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THE PEGASUS.

School Officers, 3rd Term, 1920

Head Prefect:—R. K. McArthur.

Prefects:—J. R. Macmillan, C. C. Bell, C. E. McArthur, A. J. M. Wilson,
F. W. Gilmour.

Cricket Captain:—C. E. McArthur. *Vice-Captain* :—R. K. McArthur.

Cricket Committee:—Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, C. E. McArthur, R. K. McArthur,
D. M. Kennedy, J. R. Macmillan, R. Morton.

Captain of the Boats :—C. C. Bell.

Rowing Committee:—Mr. C. H. Strover, C. C. Bell, F. W. Gilmour, J. R.
Macmillan.

Running Captain :—L. P. W. Brooke.

Sports Committee:—MY. A. H. Harry, L. Brooke, C. C. Bell, C. E. McArthur,
H. K. McArthur, A. J. M. Wilson.

Tennis Committee:—R. K. McArthur, C. E. McArthur.

Hon. Sec. Athletic Games:—R. K. McArthur.

Librarians:—MY. A. H. Harry, R. K. McArthur, J. R. Macmillan, A. G.
Burnet.

"The Pegasus" :—Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, R. K. McArthur, A. J. M. Wilson.

Cadet Corps :

Lieutenants:—A. T. Tait, C. H. Strover.

2nd Lieutenant:—A. J. Wilson.

Sergeant:—E. E. Chapman.

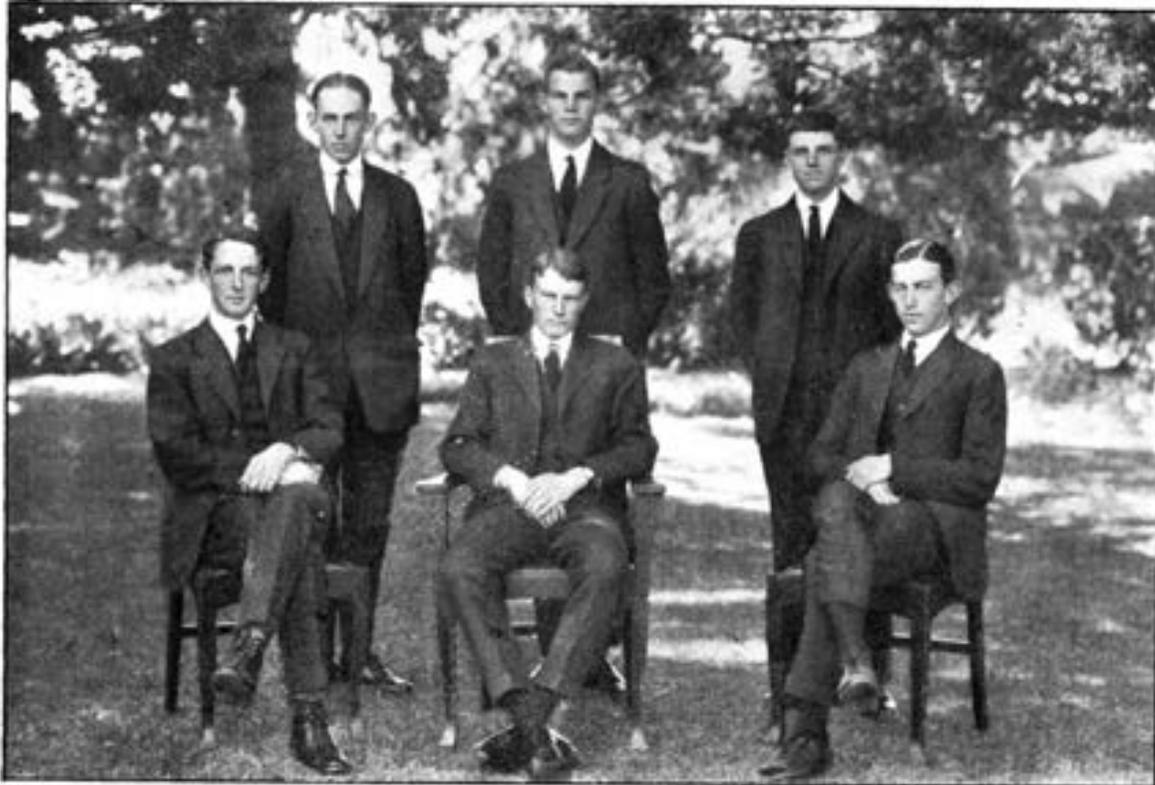
Corporals:—A. E. McDonald, H. A. Anderson, T. D. Freeman, N. Richardson,
A. J. Roffey, I. Richardson.



THE First Term of 1921 begins on Wednesday, February 16.

During the term it was decided to introduce the "House System" in the school, and after many lengthy discussions of the matter by the General Games Committee, a workable scheme was drawn up. The school was divided into four divisions, care being taken to make these as equal as possible in all branches of sports. After much deliberation it was decided that the divisions should be known as "Houses," and the names finally selected were:—Warrinn (to which the "Cottage" boys were allotted), Barwon, Morrison and Shannon. A boy allotted to one of these will—except under special circumstances—remain in that house for the remainder of his school career, and the vacancies caused at the end of each year will be filled up by the new boys as they arrive. Competitions will take place between the Houses in Cricket, Football, Tennis, Rowing, Swimming and Running. The winning House in each competition will receive 3 points, and the points so obtained will be added together to decide the Grand Premiership at the end of the year. The scheme is still in the experimental stage, as this term only one competition was held—in Cricket—, but the results were sufficiently encouraging to warrant the introduction of the system in its complete form next year. It is hoped that by this means better organisation will be introduced into the school games, and that a spirit of keenness and rivalry will grow up, which will, in time, have an effect upon our contests with other schools.

At a recent meeting of the General Games Committee colours were awarded to the following boys. Cricket:—D. Kennedy, J. Maddern, J. R. Macmillan, A. L. Rentoul. Running:—A. j. Wilson, N. K. Russell. A sports cap was also awarded to C. Rusden.



THE PREFECTS, 1920.

Back Row—(Left to right) A. J. M. Wilson, F. W. Gilmour, C. E. McArthur.

In Front—J. R. Macmillan, R. K. McArthur (Head Prefect), C. C. Bell

Our effort towards the Kitchener Memorial Hospital Fund took the form of a Dance held in Miss Cathcart's Hall on Sept. 24th. We had only three days after coming back from our holidays to prepare : but the supper arrangements were left in the hands of Mrs. Rolland, Miss Pillow and Mrs. Gray, and the success of the function was largely due to their untiring energy and keenness. Dancing tickets at 5/- and spectators tickets at 3/6 were sold by the boys. Young people turned up in large numbers, and there were also many grown-ups present, thus demonstrating, in a practical manner, their sympathy with the movement. College flags and pennants almost covered the walls, and a low canopy of blue, green and white made an effective overhead decoration. The lounges were warmly carpeted, and had groupings of tall palms and an abundance of easy-chairs for non-dancers. A few spectators indulged in cards. Mr. Rainford's orchestra led the dancers with a bright and attractive programme. The supper-room and tables were ornate with perennials and ferns. Mrs. Clove Myers, Mrs. W. Freeman and Mrs. C. Adzen very kindly donated a quantity of soft drinks which were sold at a buffet near the lounge; and three prefects (Macmillan, Gilmour and C. McArthur) served ice-cream at an adjoining table. The proceeds from these sources further swelled the night's takings. The interest of Miss Cathcart, who gave the Hall and lighting free of charge, was much appreciated by the Committee.

As a result of our dance, the Treasurer was able to hand into the Kitchener Hospital Fund a sum of £58/5/-.

Our thanks are due to all those who so kindly helped us with the arrangements for the dance.

Armistice Day was very quietly celebrated this year. At 11 o'clock the school gathered in the Morrison Hall, and stood in silence for the usual two minutes, after which a short prayer was offered up by the Principal, and the assembly was dismissed.

The usual Boxing and Gymnastic display was held in the Morrison Hall on Saturday, November 6th. There was a fairly large assemblage of visitors, and a varied and interesting programme was carried through. It consisted of Swedish calisthenics, pyramids, tumbling games, and displays on the parallel bars, while variety was added by several exciting boxing contests, and a couple of school songs.

The subject of the lionising of school crews has attained more importance than ever this year, and a conference was lately held by the captains of the schools and the captains of the boats to discuss the matter. The decisions arrived at were embodied in the form of a report, which has been received and approved by the Head Masters. This report shows clearly that the leading boys of the schools are strongly opposed to the undue exaltation of rowing boys, and various proposals are made by which the practice may be obviated for the future. It is also proposed that such conferences be held regularly, in order to discuss matters of common interest to the schools.

The College Scholarships for 1920 have been awarded to the following:—Under 16, A. D. Longden; Under 14, J. L. Paterson, N. A. Young; Under 12, W. W. H. Hooper, E. H. Harry and N. McCalman.

The Essay Prize, presented by Mrs. R. E. McArthur, was this year won by D. L. S. Neville. The subject was "Good Citizenship."

Salvete.

Upper V.—
 H. A. Macleod.
 H. J. McGuffie.

Middle V.—
 C. Pagels.

Upper IV.—
 J. F. Kcays.

Middle and Lower IV.—
 W. J. H. Coop.
 P. Macpherson.

Valete,

VI.—
 P. Adzen—XVIII, 1919-20, VIII,
 1919-20.
 K. J. Taylor, VIII. 1919-20.

Upper V.—
 C. C. Rankine.

Lower V.—
 C. J. Lucock.

The Preparatory School.

FEW events in the long history of the College are more worthy of record than the recent decision of the Council to build an entirely new school for boys between the age of six and thirteen. It will be opened in the Diamond Jubilee Year of Geelong College.

For the first time it will be possible to obtain in the city of Geelong a complete Public School education. A boy will be able to go forward

step by step, without a break, from the year he leaves the Kindergarten to the year he leaves the College. .'

