longerenong Collegian, The Corian, The Minervan, The Mitre, The Xaverian, The Wesley College Chronicle, The Portal, The Brighton Grammarian, The Cygnet, The Carey Chronicle, The Hutchin's School Magazine, The Armidalian, The Sydneian, The Royal Military College (Duntroon) Magazine, Jargon, The Unicorn, The Georgian, The Lauristoni'an, Patchwork, Coo-ee, The Cluthan, The Lucernian, The Mentonian, Virtus, The Viking, The College Times, The College Barker, The Fintonian, The Ballarat Grammar School Magazine.

WARAMONG.

It's summer time at Waramong,

And smoke is in the air,

And hot, tired birds sit in the trees.

As the heat waves quiver in the hot west breeze,

While the long, yellow grass reaches up to the knees,

And the axles and wheels run molten and seize,

In the heat of the glaring days.

It's winter time at Waramong,

And thunder rolls on high,

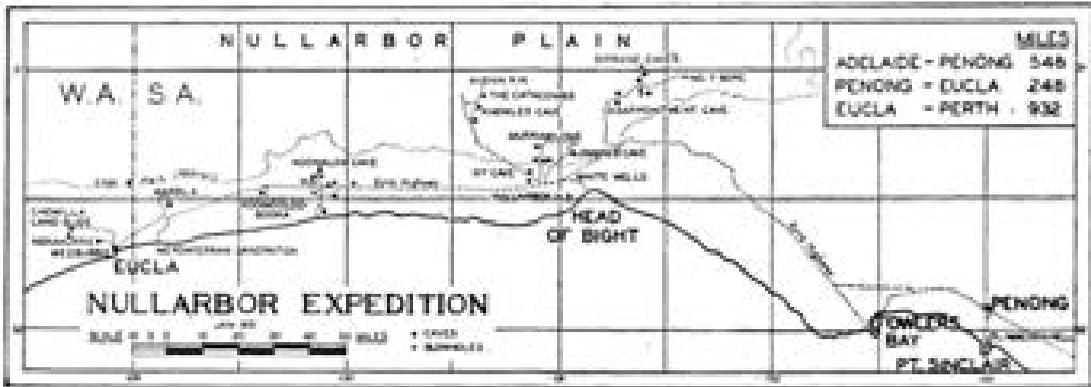
While lightning rends the stormy sky,

And strikes the trees as it passes by,

And the rain pours down, and the rushing sigh
Is the wind in the trees as it passes,

And the rivers are moving, are flowing, are full,
So the green grass grows, and the cattle pull
At the fresh and tender branches.

M.D.R., 1A.



THE NULLARBOR TRIP.

The party of St. Peter's College, Adelaide, and Geelong College boys headed for the wide open spaces before dawn on the last Sunday of 1951. On their second day of travelling in the bus and five ton truck, they reached Ceduna, took on a large grant of petrol, and proceeded to Port Sinclair for two days rest before heading inland.

On New Year's day, residents of Penang and Ceduna held a carnival on the beach, and a dance at night in Penang, which some of the party attended in their best hiking clothes.

After leaving Port Sinclair, half a day's travelling was completed before the Kalgoorlie School of Alines' party was met at the second vermin fence. After a search which lasted for a day the party reached the Diprose caves. They saw two trial bores sunk in 1884 in search of fresh water, and at Diprose number two cave, a cave owl was caught as it attempted to fly from the cave and was added to the Museum collection.

None of the Diprose caves was at all big, and as the temperature had been in three figures for two days, much relief was exhibited when the party made for the Head of the Great Australian Bight.

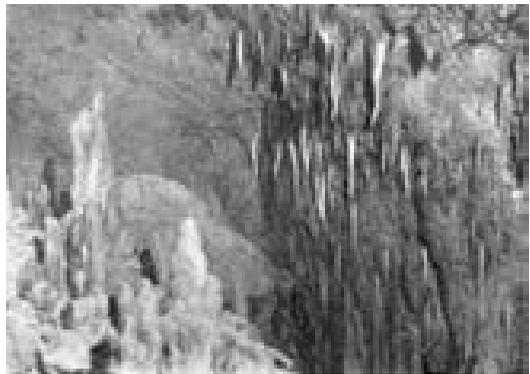
Only one night was spent at the Head of the Bight, as heavy rain forced a hasty departure. Water was taken on at White Wells station, a sub-station of Nullarbor Station, which was reached in the afternoon.

The next morning, a long Jacob's ladder was made to provide an easier access to caves with vertical entrances.

In the afternoon, the Murrawijinie caves were visited. These also were small, and the high-

light of the group was the "Bloody Hand" cave, which had white impressions on the rocks, of aboriginal hands, outlined in red clay.

A black station-hand directed the party to a new cave which he had seen for the first and last time thirty years ago. It had four vertical openings, so the Jacob's ladder was lowered into what was a large single cavern, covering at least an acre, and with a "fairyland" of stalagmites clustered in a patch in the centre.



Graveyard Formations in the Ivy Cave.

The next day, the Ivy Cave, known as the "Graveyard" was visited. One column in it was about three feet through at the base. The "graveyard" impression was gained from the tombstone-like stalagmites on the floor. The whole cave was full of beautiful rock formations.

A thirty mile trip was made to the Catacombs Caves. In order to find them, Kudna Rock hole had first to be found, from which Knowles' Cave (named after Mr. K. V. Knowles, a colleague of Captain Thomson, who came on this

trip) could be found and this would have an arrow of stones, giving the bearing of the Catacombs.

After a morning's search, Kudna Rock Hole was found. Here, two old camel tanks were seen, left by Jones in 1879. The Knowles cave was quickly passed, but on arrival at the Catacombs, the party was dismayed to find the greater portion of them had collapsed. These caves were supposed to be even more beautiful than the Ivy Cave.

The next "port of call" from Nullarbor station was Koonalda Station, where the large Koonalda cave is situated.



Capt. Thomson emerging from entrance of Koonalda Cave.

On the way to Koonalda Cave, two new small caves were found, one ending in a "dead end."

At Koonalda Cave a boat was carried about five chains to the lake which was crossed by the party, three at a time. They landed on an island, which they crossed to find a second and more expansive lake disappearing around a corner, around which Captain Thomson rowed and fired flares to reveal a second island under a dome in the roof, with a pale blue-white "mountain" of limestone, seated on red and brown clay.

The lake in the cave is part of the salty Nullarbor Artesian Basin, three hundred feet below ground level.

The Warbla Cave was visited on the way to Eucla. The rope ladder was used to cover the ninety foot drop into the sinkhole. It was here that many bats were found, and captured for the Museum.

Eucla, in Western Australia, is situated on a coast plain, about three miles wide and three

hundred miles long; at sea level it is three hundred feet below the Nullarbor Plain. Only three houses now remain—the others have been covered by drift sand, rolling in from the beach in huge dunes.

From Eucla, the Abrakurrie Cave was visited. It is a large cave, and in the centre of a huge "saucer," so that all the rain from a large radius collects in the cave, which has a very thick soft carpet of silt on the floor, making it very pleasant walking after the hard cutting flints of the other caves.

Weebubbie Cave was the last to be explored on the trip. It is probably one of the two most awe-inspiring caves on the Nullarbor—Koonalda being the other.

The lake of water in the Weebubbie Cave was so clear that one had to touch it to believe that water was there. The bottom, although thirty feet down, could be clearly seen, as if it were only six feet down. The party swam in the lake, which, although icy cold, was very pleasant after the heat outside.

Captain Thomson pointed out a spot on the bottom of the lake where a valuable diamond rock drill rested. A hole had been drilled through the roof of the cave in 1946 and the drill had broken off and fallen into the lake. It is still there, as the cost of recovering it would be too great.

Before leaving Eucla for the return trip, the family of five children, living there, sang songs to the party in the language of the aboriginal Arunta tribe.



The second crossing of the lake in the Koonalda Cave.

The Western Australian party broke off at this stage, and the Eastern party reached Port Pirie in three days, where they visited the iron smelting works. Adelaide was reached next day.

In all five new caves were found and thirty two were explored.

W.J.B.



Radio connection with Flying Doctor Service.

EXAMINATION RESULTS.

MATRICULATION.

(Honours shown in brackets).

Passed: Aikman A. M. H. (1st Physics), Ball P. G., Cole B. L. (1st Expression, 2nd Chemistry), Coombe J. B. (1st Physics, 2nd Expression, 2nd Chemistry), Donald I. A. (2nd Physics, 2nd Chemistry), Ennis B. C. (1st Physics, 1st Chemistry, 2nd Cal and App. Maths.), Fallaw D. C., Gault D. (2nd French), Gibb J. G. (2nd Geography), Howden I. C., Lehmann K. W., Macdermid A. N., Mc-

Laren B. J., Moore L. D., Roberts J. G., Scott A. Mel., Stewart R. B., Sutherland J. F. (2nd Lit. 2nd Mod. Hist.).

Leaving: Anderson J. N. R., Anderson W. J., Banfield H. G., Beach M. J., Brotchie P. W., Buntine J. M., Edwards R. D., Fleming K. M., Fulton G. J. A., George M. W., Green H. G., Hassall C. D., Henderson B. J., Hills R. S., Hirst G. L., Hodgson W. B., Holmes A. J., Hooper G. A. A., Howden J. G., Humphrys D., Israel M. J., Jacobs I. D., Keach G. H. A., Keith G. L., Kirwin N. J., Langlands K. C., Larcombe I. T., Macdonald D. W., McKinnon G. T., Mockridge D. S. W., Peck D. M. Raymond P., Sides I. G., Solomon B. J., Stockel J. W., Sutherland P. W., Walpole D. H., Wolstenholme J., Woodward L. M., Wright G. D., Young G. W.

Intermediate: Edwards P. G., Gray J. A., Meakin W. D., Metcalfe J. H., Morrow R. M., Nicolson J. A., Pawson J. M., Robbins R. B., Thomson K. W. J.

SPORTS AWARDS 1951.

Honour Colours.

CRICKET.

Cameron K. McD., Henderson B. J., Merriman R. F.

ROWING.

Buntine J. M., Campbell N. T., Dearnley F. A. J., Jones A. W., Macmillan I. W., Partridge E. L., Raymond P.

School Colours.

CRICKET.

Campbell A. G., George M. W., Henderson B. J., Lang D. F., Merriman R. F., Solomon B. J., Woodward L. M.

ROWING.

Buntine J. M., Campbell N. T., Dearnley F. A. J., Jones A. W., Macmillan I. W., Partridge E. L., Raymond P.

School Caps.

CRICKET.

Campbell A. G., George M. W., Hass'all C. O., Henderson B. J., Hindhaugh P. J., Lang D. F., Merriman R. F., Soloman B. J., Woodward L. M.

ROWING.

Buntine J. M., Campbell N. T., Dearnley F. A. J., Jones A. W., Macmillan I. W., Partridge E. L., Raymond P.

MIND OVER MATTER.

Ten Thoughts on Learning French.

1. (Approving)—I think that learning French is a very good think.
2. (Cautionary)—French in its advanced stages (of French) is quite hard for the pupil.
3. (Wistful)—You must have to know a lot of French to get into the University.
4. (Insular)—If we are to keep on good terms with France we must learn French, and the French must learn English. In my opinion French is a waste of time.
5. (Practical)—To learn French one has to go to France where one can pick up useful everyday words and phrases
6. (Scornful)—Only about one out of every ten people ever uses French.
7. (Enigmatic)—Paris creations are world famous.
8. (Dubious)—I suppose it also cultivates the brain to a certain extent.
9. (Candid)—It's a waste of one's time and parents' money.
10. (Philosophical)—But I always say somebody is trying to learn our language and getting in an awful mess like we do.

P.G.E V.D.

SCHOOL OFFICERS, 1952.

Captain of the School: A. W. Jones.

School Prefects: G. W. Barber, K. McD. Cameron, J. B. Coombe, J. G. Heggie, B. J. Henderson, J. G. Howden, M. S. John, A. Mel. Scott.

House Prefects: Senior: G. A. A. Hooper.

Warrinn: T. S. Dennis.

Mackie: R. S. Hills, P. W. Sutherland,

Knowle: F. A. J. Dearnaley, B. J. Solomon.

House Captains: Calvert: A. Mel. Scott (a), J. G. Howden (v.c).

McArthur: T. G. Heggie (c), F. A. J. Dearnaley (v.c).

Morrison: K. McD. Cameron (c), B. J. Henderson (v.c).

Shannon: B. J. Solomon (c), G. A. A. Hooper (v.c).

Cricket Committee: Mr. K. W. Nicolson, K. McD. Cameron (a), B. J. Henderson (v.c), M. W. George, A. Mel. Scott, B. J. Solomon.

Swimming Committee: Mr. G. A. Frank, T. S. Dennis, J. G. Heggie, I. W. Macmillan, B. J. Solomon.

Rowing Committee: Mr. J. H. Campbell, P. Raymond (Captain of boats), F. A. J. Dearnaley (v.c), J. G. Howden, A. W. Jones, I. W. Macmillan, I. T. Sutherland.

Tennis Committee: Mr. F. R. Quick, J. B. Coombe, B. J. Henderson, R. F. Merriman, R. D. Money, L. M. Woodward.

Music Committee: Mr. G. Logie Smith, G. W. Barber, J. B. Coombe, B. D. Harding, R. S. Hills, A. W. Jones, M. S. John, F. U. Pam, G. R. Richmond, P. W. Sutherland.

House of Guilds Council: Messrs. D. W. Webb and A. J. Firth; J. D. Howie (Subwarden, chairman, and General Crafts), J. G. Waugh (Stamps), J. S. Bromell (Head Storeman), A. T. Heard (Model Engineers). A. B. Burgess (Photography,) W. J. Bell (Wireless), E. R. Kayser and W. W. Lawler (Aero Modelling) B. G. Fenton (Pottery).

P.F.A. Committee: Messrs. E. C. McLean and D. Webb, T. S. Dennis (secretary), G. W. Barber, J. D. Fenton, J. G. Howden, M. S. John, D. F. Lang, I. W. Macmillan, A. D. Steele, P. W. Sutherland, I. T. Sutherland.

Library Committee: Messrs. C. F. H. Ipsen, B. R. Keith, C. A. Bickford; C. Abery, P. W. Brotchie, H. G. Green, C. S. Peel, A. Mel. Scott, L. M. Woodward.

VALETE.

- FORM VI.—Aikman A. M. H. Prefect; V. Capt. Calvert; VIII (Honours '50) XVIII (Colours '51); Sgt. Atkinson G. W. Cpl.; Cole B. L. VIII (Honours '50); Cpl.; Dennis M. V. S. XVIII (Colours '51); Cpl.; Donald I. A.; Ennis B. C. Dux; Fall-aw D. C. House Prefect; XVIII (Colours '51); Cpl.; Gault D.; Gibb J. G. Prefect; V. Capt. Warrinn; VIII (Honours '51); XVIII (Colours '50, Honours '51); C.S.M.; Hirst G. L.; Howden I. C. Prefect; XVIII (Honours '50) XI (Honours '51); Cadet Lt.; Lehmann K. W.; Macdermid A. N. Prefect; XI (Honours '50); XVIII (Colours '50); V. Capt. Shannon; Sgt.; McLaren B. J. Prefect; Capt. Morrison; XI (Honours '49); R.S.M.; McNaughton K. D. House Prefect; VIII (Honours '50); C.Q.M.S.; Moore L. D. Prefect; VIII (Honours '50); XVIII (Colours '51); Cpl.; Palmer F. G. Cpl.; Quail G. G. Editor Pegasus; Sgt.; Roberts J. G.; Sadler N. J.; Smith L. G. Cdt. Lt.; Stephinson W. G. Prefect '50; Capt. Calvert; XVIII (Honours '50); Sgt.; Stewart R. B. Cpl.; Vines G. J. G. Prefect '50; Capt. Shannon; XVIII (Colours '49); Aths. (Honours '51); Cdt. Lt.; Wallace-Smith G. Capt. of School; Cricket Capt.; XI (Honours '49); Capt. of Football; XVIII (Colours '50) Cdt. Lt.
- FORM VE.—Banfield H. L. Cpl.; Clement N. M.; Fleming K. M.; Fulton G. J. A.; Hines D. L. Cpl.; Holmes A. J.; Humphries D.; Keith G. L. Cpl.; Lacombe I. T. Cpl.; Peck D. M.; Ramsay J. H. Cpl.; Sides I. G.; Stocckel J. W.; Wright G. D.; Young G. W.
- FORM VM.—Edwards R. D.; Hodgson W. B. VIII (Honours '51); Aths. (Honours '51); Cpl.; Israel M. J. Sgt.; McDiamid R. C. XVIII (Colours '51); MacDonald D. W.; Pullar G. G.
- FORM IVA.—Gray J. A.; Rice A. G.
- FORM IVB.—Anstee M. S.; Baird I. J.; Ford G. G.; Gregory D. McL.; Grigg A. K.; Hamilton I. S.; Loney G. B.; McLelland A. H. R.; Nicolson J. A.; Pawson J. M.
- FORM IVC.—Agnew R. G.; Griffin G. T. Cpl.; Hargreaves L. J.; Hodgson I. L.; Lockwood G. M.; Logan J. M.; Moreton B. E.; Moreton D. S.; Newman J. B.; Oldham J. C. C. L/Cpl.; Price J. L.; Thacker B. W.; Turner R. B. XI (Honours '51); XVIII (Honours '51).
- REMOVE—Barker C. R.
- FORM IIA.—Allitt G. F.; Brown A. H.; Caithness R. L.; Walter J. C.
- FORM IIB.—Fagg K. F.; Johnston L. F.; Miller R. L.; Thomson J. R.
- FORM IA.—Goslin R. B.
- FORM UIVA.—Gridley P. H.
- FORM UIVB.—Boyd G. R.
- FORM LIVA.—Harris P.; Munday B. C.
- KINDERGARTEN—McKeon D. P.; Winkelman J. E.

SALVETE.

