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School Officers—Terms I and II, 1938.

Captain of the School—J. A. Forbes.

Prefects—J. A. Forbes, T. M. Collins, T. T. Laidlaw, I. H. McPherson, D. J. A. Dennis, B. C. McKenzie, I. H. Silke.

House Captains—Calvert, D. J. A. Dennis; Morrison, T. M. Collins; Shannon, I. H. McPherson; Warrinn, T. T. Laidlaw.

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Science Club Committee—I. S. Buchanan, R. K. Doig, A. S. Feddersen, K. S. McDowall, B. C. McKenzie, A. F. Pillow.

Music Club Committee—Mr. G. L. Smith, A. S. Feddersen, I. W. McDonald, K. S. McDowall, B. C. McKenzie, J. S. Rolland, J. W. Barrett.

Glee Club Committee—Mr. G. L. Smith, D. W. P. Borthwick, C. M. Carmichael, A. S. Feddersen, A. L. Matheson, K. S. McDowall.

Tennis Committee—Rev. F. W. Rolland, D. S. Adam, J. W. Callander, C. M. Carmichael, J. S. Rolland.

Swimming Committee—Mr. H. Dunkley, J. W. Callander, R. K. Doig, K. S. McDowall, B. C. McKenzie.

Cricket Committee—Mr. V. H. Profitt, J. W. Callander, C. M. Carmichael, J. R. Cooper, D. J. A. Dennis.

Rowing Committee—Mr. L. J. Campbell, K. S. McDowall (Captain of Boats), T. M. Collins, J. A. Forbes, B. C. McKenzie, I. H. McPherson.

Cadet Corps—Captain R. Lamble, M.C., CO., Lieutenants H. L. E. Dunkley, D. J. A. Dennis, K. S. McDowall, B. C. McKenzie.

Debating Committee—Mr. C. F. H. Ipsen, K. L. Menzies and H. Birrell (Joint Hon. Sees.), J. K. Aitken, R. K. Doig, B. C. McKenzie, I. H. McPherson.

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Approximate Dates—Terms II and III, 1938.

- Second Term ends** August 26.
- Third Term begins** September 13.
- Senior School Speech Day** November 25.
- Preparatory School Speech Night** .. December 10.

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*Let us dedicate ourselves afresh, if need be, to the service
of our felloivs"*

THE world to-day is divided into two factions, the one believing in the doctrine that might is right and the other in a more peaceful settlement of differences. A wave of nationalism, and in some cases almost fanaticism, is sweeping over the world and this eccentricity is reflected in all our arts. To the generation just leaving school the nations are striving to make the most spectacular showing possible in order to win us to their doctrines, good or evil.

So we, who have the privilege of attending Public Schools, must make it our duty to secure a knowledge of past and present history, so that, when the time comes, we shall have standards on which to base our judgment of modern politics and art. Thus we should be able to make sane decisions in matters affecting world peace and our own well-being, and to help those less fortunate than ourselves to see and follow the path to liberty and happiness.

Democracy demands leaders as insisntly as any dictatorship, though it is a leadership that does not depend on force, but on faith and character; and it is to us that Democracy is looking for the leaders of the next generation. It is our duty to be prepared, for unless we rise to the occasion there may be little left for the future to enjoy.

We do not know when the moment will come to serve our fellow men, but now is the time to fit ourselves while we are at school and have the opportunity, so that we at least shall not be found wanting.

The Church and Her Centenary.

THE centenary celebrations of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria have passed, and perhaps we have not been impressed greatly by them or by the significance of the event. It is appropriate, therefore, that here and at this time we, who enjoy the privilege of attending one of her schools, should remember those who laid the foundations of the Church in this State, and review the ceremonies in connection with her hundredth anniversary.

The celebrations commenced on Sunday, October 10, the date of a service conducted in 1837 by the Rev. James Clow in the house of Dr. Alexander Thomson on the banks of the Barwon, the first service in Victoria to be conducted by a minister of the Church of Scotland. The Rev. James Clow had been chaplain of the East India Company, stationed at Bombay. Owing to ill-health he had retired and, after four years in Scotland, had decided to emigrate to South Australia. When he arrived in Van Diemen's Land he found that the new settlement at Port Phillip was the topic of conversation and so, changing his plans, he crossed Bass Strait with his wife and family and sailed up the Yarra after a voyage of fourteen days. In the words of the Rev. D. Macrae Stewart, "He happened on the young colony like one of God's gracious opportunities," In January, 1838, the Rev. James Forbes was sent to form a congregation in Melbourne by the Presbytery of New South Wales, which knew nothing of the arrival of Mr. Clow. Mr. Forbes was thus the first Presbyterian Minister to be inducted to a charge in Victoria. Until their deaths the two men took a leading part in every activity for the welfare of the new colony.

Presbyterians, both in Scotland and abroad, ever have emphasised the value of education. John Knox insisted that a school in every parish must be the aim, and we find that wherever Scots settled, first the church and then the school were built. The Church's first building in Melbourne was as much for school purposes during the week as for Sunday services. In 1851 was founded the Melbourne Academy, which was to develop into Scotch College, and in 1873 the Presbyterian Ladies' College. Geelong College, founded as a

public school in 1861, was taken over by Dr. George Morrison, but was later handed back to the Church by his son and successor, Norman. Ormond College was established in 1878, the first Master being Dr. MacFarland, later Sir John MacFarland, who was Vice-chairman of the College Council for many years. When the denominational system of education gave way to the State system—free, compulsory and secular—it was the Presbyterian Church which led the struggle to bring the scriptures into the schools and took the lead in organising the present system of religious instruction in State Schools.

From small beginnings, the Presbyterian Church of Victoria has developed into a great spiritual, missionary and philanthropic body. The New Hebrides and Korea are her foreign mission fields; the Australian Inland Mission—"the Church with its coat off"—and the aboriginal mission stations at Kunmunya, Mapoon, Ernabella and elsewhere receive great support from the Victorian Church. Her social service work at home includes St. Andrew's Hospital, Kilmany Park Farm for Boys, Kildonan Home for Children, the Girls' Homes, the Babies' Home and many missions and free kindergartens in the congested areas of our cities. Hospital and prison chaplains and deaconesses visit and bring help to the sick, the poor and those in trouble.

In celebration of the Centenary, services were held in every congregation on the opening day, Sunday, October 10, when the aim was for every Presbyterian to worship in his own church. Immediately afterwards, the Centenary Commissioners from the Church of Scotland, the Rev. Dr. Roderick Macleod and the Rev. Dr. Adam Burnet, and the delegate from Korea, the Rev. Yaksin Lee, commenced their tours of the State. Great public meetings were held in many of the larger towns. Demonstrations were held in the Melbourne Town Hall on six separate occasions, and a Centenary Pageant was produced at the King's Theatre.

It had been intended to hold a great gathering of scholars from every Presbyterian school on the main oval at Scotch College, in front of the beautiful Littlejohn Memorial Chapel. The epidemic prevented this, and services were held at each school, copies of the

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souvenir booklet, "The Church and Her Schools," being distributed. Geelong College, whose Principal, the Rev. F. W. Rolland, was Moderator of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria during the Centenary year, was visited by the Moderator General, the Right Rev. Dr. John Mackenzie, and the Rev. Dr. Adam Burnet.

The Church is carrying on a great work and calls to those of you who are Presbyterians, when you leave school, to enter into the activities of one of her congregations and do your part in ensuring that she will accomplish even greater things in this new century of her history.



The New Senior Boarders' Sitting Room.

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School Council.

AT the Presbyterian General Assembly held in May Mr. S. B. Hamilton-Calvert was re-elected as Chairman of the Council of Geelong College. Messrs. M. Ferguson, R. E. Reid, L. J. McConnan and W. J. Dennis were re-elected members for two years, and Mr. Richard Dennis of "Eeyeuk," Terang, was elected to represent the Mortlake Presbytery in place of the Rev. J. P. Hamilton, who had retired.

Ceremony at Mackie House.

ON Friday, April 22, 1938, there took place an event of great importance to the College, the laying of the foundation stone of Mackie House by the Rev. Dr. John Mackenzie.

Boys of the school and a large number of friends gathered on the Junior Oval, and after a short prayer and reading from the Scriptures Dr. Mackenzie delivered an address. He stressed the fact that we cannot, by donating what seem large sums of money at the time, put education on one side as having been provided for for the many years to come. He took Rugby as an example of how a school's requirements grow along with the school. Dr. Mackenzie then went on to express the gratitude of the church for the gift from the Mackie Trust and also for the other gifts which had been received to pay for the fine new buildings.

Following this address the stone was well and truly laid, and with the singing of the National Anthem, another chapter in the College's history was brought to a close.

Work on the new building is now well advanced, and it is evident that this noble structure, on its ideal site, will present an even more imposing appearance than was indicated in the architect's original drawings.

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Beautiful Views of Geelong College.

TOWARDS the close of 1937 Mr. Holland commissioned Miss Cumbrae-Stewart, the well-known Melbourne artist, to execute a number of pastel sketches of the College buildings and grounds. After some days spent at the school, Miss Cumbrae-Stewart produced striking impressions of the Ivied Tower, the Cloisters, the Quadrangle, the House of Music and the Dining Hall, which have been reproduced in beautiful colour prints in an art booklet entitled "The School on the Hill." The first four subjects are also available in the form of greeting cards.

These pictures are suitable for framing separately or collectively; the complete set gives a vivid impression of the College to-day. Copies may be obtained from The Bursar, Geelong College, cards at ninepence each and the booklet of five views at two shillings and sixpence.

Valete et Salvete.
VALETE.
Third Term, 1937.

VI.A.—

- R. B. Brown.
- J. L. Calhoun—Prefect, XI. 1936-7 (Honour Award, 1936); XVIII. 1936-7 (Honour Award, 1937); Aths., 1937 (Colours).
- M. M. Crawcour—Sergeant.
- R. W. K. Honeycombe.
- T. H. Kelsall—Prefect, 1936-7; Capt. Warrinn House; VIII., 1936-7 (Honour Award, 1936); XVIII., 1935-6-7 (Honour Award, 1936); Aths., 1936 (Honour Award); Lieutenant.
- F. J. H. Moreton—VIII., 1937 (Honour Award); Lieutenant.
- J. E. Richardson.
- W. H. Steel—Dux of School, 1936; C.Q.M.S.
- N. G. Sutherland—Prefect; Capt., Shannon House; XL, 1937 (Colours); XVIII., 1935-6-7

(Colours); Aths., 1933-4-5-6-7 (Honour Award, 1936); Sergeant.

- R. D. Watson—Prefect; Capt., Calvert House; XL, 1936-7 (Colours); XVIII., 1934-5-6-7 (Honour Award, 1936); Aths., 1935-6-7 (Colours); Sergeant.

VLB—

- D. I. Donaldson.
- W. A. Morrow.
- R. H. A. Wettenhall—Prefect; VIII 1937; XVIII 1937 (Colours); Aths. 1936-7 (Colours).

V.A.—

- K. M. Binch.
- P. C. Carnell.
- N. J. Collis.
- T. D. Dowling.
- A. D. Humphrey.
- J. D. Lamb—XL 1937 (Colours); XVIII. 1937 (Honours).
- B. D. Shaw.
- G. K. Silcock.
- P. T. Stansmore.
- I. A. Surplice.
- N. H. Williams.

- V.B.—
 J. T. O. Dickinson.
 E. Illingworth.
 A. H. Kennedy.
 S. A. Lamb.
 M. W. Macdonald.
 C. A. C. Murray.
 J. A. Roberts.
- M.V.A.—
 W. T. Campbell.
 A. L. Fewster.
 W. P. Johnstone—XI. 1936-7
 (Colours).
 A. J. Macdonald.
 G. M. Roope.
- M.V.B.—
 G. V. Davidson.
 J. S. Gilmore.
 S. L. Hempel.
 J. L. Henderson.
 S. T. Impey.
 B. O. O'Connor.
 W. R. Spiller.
- L.V.A.—
 L. J. Mooney.
- L.V.B.—
 D. L. Austin.
 M. R. Blair.
 K. C. McKenzie.

SALVETE.

First Term, 1938.

* Denotes son of an Old Collegian

- VI.A.—J. D. Legge.
- VLB.—A. F. Blackwood, L. A. Cartwright, M. S. Cunningham (re-enrolled), W. C. Knox, D. G. Walter.
- V.A.—R. B. Anderson, S. R. Beach, J. Cameron, J. R. Cunningham (re-enrolled), K. M. Edwards, M. J. Feddersen, D. I. McDonald, R. McQueen, J. McWilliam, J. N. Turnbull, S. G. Vertigan.
- V.B.—G. F. Laidlaw, J. L. Matthews, E. W. Tink.
- MV.A.—A. Belcher, A. E. Bidstrup, E. K. Buchholz, M. M. Geddes, J. A. C. McDonald, K. J. Stillman, R. M. Summers.
- MV.B.—J. G. Brownhill, G. I. Coad,

- PREP. and KINDER.—
 A. W. Kavanagh.
 I. J. Mackay.
 I. F. Meyer.
 J. E. Ricketts.

Term I, 1938.

- VI.A.—
 I. S. Buchanan—VIII (cox) 1937—8
 (Colours).
 M. M. Mayne.
 J. S. Rolland.
- VLB.—
 J. W. Callander.
- V.A.—
 K. M. Edwards.
 A. H. Glover.
- V.B.—
 J. C. Stewart.
 L. Stewart.
 S. W. Stewart.
- MV.A.—
 H. J. Trembath.
- MV.B.—
 P. J. Ashworth.
- LV.B.—
 B. C. Blair.
 A. McIlroy.

K. J. Forsyth, B. A. Johnson, W. Mahood, J. D. Morrison, A. J. B. Sloane, * J. A. Strickland, A. R. Turnbull.

- LV.A.—* J. W. Brumley, D. W. Campbell, R. P. Charles, F. R. Herd, T. B. Howells, J. M. Knight, H. M. Reid, R. M. Walpole.