There will be introduced into our educational life many new and delightful methods which have been found successful in junior work in other lands, and our own staff will have exceptional opportunity for original work.

The class rooms will contain every convenience that the experience of other schools can suggest, and will be perfectly lighted and ventilated. The boys' desire for expression and movement will be adequately provided for.

Out of doors, as well as in, the younger boys of the College will now have a world of their own. With a sports' master, and playing fields and athletic contests to themselves they will have far more opportunities of developing their powers than they could have in one big school.

The new building will be at the far side of the oval, and will front Aphrasia Street. As it extends it will be built round a quadrangle. Two cultivation paddocks and some newly acquired land will provide ample play grounds.

The old boys are taking a great interest in the new venture; and once the school is in full swing a cordial invitation will be extended to them to come and see for themselves what is being done for the youngest Collegians.

ASSOCIATED PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF VICTORIA.

FIXTURES, 1921.

CRICKET.

(First-named School has choice of Ground).

	(G.G.S. v. M.G.S.	(W.C.	v. G.G.S.
March 4th, 5th	(S.C. v. G.C	March 11th, 12th	(G.C. v. X.C.
	(W.C. v. X.C.		(M.G.S. v. S.C.
		G.C. v. G.G.S.	
March 18th, 19th	S.C v. X.C.		
		W.C. v. M.G.S.	

ROWING,

May 13th, 14th—Public Schools 8-oared Boat Race on Barwon.

Cricket.

THOUGH the last term has occasioned no break in our long series of defeats, the team as a whole has shown a decided improvement, particularly in batting, and thus the prospects for the next year are a little more hopeful. Geelong Grammar School and Wesley both beat us easily, but on both occasions we made more runs than in any match at the beginning of the year, and some of the younger members of the team are beginning to show that good scores may be expected from them in the not very remote future. Two good individual innings were played—by R. McArthur for 70 not out against Geelong Grammar, and by C. McArthur for 62 against Wesley. Rentoul also showed consistency in scoring over 20 in each innings that he played.

Our bowling is still weak, and must improve before we can hope for much success in school matches. R. McArthur can get wickets on his day, and so can Rentoul, but on occasions they are both absolutely harmless, a condition which appears to be permanent with the other bowlers of the team. The fielding was very patchy, and in the last match extremely bad, a number of ridiculously easy chances being missed at critical stages of the game.

The introduction of the House system has resulted in a series of interesting matches, many of which were remarkably close—in fact on no less than four occasions the issue of the game was still in doubt when the last man of the side went to the wickets. Some fairly large scores were made, including one century by R. Morton, and it is to be hoped that the practice obtained in these contests will give our batsmen more confidence in school matches. Second eleven matches were also held in this competition, the points awarded being equal in value to those allotted to the First Eleven contests. The ultimate result was a tie between Warrinn and Barwon with 8 points each, Morrison being third and Shannon last. The leading batting and bowling averages (for School matches only) are as follow:—

RATTING AVERAGES.

Name.	Innings.	Not Out.	Runs.	H.S.	Average.
R. K. McArthur	8	1	135	70*	19.3
A. L. Rentoul	8	2	99	39	16.5
J. R. Macmillan	8	0	128	41	16/
C. E. McArthur	8	0	124	62	15.5
R. Morton	8	0	110	29	13.8
D. M. Kennedy.	8	0	101	26	12.6
R. B. Ball	6	2	50	19	12.5
O. L. Read	8	1	73	29*	10.4
R. Mack	7	0	65	30	9.3
E. Greeves	8	1	61	17*	8.7

BOWLING.

Name.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
R. B. Ball	45	5	9.
J. Maddern	190	11	17.3
R. K. McArthur	398	18	22.1
A. L. Rentoul	500	20	25-
W. Waugh	60	2	30.
D. M. Kennedy.	333	7	47.6
C. E. McArthur.	422	8	52.5
R. Morton.	135	2	67.5

COLLEGE v. GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

This match was played on an excellent wicket at Corio. The Grammar School won the toss and sent us in, but our earlier batsmen made a very poor show against the bowling, and nine wickets had fallen for 82 when the last man, Rentoul, joined R. McArthur. These two made rather an unexpected stand, and raised the total to 142 before Rentoul was bowled for 27, a steady innings which included a few good leg hits. McArthur carried his bat for 70, our highest individual score for the season. He batted well and confidently, and made some good strokes on both sides of the wicket.

The Grammar School lost two wickets cheaply, and then Mann and Ritchie began a long partnership which added over 200 runs to the score, and which thoroughly exposed the weakness of our bowling. They both made centuries, Mann 103 and Ritchie 130, and both batted extremely well. After their dismissal White and De Little hit well for 32 and 60 respectively, but the others did little, and the innings closed for 356. Rentoul did best with the ball, securing 5 wickets for 86.

In our second innings we did a little better, as eight of the team made double figures, and the total reached 226—just saving the innings defeat. The chief feature was another determined stand for the last wicket by Read and Rentoul, the latter of whom bettered his first innings' performance by making 39 in fair form, while the former carried his bat for 29. Previously to this Macmillan had hit cleanly for 41, and Morton and C. McArthur had batted well for 29 and 28 respectively. The Grammar School had only 13 runs to make in their second innings, and the match resulted in a ten wickets defeat.

Scores:—

GEELONG COLLEGE.

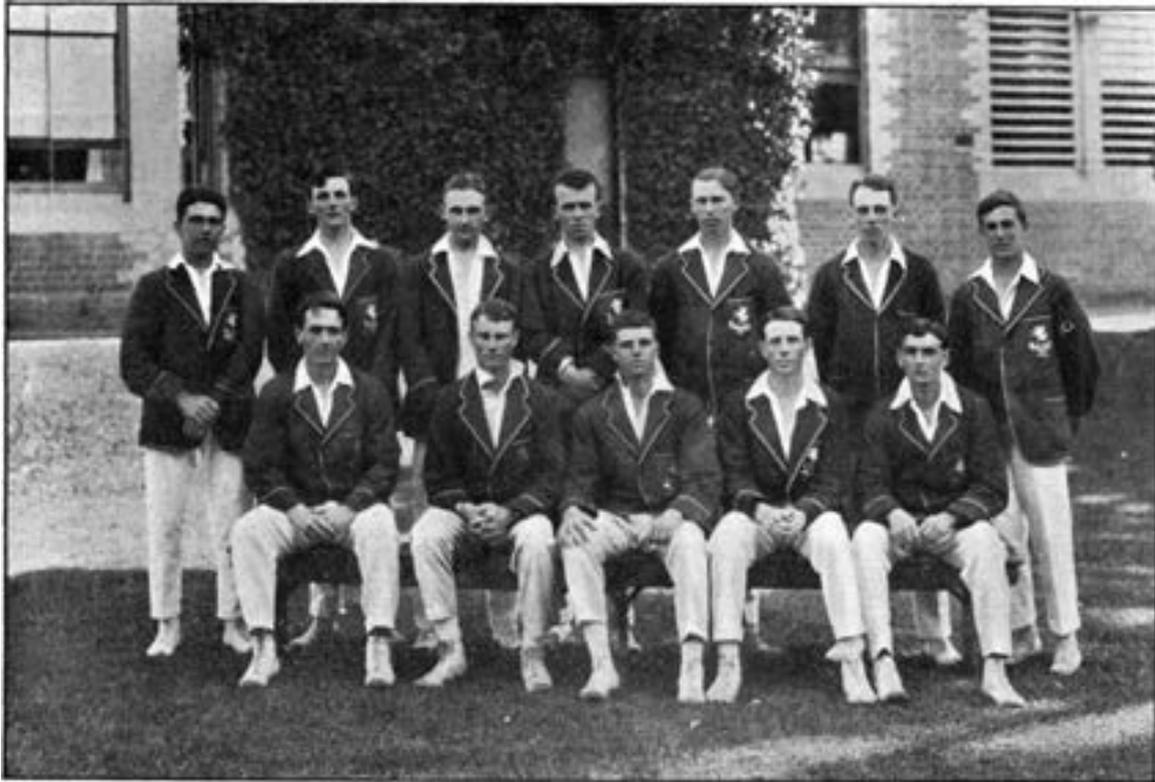
1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
C. McArthur l.b.w. b Nicholson	4	b Nicholson	28
D. Kennedy b White	1	l.b.w. b Nicholson	18
R. Morton l.b.w. b White	11	c Coldham b Hayne	29
R. McArthur not out	70	b Irvine	12
J. R. Macmillan c Hayne b Nicholson	2	b Nicholson	41
E. Greaves b White	0	c White b Nicholson	1
R. Mack stpd. Ritchie b Irvine	9	b Hayne	1
A. Brushfield b Irvine	0	b Irvine	3
R. Ball run out	6	b White	19
L. Read l.b.w. b Irvine	2	not out	29
A. Rentoul b White	27	c Ritchie b White	39
Sundries	10	Sundries	6
Total	142	Total	226
Bowling—A. H. White 4 for 31, W. Irving 3 for 29, Nicholson 2 for 36, J. De Little 0 for 14, Hayne 0 for 22.		Bowling—Hayne 2 for 18, Nicholson 4 for 65, White 2 for 35, Irvine 2 for 65, Tallis 0 for 10, De Little 0 for 26.	

GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
W. K. McKewan c Read b Rentoul	10	not out	0
J. F. Mann c C. McArthur b Kennedy	103	not out	13
W. M. Irvine c Morton b Kennedy	0	Sundries	0
R. G. Ritchie l.b.w. b R. McArthur	130	Total—o wickets for	13
A. H. White c & b C. McArthur	32	Bowling—R. McArthur 0 for 4, A. Rentoul 0 for 9.	
J. De Little b Rentoul	60		
J. A. Tallis b Rentoul	6		
A. D. McNeil b Rentoul	0		
E. L. Hayne b Rentoul	5		
H. R. Coldham c-R. McArthur b Kennedy	0		
Nicholson not out	0		
Sundries	10		
Total	356		
Bowling—A. Rentoul 5 for 86, D. Kennedy 3 for 71, C. McArthur 1 for 43, R. McArthur 1 for 96, R. Morton 0 for 43-			

COLLEGE v. WESLEY COLLEGE.