- FORM VD.—Hindhaugh P. J.; Lloyd B. E.
- FORM VM.—Bennallack S. R.; Murray W. E.; Pope M. W.; Seenivasan H.
- FORM IVA.—Ebbels D. L.; Ennis G. C.; Keach F. J. A.; McGregor W. S.; Sutherland T. R.
- FORM IVB.—Mayfield D. O.
- FORM III.—McDonald N. M.; Paterson R. J.
- REMOVE—Campbell P. T.; Crawford R. D.; Holden J. C.; McIntyre I. M.; Rigg B. M.; Robson D. M.; Varley R. J.
- FORM IIA.—Griffin J. R.; Macdonald R. J.; Pennefather J. G.; Watson B. W.
- FORM IIB.—Fraser D. J.
- FORM I A.—Ballantyne W. J.; Ennis A. D.; Radford G. P.; Roberts M. L.; Stuckey J. S.; Russell J. B.
- FORM IB.—Allen F. G.; Brady N. J.; Lindquist P. A.; Metcalfe A. P.; Parry B. G. F.; Richmond N. J.
- FORM IC.—Gray P. E.; Troedel D. C.
- FORM UIVA.—Cameron D. L.; Adler M.; Boyd A. G.; Charles M. J.; Coutts D.; Crowe A. S.; Dudley C.; Green W. B.; Hutchens D. J. R.; John D. M.; Keating M. S.; King G. R.; Lamont J. S.; McKenzie R. G.; Maxted K. D.; Males P.; Thorn N. L.; Wills I. R.; Thomas J. W.
- FORM UIVB.—Edgar A. C.; Evans D. G.; Hicks G. J.
- FORM MIV.—Bromell H.; Hair G. B.; McArthur A. H.; Pennefather R.; Sproat T. W.
- FORM LIVA.—Baker R. A.; Cake M. G.; Dudley S. R.; McLellan D. J.; Pearce R. L.; Wright D. D.
- FORM LIVB.—Hosking L. J.; Kilsby K.; McWattie I. M.; Pennicott R.; Jennings W. R.
- KINDERGARTEN.—Betts R. G.; Blackwood P. D.; Cochrane J. M.; Cook J. L. R.; Cooper P. J.; Drew A. J.; Elson R. B.; Gordon G. R.; Hamilton P. A.; Jacobs S. W.; List P. H.; Peck R. W.; Picken B. S.; Thomson L. R.; Timms R. H.; Watson G. L.; Webb P. R.

SPEECH DAY, DECEMBER 1951.



His Excellency, Sir Dallas Brooks, addressing the school. In the background Dr. M. A. Buntine.

SWIMMING.

The swimming sports were held in bright sunshine at the Eastern Beach Pool on the afternoon of 26th February. Barry Solomon won the open championship, winning six events and breaking four records.

Results:—

OPEN.—200 METRES FREESTYLE: Solomon (S), Wolstenholme (M) seq. 1; Macmillan (M) 3; Rowe (S) 4; Robinson (C) 5. Time: 2 min. 40 secs. 100 METRES FREESTYLE: Solomon (S) 1; Wolstenholme (M) 2; Macmillan (M) 3; Rowe (S) 4; Anderson (Mc) 5. Time: 1 min. 8 4/5 secs. (Record). 50 METRES FREESTYLE: Solomon (S) 1; Wolstenholme (M) 2; Rowe (S) 3; Fenton (M) 4; Mockridge (Mc) 5. Time: 31 secs. (seq. Record). 100 METRES BREASTSTROKE: Macmillan (M) 1; McKinnon (S) 2; Woodward (C) 3; Dennis (M) 4; Beach (Mc) 5. No time. 50 METRES BREASTSTROKE: Solomon (S) 1; McKinnon (S) 2; Anderson (Mc) 3; Dennis (M) 4; Merriman (C) 5. Time: 39 secs. (Record). 50 METRES BACKSTROKE: Solomon (S) 1; Wolstenholme (M) 2; McKinnon (S) 3; Anderson (Mc) 4; Merriman (C) 5. Time: 40 2/8 secs. (Record). DIVE: Solomon (S) 1; McKinnon (S) 2; John (M) 3; Drennan (Mc) 4; Merriman (C) 5. RELAY: Morrison 1; Shannon 2; McArthur 3. Time: 2 min. 42 2/5 secs.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.—Solomon (S) (46*) 1; Wolstenholme (M) (21*) 2; McKinnon (S) (18) 3.

UNDER 16.—150 METRES FREESTYLE: Roberts (M) 1; Stevens (S) 2; Brooke-Ward (C) 3; Hair (C) 4; Bromell (Mc) 5. Time: 2 min. 13 secs. 50 METRES FREESTYLE: Hair (C) 1; Roberts (M) 2; Stevens (S) 3; Brooke-Ward (C) 4; Bromell (Mc) 5. Time: 34 1/5 secs. 50 METRES BREASTSTROKE: Roberts (M) 1; Stevens (S) 2; McDonald (Mc) 3; Brooke-Ward (C) 4; Abery (M) 5. Time: 39 secs. (Record). 50 METRES BACKSTROKE: Stevens (S) 1; Smith (Mc) 2; Roberts (M) 3; Metcalfe (C) 4; Langlands (M) 5. Time: 43 2/5 secs. (Record). DIVE: Stevens (S) 1; Abery (M) 2; Roberts (M) 3; Lamond (S) 4; Hair (C) 5. RELAY: Calvert 1; McArthur 2; Shannon 3. Time: 2 min. 44 1/5 secs.

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP.—Stevens (S) (29) 1; Roberts (M) (27) 2; Hair (C) (11) 3.

UNDER 15.—50 METRES FREESTYLE: Spittle (C) 1; Roland (S) 2; Pennefather (S) 3; Gibb (Mc) 4; Taylor (Mc) 5. Time: 36 2/5 secs. 50 METRES BREASTSTROKE: Pennefather (S) 1; Kerr (C) 2; Ebbles (S) 3; McDonald (Mc) 4; Gibb (Mc) 5. Time 48 1/5 secs. 50 METRES BACKSTROKE: Flett (S) 1; Kerr (C) 2; Gibb (Mc) 3; Pennefather (S) 4; McInnes (M) 5. Time 46 secs. DIVE: Roland (S) 1; McDonald (Mc) 2; McInnes (M) 3; Robinson (C) 4; Fletcher (C) 5. RELAY: McArthur 1; Calvert 2; Shannon 3. Time: 2 min. 39 secs.

UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIP.—Pennefather (S) (13), Roland (S) (13) seq. 1; Kerr (C) (10) 3.

UNDER 14.—50 METRES FREESTYLE: Bent (Mc) 1; Rooke (M) 2; Ackland (S) 3; Prillenger (M) 4; Metcalfe (C) 5. Time 38 1/5 secs. 50 METRES BREASTSTROKE: Ackland (S) 1; Norwood (Mc) 2; Rooke (M) 3; Bumpstead (C) 4; Bent (Mc) 5. Time 51 2/5 secs. (Record). 50 METRES BACKSTROKE: Ackland (S) 1; Prillenger (M) 2; Bent (Mc) 3; Rice (M) 4; Frazer (S) 5. Time: 51 1/5 secs. DIVE: Robinson (C) 1; Metcalfe (C) 2; Norwood (Mc) 3; Rooke (M) 4; Bent (Mc) 5. RELAY: McArthur 1; Morrison 2; Calvert 3. Time 3 min. 12 1/5 secs.

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP.—Ackland (S) (19) 1; Bent (Mc) (13) 2; Rooke (M) (10) 3.



Bicycle Repairs.

Music Notes.

The school's musical activities during first term have indeed been of many and varied forms and on the whole there has been a notable interest shown in all of them.

The music committee, headed by the Musical Director, Mr. G. Logie-Smith, are Richard Hills, Malcolm John, Worrall Jones (from last year), George Barber, Barry Coombe, Barry Harding, Frank Pam, Graeme Richmond and Peter Sutherland.

The Orchestra, with a membership of twenty-eight, held their first rehearsal three weeks after the commencement of school. The "Finale of the 5th Symphony by Beethoven" and the "Toy Symphony by Haydn" were learnt. No end-of-term concert was given as the House Music Competitions took its place.

The Brass Band, with a membership of twenty-three, began the year well by learning three difficult marches in first term and playing on such occasions as Anzac Day and Anzac Sunday as well as the normal Thursday afternoon Cadet period. Under the leadership of Worrall Jones and Malcolm John, and as the majority of last year's members have returned, the Band promises well for the second term Cadet camp. The new bandmen this year are:-McInnes A. S., Parry B., Peel C. S., Falkenburg P., Wright B. A., and Wills G. C.

N.C.O's in this year's Band are—Drum Major, Jones A. Worrall; Band Sgt, John M. S.; Cpls., Hills R. S., Drennan B. R.; L/Cpls., Coombe J. B., Harding B. D.

The number of boys learning musical instruments this year has kept to the same high level of last year. Mr. Max Cook, an old boy recently returned from studying overseas, joined the music staff early in the first term.

The m'ale choir after many well attended practices was forced to give way to the House Music Competition rehearsals which began early in the term.

Practices for the Gilbert and Sullivan Glee Club production, "Iolanthe" began soon after the commencement of school. A tape recorder was purchased by the school half way through the term; it has already proved a great help in the training of the House Choirs and Glee Club members.

HOUSE MUSIC COMPETITIONS.

These competitions for the last two years have been held in second term. This year

they were tried out with equal success in first term.

The respective conductors were Scott A. Mel. (Calvert), John M. S. (Morrison), Jones A. Worrall (Shannon), Richmond G. (McArthur).

Each house presented to 'a packed and attentive audience music from five different sections. A choir, a pianoforte solo, an instrumental solo, a vocal ensemble and an instrumental ensemble.

The adjudicator this year was Dr. A. E. Floyd. We are all thankful to him for his kind remarks and useful judgment which went to all performers.

RESULTS OF INTER-HOUSE MUSIC COMPETITION.

Choir—

	C.	M.	S.	MCA.
(1).....	46	48	45	44
(2)	47	49	44	46
(3)	47	46	45	47
Pianoforte Solo.....	47	49	47	48
Instrumental Solo.....	47	46	47	48
Instrumental Ensemble	40	42	42	43
Vocal Ensemble.....	44	45	48	44
Total.....	118	125	118	120
Position.....				

(Each mark is out of possible 50.)

M.S.J.

CADET NOTES.

As usual the Cadet Corps got into its stride early in the year, despite difficulties in outfitting rookies, blackening boots, etc. Once more our candidates in the potential N.C.O.'s and potential officers' camp did very well, and this year six new officers won their commissions.

A detachment from College took part in the remembrance service to the late King and in the Ansaie Day parade, and the annual Church Parade was held at St. George's on the 27th April.

A Company have fired on the East Geelong range, and have attended several lectures given by our O.C. Lt.-Col. Dunkley. During the term the Unit has attended lectures by Army and Air Force representatives.

Organisation is as follows:—

O.C, Lt.-Col. H. L. E. Dunkley; Adj., Capt. J. H. Campbell; R.S.M., W/O. G. A. A. Hooper; O.C. A Coy., Cdt.-Lt. R. J. Rowe; C.S.M., W/O. F. A. J. Dearnaley.

No. 1 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. A. Mel. Scott; Sgt.

I. Sutherland; Cpls., K. C. Langlands, D. Spittle.

No. 2 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. I. W. Macmillan; Sgt. D. Lang; Cpls., R. Robinson, P. Raymond, R. Merriman.

No. 3 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. K. McD. Cameron; Sgt. L. Woodward; Cpls., H. Green, A. G. Campbell, J. G. Howden.

Specialists Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. E. L. Partridge; Sgt. P. Ball; Cpls., G. McKinnon, D. L. Phillips, B. j. Fenton; L/Cpls, J. O. Saxton, W. D. Meakin, D. S. W. Mockridge.

B Company—O.C, Lt. G. H. Littlejohn; C.S.M., W/O. J. M. Buntine.

No. 4 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. G. W. Barber; Sgt. J. G. Waugh; Cpls., N. Campbell, A. B. Burgess, N. L. McKindlay.

No. 5 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. T. Dennis; Sgt. M. A. J. Cameron; Cpls., A. W. Cameron, A. D. Steele, H. Walpole.

No. 6 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. P. W. Sutherland; Sgt. B. J. Solomon; Cpls., M. W. George, N. R. McDonald, B. Thorn.

No. 7 Platoon—Cdt.-Lt. B. J. Henderson; Sgt. W. J. Anderson; Cpls., C. D. Hassall, W. J. Bell, P. W. Brotchie,

Q. Store—Q.M.S., Staff-Sgt. A. A. H., Anderson; Cpls., I. R. Chomley, J. D. Howie, J. D. Fenton.

A.McI. S.

TENNIS NOTES.

The most pleasing feature of this term's activity was the stimulus given to the sport by the enthusiasm of Mr. Quick.

Many young players were set on the correct road by coaching lessons given regularly during the term. Unfortunately the knowledge they gained could not be put into practice, as matches could not be arranged for the junior ch'aps. We hope to cater for them later in the year.

Both competitive and social tennis was played. The social matches were arranged with "The Hermitage" and "Morongo," and were played on the grass courts at Bell Park. Both girl's schools provided some strong opposition and on both occasions all had an enjoyable time.

On Boat-Race morning we played our annual match against Geelong Grammar School, which resulted in a win for Geelong College.

Results:

Henderson-Thorns d. Cooke-Middleton 6-5, 6-4; Hassall-Cameron d. Glasson-Nixon 6-4, 6-3; Williams-Coombe lost to Kirkham-Webb 6-4, 4-6, 6-3; Henderson d. Cooke 6-2, 6-1; Thorns lost to Middleton 6-4, 5-6, 6-3.

BJ.H.



Camp near the Diprose Caves. (Nullarbor Expedition).

PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

At the beginning of term, we were pleased to welcome Mr. Crittenden and also Mr. Macmillan to whom we wish all good fortune at the forthcoming Olympiad at Helsinki.

We congratulate the following on their election to the office of Prefect: Bellerophon, W. E. Lester, D. T. Ford; Helicon, R. G. Weaver, I. J. Burch; Pegasus, A. G. Kidd, B. K. Hewish.

The cricket season was as usual a very busy one with every boy taking part in matches. In competition with other schools the younger teams were outstandingly successful. The Under 11 team, under its captain, Funston acquitted itself very well. Outstanding performances were given by Laidlaw, Funston and Neely. The Under 10 team went through the season undefeated. The captain was Bromell. The 1st XI had a less successful season but enjoyed games under its captain, Illingworth. Games were contested with Geelong Grammar Junior School, Bostock House, St. Joseph's and Glamorgan (Under 11).

During the term, we were addressed by Mrs. F. E. Richardson, who told us something of the work of her committee in helping spastic children. As a result of her message, a self-denial period was set aside and a donation forwarded to further in a small way the objects of the committee.

On Tuesday, April 1st, we—unusually subdued and nervous hosts—had, as our guests, the members of the Kindergarten Mothers' Association who came to watch us at our afternoon activities.

At our special Anzac Day service, we were privileged to have as speaker the Vice-Principal; Mr. A. T. Tait, whose address showed us very clearly—not only why we should commemorate Anzac Day—but also how to apply its lessons in building a better school, a better community, a better country and perhaps a better world.

On April 29th, we spent a delightful hour with the celebrated Hogarth Puppets and were charmed by the grace of the flower ballet, convulsed by the drolleries of Hoopo the Clown, and astonished by the manipulatory skill and antics of Muffin the Mule and his fellow-stars in the circus troupe.

During the term we received a stout ally—in the shape of two new substantial sets of lockers—in our fight against the prevailing winds, which are inclined to blow our togs around the quadrangle.

We are greatly indebted to the School Council for its decision to provide us with a new wash-room, and hope that it will be installed in time for use during the muddy victories and defeats of the football season.

PREPARATORY SWIMMING SPORTS 1952.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.—50 Metres: 1 Hirst B.; 2 Julien R.; 3 McCann D. Long Plunge: 1 seq. Julien R., Lewis B.; 3 Pennefather R. Back Stroke: 1 McCann D.; 2 Stubbs W.; 3 seq. Ramage D., May R. Breast Stroke: 1 Selle J.; 2 Eewis B.; 3 May R. Dive: Julien R.; 2 Selle J.; 3 May R. 25 Metres: 1 Hirst B.; 2 Selle J., Julien R.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP.—1 Julien R.; 2 Selle J.; 3 Hirst B.

UNDER 11 CHAMPIONSHIP.—1 Clarke R.; 2 Fallaw G; 3 McCann D.

NOVELTY COMPETITIONS.—Under 9: 1 Duigan M. Under 11: 1 Neely D. Open: 1 Bell L.

HOUSE RELAY.—1 Bellerophon: 2 Pegasus. HOUSE COMPETITION.—1 Bellerophon; 2 Pegasus.

KINDERGARTEN NOTES.

This year we are pleased to welcome Mrs. Welsh to our staff and we wish her every happiness in her work. Mrs. Welsh has charge of the boys of Form III.

We commenced with an enrolment of 69 boys; 17 of these were entered in Form I where they are in the capable hands of Mrs. Karpowicz. These new pupils quickly settled into their surroundings and the work of the Kindergarten has proceeded smoothly throughout the term.

The log-swing has been erected and we now feel that the boys are well provided for in their leisure time. Our thanks are due to Mr. Webb for his interest and help in renovating some of our outdoor equipment which was showing evidence of constant use.

In March the Parents' Association commenced activities under the leadership of the new office bearers, Mesdames C. Cameron, C. Cotton and R. Birdsey.

At the April meeting many parents took ad-
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PUBLIC SCHOOL CRICKET

GEELONG COLLEGE V XAVIER COLLEGE.

(Played at College)

College opened on a perfect wicket, which offered very little help to the bowlers. The openers, Woodward and Henderson, handled the opening bowlers quite confidently until both lost their wickets within a few minutes of each other. Scott and Cameron then carried the score from 2 for 40 to 3 for 138 when Scott was caught in slips after lunch. Cameron was still batting well, and he was ably backed up by Merriman until he lost his wicket at 32. Cameron went on to his century before being caught. The remaining wickets, with the exception of Solomon and Campbell, fell fairly cheaply and College were all out at 4.45 p.m. for 308 runs. The Xavier openers started brightly and were 3 for 62 at stumps, Merriman having got the two openers. On the following day the Xavier wickets fell cheaply, the only big score being a valuable 62 by J. Corby. College put Xavier in again and they made 229 runs, including a very sound 137 by J. Quin. This left College with 103 runs to make in one and a half hours—a feat which was not accomplished. College won on the first innings by 126 runs.

Scores:

GEELONG COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Woodward b Corby	23
2. Henderson c Quin b McLean.....	15
3. Scott c Larkin b McLean.....	42
4. Cameron c Corby b McLean.....	110
5. Merriman c Woodley b Corby.....	32
6. George b Corby.....	4
7. Solomon b McLean.....	20
8. Lang c Keogh b Corby.....	8
9. Hindhaugh b Sutton.....	1
10. Campbell lbw b Sutton.....	29
11. Hassall not out.....	8
Extras.....	18

TOTAL 308

Fall of wickets: 1 for 35, 2 for 40, 3 for 138, 4 for 227, 5 for 233, 6 for 242, 7 for 255, 8 for 256, 9 for 306.

vantage of the opportunity to visit the Preparatory School and see the boys at their normal lessons. It was a most interesting afternoon.

Mr. E. C. McLean also gave the Association a very informative talk on the various aspects of sport in the Preparatory School.

During our last week of the term the boys, in response to the spastic children appeal, brought along the grand sum of £73/6. They are to be commended for their fine effort.

Bowling: Corby 4/85, Woodley 0/34, McLean 4/66, Sutton 2/57, Francis 0/26, Quin 0/9, Capes 0/15.