LV.B.—M. C. Hamilton.
 PREPARATORY SCHOOL—R. 1.
 Gluyas, H. S. Michael, W. D. Paton,
 * I. H. Rankin, I. K. Russell, * John
 R. Salmon, W. M. Trembath, B. E.
 Vertigan, N. I. Waite, * A. R.
 Waterhouse, M. I. Woodward.

KINDERGARTEN—J. H. Bowman.

Term II, 1938.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL—R. N.
 Corelli, P. C. Howard, J. C.
 Moreton, * D. B. Parrington, J. W.
 R. Yarnall.

KINDERGARTEN—G. N. Henderson.

School Items.



Lord, behold us with Thy blessing,
 Once again assembled here;
 Onward be our footsteps pressing,
 In Thy love and faith and fear:
 Still protect us
 By Thy presence ever near.

When we last penned these pages, a sombre cloud loomed large above the horizon, a dread lay concealed in our inmost hearts, a sense of human helplessness filled our minds. The course of the epidemic makes a tragic chapter in our national history. To our deep sense of gratitude that our own school was spared may we add our heartfelt, practical sympathy for those less fortunate, and the hope that some of us will live to better the lot of human-kind by helping to make such visitations impossible.

This year has shown another marked increase in the number of boarders, last year's record of 160 being raised to 175. This has made necessary the temporary conversion of the Hospital into the Fourth House. The new hospital, which fortunately remains unused, is now across the road next to the House of Guilds,

As a result of the many promotions to the intermediate form, there are now two classes in VA.

J. A. Forbes continues to act as Captain of the School, and D. J. A. Dennis, B. C. McKenzie and I. H. Silke are to be congratulated on their appointment as prefects.

We offer heartiest congratulations to Mr. J. H. McPhillimy, one of Geelong College's fast friends, on the receipt of the Order of the British Empire from His Majesty the King.

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By the courtesy of Mr. W. E. Thacker, members of "The Pegasus" committee were privileged to inspect the printing office and witness the various processes by which that worthy journal is produced.

Mr. J. H. Campbell is still training the drum and bugle band which has attained quite a high standard.

On Anzac Day the cadet corps again represented the College at Kardinia Park in spite of the rain and cold.

On June 5 one of our prefects, I. H. Silke, celebrated his twenty-first birthday. Harry was in the successful Head of the River crew in 1936 and, though now not eligible for Public School sport, will represent the College at the next elections.

An epidiascope hour conducted by Mr. Keith for new boys, and others, offered an interesting outline of the history and associations of Geelong College. The pictures shown were selected from the History of the College and from back numbers of "The Pegasus."

At the invitation of Mr. Hillhouse, Mr. T. Sasakawa recently addressed the LVA and LVb Forms. The speaker dealt mainly with school life in Japan, and presented to the College a number of beautifully illustrated books on the History and Geography of that country.

On May 13 a party of about twenty Physics and Geography students, accompanied by Messrs. Keith and Dunkley, made a thorough inspection of the Commonwealth Meteorological Bureau, Carlton. Much was learnt of the remarkable instruments and statistical methods employed in the study of Australian weather and climate.

The senior Science class recently carried out Foucault's pendulum experiment to prove the rotation of the earth.

Last term, we had two picture shows including a very interesting film about Alaska, the outstanding points of interest being the breaking up of the Yukon and photographs of the midnight sun.

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On March 19, Mr. Chinnery, Director of Native Affairs in New Guinea, gave us a very interesting talk on the manners and customs of native peoples. At the same time, from his fine selection of slides, we unconsciously gained a clear insight into the country and its vegetation.

A fortnight later, we were entertained by Mr. H. Scott Leslie, whose clever jokes and fine acting were greatly appreciated.

Near the beginning of the first term, we had a most interesting talk by Bishop Taylor-Smith. It was with great sorrow that we learned of his death on his voyage back to England.

The Rev. O. J. Brady of All Saints is to be thanked for his enthralling talk on his experiences in the Near East. He made us wish we could go and see the remnants of the ruined beauty of Babylon whose hanging gardens he described to us in detail.

The Rev. W. E. Watkins is also to be thanked for his address on Anzac Day in which he described to us the effect of the Great War on some Australian Homes.

STAFF NOTES.

Mr. A. J. Hillhouse has returned after an absence of several years. We wish the new members of the staff, Messrs. R. I. Home and J. R. Dickinson, B.A., an enjoyable time with us.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bechervaise are now at St. George's School, Harpenden, Herts., England, and will be pleased to hear from the College.

On another page will be found interesting letters from Mr. Henderson and Mr. Whorwell, whose period of exchange is now over. On June 8 Mr. Henderson gave the school an informative address on his experiences abroad.

Latest news from England reports that Mr. Lawton has been visiting all the important schools and has now accepted a post at a preparatory school, "Cam Brae," not far from London. His present address is 26 Transmere Road, Petts Wood, Orpington, Kent.

Owing to ill health Mr. W. R. Shepherd, our Director of Music, has not been with us this year. We wish him a speedy recovery and thank Mr. G. Logie Smith for capably shouldering the extra responsibility.

Unofficialities.

(Believe Them You Must.)

CHAPTER II.

1 Then the King called unto him all the builders and all the artisans.

2 And he said unto them, Let us build a house of wondrous beauty, wherein the young lords of the tribes of Kolij may sit at meat.

3 And behold, it was so; and he saw that it was good.

4 Wherefore did the King build many houses for the young lords, houses for labour and houses for rest.

5 And he said, Go, get ye hence and build a temple over against the house of Samuel;

6 Wherein they that do sound upon the cornet and upon the trombone and upon all kinds of stringed instruments may make sweet musick.

7 But they that blast upon the bugles, and they that smite the drums, yea, and he that doth smite upon the great drum, even these shall not come nigh unto it.

8 And it came to pass as the King had said.

9 And in the nineteenth year of his reign he summoned from all the land round about the fathers of the young lords, to behold the dedication of the great house of Makki;

10 Which was set upon a hill over beyond Nu-oval, that men called aforetime, The field of the cow.

11 And the land of Kolij waxed great and beautiful in the eyes of all men.

Elsewhere appears an insipid report of the cricket match between masters and boys. Fortunately our unofficial expert was present and justice is done:—

"The infallible school captain won the toss and his men began to score rapidly, picking and even anticipating loose balls, sometimes eight in an over. Excitement ran high in the pavilion—bowling changes were greeted with cheers (Who said "jeers"?); passing trams slowed down a trifle and stopped. The masters, undaunted,

displayed perfect team work; if one missed a ball, the second, third, or fourth usually stopped it, if it had not reached the fence; it was returned with deadly accuracy and one of the school side soon got it in the neck. Then masters began to bowl for run-outs, the 'keeper giving some fine pieces of solo work; he allowed no byes, for the ball seldom passed the bat, his stumping on such occasions being received rather coldly by the umpires (boys, of course).

The masters' innings had features that would do credit to many a Public School side—the grimness of early batsmen, that unwillingness to take a second run, the consummate ease with which they ran one another out. However, someone thought of hitting the ball into the air, a safe stroke at any time, particularly so when it went over the fence. The tenth wicket was particularly successful in appealing against the light or there might have been a most exciting finish."

When printing examination papers in Geometry and Science, a master inadvertently caught up a sheet already bearing the programme of the swimming sports. Imagine the feelings of a VB mathematician confronted with the following demands:—

1. Complete the under 15 handicap.
5. Give expressions for the area of an under 14 Championship Dive.
11. State and prove the theorem concerning the Junior House Relay.
2. Draw and describe the under 14 Handicap. How would you tell that the gas was Final?
19. Why is it dangerous to light a match to look into a Junior Long Dive?
3. If you had some dirty salt water, how would you make it useful for the Preparatory School Championship?

THE *Callander* showed that the week was *Dunn*, so a *Troup* of us set out to follow the *Paton* of others by taking a trip to the *Beach*. Very soon, we passed over a *Hill*, and *Saw* the sea. We *Lade* down the

packs containing food, blankets and one *Pillow*. We immediately appointed a *Cook*, and he *Feddersen* soup and spuds. The chief said, "There need be no *Fearon* this trip of intruders, since it is a *Laidlaw* that persons are prohibited from the property, and besides, several *Johns* live quite close."

The next day we went for a ramble, and before *Long* came to a notice, "D.W.P.B.," which meant, "Do watch please, boys!" (for snakes). This proved necessary, for soon there was a *Russell* and one *Burleigh Walker* shouted that he had been bitten on the *Legge*. First aid was applied *Tilley* felt better, my *Silke* handkerchief being called into use. The snake, which was of the *Brown* variety, was given a few *Knox* with a piece of *Blackwood* as hard as *Steel*, which seemed as old as *Adam*.

That *Knight*, someone suggested calculating the number of miles we had travelled, but there were to be no *Matheson* the trip. Later, we returned to school with no ailments except a *Koch* or two.

We have two kinds of teeth, biceps and forceps.

In Wonthaggi hundreds of men are implored to mine coal.

Les oiseaux dormaient comme la princesse—The birds were sleeping with the princess.

An order cheque must have the name on the back of the person who cashes it.

Captain Cook proved the possibility of a N.W. passage to be an impossibility. (Did this candidate fail to pass?)

Il lui ecrase le front et le buste contre la table—He crushes her head and bursts it against the table.

Good-will must be made before you die or the Government gets your money.

Pheidias got the job of curving the statue of the goddess Athena.

In olden times trade was carried on by battery.

The Masters' Common Room has been inclined to bull-at-a-gate tactics since acquiring a pair of Homes.

Preparatory School.

THE! beginning of the year was marked by the usual excitement over the appointment of the School Captain. The honour fell to George Cumming, whom we heartily congratulate and wish a successful year of office.

This all important happening over, attention was turned to Cricket. Matches were played against the Under Thirteen teams of the Senior School and Bostock House. In the Under Thirteen Competition the honours were shared equally but we were defeated in the Bostock House match. While on the subject of Cricket we would like to take this opportunity of congratulating last year's Captain of the School, W. E. Watkins, who, on his thirteenth birthday, played his first match with the Senior School 1st XL

Owing to the warm weather during the early part of the year, Swimming became a very popular recreation. Our thanks are due to Mr. Hillhouse for the valuable instruction given in both Swimming and Life Saving. Quite a number qualified for Junior Certificates and there were more boys than usual seeking instruction for Senior Certificates. The House Swimming Championship was won by Pegasus and the School Championship by B. Roydhouse.

As weather conditions play an all important part in our out-door activities, we have abandoned Cricket and Swimming and are now busily occupied with Football. One match has been played against a Senior School Under 13 team, but it revealed certain weaknesses which we will have to work hard to overcome.

Visits to various industrial works of interest, which had to be foregone during the latter portion of last year, have been revived and already, thanks to the kindness of the management, an interesting and instructive afternoon has been spent looking over the Excelsior Woollen Mills.

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The Presentation of Prizes, postponed from last year, took place at the end of the first term. We are very grateful to Mrs. Rolland, who kindly consented to make the presentation for us, yet another one of her thoughtful acts on our behalf. On the same evening the Kindergarten Percussion Band and the School Choir entertained us with items from their repertoires. The Dramatic Club, under the guidance of Mr. John Home, successfully presented Sir J. M. Barrie's "Peter Pan."

We welcome to the staff this year Mr. J. R. Dickinson, B.A., and Miss Ritchie. We trust that their association with the School will be a happy one.



A Lino Cut executed by a member of the House of Guilds.

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Kindergarten Notes.

"A HAPPY home is an important factor in developing personality of the growing child." With this thought in mind the College has provided such a place for its young pupils.

During the first term the urgent need for an assistant was felt by the Council, and we extend a warm welcome to Miss Ritchie, whose understanding work with the younger children has already been of great value. To John Bowman and George Henderson, who have joined us, we wish the best of luck and hope they will be happy with us.

In ideal surroundings our work has gone smoothly along; many interests have been followed and many varied activities have taken place. The boys have worked well and played in the same co-operative manner. The Percussion Band has shown good progress, and such has been the interest in Musical Appreciation that many 'pets' are now named "Minim" and "Crotchet."

The term's work culminated in our Speech Night, when forms of singing, music and dramatic work were greatly enjoyed. To those boys who gained awards for work and sport we offer our congratulations.

House of Guilds.

GENERAL CRAFTS.

A high standard has been maintained in leather-work this year. Many new boys have learned rapidly and are now skilful at their craft. The younger boys, with the help and guidance of the Warden, have made good progress, especially at string hammocks, copper ash-trays and pewter ware.

WIRELESS GUILD.

This guild has made great progress in the number of sets produced and also in their quality. Most boys are trying to understand their apparatus, thus raising the standard of the guild's work. In addition, the large number of new members has enabled us to obtain a considerable amount of extra equipment.

RAMBLERS' GUILD.

The Ramblers' Guild this term has had a very good membership of thirty-six, showing a marked increase in juniors.

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There were two hikes, the first during the week-end starting March 4. About fifteen members, accompanied by Mr. Radcliffe, went to Airey's Inlet on Friday night and enjoyed the fresh mountain air of the Otways while hiking round to Anglesea which was reached just after dinner on Saturday. We spent the rest of the afternoon in the sea and on the river. Then we went through the rigours of a wet night, but had a fine morning during which we were able to dry our clothes and ourselves. After the ride home, we all felt greatly refreshed and ready for school again.

We took advantage of the Easter Vacation to conduct the second hike. On Thursday morning, fourteen members, accompanied by Messrs. R. E. Radcliffe, J. H. Campbell and G. L. Smith, went to Stony Creek by truck, after which we went round all the Lome tracks except the Cumberland, which we were unable to traverse owing to heavy rain. Renowned beauty spots such as Phantom Falls, Swallow Caves, Kalimna Falls and the Erskine River were greatly admired. The first day gave the new members a taste of real bush conditions, as we had to wade down the Little Erskine River.

Everybody returned on Tuesday afternoon greatly elated in spite of the boisterous weather.

PHOTOGRAPHIC SECTION.