Our last match was played on the Wesley ground on Nov. 26th and 27th. The wicket was a very good one, but rather faster than our boys were accustomed to. Wesley batted first, and put up the rather formidable total of 330, to which Williams contributed 113, MacKay 71, and Lilburne 41. Our fielding was very bad, and if only the easy chances had been held, the total would have been much smaller. R. McArthur bowled well under the circumstances, and secured 6 wickets for 66,



THE CRICKET TEAM.

*Back Row—(Left to right) R. Mack, O. L. Read, J. S. Maddern, A. M. Brushfield, R. B. Ball, A. L. Rentoul, E. G. Greeves.
In Front—J. R. Macmillan, R. K. McArthur (vice-capt.), C. E. McArthur (capt.), D. M. Kennedy, R. Morton.*

C. McArthur and Kennedy opened our innings, and as they both shaped confidently, we for a time had hopes of putting up a decent score, but after Kennedy's dismissal for a brisk 26, a rot set in, and at the end of the day's play the score was 90 for 5 wickets, with C. McArthur 32 not out. On resuming, a fair stand was made by Mack and McArthur, the former making his highest score for the season, whilst McArthur kept his end up until bowled for 62. Rentoul shaped well for 25, but the others went cheaply, and the innings closed for 190.

Wesley in their second innings put up 380 for eight wickets, our bowling and fielding being, if possible, worse than in the first innings. Every one of the team made runs, the highest scorers being again Williams with 65, and MacKay with 88. Scores:—

WESLEY COLLEGE.

1st Innings.	2nd Innings.
P. L. Williams c Ball b R. McArthur 112	b R. Morton 65
T. Waugh c Ball b C. McArthur 13	c Kennedy b R. Morton 47
W. Miller b A. Rentoul 2	b Waugh 13
C. Lilburn c Greeves b R. McArthur 41	b Waugh 10
T. Mackay c and b R. McArthur 71	hit on b C. McArthur 88
N. Dodd c Greeves b R. McArthur 1	run out 28
Larratt c Greeves b R. McArthur 0	b Ball 24
Rogers run out 1	not out 37
Grime not out 39	c R. Morton b C. McArthur 0
Tyson b R. McArthur 17	not out 28
Mussen c C. McArthur b Ball 13	Sundries 40
Sundries 20	
Total 330	Total—8 wickets for 380
Bowling—R. McArthur 6 for 66, R. Ball 1 for 16, C. McArthur 1 for 46, A. Rentoul 1 for 95, R. Morton 0 for 21, W. Waugh o for 26, D. Kennedy 0 for 40.	Bowling—R. Ball 1 for 10, W. Waugh 2 for 34, R. Morton 2 for 51, C. McArthur 2 for 58, R. McArthur o for 44, D. Kennedy, o for 58, A. Rentoul o for 85.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

1st Innings.

C. McArthur b Dodd 62
D. Kennedy std. Miller b Mussen 26,
R. Morton b Dodd 2
R. McArthur std. Miller b Mussen 0
J. R. Macmillan b Dodd 7
E. Greeves std. Miller b Mussen 12
R. Mack l.b.w. b Dodd 30
R. Ball Lb. w. b Rogers 3
A. Rentoul c Dodd b Mussen 25
L. Read c Tyson b Rogers 8
W. Waugh not out 1
Sundries 14

Total 190

Bowling—N. Dodd 4 for 50, Mussen 4 for 60, Rogers 2 for 40, Lilburne 0 for 10, Tyson 0 for 16.

COLLEGE v. OLD BOYS.

The season was brought to a close by an enjoyable game on Dec. 4th against a team of Old Boys led by Dr. A.' L. Baird. We took the opportunity, on this occasion, of trying several new men, and one of them, J. R. T. Macmillan, amply justified his inclusion by taking 8 wickets for 46. The game ended in a victory for the College, R. McArthur and Greeves doing best for us, while J. Hawkes and C. Shepherd scored highest on the other side. Scores:—

GEELONG COLLEGE.		OLD BOYS.	
1st Innings.		1st Innings.	
C. McArthur b Dr. Purnell	15	J. B. Hawkes c R. McArthur b C. Rusden .. .	45
D. Kennedy run out .. .	24	I. Campbell b Kennedy .. .	2
R. McArthur retired .. .	65	C. Shepherd c T. Hawkes b Kennedy	47
J. R. Macmillan b Dr. Purnell .. .	12	T. Hawkes c Reid b Macmillan .. .	0
D. Dobie b Dr. Purnell .. .	1	K. Campbell c Mack b Macmillan .. .	0
R. Mack c and b J. Hawkes .. .	5	J. I. Birnie b Macmillan .. .	3
E. Greeves retired .. .	44	Dr. Elvins c Baird b Macmillan .. .	1
L. Read retired .. .	10	F. Apted std. C. McArthur b Macmillan .. .	9
J. R. T. Macmillan not out .. .	12	Dr. Purnell l.b.w. b Macmillan .. .	14
A. G. Baird st. K. Baird b J. Hawkes	0	Dr. Baird not out .. .	10
C. Rusden not out .. .	3	K. Baird l.b. w. b Macmillan .. .	7
Sundries .. .	33	S. Roebuck b Macmillan .. .	2
		Sundries .. .	6
Total .. .	222	Total .. .	146
Bowling—Dr. Purnell 3 for 41, J. Hawkes 2 for 40, I. Campbell 0 for 2, C. Shepherd 0 for 15, Dr. Baird 0 for 15, T. Hawkes 0 for 18, Mr. Roebuck 0 for 22, F. Apted 0 for 24, J. I. Birnie 0 for 24.		Bowling—J. R. T. Macmillan 8 for 46, C. Rusden 1 for 6, D. Kennedy 2 for 44, R. McArthur 0 for 34.	

PRACTICE MATCHES

v. MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

We lost this match by 170 runs, as we scored 72 to 242 by our opponents. For the Grammar School, the best scorers were Wood 85, and Cumming 55, while for us the only double-figures scores were D. Kennedy and R. McArthur with 21 each. McArthur also bowled fairly well, taking 3 wickets for 26.

v. SCOTCH COLLEGE.

We made a very poor showing in this game, being dismissed for 51, on a very fair wicket. Brushfield was top scorer with 11. Scotch made 196 (Green 35, Philpott 30 not out). For us R. McArthur again bowled well, taking four wickets for 21, while Rentoul got 3 for 36.

SECOND ELEVEN.

v. GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Lost by 1 wicket and 76 runs. Scores:—G.G.S. 9 for 170 (Martin 59, Vincent 39). College 94 (Brushneld 40 not out). For us W. Waugh took 3 wickets for 39.

v. MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

This match was drawn considerably in favour of our opponents as they scored 235 to our 106 for 8 wickets. Our best scorers were—J. R. T. Macmillan 17, and Robertson 15 not out. Macmillan also bowled best, taking 6 wickets for 51.

v. BATESFORD.

We managed to win this game, scoring 52 against 35. Cousen did best for us, making 11 runs and taking 5 wickets for 12 runs.

JUNIORS.

Our Juniors played three matches, and lost them all. Against Scotch College we made 41 to their 106 for 4 wickets; Melbourne Grammar School beat us by 75 runs, scoring 97 to 22 and 84; and Geelong Grammar were also victorious with 93 for 4 wickets against our 83. The only individual score made on our side during the series was by A Baird, who made 49 against Melbourne Grammar School.

HOUSE MATCHES.

Warrinn 188 (R. McArthur 89, Brushneld 38), beat Morrison 105 (Mack 31). Bowling—J. R. T. Macmillan 3 for 17.

Barwon 100 (D. Kennedy 44 not out), beat Shannon 95 (Russell 23). Bowling—L. Read 5 for 11, Rentoul 7 for 32.

Barwon 145 (D. Kennedy '36, Morton 30), beat Warrinn 74 (J. R. I. Macmillan 25). Bowling—L. Brooke 3 for 16.

Shannon 126 (E. Greeyes 38, Gallan 34), beat Morrison 121 (C. McArthur 55, Mack 30). Bowling—C. McArthur 5 for 33.

Warrinn 146 (Burnet 45 not out, Bradshaw 36), beat Shannon 112 (Richardson 37, Baird 25). Bowling—J. R. T. Macmillan 4 for 22.

Barwon 281 (Morton 117, D. Kennedy 64), beat Morrison 64. Bowling—Morton 4 for 21.

TOTAL POINTS.

(Including Second XI. Matches).

1.	}	WARRINN.)	8.
		BARWON.		
3.		MORRISON.		5.
4.		SHANNON.		3.

Rowing Notes.

FOR the greater part of this term, under the keen and able supervision of Mr. Henry Young, the First Eight has been preparing for next year's Head of the River on the Barwon. With six of last year's crew coming back, satisfactory form is being shown, and with ordinary luck, we hope to place a good crew on the river.

The prospects for next year's Second and Third Eights are extremely bright, and Mr. Harold Hurst has had most of the likely oars under his care in the mornings as well as in the afternoons. In all cases a marked improvement is being shown. Great credit is due both to the coach and to those in his charge for their keenness and perseverance. We are also indebted to Mr. Hurst for the gift of a medicine ball which has given us a great deal of amusement and exercise.

It was intended, this term, to hold an Inter-house Regatta, taking the place of the ordinary Forms' Regatta, but on account of the cricket being postponed, it was found impossible to hold it. We hope however, next year, to see the rowing take an important part in the House competitions.

Tennis.