XAVIER COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Sutton lbw b Merriman.....	41
2. Quin lbw b Merriman.....	11
3. McLean lbw b Hassall.....	4
4. Keogh b George.....	9
5. Corby J. b Campbell.....	61
6. Capes b Solomon.....	10
7. Pilkington c Lang b Campbell.....	2
8. Larkin b George.....	4
9. Corby P. not out.....	20
10. Woodley b George.....	10
11. Francis c Henderson b George.....	2
Extras.....	7

TOTAL 182

Fall of wickets: 1 for 20, 2 for 45, 3 for 62, 4 for 109, 5 for 138, 6 for 145, 7 for 150, 8 for 150, 9 for 192.

Bowling: Hassall 1/53, Merriman 2/51, George 4/30, Solomon 1/16, Campbell 2/11, Woodward 0/13,

XAVIER COLLEGE: 2nd Innings.

1. Sutton c and b Campbell.....	27
2. Quin not out.....	137
3. McLean lbw b Campbell.....	3
4. Capes c Solomon b George.....	25
5. Keogh run out.....	0
6. Corby J. c Hindhaugh b George.....	19
7. Pilkington lbw b Solomon.....	6
8. Larkin c and b Solomon.....	2
9. Woodley b Solomon.....	3
10. Corby P. b Solomon.....	1
11. Francis stpd Cameron b Woodward.....	4
Extras.....	2

TOTAL 229

Fall of wickets: 1 for 66, 2 for 78, 3 for 141, 4 for 141, 5 for 175, 6 for 182, 7 for 197, 8 for 203, 9 for 204.

Bowling: Campbell 2/52, Hassall 0/20, Solomon 4/22, George 2/69, Merriman 1/42, Woodward 0/22.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 2nd Innings.

1. Woodward c Keogh b McLean.....	7
2. Henderson c Sutton b McLean.....	7
3. Campbell c Corby J. b McLean.....	2
4. Scott b Woodley.....	23
5. Cameron not out.....	20
6. Merriman not out.....	6

TOTAL 65

Fall of wickets: 1 for 13, 2 for 14, 3 for 27, 4 for 42.

Bowling: McLean 3/24, Woodley 1/26, Corby 0/8, Francis 0/6, Sutton 0/1.

RESULT: Geelong College won on the first innings by 126 runs.

**GEELONG COLLEGE V GEELONG
GRAMMAR SCHOOL
(Played at Grammar)**

College opened the batting and soon lost Henderson who was bowled by left-hander, Kirkham. Scott was run out a few minutes later. Woodward managed to keep his wicket, but could not make many runs against the accurate Grammar attack. Cameron and Merriman formed a very valuable partnership and took the score to 4 for 55 before Cameron was caught behind off Kirkham. George held up his end for an hour enabling Merriman to carry his score still further. Merriman made 64 runs before being caught off Kirkham. The remaining wickets fell cheaply, and College were all out for 150. Grammar opened at 4.30 p.m., and lost only one wicket before stumps. Next day Power and Maclachlan batted very well, Maclachlan making 144 not out, and Power making 72 before going lbw to Merriman. Grammar declared at 3 for 310 leaving College 160 runs behind on the first innings. Henderson and Woodward opened soundly, but once again it was Merriman who held the innings together. Maclachlan was bowling excellently, and College fought back desperately, and succeeded in averting an outright defeat.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Woodward c and b Hollis-Bee.....	2
2. Henderson b Kirkham.....	13
3. Scott run out.....	4
4. Cameron c Power b Kirkham.....	21
5. Merriman c Power b Kirkham.....	64
6. George c Power b Maclachlan.....	7
7. Solomon lbw b Kirkham.....	5
8. Lang lbw b Maclachlan.....	12
9. Hindhaugh b Maclachlan.....	4
10. Campbell c Cooke b Maclachlan.....	4
11. Hassall not out.....	5
Extras.....	9

TOTAL 150

Fall of wickets: 1 for 15, 2 for 19, 3 for 20, 4 for 55, 5 for 92, 6 for 113, 7 for 128, 8 for 137, 9 for 144.

Bowling: Hollis-Bee 1/31, Kirkham 4/50, Maclachlan 4/37, Mackey 0/15, Ramsay 0/6.

GEELONG GRAMMAR: 1st Innings.

1. Power lbw b Merriman.....	72
2. Murray c and b Merriman.....	25
3. Maclachlan not out.....	144
4. Cooke c George b Solomon.....	39
5. Glasson not out.....	11
Extras.....	11

TOTAL 310

Innings declared closed.

Fall of wickets: 1 for 49, 2 for 186, 3 for 264.

Bowling: George 0/75, Merriman 2/73, Solomon 1/52, Woodward 0/35, Hassall 0/35, Campbell 0/32.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 2nd Innings.

1. Henderson stpd b Maclachlan.....	21
2. Woodward c Cooke b Maclachlan.....	26
3. Scott lbw b Maclachlan.....	5

4. Cameron lbw b Kirkham.....	29
5. George b Mackey.....	7
6. Merriman not out.....	60
7. Solomon b Cooke.....	8
8. Lang lbw b Maclachlan.....	1
9. Hindhaugh c Kirkham b Maclachlan.....	2
10. Campbell c Power b Maclachlan.....	5
11. Hassall lbw b Maclachlan.....	0
Extras.....	17

TOTAL 181

Fall of wickets: 1 for 34, 2 for 46, 3 for 83, 4 for 95, 5 for 113, 6 for 137, 7 for 139, 8 for 163, 9 for 181.

Bowling: Hollis-Bee 0/45, Kirkham 1/15, Mackey 1/38, Maclachlan 7/51, Ramsay 0/1, Cooke 1/15.

Result: Geelong Grammar won on the first innings by 160 runs.

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**GEELONG COLLEGE V WESLEY.
(Played at Wesley).**

College opened their innings against Jones and Allsopp who took the wickets of both openers in the first twenty minutes of play. Cameron was the only batsman who looked at all safe against the fast Wesley attack. Cameron made forty runs in an hour before being caught off Hicks. George batted better than he had done in the two previous matches, and backed Cameron up while making 29 not out. College were all out at 2 p.m. for 120 runs. Merriman and Solomon bowled well, and the first three Wesley wickets fell for 40 runs. Huf and Allsopp batted very well—particularly Allsopp who made 155 before being caught off George. Hicks batted soundly and made 31. Wesley were all out at 5.30 p.m. for 291, leaving College 171 runs behind on the first innings. College lost both openers soon after play was resumed next morning, but Cameron and Merriman both batted well. At lunch, College were 5 for 142, and it appeared that we would avert an outright defeat, but after lunch the remaining wickets collapsed for only 9 runs, giving Wesley an innings win with 16 runs to spare.

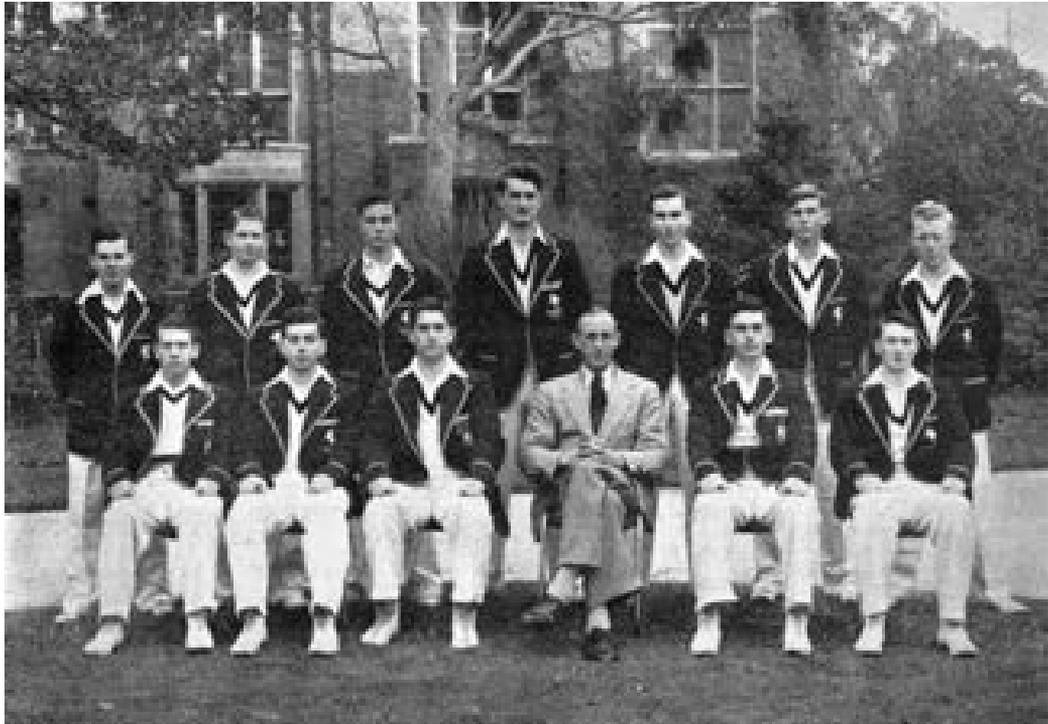
GEELONG COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Henderson c Hibbins b Allsopp.....	15
2. Woodward b Jones.....	6
3. Scott c Daff b Jones.....	0
4. Cameron c Broadbridge b Hicks.....	40
5. Merriman lbw b Allsopp.....	2
6. George not out.....	29
7. Solomon c Huf b Manuell.....	9
8. Lang c Hibbins b Jones.....	8
9. Hindhaugh b Allsopp.....	4
10. Campbell b Allsopp.....	1
11. Hassall c Broadbridge b Jones.....	0
Extras.....	6

TOTAL 120

Fall of wickets: 1 for 21, 2 for 21, 3 for 21, 4 for 34, 5 for 76, 6 for 93, 7 for 106, 8 for 117, 9 for 119.

Bowling: Jones 4/21, Allsopp 4/29, Kemp 0/6, Hicks 1/29, Manuell 1/28, Broadbridge 0/1.



1st XL

Back Row: R. F. Merriman, B. Thorn, L. M. Woodward, C. D. Hassall, D. F. Lang,
 A. G. Campbell, P. J. Hindhaugh.

Front Row: A. Mel. Scott, B. J. Solomon, K. McD. Cameron (Captain), Mr. K. W. Nicolson,
 B. J. Henderson, M. W. George.

WESLEY COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Hibbins c and b Merriman.....	15
2. Broadbridge b Merriman.....	0
3. Scott c Cameron b Solomon.....	15
4. Huf c Merriman b Woodward.....	33
5. Allsopp c Hindhaugh b Merriman —	155
6. Kemp lbw b Solomon.....	8
7. Hicks c Hindhaugh b Woodward....	31
8. Jones run out.....	13
9. Hindhaugh c Kemp b Hicks.....	2
10. Daff.....	6
11. Manuell c George b Hassell.....	2
Extras.....	4

TOTAL 291

Fall of wickets: 1 for 6, 2 for 21, 3 for 40,
 4 for 98, 5 for 116, 6 for 203, 7 for 227, 8 for
 270, 9 for 289.

Bowling: George 0/63, Merriman 4/94, Solo-
 mon 2/41, Woodward 2/60, Hassall 1/29.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 2nd Innings,

1. Henderson c Allsopp b Jones.....	9
2. Woodward lbw b Allsopp.....	2
3. Scott lbw b Hicks.....	21
4. Cameron c Broadbridge b Allsopp....	40
5. Merriman b Hicks.....	50
6. George lbw b Jones.....	13
7. Solomon b Jones.....	1
8. Lang c Daff b Jones.....	0
9. Hindhaugh c Kemp b Hicks.....	2
10. Campbell not out.....	1
11. Hassall c Hibbins b Hicks.....	4
Extras.....	6

TOTAL 155

Fall of wickets: 1 for 10, 2 for 12, 3 for 58,
 4 for 86, 5 for 142, 6 for 148, 7 for 148, 8 for
 148, 9 for 15 L

Bowling: Jones 4/36, Allsopp 2/35, Hicks
 4/32, Manuell 0/20, Kemp 0/15, Huf 0/10,
 Broadbridge 0/1.

RESULT: Wesley College won outright by
 an innings and 16 runs.

GEELONG COLLEGE V MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

(Played at College).

Grammar opened the batting on a wet wicket. Rain fell at intervals throughout the match. The wicket was fairly firm underneath, but very wet on top. Mackay, Lane, and Davie all batted well under the bad conditions, the wet ball being very difficult for our spinners to grip. Grammar were all out by 3 p.m. for 191 runs. The wicket was now very bad, and College were in great difficulty. In spite of the slippery crease the Melbourne Grammar fast bowlers bowled well, and in two hours all College were out for only 59 runs on the board. College was sent in again and lost 3 wickets for 18 runs before stumps. Play did not commence until 12.15 p.m. the next day, when Henderson carried his score to 23 before being caught. College batsmen again failed against the accurate Melbourne Grammar attack on a very bad wicket. College were all out for 57 runs at 3 p.m., giving Grammar an outright victory.

MELBOURNE GRAMMAR: 1st Innings.

1. George c and b Merriman.....	6
2. Kerr lbw b George.....	8
3. Mackay c Woodward b Solomon.....	39
4. Syme lbw b Solomon.....	15
5. Lane lbw b Merriman.....	42
6. Davie c Campbell b Merriman.....	44
7. Wenzel b Merriman.....	11
8. Hayes run out.....	17
9. Maine b Thorn.....	0
10. Ramsden c George b Merriman.....	5
11. Watson not out.....	3
Extras.....	1

TOTAL 191

Fall of wickets: 1 for 9, 2 for 29, 3 for 62, 4 for 71, 5 for 139, 6 for 158, 7 for 182, 8 for 183, 9 for 189.

Bowling: George 1/47, Merriman 5/65, Solomon 2/53, Woodward 0/13, Hassall 0/4, Thorn 1/9.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Henderson stpd b Ramsden.....	16
2. Woodward b Watson.....	3
3. Scott b Maine.....	4
4. Cameron c Kerr b Watson.....	3
5. Merriman c Ramsden b Watson.....	5
6. George b Watson.....	0
7. Solomon b Watson.....	0
8. Lang stpd b Ramsden.....	17
9. Thorn not out.....	1
10. Campbell c Mackay b Ramsden.....	0
11. Hassall stpd b Ramsden.....	4
Extras.....	6

TOTAL 59

Fall of wickets: 1 for 4, 2 for 13, 3 for 16, 4 for 22, 5 for 23, 6 for 23, 7 for 51, 8 for 54, 9 for 54.

Bowling: Maine 1/14, Watson 5/21, George 0/10, Ramsden 4/8.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 2nd Innings.

1. Henderson c Kerr b Ramsden.....	23
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2. Woodward b Ramsden.....	4
3. Scott run out.....	0
4. Cameron b Watson.....	0
5. Merriman c Kerr b Maine.....	14
6. George c Kerr b Maine.....	1
7. Solomon b Maine.....	1
8. Lang c Davie b Ramsden.....	1
9. Thorn run out.....	3
10. Campbell not out.....	4
11. Hassell c and b Ramsden.....	0
Extras.....	6

TOTAL 57

Fall of wickets: 1 for 12, 2 for 12, 3 for 18, 4 for 45, 5 for 45, 6 for 46, 7 for 50, 8 for 52, 9 for 53.

Bowling: Maine 3/12, Watson 2/13, Hayes 0/6, George 0/10, Ramsden 3/10.

RESULT: Melbourne Grammar won outright by 75 runs.

GEELONG COLLEGE V SCOTCH COLLEGE.

(Played at Scotch)

College opened on a perfect wicket but soon lost Woodward who was caught. Henderson batted very well indeed and made 39 before going lbw to Cobham. Both Watson and Smith were bowling very well and were very hard to score off. Cameron and George batted soundly, but were unable to score many runs. College were all out by two o'clock for 112. Merriman took the wickets of the two Scotch openers and Waites, but Cobham played all our bowlers and made 106 not out. After Moore had added 42, Scotch declared 'at 3 for 249. Next day both opening batsmen played very well, Henderson making 63 and Woodward making 48. Cameron and Solomon both played well and handled the bowling confidently. College made 228 in the second innings, and Scotch had one and a half hours to make the 90 runs which would give them the outright which they needed to win the 1952 premiership. College fielded excellently, but Sherwen, Ramsay and Moore batted well and succeeded in making the required runs.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Henderson lbw b Cobham.....	39
2. Woodward c Waites b Smith.....	0
3. Cameron b Watson.....	18
4. Merriman c Moore b Smith.....	6
5. Scott c Sennitt b Watson.....	2
6. George c McLean b Cobham.....	18
7. Solomon b Smith.....	11
8. Lang b Smith.....	6
9. Thorn not out.....	4
10. Hindhaugh b Watson.....	0
11. Campbell b Watson.....	0
Extras.....	8

TOTAL 112

Fall of wickets: 1 for 1, 2 for 35, 3 for 48, 4 for 51, 5 for 80, 6 for 86, 7 for 102, 8 for 105, 9 for 112.

Bowling: Smith 4/33, Watson 4/47, Cobham 2/17, McLean 0/7, Betheras 0/0.

SCOTCH COLLEGE: 1st Innings.

1. Sherwen c Cameron b Merriman.....	28
2. McLean c Solomon b Merriman.....	33
3. Cobham not out.....	106
4. Waites hit wkt b Merriman.....	35
5. Moore not out	42
Extras	5

TOTAL 249

Innings declared closed.

Fall of wickets: 1 for 43, 2 for 883 for 182.
Bowling: George 0/37, Merriman 3/103, Solomon 0/30, Woodward 0/13, Thorn 0/35, Cameron 0/26.

GEELONG COLLEGE: 2nd Innings.

1. Henderson b Bethefas.....	63
2. Woodward b Watson.....	48
3. Cameron c McLean b Smith.....	42
4. Merriman lbw b Watson	6
5. Scott b Smith.....	0
6. George b Smith.....	19
7. Thorn lbw b Smith.....	1
8. Solomon lbw b Watson.....	27
9. Lang run out.....	1
10. Hindhaugh stpd b McLean.....	5
11. Campbell not out.....	7
Extras.....	9

TOTAL 228

Fall of wickets: 1 for 92, 2 for 148, 3 for 165, 4 for 166, 5 for 166, 6 for 167, 7 for 210, 8 for 216, 9 for 216.

Bowling: Smith 4/58, Watson 3/77, Cobham 0/16, McLean 1/34, Betheras 1/21, Sennitt 0/4, Watters 0/5, Waites 0/4.

SCOTCH COLLEGE: 2nd Innings.

1. Sherwen stpd b Merriman	35
2. Ramsay not out.....	51
3. Moore not out.....	9

TOTAL 95

Bowling: George 0/41, Merriman 1/54.

RESULT: Scotch College won outright by 9 wickets.

SECOND ELEVEN.