The membership of this section of the Specialists' Guild has decreased somewhat this term, but this has proved fortunate, as the standard has greatly improved. We must thank Mr. Porter of Kodak Ltd., who has given us a great deal of artistic and technical advice in his fortnightly talks. The old enlarger has been converted into a vertical "counterweight" type, which should be a great improvement.

The guild is to be congratulated on having balanced its budget in spite of the reduced price of chemicals and papers supplied to members.

Music Notes.

AT the beginning of the first term the House of Music received a gift of a beautiful Wertheim piano, which has proved of immense help in the allocation of practice periods.

THE PEGASUS,

The orchestra has begun rehearsals for the concert at the end of the term.

In April the Procter trio gave a most enjoyable recital of instrumental music in the Morrison Hall.

On June 7 a further concert programme was provided by Miss Joan Jones, contralto, and Mr. Mervyn Hore, cornet.

At the Preparatory School Speech Night the choir and Kindergarten percussion band acquitted themselves admirably.

Boys in the Preparatory School who began the making of Pandean pipes last term are eagerly awaiting the time when they will be able to play these fascinating instruments.

MUSIC CLUB.

At the beginning of the year, the committee revised the activities of the Club. It was decided to meet in the House of Music every fortnight under the guidance of Mr. Smith, who commenced the term's studies with a recital of Grieg's works. At the next meeting Mr. Smith unfolded for us the mysteries of the Sonata, while the succeeding meetings were spent in an interesting discussion of the instruments of the orchestra. The gramophone was used to advantage in illustrating these talks, while K. S. McDowall rendered a cornet solo during the study of that instrument. A talk enjoyed by all was that of A. S. Feddersen, who spoke on the structure of the Piano.

The Club meets each month to discuss musical activities throughout the school. These are varied and considerable, as, besides the large pianoforte classes, there are many boys studying the cornet, flute, banjo, violin and mouth-organ.

Even greater interest is expected in the Club this term as a series of promenade concerts will be held. This plan will permit boys to stroll in for an hour's quiet music during their leisure.

GLEE CLUB.

This year the Glee Club is working on the Gilbert and Sullivan opera, "Trial By Jury," which it hopes to present at the annual concert. The production is in the hands of Mr. Smith, and at present

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work is advancing rapidly. At the beginning of the year practice was moved to 7 p.m. on Fridays and the alteration has proved very successful.

We welcome several dayboys to the Club; it is pleasing to know that both boarders and dayboys are co-operating in this work.

Science Club.

THIS club started the year with the following officials: Chairman, B. C. McKenzie; Treasurer, K. S. McDowall; Secretary, R. K. Doig; Committee, I. S. Buchanan and A. S. Feddersen.

Mr. Whorwell gave a very interesting paper concerning Michael Faraday on Saturday, April 9. On April 23 two papers, " Sir Isaac Newton " by R. Doig and " Milk " by B. C. McKenzie, were presented. At the concluding meeting of the first term W. Doig spoke on " The Applications of Chromium in Industry," and A. Feddersen on " Galileo ". During this meeting, Mr. Whorwell was presented with a small reminder of his connection with the club, which wishes him and his wife a pleasant trip.

Cadet Corps.

DURING the May holidays a camp was held at Portsea for cadet officers and N.C.O's. from Public School and Associated Grammar School detachments. Twelve representatives of the College corps attended and went through an interesting syllabus. Training was rendered more interesting by the introduction of such exercises as grenade firing, night manoeuvres and others. All those who attended appreciated the marked improvement in their drill and it is to be hoped that the camp will be instituted as an annual function.

Examination Results.

THE results credited to Collegians at the recent examinations must be considered as highly satisfactory, and congratulations are due to masters and boys who co-operated to this end. Almost every candidate passed at the Intermediate and Leaving standards, and several good Honours were obtained.

Outstanding success was achieved by W. H. Steel and R. K. Doig, Duces of the College for 1936 and 1937 respectively. The former gained 1st Class Honours in no fewer than six subjects—Mathematics I, II, III, IV, Physics, Chemistry—taking first place and the Exhibition in Maths. II and both Sciences. Doig, doing his first year at this standard, won 1st Class Honours in Maths. I and III, Physics, Chemistry, and shared first place and the Exhibition in Maths. 1. It was mentioned in our last issue that these boys had won major scholarships to Ormond College; following the University examinations they were awarded Government Senior Scholarships, being second and third on the list for the whole State.

Steel is doing a Science course at the University, while Doig is spending another year at school; Old Boys will readily recognise in the latter the son of Dr. K. M. Doig who was Dux of the College in 1908. We believe this is the first instance of father and son achieving that distinction.

Other Honours were credited to: A. S. Feddersen (3rd French), T. J. Forsyth (2nd British History, 3rd English and French), R. W. K. Honeycombe (3rd French and Chemistry), T. T. Laidlaw (3rd Latin and British History), K. S. McDowall (3rd French), B. C. McKenzie (2nd French and Chemistry), J. E. Richardson (2nd British History), H. W. Stubbs (2nd European History, 3rd British History), N. G. Sutherland (3rd French), R. D. Watson (3rd English).

School Leaving Certificate and Matriculation: J. K. Aitken, H. G. Badger, H. W. Birrell, D. W. P. Borthwick, R. B. Brown, J. L. Calhoun, R. A. Cook, M. M. Crawcour, R. C. Davidson, D. J. A. Dennis, W. G. Doig, E. L. French, R. J. Gough, N. A. McKinnon, J. G. McMaster, W. A. Morrow, S. M. Paton, A. F. Pillow, J. S. Rolland, J. K. Steel, I. A. H. Turner. School Leaving Certificate only: M. M. Mayne, K. N. Saw.

School Intermediate Certificate: D. S. Adam, R. R. Aitken, P. E. Bartlett, K. M. Binch, C. N. L. Birrell, K. H. Burleigh, J. W. Callander, C. M. Carmichael, N. J. Collis, J. R. Cooper, J. S. Davidson, R. V. Dennis, J. T. O. Dickinson, J. T. Dixon, T. D. Bowling, E. L. French, K. W. Hamilton, A. D. Humphrey, K. L. Menzies, D. J. McKenzie, J. R. Phillips, R. D. Purnell, B. D. A. Shaw, G. K. Silcock, I. H. Silke, I. A. Surplice, B. S. Vanrenen, N. J. Webster, N. H. Williams.

The Voyagers.

THEIR period of exchange being completed, Mr. Whorwell has returned to his native land and Mr. Henderson is back at Geelong College, looking younger and fitter than ever. We know that the schools concerned have profited by the arrangement and trust that our Science Masters have also reaped many advantages. We extend to the one a sad farewell, to the other a hearty welcome, and wish both every success and happiness in the future. Mr. Whorwell's present address is 211 Worsley Bridge Rd., Beckenham, Kent, England. The following letters will be of interest to our readers.

FAREWELL!

Dear Geelong Collegians,

It would be ungrateful and ungracious of me not to take this opportunity of thanking you for the happy time I have spent among you. It does not seem very long since I first landed in a strange country and since I first brooded over some of you in study. But during the short time I have been with you I have gathered many memories which I shall cherish when I get back to England: happy memories of enthusiastic young chemists and physicists—of the contrast of brilliant sunshine and shadow in the cloisters—of cricket played in perfect conditions—of a Boat Race almost surpassing that of Oxford and Cambridge in its preparation and its final excitement—of a football game, undoubtedly the best substitute for Rugger in a country where it never seems to rain—of the first Monday morning in the month—of Tuesday afternoons and the rhythmic tattoo of the drums mingling with the plaintive bugles—of after dinner speeches sparkling with wit—of a School which carried on intentionally forgetful of holidays when crisis threatened—and so I might continue, but there is no end to them.

And of your country it would be out of place for me to say much here; you will know there is much that I love about it: the comparative freedom from the canker of snobbishness, the social conditions of the vast majority, the finely planned cities, and all that is implied in those words "the bush," of which there is no counterpart in England. There is much, too, that it would be all the better without, but if there is, of necessity, a lacking in tradition and dignity inherent in older countries, you have the magnificent task of the future before you, and it may well be that the torch of civilisation will pass from war-conditioned Europe into your keeping.

Finally my one word of advice to you is to travel, to save your money and to use it in seeing something of the rest of the world. I hope you will all one day come to my country, and I hope that, when the time comes for you to return, you will leave with the same happy memories and friendships that both Mrs. Whorwell and I do now, from a country that was once well called Australia Felix.

Yours sincerely,

C. F. WHORWELL.

P.S. I hope the Lion doesn't twist the Kanger's tail too much in the coming struggle!

HOME THOUGHTS.

Dear Collegians,

First of all, I thank you for the reception that you gave Mr. Whorwell. I am glad that you liked him, that you worked for him so successfully, and I know that he enjoyed himself very much, admired your school and your country. You have done well to add him to your ambassadors in Britain, where you already have so many. The name of Geelong College is very well known in some circles. Now that I have returned to it, my conscience is much easier. I had begun to fear that the picture of Geelong College in British eyes was too good to be true, but I find that our claims were modest after all. I am happy to be back, and am very grateful for your demonstrations of welcome. Until you have been away for a long time yourselves, you will not see how beautiful Geelong is, what a splendid view there is from the balcony beside the Physics Lab. and how fragrant is the smell of wood smoke as the fires are lit in the evening.

My chief impression after all my travels is that, however badly we live our lives, it is a lovely world. There is beauty everywhere—and interest, not only in natural things like scenery and trees, men's faces, girls' hair, children's laughter; or in created things—cottages, railway lines, efficient machinery, brave music—but in ordinary human conduct, a willingness to like and be liked. The sum total of everyday acts of human kindness does not stimulate in the same way as a few deeds of heroism, but is much more satisfying, and conduces hope in the ultimate happiness of mankind.

Having appreciated this, I am a little ashamed, because it seems that everywhere I have gone, I have received more than I have given. But one does require this evidence of universal charity to inspire hope, because so far as one can reason the world is about to topple about our ears. You do not realise it here, but the mothers of Europe tremble for their children. Slaughtered Abyssinians, Spaniards, Chinese, are no longer mere statistics to them.

The young generation of English boys and girls I came to know very well. I love them, they are splendid, strong, handsome, athletic, modest, brave. They live in a country incredibly beautiful, because it has been loved by generations of their ancestors. They are willing to make amends for such of their country's past as

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causes them shame, and are well disposed to the children of all other countries. But they think, and they look at the future and see nothing but horror. And no one knows what to do!

So I spent much of my time in England wondering whether it could be saved. The ship by which I returned had Maltese, Poles, Greeks, Jews, Germans, French, Spanish, Egyptians on board. The children also were bright-eyed and happy, but their parents had lost the look of fear. Australia Felix, hard work, droughts, discomforts, disappointments a-plenty, but safety! How they rejoiced when they reached Australia, and how enraptured by their first day on shore. Their joy was my pride.

Another time I will tell you more. These are my thoughts to-night. Tomorrow we start school again, there will be other things to think about.

I must not close without delivering greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Bechervaise, Mr. Lawton, Jock Watson and Iain Pattison. You will be glad to hear that they are all prospering, and all very happy. What they do when I am not with them I know only vaguely; whenever I saw them the conversation never veered from Geelong College.

T. H.

SPORT.

FIXTURES, TERMS II and III, 1938.

Football:—

College v. Xavier—July 1.
 Scotch v. College—July 8,
 Melbourne Grammar v. College—July 15.
 College v. Wesley—July 29.
 College v. Geelong Grammar—August 5.

House Sports —October 7.
 School Sports —October 15.
 Preparatory School Sports—October 19.
 Triangular Sports —October 22.
 Combined Sports —October 29.

GENERAL NOTES.

We extend hearty congratulations to Scotch and Melbourne Grammar School on their victories in the cricket and rowing contests.

It is not universally understood that all Public School fixtures are cyclic. In any given year the cricket engagements are in reverse order to football, and rowing heats are between schools paired for the first round of cricket. The second round of cricket matches in one year becomes the first round in the next year, while the last round of football becomes the first in the following season.

The points system of scoring in cricket matches has been fully justified this year. Interest was maintained to the finish in all games, and only four were decided on the first innings.

Last year the Public Schools' Charities Fund distributed £480 to a large number of charitable bodies, over £100 going to institutions in Geelong.

The turf wickets on the new oval were in use last term, greatly assisting the general cricket organisation and the work of the different coaches.

A tea adjournment from 3.45 to 4 p.m. was introduced in Public School cricket matches this year. The period of rest and refreshment was fully appreciated by all those taking part.

Because of bridge-building operations, the course for the Head of the River was some yards shorter than in former years.

Congratulations to H. W. Birrell who at the age of fifteen won the Under 18 Singles Handicap in the Geelong Easter tennis tournament.

As some restrictions continued after the Christmas holidays, the Public Schools conducted no cricket matches other than those for senior teams, but junior elevens played several games against local sides.

After their close and exhausting battle with Geelong Grammar School, members of the first eleven were surprised and refreshed by the arrival in their camp of a large can of ice-cream. Its origin remains a mystery, but the donor may rest assured that many a cooled brow and grateful heart that day justified his noble endeavour.

Footballs put in an appearance just before Easter, but organised practice did not begin till the second term. I. H. McPherson and J. A. Forbes have been elected captain and vice-captain respectively of the first XVIII, which has played several practice matches.

Swimming.

THE Annual Swimming Sports were held at Parkside on Tuesday, March 1. The weather was fine and warm, and the calmness of the water was conducive to good swimming. As usual, the onerous positions of judges, starters and critics were filled by warmly coated masters, who executed their duties with characteristic benevolence and equanimity. House competitors wore smart little caps of appropriate colour. Many Preparatory School entrants were keen to show their manly physique by rolling their gowns to the waist, until one of their number was handicapped beyond his ability when his gown moved to an embarrassing position between his knees and ankles. It is to be regretted that no entrants were forthcoming for the Old Boys' Race, which has been an important part of the sports for many years.