THE new tennis court has caused a great increase in the popularity of tennis at the school, and also a large increase in the membership of the tennis club, which now contains nearly sixty members. We believe this to be the largest membership there has ever been. A marked improvement has been noticed in the play of some of the keener members, and we hope they will continue to practise and improve, because in a few years, to them, will fall the task of fighting the school's battles in tennis,

At the end of last term—on August 21st—we played a match against Melbourne Grammar School, in Melbourne, on two courts about six miles apart. The day was very windy and dusty, and altogether extremely unpleasant for tennis. Our team lacked practice and were defeated in a close match by two games. Scores:—

B. and D. Dunlop (M.G.S.) beat R. and C. McArthur (G.C) 6—2, 6—1, and beat Baird and Greeves (G. C.) 6—2, 6—4.
 Langlands and Sargood (M.G.S.) lost to Baird and Greeves 2—6, 3—6, and lost to R. and C. McArthur 3—6, 3—6.

Totals:—M. G. S., 2 rubbers, 4 sets, 35 games.
 Geelong College, 2 rubbers, 4 sets, 33 games.

The usual tennis tournaments were held during the term. This year we introduced two small innovations. First, an entry charge of 1/- was made for the Senior and Junior Championships which had previously been free. Secondly, the Singles Handicap was divided into two divisions—an "over 15" and an "under 16." The entries this year constitute a record in the history of the club. Much enthusiasm was shown over the tournament matches, and numerous close contests took place. The Tennis Committee wish to thank "Teddy" Rankin for painting the lines on the courts at regular intervals.

The following are the results of the school tournament:—

SENIOR SINGLES HANDICAP, (over 15).

FIRST ROUND.

J. Knowles (rec. 15) beat C. Bell (rec. 15), w.o.
 C. Dunoon (rec. 15) beat R. McArthur (owe 50), w.o.
 E. G. Greeves (owe 30) beat H. Anderson (rec. 15), 10—0.
 L. Read (owe 15) beat R. McKay (rec. 15), 10—1.
 R. Morton (scr.) beat L. Hodgson (scr.), 10—8.
 D. Morrison (owe 15) beat G. Pern (rec. 15), 10—5.
 S. McCosh (owe ½ 15) beat Meyer (rec. 15), 10—0.
 D. Hope (rec. ½ 15) beat T. Sloane (rec. ½ 15), 10—5.
 K. Phillips (rec. 15) beat C. McArthur (owe 40), w.o.
 N. Russell (scr.) beat F. W. Gilmour (rec. 15), w.o.
 W. H. Sloane (owe 15) beat A. J. Wilson (rec. ½ 15), 10—6.

SECOND ROUND.

J. R. Macmillan (scr.) beat A McPherson (rec. ½ 15), 10—2.
 C. Dunoon beat J. Knowles, 10—4.
 E. Greeves beat L. Read, 10—4.
 D. Morrison beat R. Morton, 10—7.
 D. Hope beat S. McCosh, 10—8.
 N. Russell beat K. Phillips, 10—8.
 W. H. Sloane beat W. H. Baird (rec. ½ 15), 10—3.
 A. G. Burnet (rec. ½ 15) beat P, M, Kennedy (scr.), 10—5.

THIRD ROUND.

- C. Dunoon beat J. R. Macmillan, 10—8.
 D. Morrison beat E. Greeves, 10—8.
 N. Russell beat D. Hope, 10—2.
 A. Burnet beat W. H. Sloane, 10—2.

SEMI-FINAL.

- D. Morrison beat C. Dunoon, 10—7.
 N. Russell beat A. Burnet, 10—9.

FINAL.

- D. I. Morrison beat N. K. Russell, 6—2, 6—3.

JUNIOR SINGLES HANDICAP, (under 16).

FIRST ROUND.

- H. Bradshaw (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat R. Lawrence (rec. 15), 10—8.
 J. Gray (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat H. Cameron (rec. 15), 10—8.
 J. McCosh (owe 15) beat I. Craig (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 10—2.
 C. Robertson (rec. 15) beat N. Gibson (rec. 15), 10—3.
 A. Sproat (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat A. R. Wettenhall (rec. 15), 10—4.
 C. Greeves (scr.) beat G. Knight (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 10—2.
 R. Ronaldson (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat R. Young (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 10—9.
 W. Hope (scr.) beat H. Macmillan (owe 30), 10—2.
 J. King (owe 50) beat A. Robertson (rec. 15), 10—4.
 A. G. Baird (owe 40) beat T. Young (rec. 15), 10—6.
 J. T. Robertson (owe 15) beat R. Stewart (rec. 15), 10—8.

SECOND ROUND.

- A. Crabtree (rec 15) beat W. Hope (rec. 15), 10—0.
 J. Gray beat H. Bradshaw, 10—9.
 J. McCosh beat C. Robertson, 10—4.
 C. Greeves beat A. Sproat, 10—9.
 W. Hope beat R. Ronaldson, 10—1.
 A. G. Baird beat J. King, 10—3.
 J. T. Robertson beat H. Wettenhall (rec. 15), 10—6.
 Lang (rec. $\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat I. Murphy (rec. 15), 10—9.

THIRD ROUND.

- A. Crabtree beat J. Gray, 10—5.
 C. Greeves beat J. McCosh, 10—6.
 A. Baird beat W. Hope, 10—6.
 J. Robertson beat Lang, 10—8.

SEMI-FINAL.

- A. Crabtree beat C. Greeves, 10—6.
 J. T. Robertson beat A. Baird, 10—8.

FINAL.

- J. T. Robertson beat A. Crabtree, 7—5, 6—8, 6—3.

DOUBLES HANDICAP.

FIRST ROUND.

- J. T. Robertson and W. Hope (owe $\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat D. Morrison and D. Hope (owe 15), 10—7.
 A. Sproat and K. Phillips (rec. 15) beat Woods and Gibson (rec. 30), 10—4.
 A. Baird and E. Greeves (owe so) beat S. McCosh and R. Morton (owe 30), 10—0.

McKay and Lang (rec. 5½) beat Anderson and Gilmour (rec. 15), 10—4.
 Burnet and W. H. Sloane (scr.) beat Cameron and A. Robertson (rec. 15½), 10—2.
 Dunoon and T. Sloane (rec 15) beat L. Read and Hodgson (owe 15½, to—5).
 J. McCosh and C. Greeves (scr.) beat Ronaldson and Craig (rec 15), 10—9.

SECOND ROUND.

C. Robertson and H. Wettenhall (rec. 30) beat T. Young and R. Lawrence (rec. 30),
 10—9.
 C. Bell and N. Russell (rec. ½ 15) beat H. Macmillan and J. B. King owe 15½),
 10—9.
 J. Robertson and W. Hope beat A. McPherson and G. Knight (rec 15½), TO—8.
 A. Baird and E. Greeves beat A. S. Sproat and K. Phillips, 10—6.
 Burnet and W. H. Sloane beat McKay and Lang, 10—3.
 J. McCosh and C. Greeves beat Dunoon and T. Sloane, 10—5.
 G. Pern and J. Knowles (rec. 15) beat I. Murphy and M. Hope (rec. 30), 10—0.
 A. Wilson and D. Kennedy (scr.) beat H. Bradshaw and J. Gray (rec. 15), 10—7.

THIRD ROUND.

C. Bell and N. Russell beat C. Robertson and H. Wettenhall, 10—5.
 A. Baird and E. Greeves beat J. Robertson and W. Hope, 10—2.
 Burnet and W. H. Sloane beat J. McCosh and C. Greeves, 10—6.
 A. Wilson and D. Kennedy beat G. Pern and J. Knowles, 10—4.

SEMI-FINAL.

C. Bell and N. Russell beat A. Baird and E. Greeves, 10—4.
 A. Wilson and D. Kennedy beat Burnet and Sloane, 10—8.

FINAL.

C. Bell and N. Russell beat A. Wilson and D. Kennedy, 6—4, 6—8, 6—3.

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND.

C. Greeves beat H. Cameron, 10—2.
 W. Hope beat A. R. Wettenhall, 10—0.
 A. Robertson beat F. H. Wettenhall, 10—9.
 A. G. Baird beat W. Gibson, 10—0.

SEMI-FINAL.

W. Hope beat C. Greeves, 10—8.
 A. G. Baird beat A. Robertson, 10—1.

FINAL.

A. G. Baird beat W. Hope, 6—0, 6—4.

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND.

A. G. Baird beat S. McCosh, 6—2, 6—3.
 D. Morrison beat J. R. Macmillan, 6—3, 6—4.
 J. B. King beat J. R. T. Macmillan,
 E. Greeves beat R. Morton, w.o.

SECOND ROUND.

R. McArthur beat W. H. Sloane, 6—1, 6—1.
 A. G. Baird beat D. Morrison, 6—0, 3—6, 6—4.
 E. Greeves beat J. B. King, 6—3, 6—3.
 C. McArthur beat J. Robertson, w.o.

SEMI-FINAL.

R. McArthur beat A. G. Baird, 6—2, 6—2.
 E. G. Greeves beat C. E. McArthur, 6—0, 3—6, 8—6.

FINAL.

R. K. McArthur beat E. G. Greeves, 6—3, 4—6, 6—1.

On Friday, Dec. 3rd, we played a tennis match against Geelong Grammar on the Geelong Courts. The match was arranged only the day before, so our four had no practice at all, and their play was consequently very weak. The match started at 3 o'clock, under a boiling sun. The Grammar had a strong four, and they played good tennis, just excelling our boys in all departments of the game, especially in volleying at the net where our lack of practice told.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawkes, as usual, very kindly provided afternoon tea for the teams and friends both during and after the match. Their generosity was greatly appreciated by the eight contestants. We wish to thank Mr. E. Austin and J. Mann (Geelong Grammar) for offering their services as umpires.

The scores were:—

H. R. Coldham and W. K. McKewan (G.G.S.) beat R. and C. McArthur (G. C.) 6—3, 9—7; and beat A. G. Baird and E. G. Greeves (G.C.), 6—0, 6—4.
 J. De Little and W. M. Irvine (G.G.S.) beat A. G. Baird and E. G. Greeves (G.C.), 6—4, 0—6, 6—2; and beat R. and C. McArthur (G.C.), 6—4, 6—4.