Although the second XL did not win any matches during the season, the standard of play improved considerably throughout the term because of the keen attendance at practices. The team had no regular coach but we would like to thank Mr. Nicolson who could always find time to tender a few words of very helpful advice, even though very busy with the first XL. Early in the term B. Coombe was elected captain, with M. S. John as vice-captain.

Results:

- Cr.C. (John 12) lost to S.C. 347 (Rowe 3/48).
- G.C. 91 (Harding 30, John 20) lost to X.C. 166 (John 3/12, Higgins 3/34).
- G.C. 58 (Beach 16) and 45 (Sutherland 20, Coombe 11) lost to G.G.S. 151 (Higgins 3/37).
- G.C. 85 (Rowe 22, Beach 18) lost to W.C. 136 (Higgins 4/16, Coombe 2/21).
- G.C. 75 (Hassall 16, Sutherland 13) lost to S.C. 146 (Hassall 4/44).

UNDER 16A.

The team started the season well with 2 wins but did not live up to the early promise and were defeated in the other games. D. Morrison and J. Bromell were elected captain and vice-captain respectively. Best batsmen were R. Vines, B. Thorn, J. Bromell and P. J. Falkenberg while D. Morrison and J. Bromell were the chief wicket takers. The rest of the team would like to convey their congratulations to D. Lang and B. Thorn for their inclusion in the 1st XL

Mr. Hunter was coach again this season and the team offers its thanks and appreciation for the active interest and useful advice he gave throughout the season.

Results:

- G.C. 5 for 206 (Vines 65, Thorn 46) d. S.C. 8 for 121 (Bromell 4 for 31).
- G.C. 7 for 128 (Falkenberg 50 n.o., Bromell 32 n.o.) d. X.C. 9 for 94 (Morrison 6 for 24, Ingpen 2 for 16).
- G.C. 127 (Vines 27, Bromell 20) lost to G.G.S. 188 (Falkenberg 1 for 14).
- G.C. 64 (Metcalf 17, Falkenberg 13) lost to W.C. 108 (Morrison 5 for 19, Bromell 3 for 10).
- G.C. 106 (Metcalf 31, Ingpen 23, Vines 13) were d. by S.C. 205 (bowling figures not available).

D.H.M.

UNDER 16B.

The team this year was not successful but we wish to thank Mr. Hunter who took a great interest in us. J. Richmond was elected captain and W. McGregor vice-captain.

Results:

- G.C. lost to S.J.C. by 3 runs on 1st innings (Richmond 26, McGregor 17, Rix 5 for 20).
- G.C. lost to G.G.S. by an innings and 88 runs (Rix 3/50).
- G.C. lost to S.C. outright (Richmond 17, Stephens 3/30, Rix 3/40).

UNDER 15A.

This year was a most successful one, mainly due to the time and interest our coach Mr. Bickford spent on each individual member of the team.

Most successful players were Lang, McCrow, Williams, Watson, Sutherland R., McDonald W. Results:

- G.C. 150 (Lang 44, Sutherland 38) lost to X.C. 156 (McCrow 2 for 24).
- G.C. 115 (McCrow 34) lost to G.G. 170 (Falconer 4 for 36, T. Sutherland 2 for 12).
- W.C. 132 (Logan 2 for 19, Lang 2 for 21) lost to G.C. 162 (McDonald 45, Lang 36, Watson 27).
- S.C. 78 (Falconer 2 for 3, McCrow 3 for 10) lost to G.C. 81 (Falconer 36, Roland 12).
- Rain prevented match against M.G.S.

UNDER 15B.

The Under 15B. had an unsuccessful but enjoyable season. The team was ably coached by Mr. Bickford and the team wish to thank him for his services. The best players for the sea-

son were Douglas, Salter, Mabin and Cook. M. Roland was appointed captain.

Results:

G.C. lost to S.C. (Higgins 15, Mabin 3/21).

G.C. d. G.G.S. (Cook 36, Douglas 5/14)

G.C. lost to S.C. (Douglas 33, Cook 3/36).

UNDER 14A.

The Under 14A. team experienced a very successful season. The members of the team would like to thank Mr. Quick for his excellent coaching. Money was elected captain, and Rooke vice-captain.

Results:

G.C. 91 (McGregor 33 n.o.) lost to S.C. 163 (Rooke 6 for 37).

G.C. 9 for 49 drew with X.C. 227 (Money 4/43). (This was a "time" match).

G.C. dec. 6 for 155 (Rooke 72) d. G.G.S. 127.

G.C. 150 (Nicholls 39, Money 38) d. W.C. 90 (Money 5/25).

G.C. 4 for 204 dec. (McGregor ret. 60, Money 46, Hinchcliffe 32) d. S.C. 158 (V. Cocks 3 for 25).

Throughout the season batting was strong, bowling was well varied and consistent, but fielding lacked concentration. However in the final match against Scotch College everyone struck top form. No catches were dropped (four were taken in slips), and the first two partnerships brought 115 runs; a fine ending to a good season.

UNDER 14B.

The Under 14B's. played two P.S. matches one against Scotch College, which they won, the other against Geelong Grammar which we won.

Scotch College Match.

Top scorer for College was B. Watson, 15 runs. Wickets were taken by G. W. Fisher, 5 A. P. Metcalfe, 2, W. O. Heath, 2, R. J. Neely, 1.

College: 50 runs. Scotch: 142 runs.

Geelong Grammar Match.

Top scorer for College was R. Balfour, 31 runs. Wickets were taken by W. O. Heath, 3, R. J. Neely, 3, G. W. Fisher/2, H. A. Eadie, 1, B. Watson, 1.

College: 118 runs. Grammar: 113 runs.

SYDNEY TRIP.

During the Easter vacation the 1st XI travelled to Sydney where they were the guests of the boys of Scots College. In spite of very wet weather all had a wonderful time, and wish to thank all who helped to make the trip such a success. In spite of the fact that our time was largely taken up in attending to the numerous social events arranged for us, we found time to play two cricket matches—one against Cranbrook and one against Scots.

College 113 (Woodward 35, Henderson 15) lost to Cranbrook 133 (Woodward 5/20, Solomon 3/33).

College: 1st innings 122 (Cameron 46, Merriman 23), 2nd innings 6/104 (Cameron 44) d. Scots: 1st innings 112 (Hassall 5/45), 2nd innings 8/33 (Hassall 5/19).

HOUSE CRICKET.

The House cricket this term was played under ideal conditions. The most pleasing feature was the promise shown by the younger players in the open group who are returning to school next year.

Calvert was successful in the Open section, after an interesting match with Morrison, and Morrison won the Under 15 competition.

Results. Open:

Calvert 4 for 155 (Woodward 81, Merriman 30. d. **McArthur** 48 (Hassall 21) and 77, (Bromell 38).

Morrison 4 for 130 and 0/7 (Thorn 51, Campbell 32 not out) (I. **McArthur** 48 and 90 (George 53).

Calvert 212 (Lang 101 n.o., Woodward 31) Cameron 5/98 d. **Morrison** 156 (Henderson 39, Thorn 30, Woodward 5/23), 2/80 (Henderson 45, Cameron 31).

Calvert 152 (Merriman 41, Solomon 5/55) d. **Shannon** 75 (Solomon 22, Merriman 6/56), 36, Woodward 4/5).

Morrison 153 (Cameron 31, Campbell 29, Solomon 5/56). **Shannon** 74 (Solomon 29, Coombe 6/12), 116 (Solomon 54, Vines 35).

McArthur 74 (George 19, Solomon 5/22) 1/130 (Hassall 72 n.o., George 66 n.o.) d. **Shannon** 44 (Hassall 5/13, George 5/14).

UNDER 15

McArthur 150 (Nicholls 41, Falconer 40) d. **Calvert** 88 (Kerr 29).

Shannon 120 (Monev 53 n.o.) d. **McArthur** 112 (Madden 27, Money 7/46).

Morrison 108 (Rawlings 34 n.o.) d. **McArthur** 103 (Nicholls 31, McCrow 5/28).

Morrison 78 (McCrow 43, Roland 6/30) d. **Shannon** 77 (McDonald 23) 2/104 (Roland 35 n.o.).

Shannon 147 (McDonald 44 n.o., Money 38) d. **Calvert** 114 (McGregor 35, Money 5/29).

Calvert 120 (McGregor 41, McCrow 3/37) drew with **Morrison** 7/91 (Rooke 35, Lang 4/31)

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COACH'S REPORT.

In spite of some crushing defeats I would report this a good season. Our team was young, inexperienced, and, particularly on the bowling side, weak in natural ability, but it played so very much better than practice games suggested it was capable of doing, so much better than I thought possible, that it should inspire next year's team to show the same fighting qualities. In batting we averaged over 150 runs per innings, but, mostly because we were unable to produce a fast bowler to assist a reasonably good slow attack, our opponents averaged over 30 per man. Fielding was keen, but, except in the last innings of the season, was never inspired. Last November, in its first practice game, the fielding of this same team was deplorable, and full credit must be given for such outstanding improvement.

To handle such an exceptionally ill-balanced bowling side efficiently was impossible; to handle it at all effectively required an experienced captain possessed of considerable imagination, combined with a spirit of adventure and a willingness to experiment. But it is easy to criticize from the boundary and perhaps we were fortunate that Cameron banded his side conventionally and cannily. His own batting and wicket-keeping might not have been polished, but he set an excellent example by his fighting spirit. He was a consistent batsman and thoroughly deserved his century.

Vice-captain Henderson was a little too impetuous with the bat; only twice in ten innings did he fail to reach double figures, but it was not until the last match, when he forced himself to show reasonable discretion, that he really "got amongst the runs." His fielding was first-class.

For a first season with the team, Merriman enjoyed exceptional success as an all-rounder. His first six innings averaged 54, with a top score of 64; unfortunately he failed in the last two games, partly due, I believe, to his having to be overworked as a bowler. He showed outstanding promise as a slow bowler, his greatest asset being his control of a good length.

These three were our only consistently good performers. Solomon had occasional successes with both bat and ball; I liked his fighting qualities. Woodward opened the batting with Henderson and had a few long sessions at the crease, but only one big score; many experienced openers, however, have had worse seasons. Scott, after a good start in the first match, disappointed; after a few failures he worried and lost confidence. George batted and bowled steadily but lacked "devil" in both. Lang occasionally relieved Cameron behind the wickets and showed distinct promise; he has good strokes and should do well next year. Campbell, keen as they come, was played as a hitter, but only once stayed long enough to hit! Hassall bowled medium pace with little success, but he is very tall for his years, and if he gains strength in the next twelve months, might do well next year. Hindhaugh looked a cricketer at the nets, but could not get a start in the matches. Thorn, like Lang an under 16 boy, played in the last two games and showed that he has the right temperament.

As only two members of the team were regular players last season, I am hopeful that

the majority will return next year to form the backbone of a strong side.

Finally, I offer our congratulations to Scotch on winning the premiership.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS CRICKET-POINTS SYSTEM.

About two years ago the points system for cricket matches was changed with the object of encouraging teams to try for outright decisions. An Old Boy reported that he had had some inquiries about the system now used, and suggested that it be published in "The Pegasus" for those interested.

Win outright, 8; Win on 1st Innings, 6; Tie outright, 4; Tie on 1st Innings, 3; Draw, 3; Loss on 1st Innings, 2; Loss outright, 0.

Motor Roller Fund.

Towards the end of last year an appeal was made for funds to purchase a motor roller. Two separate appeals were made, one to Old Boys who grow wool, and one to Old Boys who had represented the School in 1st XI cricket matches over the last ten years. The former was for a fleece, but unfortunately the list was compiled a little late and most Old Boys had sold their wool. Many, however, sent in cheques. The response to the latter, surprisingly was not so generous. The fund now stands at £105, and a list of contributions follows.

No doubt there are many to whom no direct appeal has been made who would be glad to assist, for a further £160 is still needed. Cheques may be made out to the Motor Roller Fund and forwarded to K. W. Nicolson, Geelong College.

In sending their cheques, a few Old Boys deplored the passing of the custom of the boys helping with the rolling. They were thinking of the many happy occasions when they were entertained by Teddy Rankin as they pushed a roller along a P.S. wicket. But our concern today is not with a new P.S. wicket—the boys this year assisted "Snow" in preparing a good wicket for the Xavier match as we have ever had on the College oval. There are now 12 wickets continually in use, and at certain periods when new ones are being prepared at the same time as the old ones are in use, the groundsmen may have as many as 20 wickets to attend to. Added to this is the fact that wickets must be rolled when they are ready to be rolled, not when boys are available to do the rolling.

Again we acknowledge our thanks to the following:—

N. A. Dennis.....	1	1	0
J. C. Kininmonth Jnr	1	1	0
A. J. McCrow.....	3	0	0
R. K. McArthur.....	1	0	0
W. B. McCulloch.....	10	0	0
J. C. Campbell.....	1	0	0
D. J. Douglas.....	5	0	0
A. & J. Urbahns.....	2	2	0
J. K. Russell.....	5	0	0
D. M. McKenzie.....	1	1	0
O. W. Edgar.....	1	0	0
R. A. Bell.....	1	1	0
J. & W. J. Calvert	2	0	0
A. C. McFarland.....	2	0	0
J. M. Neale.....	2	10	6
W. J. Browning.....	2	2	0
P. McArthur.....	1	0	0
J. G. & F. P. Steele	2	0	0
R. L. Laidlaw.....	1	0	0
T. Kerr.....	2	2	0
D. G. Henderson.....	1	1	0
D. Edgar.....	2	0	0
W. A. Oman.....	1	1	0
R. J. Scott.....	1	0	0
G. W. Lang.....	1	0	0
A. F. Lang.....	1	0	0
D. J. Dennis.....	2	0	0
G. Neils on.....	1	0	0
K. W. Edgar.....	2	0	0
J. B. Waugh.....	2	2	0
K. B. Kelsall.....	1	1	0
F. M. Funston.....	1	1	0
G. S. Gray.....	1	1	0
H. P. Vanrenen.....	3	3	0
J. H. Bromell.....	2	2	0
J. C. Kininmonth.....	2	0	0
R. G. Walker.....	1	0	0
J. E. Dickson.....	2	2	0
N. C. R. Dennis.....	4	0	0
R. Mabin.....	10	0	0
S. H. Rowe.....	1	0	0
K. Officer.....	3	3	0
W. C. Elliott.....	3	0	0
E. M. Philin.....	1	0	0
G. McArthur.....	2	0	0
D. A. & G. H. Wal-			
lace Smith.....	5	0	0
Present Boys.....	4	10	0

Fleeces were received from H. J. Almond, C. J. Dennis, J. T. S. Dennis, M. V. S. Dennis, J. V. Dennis, H. E. Beach, C. E. McArthur, and I. Sutherland.

F. D. Walter kindly handled the sale of these fleeces which realized £14/15/6.

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CENTURY MAKERS.

We gratefully acknowledge the following list and notes, submitted by A. Austin Gray, a familiar figure at most of our games. They should interest most Old Boys and revive happy memories for many.

Century Makers in Public School 1st XI Matches.

1909 v. G.G.S., Baker, J. E. 113; v. W.C., Pullar, P. G. 119 n.o.
 1917 v. W.C., Campbell, R. N. 104 n.o.
 1918 v. X.C., Sharland, W.S. 142.
 1922 v. S.C., Greeves, E. G. 102 n.o.
 1923 v. M.G.S., Greeves, E. G. 137 n.o.
 1925 v. M.G.S., Mayo, W., E. 168 n.o.
 1926 v. S.C., Mayo, W. E. 106; v. W.C., Mayo, W. E. 173 n.o.
 1928 v. G.G.S., Matheson, E. E. 101; v. X.C., Matheson, E. E. 127; v. M.G.S., Hassett, V. X. 111.
 1930 v. M.G.S., Hassett, A. L. 118 n.o.; v. S.C., Wright, M. T. 189; v. X.C., Hassett, A. L. 147; v. G.G.S., Hassett, A. L. 127; v. W.C., Hicks, J. D. 105.
 1931 v. G.G.S., Hassett, A. L. 113.
 1932 v. G.G.S., Hassett, A. L. 196; v. S.G., Hassett, A. L. 245.
 1935 v. S.C., Blair, S. S. 110.
 1938 v. G.G.S., Cooper, J. R. 118 n.o.
 1939 v. W.C., Cooper, J. R. **134**; v. X.C., Cooper, J. R. 189.
 1940 v. M.G.S., Roydhouse, D. J. 100.
 1945 v. S.C., Burleigh, R. M. 112; v. W.C., Ewan, G. W. C. 165.
 1946 v. X.C., Hallebone, J. 130; v. X.C., Chambers, J. L. 117.
 1947 v. X.C., Chambers, J. L. 160 n.o.; v. G.G.S., Hallebone, J. 142 n.o.; v. W.C., Hallebone, J. 125.
 1948 v. X.C., Chambers, J. L. 123.
 1951 v. S.C., Wallace Smith, G. H. 105 n.o.; v. G. G.S., Wallace Smith, G. H. 137.
 1952 v. X.C., Cameron, K, McD. 110.

There have been 36 centuries made in 35 matches, there being two centuries made in the 1946 match against Xavier,

The results of these 35 matches were:—
 Won 18, drawn 2, lost 15—35.

When Pullar made his 119 n.o. in 1909 against Wesley it is interesting to note that this was the match in which the Wesley Captain, J. A. Prout, made the record 459 before being finally bowled by the College Captain, J. E. Baker.

The result of the match was:—
 G.C. 262, 4/195. W.C. 710. G.C. lost by 448 runs on 1st Innings

The two matches which were drawn are of interest. The first, in which M. T Wright made his 198 against Scotch in 1930, resulted as follows:—

S.C. 9/472, G.C. 7/389.

The College total was the third highest ever made, and Wright's 189 together with Cooper's similar score against Xavier in 1939, the equal third highest individual score.

The second highest total of 402 was also made in this year against Wesley.

1930 was the year in which the College won three matches, drew one and lost to Melbourne Grammar and thus lost the premiership to them by 19 runs.

The second drawn game, in 1947 against Xavier when Chambers made 160 n.o., was abandoned owing to rain after the College had

HEAD OF THE RIVER—1952.

THE BOAT CLUB.

This year's rowing season was very successful for all members of the Boat Club, and those concerned with it. The Club was very co-operative and quite as efficient as could be expected. Captain of Boats this year was Peter Raymond and Vice-Captain was F. A. J. Dearnaley.

The Rowing Committee consisted of two of last year's members, A. W. Jones, J. G. Howden, and two new members elected early this year—I. T. Sutherland and I. W. Macmillan.

Early training began this year for all eights and there was no lack of coaches, as the services of Corio Bay Rowing Club were again obtained by Mr. Campbell.

The Club appreciates fully, their help, and keenness shown in their coaching, throughout the season.

The rowing this year was of a high standard throughout the Club.