Results:—

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

50 YARDS—K. Douglas, 1; H. Badger, 2; J. Rolland, 3.
 100 YARDS—K. Douglas, 1; H. Badger, 2; F. Robinson, 3.
 220 YARDS—K. Douglas, 1; H. Badger, 2; D. Borthwick, 3.
 DIVE—R. McKenzie, 1; K. McDowall, 2; K. Douglas, 3.
 50 YARDS BREAST-STROKE—D. Borthwick, 1; H. Badger, 2; K. McDowall, 3.
 75 YARDS—K. Douglas, 1; H. Badger, 2; D. Borthwick, 3.
Aggregate—Douglas, 35 points, 1; Badger, 25 points, 2; Borthwick, 19 points, 3.

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP.

50 YARDS—P. Cosh, 1; I. Hope, 2; J. C. Stewart, 3.
 100 YARDS—P. Cosh, 1; J. C. Stewart, 2; I. Hope, 3.
 150 YARDS—P. Cosh, 1; J. C. Stewart, 2; I. Hope, 3.
 DIVE—R. Lyall, 1; M. Souter, 2; P. Cosh, 3.
 50 YARDS BREAST-STROKE—P. Cosh, 1; R. George, 2; R. Davidson, 3.
Aggregate—Cosh, 35 points, 1; Stewart, 15 points, 2; Hope, 11 points, 3.

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP.

25 YARDS—K. Forsyth, 1; D. Hope-Johnstone, 2; B. Johnson, 3.
 50 YARDS—K. Forsyth, 1; D. Hope-Johnstone, 2; B. Johnson, 3.
 DIVE—P. Charles, 1; K. Forsyth, 2; K. Nail, 3.
Aggregate—Forsyth, 21 points, 1; Hope-Johnstone, 10 points, 2; Charles, 8 points, 3.

THE PEGASUS,

INTER-HOUSE RELAY RACES.

OPEN—Calvert, 1; Morrison, 2; Shannon, 3.
 UNDER 16—Shannon, 1; Morrison, 2; Calvert, 3.
 UNDER 14—Calvert, 1; Morrison, 2; Warrinn, 3.

House Aggregate.

Shannon House, 121 points.	1
Morrison House, 111 points.	2
Calvert House, 93 points.	3
Warrinn House, 48 points.	4

HANDICAP EVENTS.

OPEN 50 YARDS—K. L. Menzies, 1; A. G. Duffield, 2; R. K. Doig, 3.
 OPEN 75 YARDS—K. L. Menzies, 1; R. K. Doig, 2; I. S. Buchanan, 3.
Aggregate—Menzies, 6 points, 1; Doig, 3 points, 2.
 UNDER 16, 50 YARDS—K. Ashworth, 1; H. Davey, 2; J. C. Stewart, 3.
 UNDER 16, 75 YARDS—P. Cosh, 1; K. Ashworth, 2; J. C. Stewart, 3.
Aggregate—Ashworth, 5 points, 1; Cosh, 3 points, 2.
 UNDER 15, 50 YARDS—B. Hyett, 1; A. Davies, 2; K. Gough, 3.
 UNDER 15, 75 YARDS—K. Gough, 1; H. Davey, 2; B. Hyett, 3.
Aggregate—Hyett and Gough, 4 points, aeq. 1.
 UNDER 14, 25 YARDS—P. Charles, 1; C. Ostberg, 2; P. Grutzner, 3.
 UNDER 14, 50 YARDS—K. Forsyth, 1; P. Charles, 2; B. Johnson, 3.
Aggregate—Charles, 5 points, 1; Forsyth, 3 points, 2.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LONG DIVE, SENIOR—J. W. Barrett, 1; K. S. McDowall, 2; F. Just, 3.
 LONG DIVE, JUNIOR—N. Milne, 1; G. Cook, 2; I. W. Morrison, 3.
 BEGINNERS' RACE—J. Tait, 1; P. C. Eaton, 2; J. R. Bryer, 3.
 DOG PADDLE—A. Long, 1; D. Campbell, 2; K. Nail, 3.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL EVENTS.

CHAMPIONSHIP, 50 YARDS—N. Milne, 1; G. Cook, 2; D. Salmon, 3.
 25 YARDS—N. Milne, 1; John Salmon, 2; G. Cook, 3.
 DIVE—B. Roydhouse, 1; John Salmon, 2; G. Tippett, 3.
Aggregate—Milne, 18 points, 1; Salmon, 13 points, 2; Roydhouse, 10 points, 3.
 25 YARDS HANDICAP—T. MacBride, 1; J. Cameron, 2; J. Havre, 3.
 HOUSE RELAY RACE—Pegasus, 1; Bellerophon, 2.

LIFE-SAVING SUCCESSES.

Four boys who attended classes for the awards of the Royal Life-Saving Society were successful in their tests and will now be available to train others. H. G. Badger, I. A. McDonald and R. C. Davidson gained the Elementary and Intermediate Certificates and the Bronze Medallions without difficulty, while K. J. Forsyth won the first two awards, but was prevented from earning the Bronze Medallion only through being under the required age.

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In the summer all Junior House boys and many other boarders and day boys enjoyed frequent visits to the Barwon, where Mr. Hillhouse conducted classes, with the result that every junior boarder is now a swimmer. Because of the epidemic restrictions visits to sea-water baths were not encouraged, so that the tests for the Junior and Senior swimming certificates have been postponed until third term.

We have to thank officials of the Royal Life-Saving Society in Geelong, notably Mr. A. S. Buchanan and Mr. K. Munro, for their interest in the school and their help in connection with the tests.

Cricket.

THIS year our first eleven was one of the youngest and least experienced ever to enter the competition, but although we failed to win a match we have reason to be satisfied with some of our performances. In most cases the youngsters fully justified their early selection, and if they fulfil the promise shown we should in the near future be able to field quite a strong eleven.

Unfortunately the epidemic robbed the boys of practice games with outside teams, so that they met strange batsmen and bowlers for the first time in the first competition game. The experience gained in practice matches helps more than net practice in giving the necessary confidence.

J. R. Cooper and D. J. A. Dennis were elected captain and vice-captain respectively, and as the results will indicate Cooper was the mainstay of our batting and always set his team a fine example in the field. The members of the Committee, J. R. Cooper, D. J. A. Dennis, C. M. Carmichael and J. W. Callander, worked untiringly in the care and preparation of the material and deserve the whole-hearted appreciation of all boys who play cricket.

As previously mentioned Cooper was our outstanding batsman. His best score and only century was 118 not out against Geelong Grammar School, but he was unfortunate to be run out for 74 against

Scotch and for 99 against Xavier. Another outstanding innings was his 64 against Wesley made on a dampened wicket. As he is not sixteen years of age until July, he still has time to add further to his laurels.

Comparative youngsters in Howells and Beach also did very well, although both were still eligible for our under 15 team. Beach, always a keen and plucky batsman, improved in every match, whilst Howells gives promise of developing into an all-rounder of more than average ability. Callander deserves special mention for his improvement in batting and for his wicket-keeping. Although without previous experience his dismissal of six players in the Wesley game and not allowing a single bye in a score of 325 at Scotch were performances of which he may be justly proud. Knox shows more than ordinary promise for a first year boy, whilst Dykes and Carmichael batted well at times and were untiring in their efforts in the field. Watkins, who was selected to play before his thirteenth birthday, took part in the last two games and quite justified his inclusion.

Although at times we were forced to negative rather than aggressive measures, except for occasional lapses the fielding standard was well maintained.

GEELONG COLLEGE v. GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played at Corio on March 4 and 5.

College won the toss and batted on a perfect wicket. The only noteworthy feature was Cooper's 118 not out, the result of steady batting. Grammar started well, but later batsmen failed, Howells being the outstanding bowler.

Our second innings, started just before tea, opened poorly, the stumps score being 3 for 13. Cooper went in on Saturday and, with Carmichael, improved the position; later in the innings, Callander and Knox batted solidly in a partnership of 59 and the total reached 172.

Grammar went in with 242 to make in under four hours. Stephens and Russell soon secured enough runs to give Grammar a fighting chance. Later Orchard held the side together, runs coming steadily in spite of College's endeavours to keep down the score. In

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an exciting finish, Grammar won by two wickets with three minutes to spare. The College fielding was very satisfactory; Callander, for his first appearance as wicket keeper, did remarkably well, dismissing six batsmen and allowing only five byes in the match.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

1st Innings.

Howells, b Smith	1
Dykes, c Orchard, b Rutter	33
Cooper, not out	118
Carmichael, l.b.w., b Shaw	11
Dennis, b Shaw	0
Beach, b Shaw	9
Callander, st Stephens, b Rutter	5
Cook, st Stephens, b Shaw	?
Adam, c Pugh, b Smith	2
Knox, c Sanderson, b Smith	5
Paton, run out	0
Sundries	3
Total	194.

Bowling: Smith 3/23, Rutter 2/51,
Shaw 4/30, Russell 0/12, Brookes 0/15,
Orchard 0/52, Lester 0/10.

2nd Innings.

Dykes, c Pugh, b Russell	3
Dennis, c Sanderson, b Smith	5
Cook, b Smith	1
Howells, c Stephens, b Brookes	4
Carmichael, b Russell	16
Cooper, c Sanderson, b Russell	41
Beach, run out	3
Callander, c Lester, b Russell	34
Adam, l.b.w., b Smith	11
Knox, not out	43
Paton, c Brookes, b Orchard	5
Sundries	8
Total	172

Bowling: Smith 3/50, Russell 4/24,
Brookes 1/18, Rutter 0/16, Orchard
1/29, Lester 0/16, Shaw 0/12.

GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

1st Innings.

Stephens, c Dennis, b Beach	27
Rutter, l.b.w., b Howells	18
Russell, l.b.w., b Beach	5
Shaw, l.b.w., b Howells	11
Orchard, l.b.w., b Howells	27
Sanderson, c Cook, b Paton	5
Brookes, l.b.w., b Paton	3
Pugh, c Paton, b Howells	3
Bridge, c Callander, b Knox	8
Lester, b Knox	13
Smith, not out	1
Sundries	4
Total	125

Bowling: Knox 2/19, Paton 2/34,
Howells 4/29, Beach 2/30, Cooper 0/10

2nd Innings.

Stephens, c Callander, b Knox	78
Rutter, run out	6
Russell, b Knox	47
Shaw, c Callander, b Cooper	13
Orchard, not out	64
Sanderson, run out	12
Brookes, l.b.w., b Dennis	13
Lester, b Dennis	0
Bridge, c Callander, b Howells	3
Pugh, not out	5
Sundries	4
Total for eight wickets	245

Bowling: Knox 2/61, Cooper 1/59,
Paton 0/17, Howells 1/59, Beach 0/23,
Dennis 2/22.

WESLEY COLLEGE v. GEELONG COLLEGE.

Played at Wesley on March 11 and 12.

Cooper again won the toss and elected to bat, but College batsmen did not offer much resistance. The best innings was that of Carmichael, who was unfortunately run out when 32. Beach, in an effort to check the slump, batted stubbornly for 12.

Wesley opened their innings confidently and scored freely, C. Williams and J. Leembruggen adding 145 runs for the third wicket. However, the remaining wickets contributed only 79 runs. The most successful bowlers were Howells and Knox. Callander again showed striking form behind the stumps. He caught six batsmen, and his dismissal of Leembruggen off a back cut was a master piece of fielding.

After an interruption owing to rain, the College went to the wickets with 180 runs to make to avoid an innings defeat. However, they failed by 44 runs to reach that figure. Cooper and Callander were the only batsmen to offer any resistance to the Wesley attack, Chambers being the most successful bowler. He took 9 wickets for the match and always worried the College batsmen.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

1st Innings.	
Howells, c M. Williams, b Parnaby	16
Dykes, c Loxton, b Parnaby .. .	2
Cooper, c M. Williams, b Ellis	12
Knox, run out.....	0
Callander, b Chambers.....	17
Carmichael, run out	32
Dennis, c Parnaby, b Chambers	3
Cook, b Loxton	4
Beach, b Chambers	12
Cartwright, b Chambers	0
Paton, not out	3
Sundries	g
Total	110

Bowling: Loxton 1/7, Ellis 1/26, Parnaby 2/22, Chambers 4/35, C. Williams 0/15.

2nd Innings.	
Howells, b Parnaby.....	1
Dykes, c M. Williams, b Parnaby o	0
Carmichael, run out.....	1
Knox, st M. Williams, b Chambers.	2
Cooper, st M. Williams, b Chambers.	60
Beach, c Ellis, b Chambers ..	0
Dennis, st M. Williams, b Chambers.	4
Callander, lbw b C. Williams ..	38
Cook, c Parnaby, b Chambers ..	15
Cartwright, c Chambers, b C. Williams.	1
Paton, not out	7
Sundries	3
Total	137

Bowling: Loxton 0/17, Parnaby 2/30, Ellis 0/14, Chambers 5/50, Taylor 0/7, C. Williams 2/12.

WESLEY COLLEGE.

1st Innings.		Anderson, c Callander, b Dykes	13
M. Williams, c Callander, b		Taylor, not out	0
Howells	27	Sundries	5
C. Williams, lbw b Howells	87		
Johnson, b Howells	20	Total	291
Leembruggen, c Callander, b			
Howells	123	Bowling: Knox 3/38, Cartwright	
Parnaby, lbw b Howells	0	0/39, Cooper 0/17, Howells 5/90,	
Chatfield, lbw b Knox	3	Beach 0/36, Paton 0/23, Dennis 0/11,	
Ellis, c Callander, b Knox	10	Dykes 2/32.	
Chambers, c Callander, b Knox	0	Wesley College won by an innings	
Loxton, c Callander, b Dykes	3	and 44 runs.	

GEELONG COLLEGE v. MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played at the College on March 18 and 19.

Cooper won the toss and decided to bat on an easy wicket. Dykes played solidly for two hours, but was backed up by no-one except Beach and Knox. College were all out for 104 runs.

Although Grammar also began badly, four wickets falling for about 50 runs, Galbraith, Hartley, and later Sears, mastered the bowling, so that the innings was closed at 5 for 364 shortly before lunch on Saturday.