TOTALS:—Geelong Grammar, 4 rubbers, 8 sets, 51 games.
 Geelong College, 1 set, 34 games.

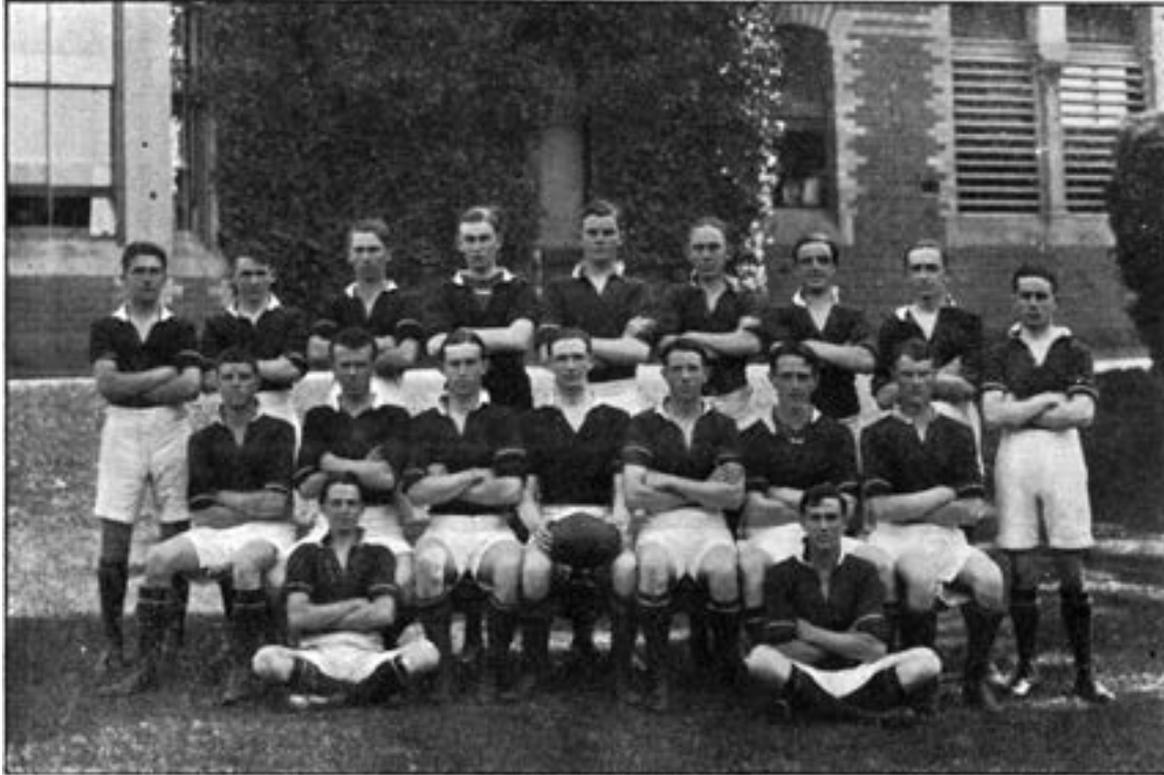
Cadet Notes.

JUNIOR CADETS.

The Junior Cadets have put in a valuable term's work, and there should be a useful batch of recruits ready for the Seniors next July. A feature of the work has been the enthusiasm with which the organised games have been entered into.

SENIOR CADETS.

There has been some improvement in the Corps this term, but Tuesday afternoon, with the Senior Cadets at least, is not yet the most popular afternoon of the week.



THE FOOTBALL TEAM.

Back Row—R. Mack, A. R. Cousen, R. B. Ball, N. K. Russell, F. W. Gilmour, A. J. M. Wilson, J. A. Henry,
H. G. Hirst, A. E. McDonald

2nd Row—C. E. McArthur, A. M. Brushfield, C. C. Bell (vice-capt.), L. P. W. Brooke (capt.), D. M. Kennedy,
J. R. Macmillan, R. K. McArthur.

In Front—J. V. Palmer, E. G. Greeves.

Here are some facts, and what appear to be obvious deductions from them:—

First. The training and the time to be allotted to it are both regulated by the laws of the Commonwealth, and have to be gone through. Therefore the more keenness put into the work, and the better its quality, the more interesting will it seem, and the less the time will drag.

Second. The Cadet Corps is an organisation by which the School comes into contact with outsiders, and by which it is judged. Therefore one of the surest ways of maintaining and increasing the prestige of the School is to build up a Cadet Corps that can take its place unshamed beside any school Corps in Australia.

Third. It is the duty of every Australian boy to fit himself to take a part in the defence of his country, and to maintain, unimpaired the reputation won by the A.I.F.

Thus from a purely selfish point of view, from the point of view of the School, and from a national point of view, the work on Tuesday afternoons should be done cheerfully, and to the best of our ability.

The most interesting development in the work of the Corps this term has been the introduction of the House Drill Competition. This was held on November 23rd, when Lieut-Colonel Freeman, D.S.O., and W.O. **Kennedy acted as judges.** The result of the competition was:—

1	{	Barwon House	} 355 points.
		Shannon House	
3.		Warrinn House	351 points.
4.		Morrison House	342 points.

Commendable keenness was shown, but the results were adversely affected by the inexperience of the boys in charge of the houses. The N.C.O's. class which was started this term, and will be continued next, should help to remedy this. The strength of the Corps will always lie mainly in its N.C.O's., and it is to be hoped that more boys will be ready to undertake the work for their house and for the School.

The Inspector-General (General Sir H. G. Chauvel) inspected the Corps at its work on November 30th. He expressed satisfaction with the work that was done, and with the general condition of the Corps, and, in a short speech to the boys, emphasised the privileges and responsibilities that were theirs as Public School boys, illustrating his remarks by a reference to the splendid war record of the Public Schools.

Annual Athletic Sports.

WE were fortunate in having delightful weather for the Annual Athletic Sports on October 16th. Timely rains had kept the oval beautifully green, and the general appearance of the grounds and buildings caused much favourable comment. The Committee had worked hard to perfect the arrangements beforehand, and the proceedings went off without a hitch. Once again we are indebted to Mr. James D'Helin for acting as starter, and for getting the events off promptly. Mr. E. C. Bradley and Mr. T. Bennett acted as timekeepers, but with all their skill they were unable to announce that any records had been broken.

A good programme of music was submitted by the City Band under Mr. Percy Jones, and afternoon tea was served in the Norman Morrison Memorial Hall.

The College Cup was won by A. J. Wilson, who deserves great credit for the persistence and enthusiasm which culminated in this result. C. C. Bell had the bad luck to have to fill the same position as last year viz.—runner-up.

The Cup for the Under 16 Championship, which previously has been called the Headmaster's Cup, is in future to be called the Elgar Opie Memorial Cup. This has been presented by Mr. Opie in memory of his son Elgar, who was killed in the war, and who, in his schoolboy days, had represented the College in the under 16 events at the Combined Sports. It was won by R. B. Ball, who was closely pressed by C. G. Rusden.

'The Headmaster's Cup is now the prize for the Under 14 Championship. The winner was R. W. Hinkley, with W. J. Moodie a good second.

The Norman Morrison Cup was won comfortably by H. H. Bradshaw.

W. Brushfield carried off the Old Collegians' Cup, and J. D'Helin, Senr. in winning the Veterans' Plate showed that his adroitness at the starting point was not confined to the handling of the pistol. His win was a very popular one.

The old boys, as usual, loyally supported the school by entering for the Old Collegians' Cup, the number of entrants being only one short of two hundred. We wish to thank them, and the donors of trophies for the various events.

The Mile Walk, which has seemed to grow less interesting year by year, has been eliminated from the programme, and a 220 Yards has been substituted.

An innovation this year has been the running of the Cup Mile before the date of the Athletic Sports.

The names of the officials, and the results of the races are sub-joined:—Committee of Management, Mr. A. H. Harry, C. C. Bell, L. P. W. Brooke, C. E. McArthur, R. K. McArthur, A. J. Wilson; Handicappers, C. C. Bell, L. P. W. Brooke, A. J. Wilson; Judges, Messrs. S. B. Calvert, F. Crichton, A. H. Harry, W. J. Lancaster, A. H. MacRoberts, G. L. Malor, C. H. Strover, C. R. Woolacott, A. T. Tait; Starter, Mr. James D'Helin; Timekeepers, Messrs. T. Bennett and E. C. Bradley; Joint Honorary Secretaries, R. K. McArthur and C. C. Bell.

GEELONG COLLEGE CUP.

LONG JUMP.—C. C. Bell, 1; H. G. Hirst, 2; A. J. Wilson, 3.

PUTTING THE WEIGHT.—C. C. Bell, 1; A. J. Wilson, 2; T. S. Ising, 3.

120 YARDS HURDLES.—A. J. Wilson, 1; C. C. Bell, 2. Time, 18 2-5 secs.

440 YARDS.—A. J. Wilson, 1; C. C. Bell, 2. Time, 55 1-5 secs.

220 YARDS.—A. J. Wilson, 1; C. C. Bell, 2. Time, 25 2-5 secs.

100 YARDS.—Not run.

HIGH JUMP.—A. J. Wilson, 1; C. C. Bell, 2.

ONE MILE.—A. J. Wilson, 1; H. G. Hirst, 2; C. C. Bell, 3.
 Time, 5 mins. 19 secs.

TOTALS:—

A. J. Wilson, 18 points	1
C. C. Bell, 15 points	2
H. G. Hirst, 4 points	3
T. S. Ising, 1 point	4

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP.

(The Elgar Opie Memorial Cup.)

LONG JUMP.—C. G. Rusden, 1; R. B. Ball, 2; J. R. T. Macmillan, 3. Distance, 16ft. 11½in.