This was shown at both the Junior Regatta and Head of the River Races. The Club is indebted to Air. Sargood for his help so freely given, in coaching the younger members of the Club who are the future oarsmen of the College. Never has there been such keenness shown by Junior boys of the Rowing Club as was seen this year. It is to be hoped that it does not wane with the passing of future years.

The Club also owes thanks to several non-rowers; firstly Mr. J. H. Campbell, whose place could not be filled quite as well by anybody else. We thank him for his interest and efficient supervision of the "fours" and "pairs" during the year's rowing.

Secondly, to Mr. Bell, who is mainly re-

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Then in no small manner, the Club express their thanks to Mr. G. A. Frank, who is mainly responsible for the high standard of physical fitness obtained in the first three eights. He made it his job to be at the Gym. every night and supervise the training and gym. work. He has introduced to the Boat Club a new aspect in training which will remain as something of immense value to all College rowers.

And last, but not least, the Club would like to thank Mr. Alan Sykes for his services in maintaining the College Boats in such good order.

This year has been one of the Boat Club's outstanding years and we hope that the keenness and enthusiasm which has made it so will continue for all future years.

P.W.R.

The 1952 Head of the River Races were again rowed on the Barwon river at Geelong, on Friday and Saturday, the 18th and 19th April. Excellent conditions were experienced on Friday, the 18th and a larger crowd than usual watched the heats being rowed.

Saturday, the 19th was less favorable for both spectators and rowers, but again a large crowd was in attendance.

We extend our congratulations to Scotch College on their second successive win, and on their excellent row to win this year's Head of the River.

THE HEATS—1st CREWS.

1st Heat—Scotch College v. Wesley College.

Scotch led from the start and at the half-mile led by three-quarters of a length. Just past the half-mile, Wesley, with a determined effort drew level with Scotch; but at this stage the Scotch crew began their final sprint and crossed the line three-quarters of a length in front. They won this heat in 4 min. 55 1/5 sees.

2nd Heat—Geelong College v. Melbourne Grammar.

The College crew sprang away to an early lead and at the half-mile were leading by one length from the Grammar crew. Past the half-mile the College crew increased this lead.

scored 5/317. The College, however, were Premiers that year as they were the previous year 1946.

The highest individual score of 245 by A. L. Hassett was made in the match against Scotch in 1932, in which the College scored 5/428, this being the highest total ever made by the School.

1932 was the year that Melbourne Grammar were premiers by one point, despite the fact that G.C. had won 4 matches and drawn with them, in a match in which the scores were:—

G.C. 387, M.G.S. 5/337.

A.A.G.

At the Mills they led by two lengths, but at this stage, bowside caught a flop and Grammar caught up half a length on College. The College crew soon picked up their timing and sprinted to the line, winning by one and a half-lengths from Melbourne Grammar in the fastest heat of the day. Time 4 min. 52 ²/₅ secs.

3rd Heat—Geelong Grammar v. Xavier College.

Geelong Grammar led over the whole course and were not extended at any stage of the race by Xavier. Without bringing the rating above 36 the Grammar crew passed the winning post one and three-quarter lengths ahead of Xavier. Time 4 min. 56 ⁴/₅ secs.

FINALS—1st CREWS.

Losers' Finale—Wesley College, Xavier College, Melbourne Grammar School.

The three crews got away together at the start but Wesley College and Grammar outpaced Xavier at the half-mile. Wesley and Grammar fought desperately until the Mills, where Wesley in a final sprint just beat Melbourne Grammar by half a length with Xavier College a further two lengths away in third position. Time 4 min. 52 secs.

HEAD OF THE RIVER.

Geelong College, Scotch College, Geelong Grammar.

The water was fairly calm with a slight following breeze from the South-West. Scotch gained a lead at the start, with College and Grammar fighting for second position. Grammar sprinted at the half-mile and took second place but College swung ahead to come a close second to Scotch College just before the Mills. Scotch were rowing beautifully at this stage, but the College crew challenged and from the Mills to the finish the leeway between the two crews was reduced from a length to a third of a length. Grammar were two lengths further back in third position. Time 4 min. 45 secs.

1st VIII NOTES.

The crew commenced training on the first day of school after the Christmas holidays. With only two of last year's crew back, the crew was faced with a difficult task in front of them. Every man in the boat did his share of the hard work and did his task well; this was evident on Boat Race day.

Almost as soon as training had started, the crew began their mile training runs around the school oval at night. Later this method of gaining stamina was changed to a new system of gym. work, referred to as the "Mad Five Minutes." Mr. Frank was supervisor and under his skilful eye, and because of his untir-

ing work and patience, one of the fittest College crews ever to row on the Barwon was able to represent the College at Boat Race.

At this stage members of the crew thank Mr. Frank for his untiring service not only to the 1st VIII, but also to the 2nd and 3rd crews, during this season's training; and only hope he has gained as much enjoyment from training us, as we have from being trained by him. Thanks go to David Salmon for his patience and advice rendered to the crew over the season's training.

This year's crew was not a heavy combination, but averaged 11 st. 3 lbs. This however, proved to be an advantage to us on race day because of the slightly following wind.

The seating of the crew was:—F. A. J. Dearnaley (Bow), E. L. Partridge (2), P. Raymond (3), N. T. Campbell (4), A. W. Jones (5), J. G. Howden (6), J. M. Buntine (7), I. W. Macmillan (Stroke), I. T. Sutherland (Cox). To the coach, Mr. Albert Bell, the crew would like to say "thanks for everything" and are sorry they could not repay him by winning the Head of the River. Mr. Bell put everything into his coaching and for that we thank him. He asked not for honuor, or reward, but for our co-operation in becoming a crew of high standard.

Truly, this marks Mr. Bell as a "Man among Men."

I.W.M.

COACH'S COMMENTS.

The enthusiasm which prevailed in all crews this season augurs well for the future of the Boat Club, for the keenness which prevailed in all "eights" and also the "fours," in turn inspired those who were assisting the crews on the bank.

Of the first "three eights," who were in racing boats steady improvement was noticeable from day to day with the result that all three crews were at their top by race day. Training both in and out of the boat left nothing to be desired and considerable assistance was rendered in "the Gym." by Mr. Gordon Frank.

Both the "second and third eights" proved to be equal to their predecessors of recent years and both they and the "first crew" benefited considerably from one another's company.

The "first eight" enjoyed one of those periods of training that coaches wish for but do not always attain, for freedom from ills and chills enabled steady training to continue and each day produced a better row.



1st VIII.

Back Row: E. L. Partridge, P. W. Raymond, N. T. Campbell, F. A. J. Dearnaley.
Centre: J. G. Howden, I. W. Macmillan, Mr. A. Bell, J. M. Buntine, A. W. Jones.
Front: I. T. Sutherland.

I would like to pay tribute to the spirit of the crew and its zest for work; this was a big factor in its obtaining so much enjoyable rowing.

In both heat and final the crew's rowing was a treat to watch.

Albert Bell.

2nd VIII NOTES.

This year the Second Eight began the season's rowing without the services of a coach, but when Mr. Clete Larkins of the Corio Bay Rowing Club again took up the responsibilities of coaching, the crew began to show immediate improvement. On changing from the training boat to the racing boat, "Pegasus I" the seconds soon overcame the increased difficulties of balancing the new boat. By Easter the crew was getting plenty of pace, and were on top form for Boat Race.

Gym. work was introduced this year and together with the first crew, the seconds trained regularly every night. This was of great benefit to the physical fitness of the crews, and we extend our thanks to Mr. G. Frank for his patience and tireless training.

The heat against Wesley College was rowed in ideal conditions, and after a hard fought battle the College crew beat Wesley by three-quarters of a length.

On the Saturday, conditions were less favourable as the heat winners lined up at the half-mile post. Scotch and Grammar at the centre and north stations respectively got away well to an early lead. At the Mills, Melbourne Grammar held a determined sprint by Scotch and went away to win by three-quarters of a length with College a further length away in third position. At no time did the College crew trouble the 1st and 2nd place-getters, and we offer our congratulations to both Melbourne Grammar and Scotch on their fine rowing.

The result of the Loser's Final were: Geelong Grammar School (first), Wesley College (second), and Xavier College (third).

The 2nd VIII as a crew thank Mr. Larkins for his encouragement and enthusiasm while coaching. He was an inspiration to the crew, and we are sorry that we could not repay him in some degree by winning our final.

The seating of the 2nd VIII on Race Day was:—P. G. Ball (Bow), G. A. A. Hooper (2),

K. C Langlands (3), A. B. Burgess (4), G. T. McKinnon (5), G. W. Barber (6), J. G. Waugh (7), M. A. J. Cameron (Stroke), I. R. Chomley (Cox).

G.W.B.

3rd VIII NOTES.

The Third Eight were again able to row in a racing eight—the "Norman Morrison II."

The season started with many obstacles, but soon the crew developed into a strong combination, due mainly to the untiring efforts of their coach Mr. Bob. Morell. The main difficulty in early stages was the art of balancing the difficult racing eight.

The heat on Friday against Geelong Grammar on the centre station resulted in a hard fought tussle. College led at the start, but Grammar caught and passed them at the middle distance. At the Mills, College sprinted and closed the distance between the two crews. However Grammar finished well to win by a canvas in the fastest heat of the day. Xavier and Wesley won their respective heats.

The Loser's Final also proved an interesting and hard fought battle. College on the south station lost a little at the start but caught the other crews in the middle distance. At the Mills, College sprinted and went away to win by a canvas from Melbourne Grammar, with Scotch 3 feet away third. The time for this race was better than the 3rd VIII Winner's Final.

The Winner's Final was won by Xavier College (first), Geelong Grammar (second) and Wesley (third). The crew offer congratulations to Xavier on their win. The Third Eight would like to express their sincere thanks to their coach Bob. Morell, for the wonderful job he did with such unflinching keenness and skill.

The seating of the 3rd VIII on Race Day was:—D. L. L. Phillips (Bow), W. J. Anderson (2), B. T. Sullivan (3), J. O. Saxton (4), B. H. Stott (5), J. N. R. Anderson (6), P. W. Vibert (7), N. R. McDonald (Stroke), J. F. H. New (Cox).

N.R.McD.

JUNIOR AND INVITATION REGATTAS 1952.

Our 4th, 5th, and 6th VIII's showed themselves to be as good as past year's junior crews.

In the Junior Regatta against Geelong Grammar, College scored two wins out of three.

The following Race Day, Saturday morning, 19th April at the Invitation Regatta, College

crews again rowed well against both Scotch College and Geelong Grammar. Results of these Regattas will be found in the respective crews notes.

4th VIII NOTES.

The Fourth Eight had a successful and enjoyable season's rowing this year. Owing to illness in both senior crews and the fourth eight, seating of the final crew was not settled for some weeks during early training. Once this was remedied, the crew settled down well under their coach, Ken Ebbels from Corio Bay Rowing Club.

The Junior Regatta took place on Saturday morning, 4th April under ideal conditions. Geelong College rowed strongly to beat Geelong Grammar School fourth and fifth crews. Three-quarters of a length separated the first two crews and a further one and a half-lengths back to the Grammar fifths.

Unlike their local opponents, College did not train over the Easter holidays and as a result a loss in previous form was noticed on their return. With two nights training before Race Day, the fourth eight worked desperately to regain form.

Invitation Regatta, Saturday morning, 19th April: After a bad start the College crews tailed the Grammar and Scotch crews over the course. Geelong Grammar beat Scotch College by a half-length with College a half-canvas in third position. Congratulations to Grammar on their fine wins.

The crew would like to express its thanks to Ken Ebbels for his excellent coaching, and the manner in which he moulded the 4th VIII into the strong combination it became.

The seating of the crew on Race Day was:—S. G. Reilly (Bow), A. W. McDonald (2), W. J. Bell (3), J. D. Howie (4), B. G. Fenton (5), W. A. Wood (6), J. Wolstenholme (7), H. G. Green (Stroke), H. W. Wettenhall (Cox).

HvG.G.

5th VIII NOTES.

Although the 5th VIII did not obtain a win this season all members of the crews enjoyed their season's rowing.

Over 130 miles were traversed during training on the river and much was learnt during this time. The first race against Geelong Grammar at the Junior Regatta resulted in a win for Grammar by three-quarters of a length.

After this race seating changes were made, and the crew settled down to steady training

for the Invitation Regatta on Saturday, 19th April.

This resulted again in a win for Geelong Grammar and Scotch in second position with College a further length behind. Congratulations are extended to Geelong Grammar on their two wins.

The 5th VIII thank Bob. George and Doug. Moore both old Geelong Collegians, who spent most of their spare time on the river banks giving advice and encouragement to our crew.

Much was learnt, and for this we are grateful.

The final seating of the crew was:—R. D. Robbins (Bow), H. W. Fleay (2), S. R. Bemal-lack (3), K. D. MacKay (4), G. R. Nettleton (5), R. J. Patterson (6), G. I. Davidson (7), M. M. Calvert (Stroke), A. O. Whiteside (Cox).
M.M.C.

6th VIII NOTES.

The 6th VIII commenced training late in the season with only a few weeks before the Junior Regatta. The crew trained hard in the "Una" with John Sullivan as the selected cox.

At the Junior Regatta, the 6th VIII were on the centre station with Geelong Grammar 8th and 9th crews on the north and south stations respectively. The 6th VIII started badly, but overhauled the Grammar crews, to win by a third of a length.

During the following week the 6th VIII trained very hard in preparation for the Invitation Regatta. Grammar, Scotch and College got away together at the start of the race, but Geelong Grammar gradually drew away, to win by half a length, with Scotch a further half a length behind in third place.

So ended a happy and successful season due mainly to the tireless and tolerant efforts of their coaches Barry Cole and Bruce Stark. We extend our thanks to both for their efforts throughout the season.

The seating of the crew on Race Day was as follows:—I. M. Kerr (Bow), W. W. Lawler (2), G. G. Wills (3), C. S. Peel (4), B. T. Ellis (5), G. L. Barber (6), P. W. Brotchie (7), J. F. Roberts (Stroke), J. P. Sullivan (Cox).

J.F.R.

"TUB-FOURS."

No longer is coaching restricted to the eights. This year, the beginners, in the tub-fours, were coached and they responded very well.

As their rowing improved, the boys became

much keener about it, and when Geelong Grammar challenged our best two fours to a race against their best two, they took their training really seriously. Our number one crew had bad luck in the race. When they were well in front by about a length from the Grammar crew, the stroke's seat came off, and they fell well behind. However, our other crew rowed well to come a good second. It is hoped that this race with Geelong Grammar will become an annual fixture. Thanks go to Bruce Stark and Robert George for their help in coaching these boys.

Most credit, however goes to Mr. D. G. Sargood, who was directly responsible for this new scheme for raising the standard of rowing. All concerned with rowing thank Mr. Sargood for the patience and skill he has shown throughout the season with his "Tub-Fours."

HOUSE ROWING.

Following Boat Race, great preparations and speculations were made at the river as the four College Sports House crews trained for the Annual Inter-House Rowing Regatta held on Wednesday, 30th April.

This year crews rowed in training eights as opposed to Tub Fours of previous years. This change proved a great success, and it is hoped that future House Rowing will be conducted in a like manner.

With many varying styles and combinations, the four crews settled down to serious training. Keeness and rivalry became more evident as the race day approached.

Shannon were early favourites with Morrison House a close second. McArthur were considered "dark horses" in two senses, and Calvert were not considered.

Race day conditions were perfect for rowing and as the four crews swung down to the starting line, the enthusiastic supporters made one think that perhaps April 19th was not the only thrill of the year.

Mr. L. Barber the experienced Geelong Grammar coach kindly assisted the organizers by acting as starter, and for this service we offer our thanks.

With a congenial atmosphere surrounding the crews as they faced the starter, the race was begun with Shannon gaining an early lead with Morrison a half canvas away in second position. McArthur had a slight lead on Calvert at the start and were a half-length behind Morrison. The respective positions were maintained until the middle distance, where Shannon led by half a length from Morrison, with Calvert in third

The Fire Alarm

Have you, dear reader, ever gazed longingly at the leering glass face of a fire-alarm? Have you never wished that you were a millionaire as you read the carefully worded notice relating to the penalties imposed upon those who break the glass when there is no fire? Have you never wished that you had some excuse for ringing the fire-alarm?

The answer you will give to all these questions is, of course, in the affirmative (ie. "yes"). If you can honestly answer in the negative I would advise you to see a psychoanalyst (I think).

Being an ordinary mortal I have been subject for many years to fire-alarm-itis, and it was therefore with great joy that I noticed late one night that the house on the corner was on fire. The nearest fire-alarm was only a hundred yards away, and I dashed towards it, passing on my way, the burning house. Great clouds of smoke billowed from the back, and I heard a confused shouting from within. As I passed the gate I heard footsteps behind me, but by then I had reached the alarm. I paused to savour the full joy of the delicious moment. For years this glass had stared rudely, unblinkingly at me every time I passed. Now, I thought, now. I suddenly became aware of someone hanging on to my arm. He was shouting something. I looked at him. It was the owner of the burning house. Obviously he wanted to ring the alarm. I paused to wipe

away a tear of sorrow at the selfishness of mankind. This fellow had a fire of his own, yet he wanted to ring the alarm as well. I threw him savagely to the ground. He got up and punched me in the eye. I bit his leg. He sent several of my teeth down my throat, and while I was temporarily inarticulate, he shouted, "Don't ring it. Everything's under control," and added, "If you do you'll be fined £20." To support his statement he pointed to the notice.

Painfully I struggled to my feet. Tonight I'm going to set his house properly on fire.

A.McI.S. VI.



The new Printing Press in operation.

position a length behind. McArthur was a close fourth. Morrison challenged and fought hard, but the powerful Shannon combination drew away to win by three-quarters of a length Calvert was a length behind Morrison in third position with McArthur a further half-length behind in fourth position.

Shannon Crew:—W. T. Anderson (Bow), G. A. A. Hooper (2), G. T. McKinnon (3), J. O. Saxton (4), A. W. Jones (5), P. Raymond (6), P. W. Vibert (7), H. G. Green (Stroke), H. M. Wettenhall (Cox).

Morrison Crew:—D. L. L. Phillips (Bow), K. C. Ivanglands (2), B. T. Sullivan (3), G. W. Barber (4), B. H. Stott (5), N. T. Campbell (6), J. Wolstenholme (7), I. W. Macmillan (Stroke), J. F. H. New (Cox).

The second crews rowed in Tub Fours and showed some keen and skilful rowing. With little between them, the four crews got away to a good start. At the Mills the distance was telling on many, and Shannon fought hard to beat Morrison home, with Calvert a length behind in third position, and McArthur a half-length away fourth.

Shannon Crew:—K. D. McKay (Bow), W. A. Wood (2), G. R. Nettleton (3), M. M., Calvert (Stroke), I. D. Blair (Cox).

Morrison Crew:—S. G. Reilly (Bow), R. J. Patterson (2), W. J. Ball (3), J. F. Roberts (Stroke), A. D. Whiteside (Cox).