The College could now only stave off an outright defeat, but still they showed by far their best batting for some time. Nearly every batsman played confidently, perhaps the most outstanding being Howells, who was unlucky to be run out just before his half-century. His fine innings held the side together and allowed us to play out time with three wickets in hand, thus winning our first premiership point.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Howells, c Black, b Galbraith	6	Dykes, lbw b Galbraith	7
Dykes, c Galbraith, b Dick	19	Cook, b Sears	7
Cooper, c Hartley, b Galbraith	3	Cooper, b Reid	30
Carmichael, b Sears	3	Howells, run out	49
Callander, lbw b Sears	0	Carmichael, lbw b Dick	11
Knox, b Galbraith	18	Callander, lbw b Hensley	34
Beach, b Galbraith	35	Beach, b Cordner	20
Adam, lbw b Sears	0	Knox, not out	21
Dennis, c Hartley, b Galbraith	0	Dennis, not out	8
Cook, not out	0	Sundries	17
Paton, b Sears	11		
Sundries	9	Total for seven wickets	204
Total	104	Bowling: Reid 1/48, Sears 1/22,	
Bowling: Reid 0/22, Sears 4/14,		Galbraith 1/42, Hensley 1/21, Dick	
Galbraith 5/31, Dick 1/15, Black 0/17,		1/39, Black 0/2, Rosenhain 0/6,	
		Hartley 0/10, Cordner 1/3.	

MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

1st Innings.	
Trinca, c Callander, b Knox ..	15
Black, b Howells	3
Cordner, b Knox	0
Galbraith, c Carmichael, b Dykes	172
Dick, b Knox	2
Hartley, not out	103
Sears, not out	62
Sundries	7

Bowling: Knox 3/43, Howells 1/106,
 Dykes 1/34, Paton 0/23, Cook 0/13,
 Beach 0/33, Cooper 0/28, Dennis 0/12,
 Carmichael 0/21, Adam 0/44.

Melbourne Grammar School won by
 an innings and 56 runs

Total for five wickets 364
 (Innings declared closed.)

GEELONG COLLEGE v. SCOTCH COLLEGE.

Played at the College on March 25 and 26.

The weather for this match was excellent and Cooper once again took first use of an easy wicket. Howells and Callander, however, were the only batsmen to make a good showing, and the side was out before lunch.

At the start of the Scotch innings the College bowlers did fairly well, but McDougall prevented any semblance of a collapse. Later Ashton and Mitchell scored freely, with the result that Scotch were able to close their innings without batting on Saturday. Callander did not allow any byes in the total of 325, while Dykes was conspicuous for his work in the outfield.

College's second innings was slightly better than the first, owing to Cooper's stylish innings, which ended when he was run out through no fault of his own; too many wickets have been wasted in this way during the season. The remainder of the team were again unable to cope with the slow bowling of Morris and Collie and were once more dismissed before lunch.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

1st Innings.	
Dykes, lbw b Taylor.....	1
Carmichael, hit wicket, b Morris	1
Cooper st McColl, b Morris	4
Howells, run out	28
Callander, c Laurie, b Morris ..	24
Beach, run out.....	8
Knox, st McColl, b Morris	4
Watkins, lbw b Collie.....	0

Dennis, lbw b Collie.....	0
Cook, c and b Morris.....	0
Cartwright, not out.....	0
Sundries	5

Total 75

Bowling: Taylor 1/6, Ashton 0/2,
 Morris 5/44, Mann 0/12, Collie 2/6,

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2nd Innings.

Dykes st McColl, b Morris	9	Dennis, st McColl, b Morris	5
Carmichael, b Taylor	4	Cook, b Morris	3
Cooper, run out	74	Cartwright, not out	2
Howells, b Collie	4	Sundries	7
Callander, lbw b Collie	7		
Beach, c Jackson, b Collie ..	11	Total	139
Knox, st McColl, b Morris	2	Bowling: Taylor 1/14, Ashton 0/5,	
Watkins, c Laurie, b Mann ..	11	Morris 4/69, Collie 3/38, Mann 1/8.	

SCOTCH COLLEGE.

1st Innings.

Jackson, b Knox.....	15	Bowling: Knox 2/59, Cartwright
McDougall, lbw b Howells	76	1/85, Dennis 0/33, Howells 3/93,
Morris, b Cartwright.....	0	Beach 1/49, Dykes 0/6.
Collie, lbw b Howells.....	10	Scotch College won by an innings
Laurie, c Knox, b Howells	23	and in runs.
Ashton, not out.....	127	
Tapp, b Knox.....	13	
Mitchell, b Beach.....	47	
Mann, not out.....	13	
Sundries	1	

Total for seven wickets .. 325
 (Innings declared closed.)

XAVIER COLLEGE v. GEELONG COLLEGE.

Played at Xavier on April 1 and 2.

The weather for the last match was fine, and Cooper for the fifth successive time won the toss and batted. The College batsmen however did not do well, though Callander, with some support from Howells and Troup, enabled a fair score to be reached. F. Starr was the destroying agent.

Xavier batted confidently and at one stage J. Hurley and Burchell added nearly ninety runs in an hour. Keeshan's century was the result of nice stroke making, while Rice also batted well. Howells was the best of the College attack.

Needing a score of 209 (higher than any yet made) in order to avoid an innings defeat, College just passed that figure, almost wholly because of the fine batting of Cooper, Beach and Carmichael. Xavier, requiring only three runs, obtained them without the loss of a wicket.

THE PEGASUS,

GEELONG COLLEGE.

1st Innings.

Dykes, c Starr, b Bourke	0
Carmichael, b Burchell	6
Cooper, c Burchell, b F. Starr	1
Howells, c Parker, b Burchell . .	20
Callander, c M. Starr, b F. Starr	41
Beach, b F. Starr	14
Troup, c Starr, b Burchell	22
Knox, c Hurley, b Breen	9
Watkins, c Parker, b Burchell . .	2
Paton, b F. Starr	12
Cartwright, not out	2
Sundries	13

Total 142
 Bowling: Bourke 1/28, F. Starr 5/16,
 Burchell 3/32, Breen 1/39, M. Starr
 0/16.

2nd Innings.

Dykes, c and b Breen	10
Carmichael, b Burchell	25
Cooper, run out	99
Howells, c F. Starr, b Burchell	1
Callander, c Burchell, b Breen . .	3
Beach, c Parker, b F. Starr	34
Troup, lbw b M. Starr	1
Watkins, c Williams, b F. Starr	14
Knox, b Bourke	1
Paton, not out	6
Cartwright, b Burchell	0
Sundries	17

Total 211
 Bowling: Bourke 1/46, F. Starr 2/36,
 Burchell 3/42, Breen 2/34, Keeshan
 0/13, Rice 0/12, M. Starr 1/15.

XAVIER COLLEGE.

1st Innings.

Rice, c Troup, b Beach	71
M. Starr, c Paton, b Howells . .	19
Keeshan, b Howells	101
F. Hurley, st Callander, b Beach	0
F. Starr, c Cooper, b Cartwright	26
Bourke, c Dykes, b Howells . .	8
J. Hurley, run out	48
Burchell, c Callander, b Howells	55
Breen, c Beach, b Cooper	8
Parker, lbw b Cooper	0
Williams, not out	1
Sundries	14

Total 351
 Bowling: Knox 0/66, Cartwright
 1/62, Cooper 2/37, Howells 4/61,
 Paton 0/61, Beach 2/50.

2nd Innings.

Rice, not out	1
M. Starr, not out	1
Sundry	1

Total for no wickets 3
 Bowling: Watkins 0/1, Carmichael
 0/1.
 Xavier won by ten wickets and one
 run.

SECOND XI.

The Seconds were coached by Mr. J. H. Campbell and captained by R. L. Hill.

G.C.—6 for 122, v. St. Joseph's 1st XI—8 for 119.

G.C.—173, d. the Rankin XI—115.

G.C.—111, lost to Newtown and Chilwell Matting XI—113.

OTHER MATCHES.

1st XI—5 for 198, v. the Masters—9 for 142,

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The Under 15 team was coached by Mr. J. I. Home and captained by I. Hope. They played only one match, in which they tied with St. Joseph's, both teams scoring 176.

Mr. R. I. Home coached the Under 14 team and C. Birrell was the captain.

G.C.—4 for 83, d. St. Joseph's—76.

G.C.—47 and 3 for 34, lost to High School—78.

The Under 13 XI—9 for 59, v. High School—78.

HOUSE CRICKET.

Two rounds of House Matches were played this term. At present, Shannon have a lead on the premiership table.

Results:—

Shannon—5 for 215, d. Morrison—96 and 5—120.

Shannon—148, d. Warrinn—113 and 2—64.

Morrison—6 for 288, d. Calvert—112.

Calvert—7 for 201, d. Warrinn—93 and 2—35.

Rowing.

TRAINING was resumed at the beginning of the year, and as five of the crew were back, competition was very keen for the remaining seats in the eight. After several weeks, Mr. Saleh, who is to be thanked for again coaching the crew, made his selection and hard work began. Fortunately Mr. J. P. McCabe Doyle returned to coach the second eight, while Mr. A. N. Shannon had charge of the third eight. We thank these gentlemen, together with Messrs. L. J. Campbell and R. Lamble for their interest in the Rowing Club. We are greatly indebted to Mr. W. A. Borthwick, who, besides placing his car at the disposal of Mr. Saleh, supplied the crew with transport from the river and milk and biscuits during training.

PRESENTATION OF RACING EIGHT.

The new racing eight was christened on April 21 in front of the College boat sheds, Mr. S. B. Hamilton-Calvert being in charge of the gathering. The Mayor, Alderman C. N. Brown, an Old Collegian, presented the boat and indicated in a short speech that the gift was

due to the enthusiasm and energy of Messrs. Basil Collins, Stanley Barnfather and Arthur Owen. He also paid a tribute to the valuable assistance of Mr. Saleh, the coach. Mr. Hamilton-Calvert accepted the gift on behalf of the school and the Senior Prefect supported his remarks. After Mrs. Basil Collins had named the boat "Pegasus," the Principal thanked all those responsible for the gift and expressed his appreciation of Mrs. Collins's action in consenting to christen the boat. All speakers wished the crew success in the forthcoming Head of the River races.

The beautiful new racer was the centre of interest of the large crowd present. Several novel features have been incorporated in the craft. The coxswain sits in a position flush with the floor, instead of on a raised seat. Leather clogs, which are adjustable to any size foot, have been let into the stretchers with the idea of giving a firm purchase. To minimise the effect of the wash, a cut-away rudder has been fitted. The seats, which are on inclined slides, are specially constructed to prevent slipping. Swivel rowlocks have also been adopted.

When the committee announced that a boat was on order, many Old Collegians expressed a desire to take part in the presentation. It was not possible to circularise all Old Boys, but any still wishing to subscribe may do so by letter to Mr. T. S. Barnfather at the Secretary's office, 4 James Street, Geelong. If sufficient support is given, the committee will make further efforts to improve the College fleet.

SECOND AND THIRD EIGHTS.

The annual races against Geelong Grammar School were held over the half-mile course on the Barwon on Friday, May 6.

The Seconds were a light crew, but rowed so well together that they led to the mills. Only then Grammar crept ahead to win a splendid race by one third of a length.

The thirds surprised everyone with their pace and only the better boat control of Grammar enabled them to win by half a length after another exciting race.

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The College crews were as follows:—

Second Eight:—R. J. L. Dennis (bow), J. S. Rolland (2), D. W. Borthwick (3), A. F. Blackwood (4), A. L. Matheson (5), I. H. Silke (6), B. S. Vanrenen (7), B. C. McKenzie (stroke), J. G. McMaster (cox), J. P. McCabe Doyle, Esq. (coach).

Third Eight:—A. G. Barrett (bow), J. K. Aitken (2), J. M. Ferguson (3), J. S. Davidson (4), R. Meakin (5), W. C. Koch (6), T. Hawkes (7), A. G. Duffield (stroke), R. Lyall (cox), A. N. Shannon, Esq. (coach).

Public Schools' Boatrace.

HEAD of the River! Witch-words, spreading their disturbing influence, like love or the measles, over thousands of otherwise normal specimens of *homo sapiens*! Six sorcerers, *alias* coaches, begin their incantations a year or so before the event, and immediately fifty decent-looking Australian lads give themselves, body, mind, and soul, to this dark necromancy. A period of incubation being completed, a fresh batch of devotees is claimed among schoolboys, the most distressing symptom being an urge to congregate three times a day after meals and snarl, like Popeye the Sailor Man, what they fondly call "the School Song." Caught in the next wave, parents and friends daily send their streamlined sedans slithering through riparian mud-holes, and gaze fitfully at eight monotonies of motion whose heads linger between patellae or scapulae (in the best pre-Cambrian or post-Fairbairn tradition), and who steadfastly refuse to change the unimaginative tempo of grandfather's clock to that of Irving Berlin or Texas Dan.

And then, ah then! Some ill-starred, cross-eyed schoolgirl has slept thrice on a Lion's ear, boiled at midnight with Pegasus feathers and stroke's socks, and now those arch-spellbinders, the journalists, gather round their cauldrons of type-metal. If a dog bites a man, that is not news; but when that unclean canine assails the Grammar stroke, Czechs and Sudeten Germans are relegated almost to the Classified Ads. And each day they draw from the hat another crew which must win, for anything can be explained away or forgotten after the race.

THE PEGASUS,

About the middle of May, victims of this black magic rush yelling about the river bank. Some know why, but they bemoan the rain and the elbows and their tender corns. Pretty girls don Hollywood hats from the property chest of "The Good Earth" or "The Seven Dwarfs" and fly yards of ribbon to match their new frocks. The umpire has a fairly good view of the twenty-one minutes' actual



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Seated in the new racer, "Pegasus," presented by Old Collegians.

racing, and he waves the colours of the leading crew, *pour encourager les autres*, maybe. . A few others see occasional flashes of singlet or just "hear the paddles chunkin'." Afterwards most people celebrate the old school's defeat.

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The really great thing about the Head of the River is that some of the fifty-four boys involved show no ill effects from the protracted fever. This speaks well for the Public School Spirit, the only antidote yet produced.