HIGH JUMP.—C. G. Rusden, 1; R. B. Ball, and P. E. Bradley, equal, 2. Height, 5ft. ½ in.

100 YARDS.—R. B. Ball, 1; C. G. Rusden, 2; J. R. T. Macmillan, 3. Time, 11 3-5secs.

220 YARDS.—R. B. Ball, 1; C. G. Rusden, 2; J. R. T. Macmillan, 3. Time, 26 3-5 secs.

440 YARDS.—R. B. Ball, 1; C. G. Rusden, 2. Time, 61 4-5 secs.

TOTALS:—

R. B. Ball, 12½ points	1
C. G. Rusden, 12 points	2
J. R. T. Macmillan, 3 points	3

THE NORMAN MORRISON CUP. Under 16 Handicap.

100 YARDS.—F. C. Davies, 8 yds., 1; N. G. Gibson, 6 yds., and H. H. Bradshaw, 1 yd., equal. 2. Time, 11 4-5 secs.

150 YARDS.—H. H. Bradshaw, 2 yds., 1; T. G. Young, 9 yds., 2; I. M. Craig, 3 yds., 3. Time, 17 1-5 secs.

220 YARDS.—H. H. Bradshaw, 3 yds., 1; I. M. Craig, 4 yds., 2; F. C. Davies, 9 yds., 3. Time, 23 1-5 secs.

TOTALS:—

H. H. Bradshaw, 7½ points	1
F. C. Davies, 4 points	2
I. M. Craig, 3 points	3

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP. (The Headmaster's Cup.)

HIGH JUMP.—R. W. Hinkley, 1; W. L. Ingpen, and W. J. Moodie, equal, 2. Height, 4 ft. ¾ins.

100 YARDS.—W. J. Moodie, 1; R. W. Hinkley, 2; W. L. Ingpen, 3. Time, 13 1-5 sees.

220 YARDS.—R. W. Hinkley, 1; W. J. Moodie, 2; W. L. Ingpen, 3. Time, 30 1-5 sees.

TOTALS:—

R. W. Hinkley, 8 points	1
W. J. Moodie, 6½ points	2
W. L. Ingpen, 3½ points	3

OPEN EVENTS.

THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—J. A. Henry, 1. Distance 79yds. 2ft.

LONG JUMP.—L. P. W. Brooke, 1; C. C. Bell, 2; J. G. Stewart, 3. Distance, 17ft. 11½ins.

PUTTING THE WEIGHT.—N. K. Russell, 1; F. W. Gilmour, 2; C. E. McArthur, 3. Distance, 31ft. 5½ins.

OPEN 100 YARDS, (Mrs. W. A. McPherson's Trophy).—T. S. Ising, 1; T. W. Campbell, 2; J. A. Henry, 3. Time, 11 3-5 sees.

SENIOR MANX RACE, 100 Yards.—W. L. Waugh and E. G. Greeves, 3yds. 1; G. G. Pern and L. Hodgson, 7yds., 2; D. W. Hope and G. Waugh, 5yds., 3.

120 YARDS, UNDER 14, (Mr. W. J. Thome's Trophy).—W. J. Moodie, 4yds., 1; R. W. Hinkey, 3yds., 2; H. L. Cameron, 6yds., 3. Time, 15 secs.

100 YARDS, UNDER 13, (Mrs. R. C. Webb's Trophy). A. H. Richardson, 4yds., 1; E. J. Smith, 6yds., 2; V. Ekstedt, 1yd., 3. Time, 13 3-5 secs.

THE ASSOCIATION PLATE, 100 Yards, (Presented by J. L. Currie, Es. on behalf of the Old Collegians' Association).—J. R. Macmillan, 5 yds., 1; W. L. Waugh, 6yds., 2; A. Rusden, 3yds. 3. Time, 10 3-5 secs.

120 YARDS HURDLES, (Mr. Lewis Bell's Trophy).—D. W. Hope, 10yds. bhd. scr., 1; N. K. Russell, 10yds. bhd. scr., 2; E. G. Greeves, 2 yds. bhd. scr., 3. Time, 19 1-5 secs.

880 YARDS, (Messrs. P. & E. C. Bradley's Trophy).—A. Brushfield, 10yds. 1; R. Waugh, 40yds., 2; J. Callan, 20 yds., 3. Time, 2 mins. 13 3-5 secs.

100 YARDS UNDER 12,—K. P. Strong, 6yds., 1; W. J. Coop, 8yds., 2; J. A. Pettitt, 8yds., 3. Time, 13 2-5 secs.

300 YARDS, UNDER 15, (Lieut-Colonel Purnell's Trophy).—C. P. Reilly, 5yds., 1; R. G. Strong, 15yds., 2; C. Greeves, 20yds., 3. Time, 39 3-5 secs.

HIGH JUMP, (Mr. R. E. McArthur's Trophy).—N. K. Russell, 1; A. A. Lang, 2; J. G. Stewart, 3. Height, 5ft. 2ins.

THE E. R. SPARROW CUP, 440 Yards.—D. W. Hope, 20yds, 1; R. Waugh, 35yds., 2; J. R. Macmillan, 10yds., 3. Time, 55 4-5 secs.

EGG AND SPOON RACE. 75 Yards.—J. V. J. L. Palmer, 1; C. Greeves, 2; C. French, 3.

220 YARDS, OPEN, (Dr. R. R. Wettenhall's Trophy).—W. L. Waugh, 7yds., 1; E. Greeves, 8yds., 2; J. R. Macmillan, 8yds., 3. Time, 26 1-5 secs.

JUNIOR MANX RACE, 100 Yards.—D. Ross and P. Biddle, scratch, 1; A. G. Baird and C. Greeves, 2yds., 2; E. Hope and I. Murphy, 7yds, 3.

880 YARDS, UNDER 16, (Mrs. T. S. Hawkes's Trophy).—E. McCann, scr, 1; J. R. T. Macmillan, scr, 2; A. Rentoul, 10yds, 3. Time, 2 mins. 23 2-5 sees.

ISO YARDS, (The plasters' Trophy).—C. C. Bell, 1yd, 1; T. Campbell, 4yds, 2; T. Ising, scr, 3. Time, 16 1-5 secs.

100 YARDS HURDLES, Under 16, (Mrs. J. Russell's Trophy).—R. B. Ball, 10yds. bhd. scr, 1; P. Bradley, 8yds. bhd. scr, 2; C. Reilly, 6yds. bhd. scr, 3. Time, 18 2-5 secs.

SACK RACE, 75 Yards.—G. W. Hope, 1; F. C. Davies, 2; J. Perston, 3.

FORMS' FLAG RACE.—Form Middle V. (E. W. McCann, K. H. Phillips, E. G. Greeves, E. N. Pearl, I. M. Craig, F. C. Davies), 4yds, 1; Middle IV. and Lower IV, 14yds, 2.

440 YARDS STEEPLECHASE, (Mrs. W. A. Waugh's Trophy).—N. K. Russell, 5yds, 1; W. Waugh, 20yds, 2; D. Kennedy, 10yds, 3. Time, 65 sees.

100 YARDS, Under 15, (The Messrs. MacFarland's Trophy).—T. G. Young, 7yds, 1; P. Biddle, scr, 2; P. Reilly, scr, 3. Time, 12 2-5 secs.

ONE MILE, (The Roy Pillow Trophy).—H. G. Hirst, scr, 1; J. Callan, 60 yds, 2; R. Lockwood, 40yds, 3. Time, 5 mins. 6 sees.

OLD COLLEGIANS' CUP, 120 Yards.—W. Brushfield, 5 yds, 1; H. R. Wilson, 13yds, 2; J. R. D'Helin, 14yds, 3. Time, 13 secs.

VETERANS' PLATE, 75 Yards.—J. D'Helin, 14yds, 1; R. B. Keays, 7yds., 2; C. Champ, 5yds. bhd. scr, 3.

Combined Public Schools' Sports.

THE Annual Combined Public Schools' Sports took place, on the Melbourne Cricket Ground on Friday, October 29th. It was fortunate that amidst so much uncertain weather the day proved to be an ideal one. The special train was as usual crowded, and much enthusiasm was displayed on the journey to the metropolis.

A very large crowd attended the meeting, but there was less excitement than last year, as the Melbourne Grammar School early in the contest established a useful lead and were never afterwards overtaken. At the close of the meeting they received the "Argus" and "Australasian" Cup at the hands of His Excellency the Governor-General, Lord Forster.

No Public School records were broken at the meeting, but R. J. Inglis of Scotch College succeeded in equalling the record for 100 Yards under 15 already made in 1910, 1913 and 1919.

The final scores were:—Melbourne Grammar School, 100½ points; Scotch College, 75 1-3 points; Wesley College, 57 5-6 points; Geelong Grammar School, 45 5-6 points; Xavier College, 44½ points; Geelong College, 18 points.