We wish to thank Geelong Grammar for the loan of their training boat which made possible this event.

G.W.B.

OLD CLOTHES.

Old clothes have already become part of my life. Like most other people, I have grown since I was born, and thus I have progressed through a rapid succession of garments. These are not really old clothes—some are quiet new, but too small for me now,. Over the last couple of years, however, I have accumulated some old clothes which still fit me.

Though old, such clothes may be useful. Old clothes are indispensable, for instance, when one is yachting, shooting, or gardening. At the Y'acht Club the older the trousers the more seamanlike one looks.

People grow to love things which have been useful to them over the years, and nowhere is this more true than in the case of well-worn clothes. You see old men who would not part with an old waist-coat even if you offered them a new one. They would be lost without it; they wouldn't know what to do with their watch and chain. The waist-coat has become a sort of second skin over the years of contact.

I know a person who is greatly attached to an oily blue jumper of the sort worn by naval men during the war. He wears this garment every week-end, and would, I am sure, be quite lost without it. The odour which it exudes brings memories of a weed-strewn beach at low tide,. Threats of destroying this garment have been uttered on several occasions by his family.

So next time you go to throw away an old garment think of the long service it has rendered; and remember that it probably has great sentimental value to someone.

A.A.H.A., IVB.

cerning the planning and advancement of this hydroelectric scheme, built on the East and West Kiewa rivers, vanished as our friendly and informative guide showed us down a 400 feet shaft to the nearly completed No. 4 Power Station cut in solid rock 75 feet high and 150 feet long; took us along tail-races, through 40 feet concrete-lined tunnels and over No. 3 station which, now being completed, is run by one man. There are to be, in about five years' time, six power stations capable of generating enough electricity to supply two-thirds of Melbourne. The No. 3 Power station is already feeding power into Brunswick.

Running out of petrol once and sleeping at Cooma by a dusty highway on thistles and ants did not dampen our enthusiasm to see over the Snowy-Tumut scheme.

On arriving at the Snowy Mountains Authority camp on Saturday we did not meet with the same cordial welcome that we had been given at Kiewa, but we were allowed to drive up the valley to inspect the building of dams and tunnels. The object of the scheme is to provide irrigation for the areas north and west of the Snowy. Producing power is only a side-line; yet imagine our surprise when told that the electricity to be produced, at the scheme's completion in twenty-five years' time, from its sixteen power stations will be enough to supply the whole of Australia.

From the top of Mt. Kosciusko some hours later we beheld in all directions the mighty potentiality of Australia's "small" mountains capable of keeping our country ticking forever.

M.S. J.

POWER (with pleasure) [Not with Glory

My brother, a friend and I set out on a fourteen hundred mile trip little realizing the fun and experience we would obtain from it.

We left Ballarat on the 14th January bound for the Kiewa and Snowy Hydroelectric schemes. The weather was fine all the way, and on Wednesday, after climbing over a three thousand feet ridge east of Bright, we gazed down on the beautiful sight of the S.E.C. township of Mt. Beauty surrounded by Victoria's highest mountains.

All doubt that had entered our minds con-



The store—issuing football stops.

MOSTLY ABOUT WARRINN.

Warrinn is the boarding house which few visitors ever see. It was originally the home of Mrs. Champ but was purchased in 1908 by Geelong College as a cottage for resident masters.

Resident masters were described to me by that white-haired gentleman in Warrinn as "young masters who had been lucky enough not to be married." These men lived in a terrace of houses in Prospect Road, Newtown and then later in a house diagonally opposite Mr. Money's shop.

In 1908 Warrinn was purchased and the five resident masters shifted into the new house. These young gentlemen apparently had a wonderful time but later five boys came in also. Then in 1912 sixteen boys came from Senior House to live in the "den of iniquity" as some people call it.

Geelong College had 143 boarders in 1927 and Warrinn at this time had five dorms. Maggie, the house matron, had a wing of her own, down towards the gymnasium, which contained the bathroom. Maggie, known as mother of the Junior House boys, had access to dorm. 6 and took care of these youngest boarders of the school.

The Prefects Room at this time was a boot and box room combined and there were two sets of steps beside the present position of the boot lockers. Approximately twenty yards away from these steps there was a fence running down from Noble Street in front of Warrinn. There were shrubs, and lawns around Warrinn at this time and there was a punishment for walking on these lawns. A track was worn across the paddock, which later became Mackie Oval, to the main school and even in those days there used to be a stream of boys hurtling across the paddock in fear of being late for breakfast. In 1927, Mr. J. H. Campbell replaced Mr. L. J. Campbell, who had a severe illness.

During this time some boys were living out of school at Miss Dennis's, Mrs. Simpson's, and Mrs. Hope Johnstone's.

One of the boys was walking down to the bathroom during the night in 1932 and because of the poor lighting he walked into the door and broke his nose. Ever since bathrooms and

passages have been lighted during the night in the College.

Study duty was a hectic time for Mr. Campbell and Mr. Dunkley until 1938. Fifty-nine boys studied in the playroom in Warrinn from 7 to 8.40 p.m. Added to this, Mr. MacRoberts, who used to live in a room, now called the linen room, usually had his wireless going full blast throughout study time.

Maggie's wing of the house and the stairs which led to Warrinn were demolished to make way for Mackie House in 1938—part of the fruition of Mr. Rolland's wish "to pull down the old barn" but this was not fulfilled because more and more boys wanted to enter the school as boarders and so Warrinn stayed on.

When Mackie was completed and opened in 1939 the "house master" came into his own. Before this all leave was granted by the Headmaster and he dealt with pocket money too. He then realised that it was too much to do, and so the house master took over his duties.

In 1940, Mr. Campbell requested that he should have some prefects in Warrinn. He was granted two and they slept in a partitioned off part of dorm. 6. The following year he was granted three prefects and it was from one of these that the suggestion came that Cottage Pie should be performed.

Cottage Pie was a great success and raised money for the Red Cross. Since then there have been four other "slices" and all proceeds have gone to charity.

During the war various means were used to raise money. There was an Aunt Sally in Warrinn and an ugly man competition. This competition consisted of a picture of a boy being placed on the notice board and then he would have to pay for his picture to be taken down.

The only time that Warrinn really "got loose" was during the cave-man competition. Votes cost one penny and the finalists were Tex Reid (dorm., 7) who won by 2 votes from the King of Warrinn Les Hable. Tex was then crowned at Cottage Pie.

So Warrinn goes on with its "mystery shrouded traditions" and no matter what happens Geelong College will still have the "Bally Hooligans."

"SNAKE" V.

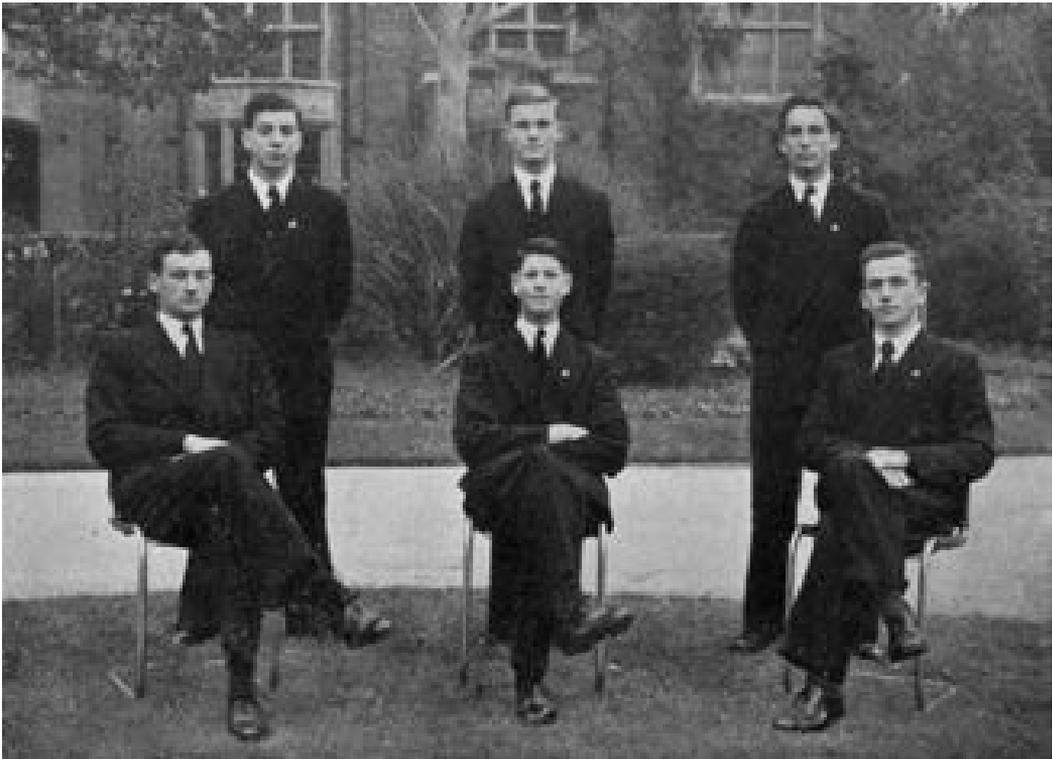


One of the Lathes at work. A model engine under construction.

THE MURRAY.

He starts in the mountains, way up where it
 snows,
 And flows through places where man never
 goes;
 He enters Hume Weir near Albury town,
 And over the spillway he tumbles down.
 Through paddock and plain receiving the rain
 He flows t'wards his goal to return ne'er
 again.
 With paddle-boats, row-boats, and birds for his
 pack
 He winds on his way, never once looking
 back.
 Giving birth to large channels from which many
 drink,
 And feeding the orchards encamped on his
 brink;
 Turning south at the border near the end of
 his race
 He enters the ocean, his last resting place.

A.McI.F. V.



HOUSE PREFECTS.

Back Row: B. J. Solomon, R. S. Hills, T. S. Dennis.
 Front Row: G. A. A. Hooper, P. W. Sutherland, F. A. J. Dearnaley.

THE OLD BOYS-

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ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES.

OLD BOYS' DAY AT COLLEGE.

Friday, July 25 has been selected for the celebration of Old Boys' Day, 1952. In the afternoon at 2.15, the first eighteens' football match between the College and the Geelong Grammar School will be played on the College oval. After the match the annual meeting of the O.G.C.A. will take place in the Morrison Hall. Then will follow dinner. Members will receive particulars by post.

HAMILTON MEETING AND DINNER.

The Western District branch of the O.G.C.A. is both numerically strong and highly efficient, as was again proved by the annual reunion at Hamilton on May 10. About 60 local Old Boys gathered for an excellent buffet dinner at the Hollywood Cafe, together with representatives of the other Public Schools and several visitors from Geelong including the Association's president (Mr. Harold Anderson). The evening passed off happily and far too quickly for those who found that one reminiscence inevitably evoked many others.

The branch president (Mr. Jack Bromell) welcomed the visitors, acted as toastmaster and prevailed on several of the visitors to "say a few words." The outstanding speech was made by Mr. Les Brumley in proposing the toast of the College, to which Mr. Vic. Profit gave a response strongly seasoned with anecdote and personal reference.

A short business meeting was held immediately before the dinner.

FORWARD, GIPPSLAND!

One of the most important developments for some years is the move now taking place to found a branch of the O.G.C.A. in Gippsland.

A generation ago there was little or no connection between the College—then very much a Western District school—and the eastern portions of the State. But the gradual growth of its sphere of influence and the moving of a number of Old Boys for business and professional reasons have brought that phase to an end.

On Friday, June 27, a dinner and business meeting will be held at Pollard's Hotel, Maffra, to assemble the Collegians of the district and determine a future course of action. Those who are doing the spade work include Bill Rogers, Norman Webster, John McDonald, Graeme Chalmer, Jim Foreman, and Ian McIlwain.

Representatives of the parent body in Geelong are planning to *be* present, and it is expected that there will be a total attendance of at least fifty.

S.A. REUNION IN JULY.

Old Collegians in South Australia have received notice of their annual reunion dinner which will take place in Adelaide on Saturday, July 19.

During Malcolm Lyon's absence abroad the secretarial work of the branch is being carried out by Allister McLeod, St. Mark's College.

MEMORIALS.

Every effort is being made to push on with the erection of the three memorials for which funds have been collected. Only details have now to be settled in the plans of the MacRoberts Memorial, a new sports score-box for the main oval. A design has been accepted for the plaque to commemorate the work of "Maggie," and styles and costs for the Rankin gates are now under consideration.

ANNUAL BALL.

Artistic decorations, arranged by Mr. A. A. Gray, Mrs. Gray, and a group of "young Old Boy" helpers, were among the outstanding features of the Annual Ball held by the Association on Boatrace Eve, Friday, April 18, at the Palais Royal, Geelong. Encouraged by the College crew's fine form in the heats contested a few hours earlier, a large number of Old Boys renewed acquaintances in a very gay spirit. A profit of £94 was realized for the War Memorial.

NEW LIFE MEMBERS.

The following have been welcomed as Life Members of the O.G.C.A. since December:

A. G. Lugg (1926); M. H. Richardson ('27); W. R. Bett ('34); A. J. Macdonald ('40); J. S. Heitmann ('42); B. E. Bishop, R. T. Davies, R. K. Fullagar ('43); W. A. Smith ('44); I. Paton ('45); R. G. M. Cochrane, R. M. Wagstaff ('46); L. A. Brumley ('48); J. H. Gray, J. L. Ingpen, G. Smith ('49); A. M. Creed, A. S. Fletcher, I. A. Kneebone, L. G. McConachy, T. E. Sykes, J. M. Watts ('50).

R. Agnew, A. M. H. Aikman, M. S. Anstee, I. J. Baird, H. G. Banfield, A. H. Brown, I. A. Donald, R. D. Edwards, B. C. Ennis, D. C. Fallaw, K. M. Fleming, G. G. Ford, J. G. Gibb, R. B. Goslin, J. A. Gray, D. L. Gregory, G. T. Griffin, G. L. Hirst, A. J. Holmes, I. C. Howden, G. L. Keith, I. T. Larcombe, G. M. Lockwood, J. M. Logan, A. N. Macdermid, G. McInnes, B. J. McLaren, A. H. R. McLelland, L. D. Moore, B. E. Moreton, A. Nicolson, J. M. Pawson, D. Peck, J. L. Price, L. H. Ramsay, N. J. Sadler, I. G. I. Sides, W. G. Stephinson, G. J. G. Vines, G. H. Wallace Smith, G. W. Young, J. G. Roberts ('51).

K. G. Baird ('52).

FRATERNITY.

This Association was represented at the Wesley and Melbourne Grammar Old Boys' dinners by the President (Harold Anderson), and at the Old Xaverians' dinner by John Doyle.

TOO MUCH OF A GOOD THING?

Attention has been drawn to the fact that some families receive three or four copies of each issue of "Pegasus," and there is perhaps a feeling that distribution is on lavish lines.

Such embarrassment of riches might occur while an Old Boy, a member of the O.G.C.A., has sons attending the College.

It must, however, be stressed that in some families each individual takes pride in keeping his own full set of the magazine, which becomes in the course of time a treasured historical reference.

The Association is anxious to reduce costs, yet feels that it cannot take the initiative in breaking a contract with members.

If there is real waste in your case, please notify the Hon. Secretary, 138 Little Malop St., Geelong (Phone 5107), and give your instructions.

A SOUND INVESTMENT.

On April 29 the O.G.C.A. received a cheque for £122/4/-, the proceeds of a Life Assurance Endowment policy which matured on that date. During the next few years it will receive from similar policies approximately £5000, which has been earmarked for the War Memorial building fund.

The Endowment scheme was launched twenty years ago by the late Hon. Sec. Mr. Stanley Hamilton-Calvert, with the approval of the College Council and the Association. It is still in operation, and new policies have been taken out quite recently. Premiums are an allowable deduction for income tax purposes.

Details may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary.

THE HISTORIC RECORD.

Just when, and under what circumstances did the College see the institution of the Record, that priceless vade-mecum, that ready reckoner of your popularity with the masters, that indispensable pocket companion which you must carry on your person at all school times?

This important question is exercising the minds of those who are gleaning fact and incident for inclusion in the College Centenary History. Who will come forward to claim the fame of having the first "det." entry of all time, or, in later years, of first amassing the fatal "four points."?

At any rate, when were the Records first used here?

SYDNEY BRANCH.

The N.S.W. Annual Reunion was held on May 30. Unfortunately the number present was not up to average, but a thoroughly enjoyable evening took the form of a buffet dinner. We were especially pleased to see, besides our own men, Alex. Reid of Cloncurrie, Q., Ray Whitehead of Wagga, and Bill Moodie, Peter Paton and Jim Morrison from Victoria.

Don Roadknight was elected president, with Frank Heard secretary-treasurer, for the ensuing year. Secretary's address: 15 Morotai Crescent, Castlecrag.

VISITORS' BOOK

The following signatures have been entered in the MacRoberts Memorial visitors' book

N. J. Webster, Geo. F. Officer, James C. McColl, Eric C. Baird, Philip E. Aitken, William H. Hermiston, Michael V. S. Dennis, D. J. Huffam, J. Lane Ingpen, Ian D. McDonald, John H. Bowman, Murdoch Eamont, D. W. White, Jim Gerrard, John S. Petrie, John Billingington, Robert Davies, John E. Myers, G. A. Grummett, George I. Coad, K. M. Campbell, Jack Grummett.

Donald W. Mackay, Robert Jeffreys, William G. MacKay, Harrie G. Banfield, Gordon W. Young, Malcolm S. Anstee, T. G. Gough, G. J. G. Vines, A. G. Trewin, J. G. Gibb, William I. G. Brebner, M. S. Finlay, Ian C. Howden, M. J. Armstrong, Mervyn W. Curtis, Marshall Jackson, John G. Mitchelhill, Ian M. McIlwain, Robert S. Vaughan, D. Mitchelhill, George T. Exell, D. Bruce Anderson, John L. Gerrard, A. Belcher, R. G. Brown, D. G. Brown, R. A. Henry, J. F. Adams, Malcolm Brown, Ian Paton, Brian E. Moreton, Alan J. Holmes, John G. Roberts, L. N. Simmons, R. B. Stewart, J. M. Ferguson, J. R. Sweetnam, Geoffrey Davies, Peter N. Carmichael, J. A. Jeffrey, D. S. Moreton.

JOHN BROWN, D.L.O.

This is not something from the Birthday Honours List, but a sample of the entry on the Association's filing card of an Old Collegian whose mail comes back from the Dead Letter Office.

Every time circulars are posted, a few of them return as undeliverable. Sometimes this leads to the discovery of new addresses, but always a few cards go to the "D.L.O." box.

A recent mailing failed to locate:

P. P. McDermott, Peter McDermott, Wm. M. Begley, D. A. Campbell, E. C. Henry, R. J. Ashmore, E. Evans, V. R. Barson, J. L. M. Clarke, F. W. Taylor, J. L. Taylor, S. EL Mayo, T. G. Young, C. H. Worland, A. R. McLennan, M., K. F. Smyth.