RESULTS, 1938.

In the heats rowed on Thursday, May 12, Melbourne Grammar School defeated Wesley by a length in 5 min. 11 sec. Then Geelong Grammar, known to be a powerful crew, gained the decision over College by a length and a third, time 5 min. 12 3-5th sec. Scotch and Xavier provided a most exciting race, the former winning by a canvas in 5 min. 14 sec.

The final next day went to Melbourne Grammar School, a strong, heavy crew who proved their superiority despite a gallant struggle by the Corio boys, who finished three-quarters of a length behind. As so often happens, the crew which had the hardest fight to win its heat, in this case Scotch College, could not give its best on the second day. The time was 5 min. 16 sec.

The College crew was:—T. M. Collins (bow), 10.10; K. S. McDowall (2), 11.0; T. J. Forsyth (3), 11.2; J. W. Barrett (4), 11.6; T. T. Laidlaw (5), 11.10; J. A. Forbes (6), 12.12; I. H. McPherson (7), 11.12; K. S. Douglas (stroke), 10.12; I. S. Buchanan (cox), 8.6. Credit is due to these boys for their sustained keenness and patience through the long period of intensive preparation.

ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

De Profundis.

The world sweeps onward out of boundless space,
 Through aeons wheeling to eternity;
 And puny man, whose only wealth is Life,
 A moment's swift awakening to spend
 In contemplation of the Infinite,
 Destroys his fellow man and is destroyed.
 The shouts of fury, the infernal howl
 Of his death-dealing monsters, and the curse
 That shrieks from dead men's hearts cannot vibrate
 The impenetrable, silent universe.

Yet shall there rise to Him Who sits beyond,
 Who looks in pity on His creatures' woe, •
 The pleadings of a broken, contrite heart,
 The all-pervading whisper of a Prayer,

BOBS.

THE PEGASUS,

The Empty School.

Slowly walked the stranger as he
 moved around his school,
 And looked for all the old, familiar haunts,
 Loitered in the passages beneath verandahs cool—
 The silence seemed to mock and hurl him taunts.

The paths were all confusing, the landmarks
 all had changed,
 At every turn fresh wonders met his eye;
 Where once were empty spaces, now tall,
 brick buildings ranged
 Their massive clear-cut outline 'gainst the sky.

He felt his heart grow heavy, he looked for
 something old;
 At last he found the classroom that he knew;
 His eye ran down the places, where long ago
 he'd lolled.
 He wondered were they glad to see him too.

On the desks initials were graven deep and clear.
 With zeal he searched, discovered in a while
 His own, and then another's, which memory
 held dear.
 He left the empty buildings with a smile.

R. A. C.

The Grim North-West.

One chill November morning,
 When a mist hung o'er the land,
 There came three clear revolver-shots
 Which seemed quite near at hand.

A man had robbed a banker
 And shot him in the back,
 So Troopers King and Dixon
 Set off on the killer's track.

The outlaw shot poor Dixon
 Soon after they'd set forth;
 But King of the Royal Mounted
 Pushed onward, ever North!

At last he met the outlaw
 And a battle royal began;
 Btit, after a fierce revolver-duel,
 The Mountie "got his man,"

A. W. POTTER,

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The True Story of Casabianca.

The boy stood on the burning deck,
 Whence all but he had hopped it,
 And turned upon the blazing wreck
 A face that nearly stopped it.
 Defiant and upright he stood,
 His dim eyes homeward turning;
 His sense of smell was not so good—
 He could not sniff the burning.
 He thought the light that he could spy
 Aft the forward hatches,
 A light that lit up half the sky,
 Was someone striking matches.
 He thought the sound that smote his head
 With loud, increasing clamour,
 Was someone eating ship-made bread
 With marlin-spike and hammer.
 But, when the boats were out of sight,
 He, suddenly perceiving
 That now his trousers were alight,
 Exclaimed, "I must be leaving!"
 Now I'll reveal the simple truth,
 Dispelling school-taught notion:
 This fearless, slave-to-duty youth
 Dived headlong in the ocean.
 He dodged those sweet and early graves
 Of which this yarn has boasted,
 For Britons never shall be slaves
 And never shall be roasted.

A. W. POTTER

Havoc Wrought!

(Amongst the Masters.)

"**Whorwell** break out!" a **Profitt** declared,
 "We must train **Lester** nation attack us!
 Our youth must in the militia be reared,
 For we may find the Empire won't back us!"

And **Em** told that once, when the **Home** sounded lou
 In one **Campbell** broke loose, and the news
 That a crisis had turned into war overnight
 Made the bravest men shake in their shoes.

But the **Colone-Lamble**-d into the mess,
 And, after the shuffling had ceased,
 Said, "This talk of war is **Roddick-ulous**, men,
 It' **Smith**; now your minds should be eased!"

A. N. D. HOWE

Patchwork.

Once there was a little boy whose name was Robert Reece,
 And every Friday afternoon he had to speak a piece.
 So many poems thus he learnt, that soon he had a store
 Of recitations in his head, and kept on learning more.
 Now this is just what happened: he was called upon one week,
 And totally forgot the piece he was about to speak.
 His brain he cudgelled—not a word remained within his head,
 And so he spoke at random, and this is what he said:

" My beautiful, my beautiful, that standest meekly by,
 It was the schooner 'Hesperus,' the breaking waves dashed high!
 Why is the Forum crowded? What means this stir in Rome?
 Under a spreading chestnut tree there is no place like home.
 When Freedom from her mountain height cries, " Twinkle, little
 star,"
 Shoot, if you must, this old grey head, King Henry of Navarre!
 Roll on, thou deep and dark blue castled crag of Drachenfels!
 My name is Norvel. On yon Grampian Hills, ring out, wild bells!
 If you're waking, call me early, to be or not to be;
 The curfew must not ring to-night! O woodman, spare that tree!
 Charge, Chester, charge! On, Stanley, on! And let who will be clever!
 The boy stood on the burning deck, but I go on for ever."

A. W. POTTER.

Public Schools' Camp on Phillip Island.

THE township of Cowes was rudely awakened on January 4, when the good ship " Killara " landed yet another cargo of boys for the annual camp. The aim of the camp, besides providing twelve days of rousing fun, is to enable Public School boys who are going up to the University to meet some of the men already there. Boys from different schools are allotted to each tent, which is supervised by a University man as " officier."

The informal camp life under the presidency of Mr. E. C. H. Taylor proved most agreeable, although the first week's deluge drove many into the Mess Hut in search of a dry bed. The days were mostly spent in surfing, hiking and playing tennis or cricket, while each evening a sing-song and camp " Rag " served to keep spirits high.

An interesting feature was the Beach Gymkhana, the proceeds from which went to assist the local hospital. The crowd was thrilled by a " Head of the Bay " contest, and intrigued when two coloured races engaged in a skirmish on the beach, eventually sinking a " neutral gunboat " appropriately named.

The climax, on the last night, was a concert which attracted 99 per cent, of the Islanders. Every member of the camp joined in the production of ballets, burlesques and "black-outs", while representative groups sang their respective school songs. It was unfortunate that the small College numbers prevented the singing of our songs; if greater interest could be aroused in this fine camp it should be possible next year to give a good account of ourselves.

K. S. McD.

(At the Editor's request the writer of the above article has explained that the camp is held at Cowes for about twelve days early in January each year. There is room for about eighty boys, who are accommodated in tents, but the large mess hut is the centre of camp life. The cost is generally about £3 per member. An opportunity to meet University men and have a good time.)

Serenade.

Beneath thy window, Sweet, am I,
 My phonograph is playing;
 Air-liners fill the floodlit sky,
 The radio masts are swaying.
 Arise, my Love, and come to me,
 Adown the escalator;
 My V-8 coupe waits for thee,
 Warm is its radiator.

O let us fly to some far flat,
 A breakfast-nook and bedroom.
 Alas! no place for child or cat,
 And very little headroom!

But when the glorious gas-fire glows,
 There we can do our smooching,
 And thou mayst powder oft thy nose
 Or do a little rouging.

Then I shall praise thy marcelled hair,
 Like some Bing Crosby crooning,
 And e'en Clark Gable won't compare
 With me for expert spooning.

Above the drain-board I'll install
 A quite effective shower;
 Tin op'ners hanging on the wall
 Will wait the dinner hour.

Some day we'll have a kitchenette
 With an electric oyen;
 What if thy cooking's poor, my pet?
 We still can live on lovin'.

THE CYNIC.

Tasmanian Apples.

TASMANIA is the home of apples. All up and down the banks of the big rivers there are orchards. They start life on little bushes and finish up in the mouths of happy people or horses all over the world.

Tasmanian apples are world-famous. In the growing they have to be carefully looked after, and sprayed as a precaution against grubs. Some of the orchardists' enemies are Codlin, Woolly Aphis, Black Aphis, Black Scale and Red Scale. All these need spraying at different times of the year. The Codlin moths lay their eggs in the bud of the flower. When the eggs hatch, the grubs eat the inside out of the apple. Therefore they are sprayed while the buds are coming. The Aphis eats the leaves and thus kills the young buds. These are sprayed with Arsenate of Lead. The two scales eat holes in the bark and suck away the sap from the tree; they are sprayed with very strong arsenic. Man has had no small combat with these pests. With the help of science, man is now winning.

The busiest season on an orchard is the picking season. The apples are hastily picked and put carefully into rough boxes. After this they are taken out, wrapped in packing paper and placed in cases. Then they are taken to the docks and are transported. If you live in Australia, nine out of every ten cases of apples you eat are Tasmanian.

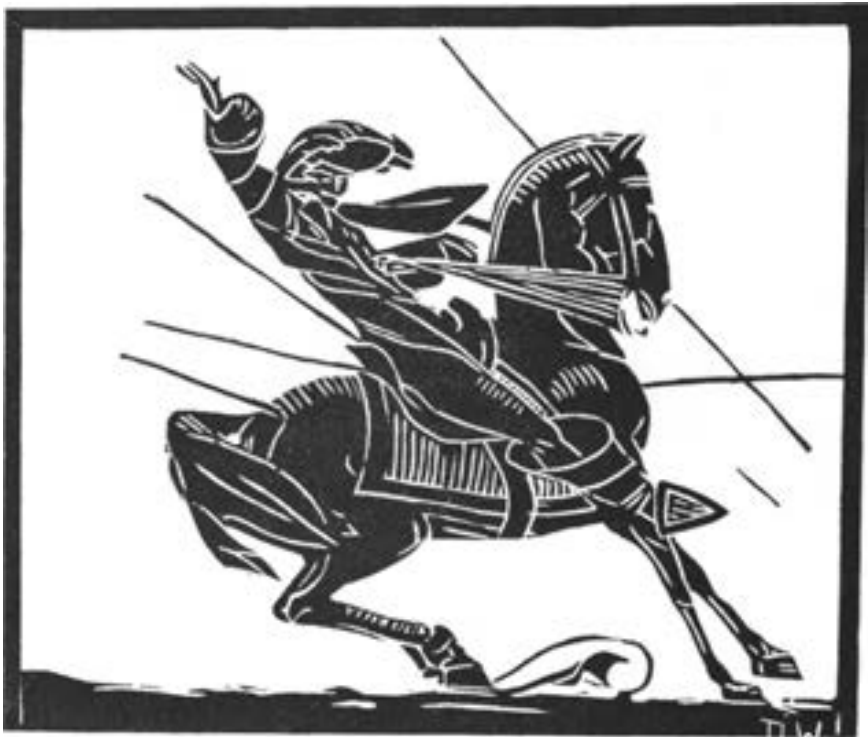
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Exchanges.

WHETHER my presence on "The Pegasus" committee has helped that worthy journal or not, others can decide; certain it is that I have profited by the experience. I now read carefully every page, appreciating the thought and labour which have gone into it, and this habit has extended to a lively interest in those complimentary copies of school magazines received at the College in exchange for our paper.

You will find these "exchanges" in the library, and must be struck by their diversity in size, shape and colour. The crests and mottoes alone would make an interesting study in heraldry and Latin. The contents are quite as varied: pages range from eleven to two

hundred; some contain advertisements, which may account for the great number of photographs they can afford. Different ones stress different aspects of school life—the classroom, school societies, sport; others make these sections comparatively brief, but produce many original articles and poems, frequently of a high literary standard. Records of old pupils' activities may fill forty pages, or perhaps none



A Lino Cut executed by a member of the House of Guilds.

at all. That depends largely on the age of the school: we make exchanges with the oldest and, apparently, the youngest in Australia, boys' schools, girls' schools and one co-educational college being represented.

There are three volumes which are distinguished by the distance they travel. "The Rafflesian" is sent from the Raffles Institution, Singapore, which has both European and native masters and pupils, but race and climate do not alter the interest of boys in sport, stamps, caricatures of prefects, or the detention book. "The Herioter," from George Heriot's School, Edinburgh, reminds us of four Scotch boys who came to our College on scholarships in the period 1927-1931, three of them being from Heriot's. From Campbell College, Belfast, is "The Campbellian," and in this instance the connection goes back to about 1914, when the two schools exchanged flags and other gifts. You can still see in the entrance hall the fine swimming shield presented by Mr. R. A. H. MacFarland, then Headmaster of Campbell College, a brother of the late Sir John MacFarland, who was a member of the Council of Geelong College.

We acknowledge the receipt of the following Exchanges and apologise for any unintentional omissions—The Prince Alfred College Chronicle, The Newingtonian, The Nudgee College Magazine, The Campbellian, The Canberran, The Portal, The Wesley College Chronicle, The Scotch College Magazine, The Scotch Collegian, The Minervan, The Mitre, The Camberwell Grammarian, The Herioter, The Toowoomba Grammar School Magazine, The Launcestonian, The Sydneian, The Southportian, The Waitakian, St. John's Grammar School Magazine, The Xaverian, The King's School Magazine, The Corian, The Dookie Collegian, The Rafflesian, The St. Peter's College Magazine, The Longerenong Collegian.

Mr. MacRoberts to Retire.