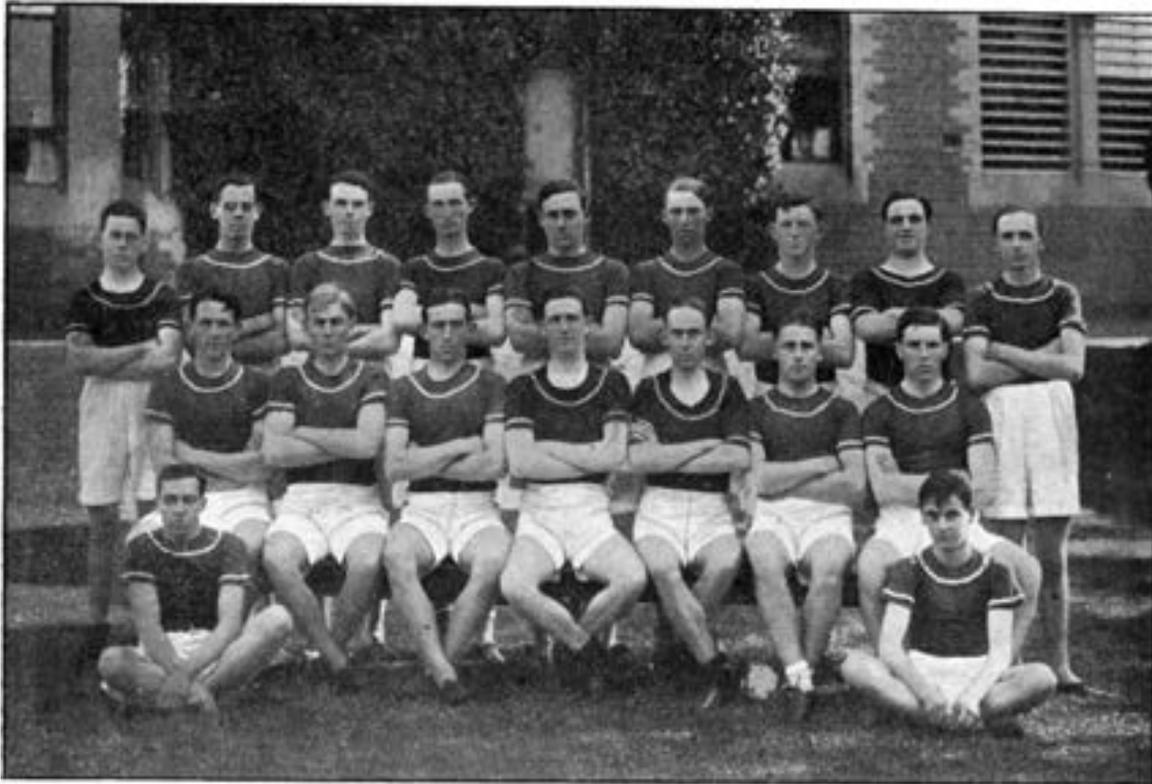
The College team was outclassed, but there were three creditable individual performances. A. J. Wilson won the 880 Yards Open, and is to be congratulated on the excellent race he ran; N. K. Russell cleared 5ft. 4in. in the High Jump, Open; and C. G. Rusden jumped 18ft. $14\frac{1}{2}$ m. in the Long Jump under 16, beating by $\frac{1}{4}$ in the College record put up by J. A. Henry in the same event last year.

The following were the College representatives:—L. P. W. Brooke (Capt), A. J. Wilson, C. C. Bell, N. K. Russell, T. S. Ising, D. W. Hope, J. A. Henry, H. G. Hirst, R. B. Ball, P. F. Biddle, R. W. Hinkley, E. W. McCann, P. E. Bradley, C. G. Rusden. The following additional runners ran in the Flag Race:—T. W. Campbell, A. E. McDonald, J. R. Macmillan, A. S. Rusden, W. L. Waugh.

The detailed results (which include only the first three in each event) were:—

OPEN EVENTS.

PUTTING THE WEIGHT—A. D. McIntosh (Wesley College), 36ft. 10in., 1; H. M. Austin (Melbourne Grammar School), 35ft. $7\frac{3}{4}$ in., 2; W. J. Wallace (Geelong Grammar School), 30ft. $9\frac{1}{4}$ in., 3.



THE RUNNING TEAM.

Back Row—A. E. McDonald, C. G. Rusden, P. E. Bradley, E. W. McCann, T. W. Campbell, R. B. Ball, W. L. Waugh
J. A. Henry, H. G. Hirst.
2nd Row—J. R. Macmillan, N. K. Russell, C. C. Bell, L. P. W. Brooke (capt.), A. J. M. Wilson, T. S. Ising, D. W. Hope.
In Front—A. S. Rusden, P. F. Biddle.

HIGH JUMP.—D. V. Duigan (Melbourne Grammar School), and A. R. Adams (Scotch College), 5ft. 7in., equal, 1; K. S. Creed (Wesley College), 5ft 6in., 3.

100 YARDS.—C. B. Melville (Scotch College), 1; J. D. Begg (Melbourne Grammar School), and J. M. Elder (Geelong Grammar School), equal, 2. Won by six inches. Time, 10 3-5 sec.

220 YARDS.—C. B. Melville (Scotch College), 1; J. D. Begg (Melbourne Grammar School), 2; F. X. Mornane (Xavier College), 3. Won by two yards. Time, 24 secs.

120 YARDS HURDLE.—J. Richardson (Melbourne Grammar School), 1; J. M. Elder (Geelong Grammar School), 2; V. T. Kelly, (Xavier College), 3. Won by a yard. Time, 16 4-5 sec.

ONE MILE.—J. H. Newman (Melbourne Grammar School), 1; M. E. Bates (Geelong Grammar School), 2; R. H. Lee (Wesley College), 3. Won by five yards after a splendid race. Time, 4 min. 51 sec.

440 YARDS.—J. A. Richardson (Melbourne Grammar School), 1; C. B. Melville (Scotch College), 2; A. N. L. Patten (Wesley College), and C. R. Speeding (Geelong Grammar School), equal, 3. Won by three yards after an exciting race. Time, 52 2-5 sec.

880 YARDS.—A. J. Wilson (Geelong College), 1; J. E. Owen (Scotch College), 2; T. Standing (Wesley College), 3. Won by three yards. Time, 2 min. 9 3-5 sees.

LONG JUMP.—J. D. Begg (Melbourne Grammar School), 20ft 7¼ 1; A. B. Adams (Scotch College), 20ft., 2; C. R. Speeding (Geelong Grammar School), 19ft. 11½ in., 3.

FLAG RACE.—Xavier College, 1; Melbourne Grammar School, 2; Wesley College, 3.

UNDER 16 EVENTS.

100" YARDS.—S. Bishop (Melbourne Grammar School), 1; K. Lidgett (Wesley College), 2; R. U. Jones (Xavier College), 3. Won by two yards. Time, 11 1-5 sec.

220 YARDS.—S. Bishop (Melb. Grammar School), 1; R. U. Jones (Xavier College), 2; K. Lidgett (Wesley College), 3. Won easily. Time, 25½ sec.

440 YARDS.—C. J. Lane (Melbourne Grammar School), 1; J. A. B. Dibbs (Wesley College), 2; K. R. Cussen (Xavier College), 3. Won by three yards. Time, 57 2-5 secs.

HIGH JUMP.—F. S. Vine (Melbourne Grammar School), 5ft. 1in., 1; W. A. Liddle (Scotch College) and J. R. M. Crockett (Wesley College), equal, 2.

LONG JUMP.—K. Lidgett (Wesley College), 18ft. 11½in., 1; W. A. Liddle (Scotch College), 18ft. 10in., 2; J. A. Wright (Melbourne Grammar School), 18ft. 9½in., 3.

UNDER 15 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—R. J. Inglis (Scotch College), 1; E. Turnbull (Wesley College), 2; S. A. Jones (Xavier College), 3. Won by a yard. Time, 11 1-5 sees.

300 YARDS.—R. J. Inglis (Scotch College), 1; A. B. Chirnside (Geelong Grammar School), 2; P. J. Macarthur (Xavier College), 3. Won easily. Time, 37 1-5 sees.

UNDER 14 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—G. J. Brooksbank (Melbourne Grammar School), 1; A. B. Ronald Geelong Grammar School), 2; V. Kwong (Scotch College) and N. V. Cansick (Wesley College), equal, 3. Won easily. Time, 11 7-10 secs.

HIGH JUMP.—K. C. Keane (Xavier College), 4ft. 8½in., 1; H. J. Macdonald (Geelong Grammar School), W. B. Macdougall (Scotch College), and W. H. Seabrook (Wesley College), equal, 3.

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Old Boys' Column.

EXTRACTS from Association Rules :—

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

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

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

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

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

Since last publication, we acknowledge with thanks, corrections and additions forwarded in connection with our Active Service List by Old Boys. We are proud to add several new names to the Honour List of those who served in the war with distinction. Further corrections or additions are still solicited to enable our lists to be made as perfect as possible.

We regret to record the death of Mr. Holford H. Wettenhall, aged 80 years, a pioneer pastoralist, and famous breeder of sheep in Victoria, at Carrs Plains near Stawell. Seven sons of the late Mr. Wettenhall passed through the College, and at present two of his grandsons are with us, these being sons of Allan H. Wettenhall of Marnoo.

. Extract of letter received by Dr. Norman McArthur from Mr. Roland Ive, in reference to the Timms brothers. Mr. Ive has for many years been a large wool buyer in Australia, and a patient of Dr. McArthur:—

". . . . Dr. Alick Timms' younger brother, Dr. C. C. Timms, had the Military Cross conferred upon him on four different occasions in France—M.C. with three bars. He must have felt lonely when the guns ceased to bark at the end of the War operations. I thought, perhaps, you and all connected with the Geelong College, both past and present, would be delighted to hear of this unusual honour.

Perhaps you may know about it, but there is no harm done in that case in my making sure that the College should know of the distinction, as I don't suppose you would hear from the Timms boys themselves—they are not built that way. There was another brother killed at Gallipoli. He has engaged with West Australian pastoral affairs and joined one of the contingents from that State. Dr. A. B. Timms, my medical adviser here, (Red Hill, England), has done considerable civil work during the war, so I don't think Geelong College was disgraced by the indifference of the Timms family for the Honour of the British flag in the Great World's War."

C. Anderson visited Geelong from Magenta Station, Balranald during Cup week. He looks well, and made tender enquiries for Old Boys of the early eighties. We hope to see him again when the Prep. School is in full swing, perhaps when his friend Willie Waugh comes to Geelong in May for the Boat Race.

We were pleased to have a visit from F. E. D. Cox and J. C. Trumble during the last term.