ON HER MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

Lieut. (E) G. A. BENNETT R.A.N., with his wife and small son, returns to Australia after a second term of nearly four years in England. During this time he spent two years at Greenwich Staff College doing the long "dagger" course in engineering and some months at Portsmouth on a gunnery engineering course. For about the last eight months he has been Acting Technical Liaison Officer at H.M.A. Naval Depot, Canberra House, London.

Capt. JOHN H. ANDERSON has been in the front line in Korea with the Australian unit of U.N. forces.

Sub-Lieut DAVID FALCONER completed his training with the R.N. and is on special work with submarines and the Fleet Air Arm. He hopes to be back in Australia for Christmas.

After a long cruise in the West Indies, Cadet-Midshipman MALCOLM BAIRD (KM.) R.A.N. spent three weeks in a motor tour of England and Scotland. He has since rejoined his ship, H.M.S.. "Devonshire," for a Mediterranean cruise.

Christmas greetings to the College included a card from Capt. ALEX. TURNBULL, King's African Rifles, Kenya.

JIM COX is on a course of aeronautical engineering at Sydney University.



APPROXIMATE SCHOOL DATES.

Aug. 21	.....	Second Term ends.
Sept. 9	.....	Third Term begins.
Oct. 14, 15, 16	.....	Opera.
Dec. 10	.....	Preparatory School Speech Day.
Dec. 11	.....	Senior School Speech Day.

SPORTS FIXTURES.

FOOTBALL.

June 27	.....	G.C. v. S.C.
July 4	.....	M.G.S. v. G.C.
July 11	.....	G.C. v. W.C.
July 25	.....	G.C. v. G.G.S.
Aug. 1	.....	X.C. v. G.C.
Aug. 9	.....	Combined P.S. v. Duntroon, at Scotch.

ATHLETICS.

Oct. 8	.....	Preparatory School Sports.
Oct. 11	.....	Inter-House and Championship Sports.
Oct. 18	.....	Triangular Sports.
Oct. 25	.....	Combined Sports at St. Kilda Cricket Ground.



THE BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS OF GEELONG COLLEGE.

The original building on Newtown Hill was described in the "Geelong Advertiser" of June 1870 as:—

"Being in the collegiate form of architecture now so much admired at home. The Principal's residence—a mansion complete in itself—faces Talbot Street, and the class-rooms and dormitories front the bay. The dining hall, with its open timber roof and uniquely arranged Gothic windows, is connected with the kitchen and class-rooms. A beautiful tower with spire will rise to a height of 80 or 90 feet. This building when completed will cost more than £5,000."

The dining hall was on the site of the present library, and the class-rooms were the present Room Band another room on its south, near the position of the present stairs and in the early days called Room C.

When school opened in 1871 there was a great influx of new pupils, and over 30 boarders began in the new building. The whole of the accommodation was taken up, indeed the dining room in the Principal's quarters had to be utilized as a class-room.

During this first year of occupancy, two rooms were added to the main building and the wooden Gymnasium was built; also gas was laid on throughout the buildings. These two rooms were partly on the site of the present Senior and Warrinn sitting rooms, the one to the north being a class-room known until 1917 as Room D. The Gymnasium, which had an earth floor covered with tan, was later remodelled and formed the nucleus of the large wooden building which played an important part in the early life of the College.

In 1873 the north wing was extended to include Room A. The plans provided for a large ornamental oriel window over the porch, and this was actually built. This window and the whole of the upper work of the porch, however, collapsed one day soon after erection and it was found on investigation that the porch was not strong enough to carry it, so it was never replaced. The two small rooms to the right and left of the entrance were used as Principal's Office and Music Room. The latter, much

later, was the first Bursar's Office and Book Room.

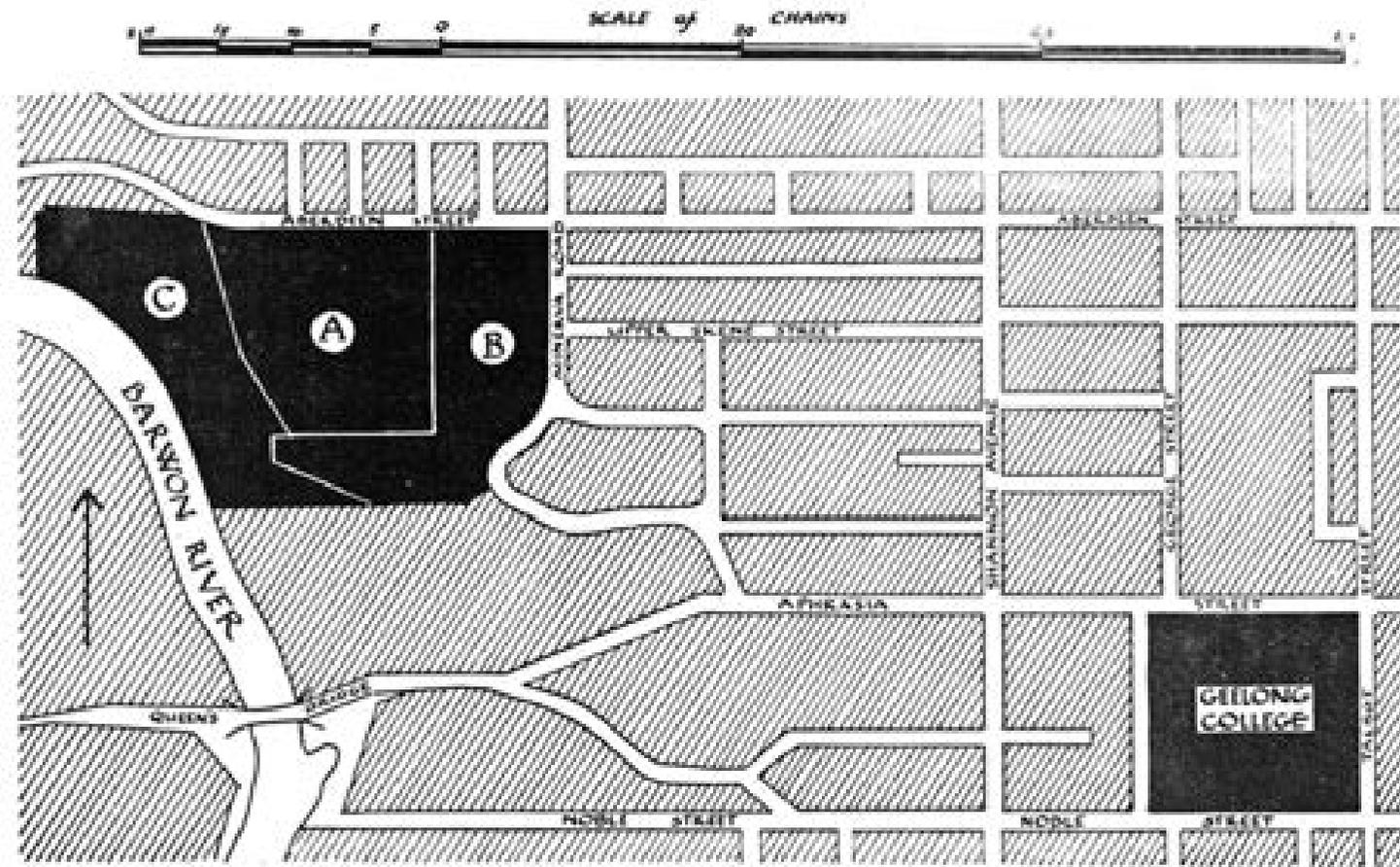
The boarders at Knowle House had been taken to the sea every morning. The College was now too far off for that, so Mr. Morrison in 1874 had a swimming bath built. Water was laid on to all the buildings and shower-baths were erected. Prior to this the College had an underground tank and pump as its sole water supply. This pump continued to be used for many years, and played a notable part in school life. "Pumping," that is to say, having one's head forcibly held under the pump, was carried out by the boys for minor offences. As an extra punishment, sometimes a few handfuls of dirt were rubbed into the scalp for good measure.

The Pump was situated on the outer side of the present east cloister near where it joins the south cloister. The swimming bath, which was used until 1910, was situated just south of the door to Room A. It must be remembered that in those days there was no central hall, but Rooms A and B were connected by a narrow passage. Next to the swimming bath was a small, dark, damp wash-room without any windows.

Room C was by this time so hemmed in by buildings that it became a wretched little den, sometimes known as the "Chamber of Horrors." It was dark, damp and musty, with odours from the adjacent kitchens constantly pouring in through its solitary window. This room later became the dispensary, and part of it is now the servery.

The school, with its four class-rooms, remained with no further major alterations or additions for over twenty years.

The northern boundary of the original block of land just included the Headmaster's driveway gates and extended in a westerly direction to just past the present pavilion. This block was extended in 1872 as far as Aphrasia Street. The position of the western boundary can still be identified by the original corner post in the Noble Street fence about twenty-five yards west of the tennis courts. It was Hugh Mackay—



GEE LONG COLLEGE

SHOWING PRESENT COLLEGE SITE AND NEW PROPERTY (1945-1946)
 'A' - PURCHASED 1945 (15 ACRES) ~ 'B' - PURCHASED 1940 (19 ACRES)
 'C' - PRESENTED BY VENDOR (15 ACRES)

the Doctor's friend and servitor—who persuaded him in 1880 to purchase the "Cow Paddock," as it was known until the 'thirties, extending the grounds further west to the Warrinn boundary fence and to about the position of the pavilion on the north. The "Cow Paddock" was always nominally included in the play-ground area, but it was not until 1891, when Norman Morrison came to the College as Vice-Principal, that it was ploughed and graded. Hundreds of loads of soil were carted and spread over its surface, and a year later it was fit for football, although it had a considerable slope from Noble Street to where the cars now park round the main oval. From then on, football matches were transferred from the Argyle Ground in Aberdeen Street to the school.

The land now occupied by the western end of the main oval was acquired in 1900 by the purchase of "Paddy" Rook's paddock, which prior to this had been a Chinaman's vegetable garden and proved a source of much joy and consolation to the boys, particularly during the tomato season.

Originally, west of All Saints' Church, stood the stables, coach-house and cow-sheds, also Hugh's vegetable and fruit garden. These remained until 1900, when the area was made available for playing purposes. This was the Junior-Juniors' ground, with an asphalt cricket pitch. Originally Junior-Junior was abbreviated to Ju.-Ju., which was the reason why this ground was known as the "Jo-Jos" for many years.

North of the Church, occupying almost the identical area of the Refectory Block were more fruit trees and the fowl-yard. The latter remained until building was commenced in 1929.

After the return of Norman Morrison from Europe in 1896, new kitchens were erected and a hot water service installed. In 1898, south of Room A, a dressing room and a small Masters' Common Room were built. This latter is now known as the "Dug-out." Up to this time there had been no Masters' Common Room of any sort.

It is interesting to note that the building of these rooms on to the blank south wall of Room A put an end to rifle practice in the school grounds. It had been the practice to fix targets against this wall, the Cadet Juniors using Franco-cotte rifles and firing from near the present tennis courts. It was the markers' duty to warn trespassers from the line of fire, but on more than one occasion tragedies were narrowly averted. No further rifle practice was carried out at the College until the miniature range was built in 1910.

In 1899 the original George Morrison Memorial Library—a small but very ornate room—was added on to the Boarders' Sitting Room; also a second story was added to the wing running south for the accommodation of extra boarders. The position of the north end wall of the library can still be traced in the brickwork of the south wall of the Warrinn Boarders' Sitting Room. In the present library are the book-cases, tables and very solid chairs from this older building.

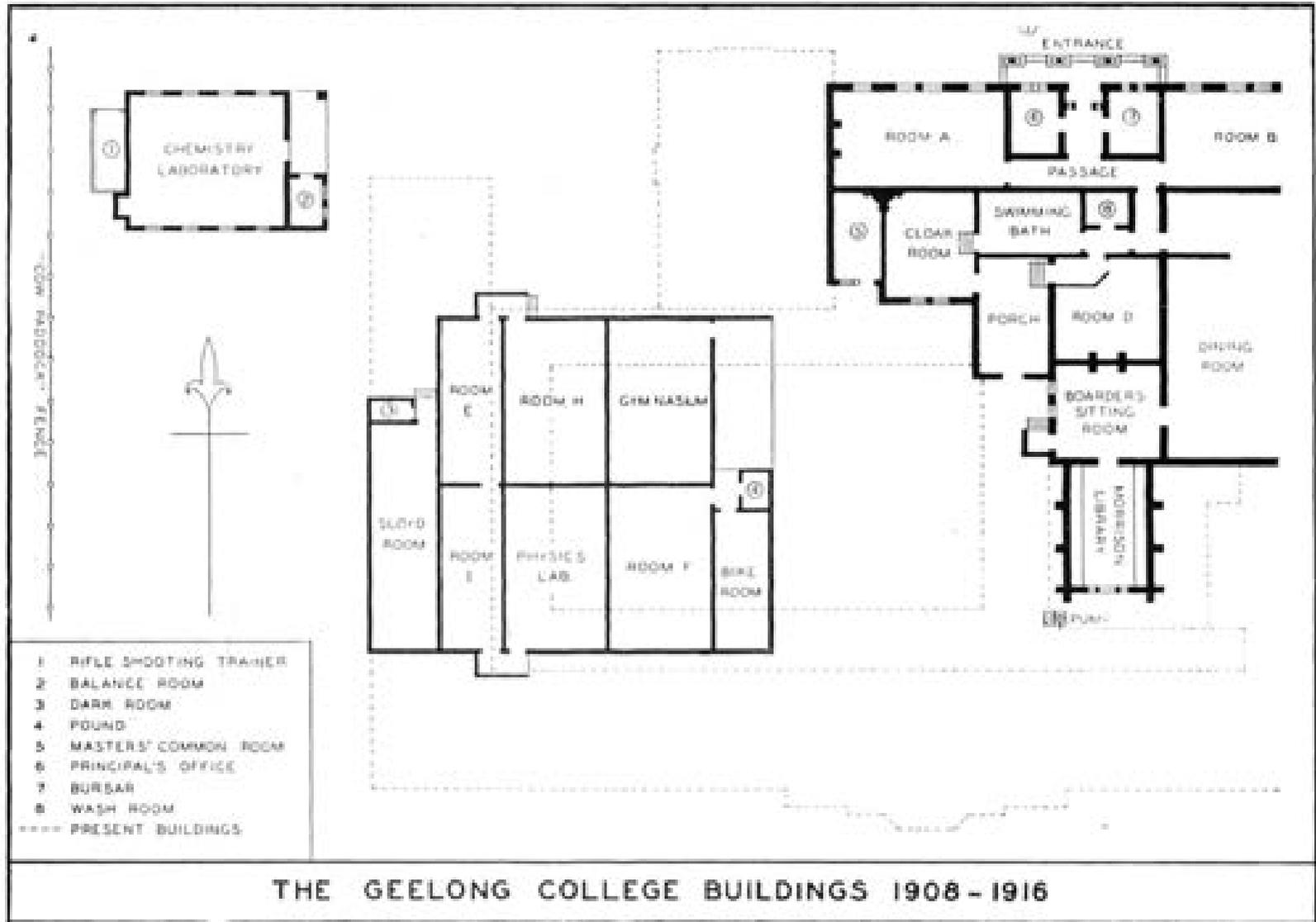
At the turn of the century the school grounds were vastly different from to-day. The "Cow-Paddock" was the senior football ground. The quagmire that in winter existed where the eastern end of the main oval is now situated sufficed for the "seconds" and "middles," and on it also the boys prepared their own cricket pitch in summer. Here all "Home" matches were played, and, as the path fence was some ten yards nearer the pitch than at present, "boundaries" were not at all difficult to obtain, and counted 2 or 3 runs according to the end from which they were hit. The outfield was usually covered with long grass, which was occasionally mown with a scythe.

The "Masters' Cottage" was the most easterly of a terrace on the north side of the top of Prospect Road hill, and Hugh Mackay and his family occupied another cottage in the same terrace.

About 1900, Ed. Sver oened the small shop on the opposite side of Prospect Road and nearer the College, which served as the school tuck-shop for many years until he built the shop opposite the site of the House of Music. It was not until 1926 that the College had its own tuck-shop in the pavilion.

The first of several additions to the wooden Gymnasium was made in 1900. On its western side two rooms were added, Room H on the north, with the Physics Laboratory behind it. In 1904 the Gymnasium was remodelled; the skillion on its south used as a Day-Boys' Dressing Room was demolished, and in its place the





THE GEELONG COLLEGE BUILDINGS 1908 - 1916

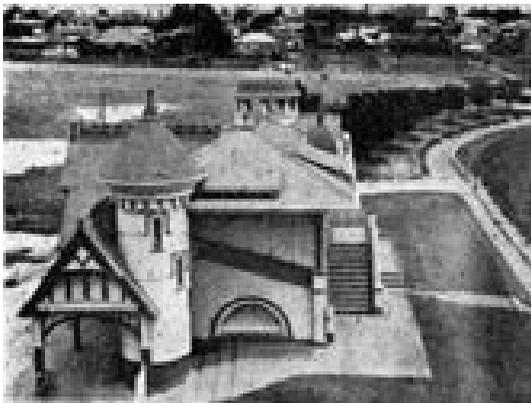
extension to the Gym. known as Room F was built. The western face of the building was again extended in 1906 to house, under a skillion roof, Rooms E and I. Extensions were made again the following year, the skillion being extended to house the Sloyd Room and a small photographic dark room. Thus the building remained until it was moved, minus the Sloyd Room, to its present location in 1933.

For those who do not remember this building in its original position, it is interesting to note that its location was almost identical with the western half of the quadrangle and the War Memorial.

The original Boat Sheds stood on the north bank of the Barwon, not far from the start of the Head of the River, until 1921, when they were moved to the present position. They were rebuilt in 1933.

In 1904 the present main oval was laid out and the pavilion built. Originally the south-east wing of the oval was rather slab-sided, but this was corrected in 1912 by moving back the summer house and rounding the wing off. In the "Cow-Paddock" there were now two playing fields. The smaller ran east and west along the Noble Street frontage and had a dirt pitch, The larger ran diagonally from near the entrance to the War Memorial in the direction of the Kindergarten and had a concrete pitch covered with matting. It was here that form matches were played; these served the purpose of the present house matches.

The detached brick Chemistry Laboratory was built in 1906 and remained almost unaltered until it was demolished in 1951. Warrinn was purchased in 1906, the original idea being to use it as a masters' cottage, but two years later the first section of the western wing was built so that it could house boarders. Thus was marked the commencement of the house system at the College. Behind Warrinn were the cow sheds, also stalls and sheds used by day boys who came to school on horses and in buggies.