JUST as we go to press it is announced that Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, M.A., Vice-Principal of Geelong College from 1923, has tendered his resignation to the Council as from December 31, 1938. Apart from four years at the Great War, Mr. MacRoberts has served the College continuously since 1904.

Full reference will be made in our next issue.

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OLD BOYS' SECTION.

Old Geelong Collegians' Association.

(Established 1900).

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The Annual Subscription to the O.G.C.A., from list May in each year, payable in advance, is 7/6. Any Old Boy may become a Life Member by paying £5/5/-

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Association Announcements.

THE Editor of "The Pegasus" wishes to thank all who have forwarded news of Old Boys. If attention is drawn to any omissions, we shall be glad to make amends in our next number.

IMPORTANT—OLD BOYS' DAY.

At the moment of going to the press we cannot make a definite announcement, but it is most probable that Old Boys' Day will be held during the period of the Geelong centenary celebrations in October. Application has been made to have the Combined Public Schools' Sports held in Geelong, and it may be possible to conduct our Annual Reunion in connection with this meeting. By this time, too, visiting Old Boys should be able to inspect the beautiful new boarding house now being erected at the College.

Members will be notified as soon as full particulars are available.

SCHOOL SPORTS, 1938.

It will be observed from the list of fixtures printed elsewhere that the School Sports are to be held on Saturday, October 15. The committee hopes that this arrangement will result in a good attendance and a large number of competitors in the Old Boys' races.

75TH ANNIVERSARY OVAL.

The Committee acknowledges with thanks the donations received since the last issue of "The Pegasus," and at the same time reminds some Old Boys that the overdraft requires their assistance. Address letters to the Secretary, 4 James Street, Geelong, as soon as convenient.

LIFE MEMBERS.

Since the last report the following have become Life Members:—
 S. S. Blair (1935), A. J. Campbell (1930), J. D. H. Cook (1936), P. C. Dowling (1882), G. G. Hicks (1936), G. B. Lance (1936), W. G. MacGregor (1936), E. J. McKeon (1935), T. A. Reid (1934), S. F. Walter (1929), J. B. Waugh (1929), R. H. A. Wettenhall (1937).

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OLD BOYS' NECKTIES.

Association ties are on sale by Bright and Hitchcocks, Pty. Ltd., Geelong, price 4/6 each. Orders must be obtained at the office of the Association, 4 James Street.



A Corner of the Morrison Memorial Library.

DOMINION STUDENTS' HALL.

In 1930 Lord Lothian assisted in the formation in London of the Dominion Students' Hall Trust at the instigation of Mr. Goodenough, a former Chairman of Barclays' Bank. The Trust property in Bloomsbury is being rebuilt to provide accommodation for men from the Dominions. It will be organised on the lines of a

University College, having bedroom studies, hall, common room, library and service, giving an ideal atmosphere for study and congenial social life for men with varied interests from all parts of the Empire. Ex-Naval Commander Crofton and his charming wife devote considerable time to furthering the interests of members in matters such as employment, entertainment, etc., including municipal, state or private functions. Naturally there is usually a long waiting list. Mr. Hamilton-Calvert will be pleased to give further details if required by Old Collegians.

Branch News.

Bendigo—The annual Public Schools' Boatrace Dinner was held on Saturday, May 28, our association being represented by W. Lovell Langslow (1918).

Ararat—A successful P.S. Boatrace night was conducted under the secretaryship of David Craig, OoG.C. (1888).

Brisbane—The Victorian P.S. Old Boys' Boatrace was conducted on the Brisbane River on May 14, Geelong College finishing second to Melbourne Grammar School. In the evening a successful dinner was held, Collegians present being Hon. E. W. H. Fowles, M.A., L.L.B., Litt.D., Dr. Alan Lee, G. Deans, B.A., Eric Bannister, Clive Whitford, David Adam and C. L. Thompson. The usual Reunion Dinner took place in December, but unfortunately the secretary's report arrived just too late for inclusion in our last issue.

Hamilton—Over seventy members of the O.P.S.B.A. attended the dinner on May 14. The chief guests were Messrs. C. M. Gilray of Scotch College, E. A. Logan of Hamilton College and G. R. Rippon, President of the Old Hamilton Collegians.

Dimboola—The following Collegians were present at the annual Boatrace Dinner of the Wimmera O.P.S.B.A.: Dr. F. A. Bouvier, K. McLachlan, R. Mitchell, K. Oldfield, Rae Bennett, G. Lamb, E. Edwards and A. V. M. Rankin (Honorary Secretary). Ken McLachlan has been elected President for the coming year,

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The Greater Love.

OLD Boys and masters who were at the College in the years 1923-1927 were grieved to read of the death of John Holland. When bathing with some friends near Barwon Heads on a stormy day in January he heard a call from a boy who had rashly ventured too far out. The group joined hands in an effort to save him but a huge wave swept them apart. John Rolland, who was the best swimmer of the party, tried again alone and reached the boy who was clutching a surf board. He got him on to an incoming wave, told him to hang on to the board and it would take him in, and gave him a push towards land. The others were able to haul the boy to safety but John Rolland, either exhausted with his battle or seized with cramp, was overwhelmed by the big sea running and was not seen again.

Tall and handsome, strong in physique and character, John Rolland impressed both old and young by his personality. He had the artistic and practical gifts that seldom go together and he promised to rise to eminence in his chosen profession of architecture. His friends were proud to be his friends. When one heard of the tragedy he exclaimed: "It was just what John would have done!" His life had been lived at that level.

At the last Council meeting it was announced that some of his relations were erecting in his memory a beautiful gateway for the new House at Geelong College. At the foot of the memorial bronze are to be these words:

*Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life
for a stranger.*

The Late Dr. T. J. M. Kennedy.

EVERY boy who was a boarder at Geelong College during the last forty years, as well as many day boys, knew Dr. Kennedy. He was not only an outstanding physician and surgeon but a big hearted man with a genuine love of human kind and a special affection for boys. He never made them afraid, nor on the other hand did he encourage

them to be careless when obedience was necessary for their cure. His knowledge of boy psychology, his mature experience, and his common sense, made him a tower of strength to every College Headmaster. His sympathy, felt even when unexpressed in words, endeared him to his patients, and he was the trusted friend and confidant of many families. His services were constantly being given to people whom he knew could repay him with nothing but gratitude. He had the humility common to all men who really know the resources and the limitations of their craft.

He loved the sea and travel, and books of travel, and knew ship captains from many lands, and made the whole world his interest. He liked friendly conversation, and enriched it with delightful reminiscences of his own or others' adventures.

He was so much part of the life of the College that it is impossible to write in any detached way about him. Our debt to him is too great, our sense of loss too deep. Such men as he make medicine a noble profession. To Mrs. Kennedy goes out our sympathy. She, through the years, has always shared with her husband a genuine interest in the welfare of the College.

Book Review a Valuable History.

A NOTEWORTHY contribution to the historical literature of Australia is found in the recently published account of the life and work of Dr. Alexander Thomson, a pioneer of Melbourne and the founder of Geelong. The narrative was written by Mr. R. H. Croll from matter collected and arranged by Dr. Roland R. Wettenhall, well known Old Geelong Collegian. To a deep personal interest in his subject Dr. Wettenhall has added that keen discrimination of values which denotes the true historian.

"Doctor Alexander Thomson, Pioneer" is a book in season, as the Doctor was one of the foremost in founding Presbyterianism in Victoria, as well as being Geelong's first settler. In this time of centenary celebrations he must become, as in the colony's infancy, one of its best known and best loved figures. Though he had his doctor's degree at an early age, the major portion of his existence was spent in

other than medical ways; he played a leading part in affairs pastoral, financial and political, in shipping, railways, mining and education, but none of these matters could obscure his anxiety for the spiritual welfare of the colony.

The chapter on Geelong is of great value. Dr. Thomson found the district an uninhabited waste, and he lived to see an important town rise upon the land about him, to be its first mayor and parliamentary representative. There are many interesting references to place names and landmarks, the development of the Western District, and such matters as the battle against transportation, the separation of Victoria from New South Wales, and the construction of the Melbourne—Geelong railway.

Dr. Wettenhall is to be congratulated and thanked for placing before us an attractive piece of history and the convincing portrait of a Christian gentleman.

Collegian's Brilliant Sporting Career.

FIRST Collegian and first Geelong cricketer to gain a place in an Australian team, Arthur Lindsay Hassett is an all-round athlete of outstanding merit, whose selection is the climax to a brilliant sporting career. From 1927 to 1932 Lindsay was prominent in Public School sport. For three years he was captain and example of College cricket and football teams. In 1932 he compiled the record total of 644 runs at an average of 107.3 and the College individual record of 245, was second on the bowling list and



A. L. Hassett.

a splendid fieldsman. He held the school tennis championship for four years and was twice Public Schools' singles champion.

Lindsay first claimed attention in senior company by a brilliant 147 for Geelong against the West Indies. Playing with the South Melbourne pennant team, he soon earned a trial in the Victorian side. By 1936 his average was second only to Bradman's in the whole field of Australian cricket, including the visiting English Test combination. In 1937 he again headed the Victorian averages and was third in the Commonwealth. Yet cricket is not his sole sporting interest: he plays off a handicap of six on the golf course, and in 1935 and 1936 was judged best and fairest player in the Victorian Amateur Football Association.

Hassett was a College prefect and Captain of Shannon House. In 1931 he won the Fen and Roy Pillow Bursary for school work. Now 24 years of age, he is engaged on a chartered accountant's course and is employed by Messrs. David and David of Geelong. It is only justice to record that Mr. T. A. David, himself an Old Collegian and a keen cricketer, has always been interested in Lindsay's career and must share in the praises bestowed on his protege.

In the short interval between the selection and the team's departure many past and present Collegians expressed personally their congratulations and good wishes, whilst others joined in the farewells arranged by the City of Geelong and the Amateur Football Club. In reply to a message from the O.G.C.A., Lindsay expressed his thanks and the hope that he would be able to do all that was expected of him. His presence in Sydney with the Victorian XI provided an opportunity for the N.S.W. Branch of the O.G.C.A. to tender him a luncheon. This function took place on February 17, and was attended by a representative gathering of Old Boys, Mr. Alan Thomson being in the chair. After speeches congratulating Hassett on his selection to represent Australia, a warm congratulatory telegram from the parent body was received with applause.

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Football: College v. Old Boys.

ON the King's Birthday holiday, Monday, June 13, the College eighteen met a team of Old Boys on the College oval in perfect weather. A number of visitors witnessed an interesting game, which was won by the present boys, 13—5 to 6—7. On every hand the hope was expressed that such a game would be made an annual fixture. Mr. Profitt is to be thanked for the invitation to play and for acting as umpire, while W. P. Carr deserves commendation for his keenness and energy in mustering the Old Boys' side, which included R. Nicholson, R. Ingpen, A. Jones, S. McDonald, J. Hirst, J. Lamb, D. Baines, J. B. Gough, W. D. Chisholm, C. Purnell, M. S. Bartlett, N. Sutherland, R. Gibson, E. Taylor, J. W. Callander, W. Carr, J. McDonald and D. Reynolds.

University News.

EXAMINATION RESULTS.

Although a full list of Collegians' achievements for 1937 is not available, the following results are worthy of note. L. Errey gained first class honours in Chem. I; D. W. Lees, first class honours and Exhibition in Graphics; A. Douglas, second class honours in Nat. Phil. I; E. C. Slater, first class honours in Chem. III, winner of the Dixon Exhibition, first class honours in Metallography, winning the Exhibition, and also being awarded the Cumming Memorial Scholarship; D. Duffy, first class honours in Zoology (second place), and second class honours in Nat. Phil. I and Botany; G. McKenzie, first class honours in Physiology (medicine), and Exhibition; J. W. Legge, first class honours and Exhibition in Physiology (science).

THE ORMOND LETTER.

Dear Collegians,

Again it is the end of first term, and all that work which was to have been done is as yet untouched—the story of every first term. In Ormond, interest centres around the three inter-collegiate sporting

fixtures—cricket, rowing and athletics. And when they are over there seems to be nothing to do but wait for second term to start the year's work in earnest.

Old Collegians who left us at the end of last year are: G. A. Wood (1930), J. A. K. McLean (1930), J. M. Young (1931), and D. C. Adam (1935). Pat. Wood, after an outstanding career in Ormond, completed his theological course and is now in South Australia. Alistair McLean and Jim Young have also completed theological courses, while Doug. Adam has forsaken the law for the land. In their place we were pleased to welcome at the beginning of the year four Old Collegians: J. Calhoun, N. G. Sutherland, D. Lees and W. H. Steel.

In sport Ormond has been quite successful. This year we celebrated the recovery of the cricket trophy which has been held by Newman for five years. Ormond defeated Trinity in the first round and Newman in the final, the victorious team including Albert Piper, Geoff. Hicks, Doug. Duffy and John Calhoun.

On the river we were less successful, as we were defeated in the final by Trinity, thus losing the Higgins shield which we have held for the past four years. Ken. Morris, Adrian Douglas and Graham McKenzie were in the first eight, and " Pub " Bartlett, Ron. Blackwood and Jack Simpson were in the seconds. In Athletics, Ormond regained the Cato shield from Newman, last year's winners, by a comfortable margin of points. The successful team included Ewen McLean, Jack Simpson and Neil Sutherland.

We have to congratulate E. C. Slater, G. Badger and J. W. Legge, three Old Collegians who received the degree of Bachelor of Science at the last conferring.

We now look forward to the winter term and are hoping to see the school well to the fore in football this year.

Good luck!

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UNIVERSITY JOTTINGS.

Jim Legge, as a member of the Students' Representative Council, was one of the Ticket Secretaries for the very successful University Commencement Ball which was held at the Palais de Danse on April 8.

R. W. K. Honeycombe has commenced a Science course at the University of Melbourne.

G. M. Badger, having completed his M.Sc. degree, is now demonstrating at the University and doing research in Inorganic Chemistry.

Jack Richardson has commenced his Arts course.

Derek Wong, who is in the third year of his Arts course, was a member of the Queen's College XI this year.

Jack Legge completed his Science course last year and is now doing research in Physiology at the North Shore Hospital, Sydney.

Graham McKenzie, who was last year awarded a half blue for rowing, again represented Melbourne in the inter-Varsity boatrace on the Huon. Lex Rentoul was coach.

Jim Gerrard is in the third year of Law.

P. J. C. Stretton has changed over from Veterinary Science and become a second year Med.

There are now three Collegians at Trinity: George Cole, Mac. Clarke and Hamilton Moreton. The last-named rowed in the crew which won the collegiate second eights' event.

Doug. Adam was awarded a full blue, and John Coto a half blue, for Rugby. At the Freshers' sports N. G. Sutherland ran second in the 220 and 440 yards, and J. L. Calhoun was second in the shot putt.

Arthur Martin is engaged on research in dielectrics at the Engineering Department.

John Collocott (1936) has undertaken engineering in the University of Sydney.

Jack Crawcour has completed the second year of Law at the University, and brother Murray (1937) is taking the articulated clerk's course in Geelong.

Brevities.

Congratulations to A. L. Backwell on his election to the Geelong City Council. Congratulations to W. J. Dennis on his election as a member of the council of Geelong College by the Presbyterian Church of Victoria.

W. M. Shaw (1937) is with the Union Bank, St. Arnaud.

Keith Angwin has left the office of the Union Steamship Co. and is assistant purser on one of the company's inter-island vessels in New Zealand.

Jim Kininmonth, Junr., has returned from his European tour and is now at "Boonoke," Deniliquin,

Peter McArthur was best man at the Ferguson—Campbell wedding.

R. Lindsay Morrison (1935) has moved to the State Savings Bank, Geelong West, and has begun the Bachelor of Commerce course.

Ken. Wilson (1912) was recently appointed manager of the Geelong and Cressy Trading Co., where Ted. Webber (1911) is also to be found.

On the Students' Council at the Gordon Institute of Technology, Geelong, are A. C. Burrage (President), S. I. Du Ve and R. Marshall.

Reg. Fagg recently spent several weeks in New Zealand.

The successful Geelong cricket team in the Victorian Country Week included Des. Doyle, Vin. Hassett and Jack Hirst.

Of the many Old Boys in Coles' Stores, Lane Ingpen is in charge of the Mildura branch, Dave Adam has been moved to Brisbane and Jack Baird to Adelaide.

John P. Mockridge distinguished himself by gaining fourth place in the Commonwealth competition conducted by the Australian Forestry Commission for designs using Australian timbers for Australian homes. He and Lloyd Balfour are now attending the Architectural Atelier at the University of Melbourne.

Claud Notman visited the school during the Geelong country cricket week, when he was playing with Western Plains. He is now writing the district history for the approaching Skipton centenary, and was justly elated when a bale of wool from "Kalimna" was chosen to represent Australia's greatest industry at the Glasgow Empire Exhibition.

T. E. Doughton (1905) has accepted the position of president of the Victorian Golf Association. Besides being president of the Riversdale club, he has been an outstanding figure in the V.G.A. for many years and was closely associated with the organisation of the Melbourne Centenary games.

Peter M. McCann is President of the Better Farming Club.

R. Venters was elected to the Bannockburn Council last year.

Peter Westland and Henry Clarke passed their first year at Dookie, Westland taking second place. Clarke carried off the College swimming championship. New arrivals for 1938 were B. O'Connor and L. M. Calvert who, after a hectic first fortnight, soon settled down in their new sphere.

At the interesting Chemical Exhibition—the first of its kind—held at the Glaciarium, Melbourne, last March, our Old Collegian J. S. R. Cochrane was Chairman of Committee, and his son John (1935) assisted in the mechanical broadcasting-department.

Syd. Blair is studying accountancy and last year came first in Australia in Intermediate Auditing. After a successful season as a member of the Melbourne Cricket Club's first XI, Syd. sailed on the "Mariposa" on April 25 to tour the United States with his parents.

Doug. Adam is now on his father's property, "Waldara," Wangaratta.

George Milne is playing football with Prahran.

Bob. Coulstock is teaching at Moonee Ponds while completing his Science course.

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Don Houston is at present with a surveying party near Rabaul.

Ken. Teasdale is playing football with Collegians this season.

Bill Wishart, having passed his final examinations in Pharmacy, is now at the North Essendon U.F.S. Dispensary. Doug. Jenkins and Norman Keith also passed last March; Murray Lang and Norman Mellor are doing third and second years respectively.

Don. Robin has been transferred to the Commercial Bank, Melbourne, after spending some time in country branches.

Norm. Pizer, who was with the Victorian Woollen Co., Melbourne, left in April for a trip to America and England.

Alan Bailey is now at the National Bank, Yarraville.

A. J. Brushfield is at present stationed at the National Bank at Manjimup, W.A.

Dr. J. S. Battye (1886) has been installed Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Freemasons, W.A. Constitution.

Desmond Gaunt and Cedric Sloane made a canoe trip from Yarrowonga down the Murray to the junction of the Goulburn and then up the Goulburn to Shepparton during the University long vacation.

Terry Duigan is with Gawler and Drummond, Architects, Melbourne.

T. K. Robertson and John Marshall have positions in the Myer Emporium.

Frank C. D. Reid is now with his father at "Colona" station, Fowler's Bay, S.A.

James Young (1931), who last year won the Professor Main travelling scholarship for the outstanding student in the Theological Hall at Ormond College, is now assistant to the Right Rev. John Mackenzie, Moderator General of the Presbyterian Church of Australia and minister of the Presbyterian Church, Toorak.

J. D. Rogers (1913), until recently assistant general manager of the Vacuum Oil Co. in N.S.W., has been promoted to the position of assistant director in charge of sales for Australia at the head office, Melbourne.

Winston Maguire (1922) is now in the motor business in Colac.

J. B. Gough (1937) has taken up pharmacy with his father at Werribee and is playing football in the local competition.

Campbell Anderson, Horsham, has taken out an auctioneer's licence and made a great success of his first sale.

John Sinclair's address is Ki Downs, near Euston, N.S.W. Duncan Sinclair is managing Gundaline station, near Carrathool, N.S.W.

Jock Adam has been appointed Superintendent of the General Hospital, Mackay, Q.

Since his return from England, G. F. Scoles has specialised in diseases of the eye at Wickham Terrace, Brisbane.

S. P. Wilson (1867) underwent major operations in Melbourne early this year, but recovered rapidly in spite of advancing years. We were delighted to welcome him at Geelong before his return to Jerilderie.

Jim Bell (1907) is now resident at Spray Farm, Bellarine, near Drysdale.

THE PEGASUS,

Richard J. Whiting (1929) has sailed for England. Reginald H. Morrison (1881) has also left for the homeland, where no doubt both will be present at the test matches.

Harry Stubbs (1937) and J. Warwick Callander (1938) have joined Bob Uren in the Union Bank, Geelong.

A. N. Walls (1928) was recently appointed Town Clerk at Colac.

Jock Rolland (1938) is in the Commonwealth Defence Department, Melbourne.

John L. Paterson (1924), who recently visited Geelong, has been engaged in chemical research in Sydney. He played a leading part in several valuable discoveries, including the production of high-vitamin extracts from mutton-bird oil, and the extraction of platinum and nickel from ores formerly considered "commercially untreatable." He is now an associate of the Institution of Engineers (Aust), and of the Royal Sanitary Institute (London).

John C. Campbell (1925), of Stawell, had the misfortune to crush his right hand early in the year, but is making good progress.

Old Collegians are pleased to congratulate one of the school's very good friends, Mr. J. H. McPhillimy, O.B.E., on the honour conferred on him by the King.

Desmond Doyle has left Geelong to take up important work with his firm's Terang office.

R. H. Weddell carried the good wishes and support of many Old Boys during his recent election campaign in the interests of the United Australia Party.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Geoff. Strong (1930) to Miss J. Hedley, Geelong.

Eric Hooper (1922) to Miss Lorna Ching, Geelong.

Neil Pettitt (1931) to Miss Isobel Smith, Stonehaven.

Geoff. Higgins (1928) to Miss Brenda Hardy, Kew.

Abe. Crabtree (1921) to Miss Violet Morley, Balwyn.

Bruce Waugh (1929) of Barney's Lake, Ivanhoe, N.S.W., to Miss Nell McLellan, Tullamore, N.S.W.

Roy Piper (1927) to Miss Joan Bailiff, Geelong.

R. Ian C. Roberts (1925) of Strath Creek, to Miss Claire Noble, Birregurra.

MARRIAGES.

F. George Stones (1927) to Miss Grace Holland, December 18, 1937.

E. H. (Paddy) Chapman (1931) to Miss Etta Lawrence, Ballarat.

Ronald Campbell (1929) to Miss Marie Rule, Geelong.

Norman Harvey (1925) to Miss Nina Temple, in February.

Dr. Douglas Hicks (1930) to Miss Mavis Morgan, January 19.

Eric Cook (1926) to Miss Marjory Gane, Geelong, February 8.

W. Mac. Troup (1928) to Miss Janet Hamilton, Toorak, February 15.

Ray Gough (1929) to Miss Phyllis Read, Branxholme, March 2.
 Reg. L. Taylor (1930) to Miss Winifred Libby, March 3.
 James N. Gatehouse (1930) to Miss Patricia Davis, Sandringham, March 24.
 Phil. Ebbott (1932) to Miss Kath. Lavers, Newtown, April 9.
 Bruce Reid (1927) to Miss Betty McDonald, Longreach, Queensland.
 Graham Redpath (1928) to Miss Eunice Hedley, April 9.
 Keith Phillips (1921) to Miss Sheila Goulding, Toorak, April 21.
 Eric Ferguson (1929) to Miss Mary Campbell, E. St. Kilda, April 27.
 Alan L. Taylor (1927) to Miss M. Dickinson, Geelong, June 4.
 Francis Funston (1926) to Miss Agnes Tulloch, Ballarat.
 W. K. McDowall (1930) to Miss Grace Monteith of Berrybank. Present
 address Leslie Manor.
 Jack D. Mack (1895) of "Royston," Hillston, N.S.W., to Margaret Gribble,
 January 19.

BIRTHS.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Sloane of "Banool," Bonnie Doon, September
 15, 1937, a son.
 To Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dugdale of Myrniong, December 6, a daughter.
 To Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay David, March 13, a daughter.
 To Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Hawkes, May 10, a daughter.

OBITUARY.

Alexander James McDonald (1873) died at Perth, W.A., on November 11,
 1937. Born at Glen Roy station, S.A., 79 years ago, he entered Geelong College
 in 1872. After leaving school he gained experience on his father's property, becom-
 ing an expert in wool classing. He afterward managed for the Beltana Pastoral
 Co. Ltd. several of their stations in South Australia before taking over at the
 Werribee for Captain Chirnside. In 1906 he took over Canowie, building that
 flock into one of the best studs in South Australia and paying 1200 guineas to Mr.
 T. Milliar for his famous ram, Donald Dinnie. During the later years of his
 life he joined up with Messrs. Elder Smith and Co. Ltd. at Perth, acting as super-
 visor and stud stock adviser up to the time of his death.

W. Edgar Brunt (1876) passed away in December 1937 at Wonthaggi, where
 for many years he had practised as a barrister and solicitor. To his widow and
 family we extend our sympathy.

Leslie Norman Strong (1908) passed away at Geelong, December 2, 1937.

Ince Farrell (1871) died at Geelong in December, 1937.

Samuel Farrell (1871), a brother of Ince Farrell and for many years an
 inspector of the Bank of Australasia in Sydney, died at Cremorne, N.S.W., Decem-
 ber 9, 1937.

THE PEGASUS,

Alexander Philip died suddenly in Melbourne on Tuesday, April 26. He left the College in 1873, being one of three brothers who throughout the years have taken a live interest in the welfare of the school. Owner of Miga Lake station in his earlier years, he later bought Mt. Hamilton Estate and more recently Koraleigh Estate near Tongala. This year he purchased Greenvale Estate near Willaura, where he had intended to take up residence with Mrs. Philip, who survives him. He was recognised as a leading judge and breeder of merino sheep, and for 14 years acted as a Councillor in the Kowree Shire Council, of which term he was for eight years President. Always a keen supporter of the Presbyterian Church, he built and equipped the Alexander Philip operating theatre at the Horsham Hospital and was one of the guarantors of the interest on Mackie House at the College in 1938. To his widow we extend heartfelt sympathy.

John Henry Maitland Rolland (1927) died on January 23, 1938. An account of his tragic and heroic end is printed on another page.

David Edmund Stodart (1903) died in England on February 28, 1938. He was a member of the College football team, and on matriculation proceeded to the Edinburgh University to take degrees in medicine. He was an excellent rifle shot and won important events in England, Scotland and Ireland. His aerial career, both during and after the war, gained him considerable prominence. The outstanding incident in Squadron Leader Stodart's war record occurred when, owing to the incapacitation of all other officers of his unit, he carried out the administrative work of the entire squadron for three weeks, as well as taking part in routine flights for bombing, observation and photography. In 1934, although he was then 52 years of age, he filled sixth place in the Centenary air race from London to Melbourne.

Clove Myers (1916) died at Lovely Banks on April 21, aged 38 years.

John G. Paton (1931) died recently after a severe illness.

William A. Waugh (1877) died at Wagga on June 13, at the age of 74 years. He took a leading part in movements associated with the Riverina pastoral industry, and is survived by a widow, four sons and two daughters, to whom we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Mr. L. St.G. P. Austin, who was a master at the College from 1901 to 1914, died early in June. He will be remembered by many Old Boys for his keen interest in rowing.

We extend deepest sympathy to Jack H. Campbell (1912), Geelong College, and to his brothers on the death of their mother in May.

Many Old Boys will remember the Macmillans who came to the College from the New Hebrides and will sympathize with them in the loss of their father, the Rev. Dr. Thomson Macmillan. Dr. Macmillan was a great missionary, a scholar and a statesman, and his name will never be forgotten in the Pacific.