During the College Jubilee celebrations on Tuesday October 6, 1911, the foundation stone for the Norman Morrison Memorial Hall was laid and the building was opened the following year. The construction of the hall necessitated the demolition of the original tennis court. To replace this, Mrs. T. S. Hawkes the same year presented the school with a court which was the first of the present three. A second was presented in 1920 by Messrs. Eric and Jim Russell, and the school built the third in 1925.

1917 saw considerable additions to the main building. Four new rooms west of Room A were completed, Rooms C, D and E and a dormitory. The Boarders' Sitting Room was enlarged. The interior of the building was remodelled, the swimming-bath and wash-room were demolished and replaced by the central hall, and the old Room D was altered and made into a Masters' Common Room. The dormitories were improved, new bath-rooms with hot water were added, and the whole school was seweraged.

The extension west of Room A ran a foot or so from the northern wall of the Gymnasium for a distance of some twenty feet. This narrow space was naturally not intended as a thoroughfare and initially it was blocked off at each end. It was opened up, however, by the boys, and became known as "Gun Alley." It was so narrow that those using it had to proceed sideways, and passing was impossible. What happened when several boys endeavoured to go in each direction at the same time is easily imagined.

Mr. Neil Campbell presented to the College in 1919 one acre of land at the "Sheepwash," on the Barwon River near Barwon Heads, in memory of his son Leslie, who was killed in the war.

The College Preparatory School was opened in February 1921 in St. David's Sunday School and on May 14 of that year, during the College Diamond Jubilee celebrations, Sir John Macfarland opened the present Preparatory School building. During these same celebrations, the present Hospital—erected in memory of Old Collegians who fell in the 1914-18 War—was opened by Drs. A. N. McArthur and J. M. Baxter. The Preparatory School has since been added to from time to time, and a separate Kindergarten was opened in 1936. The central room of the present Kindergarten was built at the senior school in 1925 as a detached classroom situated between the old Physics Lab. and the tennis courts.

On Old Boys' Day, March 22, 1929, the Foundation Stone was laid for the Refectory Block, and the building was opened by Lord Stonehaven, the Governor-General, on Old Boys' Day, March 21, 1930.



COLLEGE MAIN BLOCK, 1951, SHOWING WAR MEMORIAL WING.

First term 1935 marked the inauguration of the House of Guilds which was opened officially on April 27. The House of Music was opened two years later.

During the 75th Anniversary Celebrations on October 24, 1936, the Mackie Oval, presented to the school by Old Boys, was opened. Mackie House Foundation Stone was laid in 1938 and the building opened the following year.

The first stage in the completion of the main buildings may be said to have commenced in 1925 when improvements were made generally and the building of Junior House dormitory, sleep out and bathroom, play room and a new class-room was undertaken. This building was extended in a westerly direction in 1929, housing two additional class-rooms at the rear of the original George Morrison Memorial Library. Two years later further extensions were made, to include lavatory block, science lecture room, administrative quarters and additions to Junior House. The south wing was completed during 1934 and opened on Speech Day of that year. The cloisters on the east and north sides were built in 1936 and this work necessitated the demolition of the old library. The excavations for the foundations of the east cloister revealed again the brickwork of the old well which was once the sole water supply of the College.

The addition of two more class-rooms was made possible in 1945 by a bequest to the College by the late Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, and the whole work was completed in 1951 by the building of the War Memorial, which was opened on Speech Day by Sir Dallas Brooks, Governor of Victoria.

The purchase of the initial 15 acres of land for the proposed new Preparatory School was completed in 1945, and the following year an additional area of 19 acres was purchased. Mr. L. M. Whyte donated to the school a further 15 acres; thus the property now contains 49 acres in all.

The College has gradually acquired more and more of the Newtown block until today it possesses all but the All Saints' Church site and the property on the north-west corner. Outside of the main area, the College owns in Talbot Street two properties, the House of Guilds and "Lester Square," which run from Noble Street to Mercer Parade.

A.A.G.

(The three smaller illustrations used with this article are from photographs taken by the author in 1919. The headpiece gives a comprehensive view of what was then practically the whole College. The others, taken from the Morrison Hall tower, show: 1. The Chem. Lab., the Cow Paddock, and Warrinin in the distance; 2. The Pavilion with its full original ornamentation).

COLLEGE WAR MEMORIAL.

Amounts are still being received towards the College War Memorial, the new wing of the Senior School Quadrangle, which was opened last Speech Day.

Old Boys visiting the College have made a point of inspecting the additions inside and out. From the Mackie House central doorway there is to be had a particularly fine general view of the new buildings, while the west porchway, enshrining the Honour Rolls of two wars, holds an atmosphere of quiet solemnity befitting the memory of a great sacrifice.

Contributions to Memorial Fund.

Mrs. M. Morrison	10	0	0
N. R. Purnell	5	5	0
R. W. Purnell	5	5	0
J. V. Dennis	5	0	0
H. E. Stubbs	5	5	0
S. M. Paton	3	0	0
£. B. Powling	2	2	0
J. A. Boyd	1	1	0
D. Adams	2	2	0
G. T. Exell	5	0	0
W. D. Sawyer	5	5	0
H. G. Fagg	1	1	0
J. B. Waugh	5	5	0
A. C. Calvert	50	0	0
W. A. Martin	25	0	0
T. M. Slattery	10	10	0
N. I. Morrison	5	5	0
R. E. Goodman	2	0	0
H. H. Wettenhall	5	0	0
I. H. Ramsay	1	0	0
I. D. McDonald	5	0	0
R. S. Vaughan	10	10	0
B. M. Bell	1	0	0
D. h. Bell	1	0	0
D. Simson	50	0	0
N. G. Cameron	20	0	0
B. E. Bishop	1	0	0
R. M. Moon	2	2	0
Anonymous	10	6	
D. A. F. MacInnes	1	1	0
A. Nicolson	1	0	0
G. T. Barber	25	0	0
J. C. Kininmonth	50	0	0
R. T. Davies	2	2	0
N. McT. Evans	5	5	0
W. S. Carr	5	0	0
K. A. McIntyre	5	0	0
G. D. Currie	10	0	0
R. W. Littlejohns	1	10	0
O.G.C.A. Head of River Ball	94	4	4
O.G.C.A. Endowment Policy, a/c C. Shannon	122	4	0

IN 1876.

(From the "Geelong Advertiser").

"The Geelong College sports came off yesterday. Mr. Haines's cup was won by A. Wilkinson, Mr. Chirside's cup by A. Leitch, the Geelong College cup by A. McDonald, Mr. Thomas Brown's cup by Neil Campbell, Mr. Morrison's cup by A. McDonald, and Mr. James Bell's trophy by A. Leitch.

"The Geelong College prize list for the year includes the following: Dux of School (gold medal), W. H. Dalzell, Geelong; Dux of Fourth Class (silver medal), M. Mogg, Swan Water, St. Arnaud; Dux of Lower School (silver medal), R. Morrison, Geelong."

SIC ITUR AD TERRAM

(or *Pride goeth before Destruction*)



When Bellerophon, mounted on Pegasus, began to feel that he was as powerful as the gods themselves, and attempted to ascend to Olympus, Jupiter caused the winged steed to throw him.

The dynamic statue shown above stands in Malmo, Sweden. It is the work of Swedish sculptor, Carl Milles, and was photographed by John Mockridge, who recently returned to Australia.

THE UNIVERSITY.

DEGREES COMPLETED, 1951-2.

M.E.E.: R. W. R. Muncey.

LL.B.: J O. Stewart.

B.,Sc: B. E. Alsop, F. A. Walter.

M.B.,B.,S.: A. L. Bennett, D. N. M. Fearon,
J. D. Searby, B. S. Vanrenen.

B.Agr.Sc: N. G. Cameron, G. A. McKinley.

B.D.Sc: G. B. S. McKinley, J. F. Neilson,
F. D. B. Rogers, J. S. Rolland.

B.C.E.: D. T. Currie, J., G. W. Urbahns, M. J.
Woodward.

B.Mech.,E.: R. W. Maddern.

B.E.E.: P. Arnold:, R. G. Brown.

B.Arch.: W. J. Woodburn.

B.Com.: J. W. Gilmore, B. A. Johnson, D. R.
T. Macmillan, E. B. Thomas.

FOR MERIT.

Exhibitions were awarded by the University of Melbourne to:—

N. G. Cameron (Agricultural Engineering and Surveying); F. G. Tinney (Comparative Law); W. B. Carmichael (Political Science).

25 YEARS AGO.

(Extracts from "Pegasus," 1927).

On the day we re-assembled at the beginning of the term, we were pleased to have with us four new masters. . . . To Mr. J. H. Campbell, B.A. and Mr. B. R. Keith, B.A. (who are Old Boys), we offer our heartiest welcome.

The Annual Swimming Sports were held this year in the Eastern Baths. The Championship was won by A. D. Griffiths for the third successive year. D. Walter, State Champion, entered for the Old Boys' Race, but starting from scratch, was only able to finish second to W. R. Griffiths.

The school is growing musical. A rather jingoistic football song has been inspiring fear in the breasts of opponents, and has even found its way into assembly. Mr. W. S. Sampson and Mr. R. J. Dickson assisted us in learning it.

After every football victory, we had been giving our cheers to the team and its coach, and on one occasion the school had been called on to congratulate Ewen Bumpstead for breaking the goal-kicking record. But on Friday, August 12, assembly was particularly memorable; never before had the school met in the Hall as the possessors of a Championship. Deafening cheers broke out as Mr. Profitt entered and took his seat with the staff. Cheers greeted Mr. "Jimmy" D'Helin as he rose to congratulate the team on winning not only every Public School game, but every practice match as well A. H. McGregor was again captain, and A. E. Bumpstead filled the position of vice-captain.

This year, the picnic-regatta, held at the Willows, was a greater success than ever. By arranging novelty events and a series of very popular bicycle races, the function was made particularly enjoyable.

Dramatic Entertainment. The first half of the programme was filled by the Preparatory School's "Wandering Minstrel." This was adapted from "The Mikado" by Miss M. Trumble. Parts were taken by J. Iverson (Mikado), R. Wettenhall (Pish Tush), G. G. Hicks (Ko Ko), G. MacDonald (Pooh Bah), E. H. Chapman (Nanki Poo), J. Hirst (Kati-sha) and J. Mockridge, E. Butcher and C. Cooke (three little maids). In "The Private Secretary," the star of the evening was D. F. Roadknight, in his role of Cattermole.

COLLEGIANS IN SPORT.

An outstanding compliment was made to the organising genius of Arthur W. Coles when he was appointed manager of the Olympic Games in Australia during 1956.

As well as leading the Australian XI to victory against the West Indies, Lindsay Hassett contributed to the team's success as outstanding batsman of the series and gained further honour during the season by reaching his fiftieth century in first-class' cricket.

John Chambers and Jeff. Hallebone represented Victoria in cricket, and Jack Iverson marked his return to the game by playing a major part in Melbourne's district premiership.

Russell Mockridge was accorded lavish praise for his success in bicycle races in England, which emphasizes the loss the Olympic team will experience by his absence.



RUSSELL MOCKRIDGE;

After his record run of 4 min. 9 secs. for the Mile, Don. Macmillan was one of the first selections for the Olympic team for Helsinki.

In the record-breaking King's Cup crew which won the 1952 title for Victoria, R. R. Aitken (stroke), A. G. Barrett and P. N. Everist represented the College.

At the Geelong Easter tennis tournament, A. S. Cooke retained the open singles title. Jeff. Hallebone displayed his versatility by following his cricket success by an excellent victory

in the Provincial Singles Championship. Jeff also plays competition table tennis in Melbourne.



DONALD MACMILLAN

The Amateur Sports Club of South Australia presented its 1951 trophy for the outstanding footballer under 21 in the State, to Allister McEod.

Vin. Hassett again captained the Geelong Country Week cricket team. Alban Howells was captain of the victorious Geelong Churches' eleven which played Adelaide Y.M.C.A. at Easter, when G. Neilson made a century for the local team.

At the Gordon Technical School Sports in Geelong the Under 18 and Under 17 Championships were won by David Fallaw and Graham Keith respectively.

The Melbourne crew which won the inter-Varsity boatrace included John Button (cox) and Neil Everist. David Salmon, as coach and sole selector, seems to have worked on right lines.

Jim Ferguson again coached the Ormond crew, in which were John Button (cox), John Gibb and Michael Aikman. Barry Cole, Blair Malcolm and John Varley rowed for Queen's.

Ormond's athletics team was captained by Andrew Hope, while Geoff. Vines and Brian McEaren gained places in the Eleven.

(Blocks by courtesy of "Geelong Advertiser")

ERNEST McNICOL BAIRD, who died on March 20, was a native of Geelong, and on the completion of his ministry in the Presbyterian Church had returned here to enjoy his retirement. As a young man he was Dux of the College in 1898 and played in the cricket, football and tennis teams. He was a brilliant bat, had the distinction of being a member of the XI for seven years, for two years as captain, and was once called "the Napoleon of College cricket." At the University of Melbourne he was equally successful and won several Blues.

JOHN EDWARD BAKER died at the Heidelberg Military Hospital on January 18. He was a farmer for some years at Gheringhap, and more recently at Kyneton. While attending the College from 1905 to 1909 he became a prefect and was prominent in cricket and football; he was captain of the XI. Later he played both cricket and football for Geelong. He served abroad with the first A.I.F.

CHARLES JOHN CALHOUN, a pupil at the College from 1901 to 1904, died on December 15, 1951, at the age of 64 years.

BRUCE GIBSON, a Collegian of the 'nineties, died on July 20, 1951, at the age of 67. He was formerly an officer of the National Bank.

HARRY GEORGE HODGES died at Armadale on April 22. He attended the College from 1903 to 1908 and played in the XVIII in his last two years. For a long time he was closely connected with businesses and sporting organizations in Geelong, but transferred to Melbourne several years ago.

HARRY HOOPER, whose death occurred on Christmas day, 1951, was for many years actively associated with the work of the O.G.C.A. and a member of its committee. He was a pupil here in the early 'nineties. In later years he developed a large business in Geelong and took a live interest in public affairs such as the Hospital and the Agricultural and Pastoral Society. From 1929 to 1936 he was a member of the Geelong City Council.

SYDNEY NORMAN SMITH, who attended the College from 1903 to 1905, died at Geelong on February 26, aged 61 years. In his youth he was a keen sportsman and played football in the Geelong League team. He led an active business life, always maintaining his interest in sport. For 31 years he was secretary of the Geelong Racing Club.

JAMES FRASER SUTHERLAND, who died as the result of an accident in Melbourne on April 5, had been an Old Boy for only a

few weeks, but had already served the College well while a student there from 1947 to 1951. He threw himself strenuously into every side of school life—work and sport and societies—and was in 1951 made a Prefect. In his occasional address at the funeral service Mr. Ewen McLean said:

"On an occasion such as this it would be very easy to say that a promising career had



been cut short, and to dwell on what might have been if Jim Sutherland had lived to complete his course and enter into the Ministry, as he would almost certainly have done. However, we do not measure a man's service by the length of his days; and, in the case of Jim, I believe he achieved far more in his 18 years than many of us achieve over a long period of years. It is natural for us to sigh for what might have been; but let such a sigh be swamped by a sense of thanksgiving for what has been and remains."

It is with deep regret that we learn from the N.S.W. branch of the death during the past year of N. ALAN THOMSON and Dr. GEORGE BELL.

PERSONAL NOTES.

ALAN T. TAIT has resumed duty as Vice-Principal of the College after his year abroad

JOHN McRAE, now retired from the M.G.S. teaching staff, also had a holiday in Britain last year. He has been a member of the O.G.C.A. since its inception 51 years ago.

R. EWEN CAMERON has been Acting-Headmaster of St. Peter's, Adelaide, for some months.

REG. V. TAYLOR has gone over to Ford-Canada after three years with Ford-Malaya.

ALISTER McKINNON joined the Geelong Ford organisation after eighteen years with the "Geelong Advertiser."

FRANK JUST is on the staff of the Bridlington Grammar School Bridlington, E. Yorks.

CARGILL ROBERTSON gained the 1951 award of the Princeps Shield, the highest scholastic honour at the Gordon Institute of Technology.

ERIC PHILIP is president of the Hamilton Club for 1952-53.

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TALFORD ELY, of State Rivers, is engineer in charge of the important job of moving the town of Tallangatta. BRUCE ANDERSON is an engineer with the same body in Melbourne, and LEX HENRY has been on survey work in northern Victoria.

The Geelong sub-branch of the United Service Institution has JIM MUNDAY, MAURICE SHAW and RON WILSON as president, vice-president and treasurer, respectively.

For his essay on "Shaft Sinking at N. Kalgoorlie" ALLISTER McLEOD won the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy prize for the best essay by a S.A. student.

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JOHN MATTINSON has completed his course at Dookie Agricultural College.

JOHN O. STEWART was admitted to practice as a barrister and solicitor. NIEL DAVIDSON has become a partner in the Geelong firm of Whyte, Just and Moore.

MAX COOKE has been giving some time to special piano pupils at the College. In April he was the soloist at a concert presented by the Geelong Symphony Orchestra.

Promotion in the Education Dept. brings JACK EDGAR quite near home at Chilwell School. GEORGE REID is in charge of the State School, Corio.

In an extended tour of parts of Vic. and S.A., IAN HEARD and LLOYD TURNER and, later, DARYL ROWLEY and DON CAMERON, included a call on Mr. A. E. Simpson in Adelaide,

STUART BAIRD and GRAHAM STEPHINSON are jackerooing on "Stoneleigh" Estate, near Beaufort. They were down for the boatrace.

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RAMSAY COOK has accepted a seat on the Board of Directors of Denny's Lascelles Ltd.

JOHN BOWMAN was for a time on the staff at Uranium Hill, S.A.

JOHN ROGERS was joined in New York by his younger son ALLAN J. ROGERS, who is suitably impressed by the American way of life. BILL ROGERS is a partner in the legal firm of C. P. Semmens & Rogers, Maffra, Vic.

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The Davidson-Lee wedding had strong associations with College scholarship. The bridegroom, NIEL DAVIDSON, was Dux in 1942, while the bride is the daughter of FRANK M. LEE, Dux in 1919.

KEITH BUCHHOLZ' property at Walwa suffered heavily in the summer fires, while ALAN RIGGALL, at Benalla, had a narrow escape from similar loss.

BRUCE SLOANE has moved from Werribee to Belmont, but still travels daily to the S.E.C., Melbourne.

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BOB COCHRANE is manager of Golf Hill, Shelford.

Engagements noted include those of Lieut. J. A. HOOPER to Lorelee Carstens of Canberra, PAUL MANNERS to Miss Margaret Marshall of Hawthorn, and ROBERT MABIN to Miss Pamela Smith of Kew.

GRAEME WALLACE SMITH continues his studies at a Melbourne coaching college.

DICK REYNOLDS, with some business experience behind him, is pursuing Matric. with a view to doing Commerce.