Mr. Frederick Ewart Moreton, B.E.E., who has been appointed efficiency engineer at the power plant of the Edison Electric Company, Detroit, U.S.A., is a graduate of the Geelong College and the University of Melbourne. During his University course Mr. Moreton was a member of the Students' Representative Council, and was prominent in engineering circles. He graduated as a Bachelor of Electrical Engineering in 1918. Just prior to his recent appointment in America he declined the offer of a professorship in engineering at the Technical School, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Mr. Moreton, who is a son of Dr. Moreton, of Geelong, served as a private with the 5th Infantry of the First Australian Expeditionary Force.

America is not only using Australian talent in professorial and industrial work, but is desirous of attracting Australian University graduates for further studies. It was reported recently that Australian alumni of the Pennsylvania University had raised 40,000 dollars for the establishment of a scholarship at the Pennsylvania Dental School for graduates of Australian Universities.

Mr. Alex Philip, of Mount Hamilton Station, called during November, and appeared very pleased with the growth of the School, and latest improvements completed since his last visit.

The McFarland brothers, Bob, Harold, Frank and Eric were down for the wedding of Harold on the 30th November.

Jack Salmon has joined a Geelong firm, and settled in Geelong. We wish him luck.

Colin Calvert has sold his property at "Enuc Park," Skipton, and sails for England in February with his wife and son.

Tom Murray returned to England with his wife in November, after having sold the family home "Wool Wool."

Stuart Robertson has sold his station in New South Wales, and is taking a spell at the seaside in Victoria with the family.

The Geelong Pennant Tennis Team, which contained four Old Collegians, fought their way into the finals, being beaten by South Yarra in the play-off after a hard battle.

We congratulate Jack Hawkes on his performance at the recent Championship Lawn Tennis Tournament in Melbourne—especially for the fight he put up against G. L. Patterson in the semi-finals of the Championship of Victoria. In addition, he very nearly got into the Davis Cup Four; the choice for the last position, for which he was a claimant, causing the selector great difficulty.

Jack Douglass has abandoned the wool business in Geelong, and taken to station life with his two brothers at "Merringroon," West Wyalong, New South Wales.

We were pleased to see two of our Old Boys from the country come down to the school on Dec. 4th, to play in a cricket match between the Old Boys and the Present Boys. They were Keith and Ian Campbell, tanned by hard work under a blazing sun.

We appreciate the interest Harold Hurst continues to take in the school. He has promised some "Nature Notes" for our next term's "Pegasus"; and has enriched the Prefects' Room with magazines and gramophone records. In addition he is still taking boys down the river and instilling into them the rudiments of rowing.

Don McKindlay has been in Melbourne for a holiday. He attended the three days of the cricket match, England and Victoria. He is staying "just as long as the money holds out," as he said.

Lai Robertson has been for a holiday to the Blue Mountains, and has now settled down to work on his father's station, "Murroa," Hamilton.

Reg Campbell has left Dalgety's Ltd., Geelong, and has gone to Melbourne. .

The War Memorial Endowment Fund.

THE following donations have been acknowledged since our last publication. The Secretary will be pleased to hear from new subscribers or from those who have not sent in promised instalments.

McGarvie, William (1st Instalment, 5 years)	.10 0 0
McArthur, L. G. (1st Instalment 5 years)	.5 0 0
Grutzner, F. W. Dr. (3rd Instalment)	3 3 0
Batten, O. (2nd Instalment)	2 2 0
Collocott, H. F.	.1 1 0
Dickson, Douglas.	.1 1 0
Hewison, J. H.	.1 1 0
Gibb, H. I. (2nd Instalment)	1 0 0
Daniel, F. J.0 10 6

(Five guineas acknowledged last term from G. H. Moreton should have read S. H. Moreton).

- The Sub-committee is now making necessary arrangements for the erection of a Memorial at the College, particulars of which are not yet finalised.

Memorial to George Ernest Morrison, M D., F.R.G.S.

THE Hon. Secretary to the Old Collegians' Association will be pleased to acknowledge donations towards the cost of erecting a Bronze Memorial Tablet at the School, to perpetuate the memory of our greatest Old Collegian.

The distinguished Explorer* and the late Political Adviser to the Chinese Republic was born and educated at the Geelong College.

Writing to an Old Collegian recently, Sir H. Y. Braddon, of Sydney, wrote as follows concerning the late Dr. George Ernest Morrison:—

I met him in Montreal about January, 1919, and had two or three very interesting talks with him. He was a man of very exceptional type—of whom Australia may be well proud, and it is perhaps a reproach to us that he is, I fancy, better known in England than in most of the Australian cities.

However, that reproach is unlikely to apply to Geelong or to the College where he studied as a boy: for it can hardly be supposed that either the College or the District can fail to adequately appreciate Morrison's imperial work and extraordinarily fine personal character.

The Debating Society.

TOWARDS the close of last term an interesting debate was held with Melbourne Grammar School. Our team, which consisted of A. G. Burnet, A. J. Wilson, W. H. Baird and D. I. Morrison, journeyed to Melbourne with the football team, and in the evening the debate was held. The College took the affirmative in the question "That the present compulsory training system be abolished/" and was led by A. G. Burnet. After an interesting debate, Judge Woinarski, who acted as arbiter, gave his decision in favour of the home team by two points. Both teams were afterwards entertained for supper by the headmaster of the Melbourne Grammar School.

The final meeting for the year—the Annual Banquet—was held in the dining room on Saturday, 2nd October. There was a large muster of members, and an enjoyable evening was spent. After the toast of

"The King" had been honoured, Campbell proposed the toast of "The Society." The reply was in the capable hands of R. McArthur. The toast of "The Office-Bearers" was next proposed by Macmillan, and the reply was entrusted to C. McArthur. In replying to the toast of "The Masters," proposed by Baird, Mr. Harry announced that the prize for the best senior speaker had been awarded to Baird, and that in place of his junior prize, a special prize had been awarded to A. Wilson. The next toast was "Those who are leaving." This was proposed by Morrison, and replied to by Wilson. The closing toast of the evening, "The Public Examination Candidates," elicited a maiden speech from Hodgson, and was replied to by Burnet. "Auld Lang Syne" closed another year of the Debating Society. Our best thanks are due to R. Morton, whose vocal items were a feature of the evening, and*to A. Longden for his services as pianist.

Ormond Letter.

SINCE last letter many of us have faced the August exams., and, we are pleased to say, have something to show for it.

N. A. Longden passed in Forensic Medicine. Max Burnet was runner-up in two exhibitions in Medicine, Division III., obtaining second class honours in Pathology and Therapeutics, and Public Health. Jim Sharland and George Scott passed in Medicine, Division II. Allan Waterhouse passed in Physiology. We secured the exhibition in Anatomy for the third year in succession. Others of us have exams, coming on next week, and we hope to have a big list for the next issue of the "Pegasus."

The Inter-Collegiate Tennis resulted in Trinity beating us in the final. N. A. Longden was in the team. The final of the Cricket, which had to be postponed from first term, also resulted in a win for Trinity. N. A. Longden again represented us.

A play entitled "Manners Mixed" was produced by the Dramatic-Club in the Melba Hall early this term, and proved a great success. The play was written by Jack Rogers. Jim Sharland took a leading part, and Flo Pearson was Secretary.

The additions to the buildings are progressing favourably, and we hope they will be finished by March, and that we may be welcoming some of you from the Old School in them. It is good to see the College well represented in Ormond, and we hope that all those who have serious intentions of taking a University course will have no difficulty in finding their way to Ormond.

Speech Day.

(From the Geelong Advertiser).

LAYING THE FOUNDATION STONE OF THE NEW PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

THE laying of the foundation stone of the new Preparatory School of the Geelong College passed off successfully. The preparation of the stone and the ground work was something to the credit of the contractors, Messrs. Pescott and Sons, for the agreement for the work was only signed at 11 a.m. on Friday. There was a distinguished assemblage gathered for the function. Associated with Mr. Charles Shannon (Chairman of the College Council) on the improvised platform were members of the College Council and representatives of the Old Collegians' Association. Amongst these were Sir John Monash and Dr. Norman McArthur. The souvenir trowel was presented to Mr. Shannon by the youngest boy in the school, Athol Baird. A plain inscription is upon the stone:—"This stone was laid by Charles Shannon, Esq., December 14, 1920."

After the Rev. D. A. Cameron had offered prayer, the Rev. D. A. McKenzie, the chairman of the Board of Education of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria, addressed the gathering. He said that the Presbyterian Church for years had been interested in the problem of education. Though the denomination stood strongly by the State system of education they believed that they, as a church, had something to do in the matter. He congratulated Geelong on the fact that the establishment of the College Preparatory School marked a distinct development in the growth of the city, as the educational capital of the State. Geelong had been deprived of becoming the political and commercial capital, but there were other fields to conquer, and he believed that Geelong still had a great

part to play, and would play it. Geelong College had justified its existence, and had made a great contribution to the general life of the State. Public Schools stood for leadership, and during recent years the men from these schools had taken their stand in the forefront. The prayer of all was that the ideals of the schools would go still deeper into the lives of the young people. Mr. Cameron congratulated Mr. Rolland on the new departure during his headmastership, and also the boys on the fact that they were living in the days of great opportunity. He urged them to practice the spirit of self-sacrifice and faith if they were to realise the opportunities of these days.

In detailing the steps which had led up to the decision to establish the Preparatory School, the chairman of the College Council, Mr. Charles Shannon, said that the idea had long been considered. The Council had only hesitated on the question of ways and means. However, they had approached the Board of Finance of the Presbyterian Church, and had secured a loan to enable the commencement of the project. The total cost would be about £6000. Towards this they had received promises of donations amounting to £2200. Further donations were expected to reduce the amount. Geelong College was not alone in this appeal for funds, as was evidenced by the appeal in the Press last week for financial aid for the Sydney public schools. This applied also to some of the schools of Victoria.

Mr. Shannon then placed in a recess under the foundation stone a copy of the latest prospectus of the College, a copy of the latest "Pegasus," a copy of an article setting out the aims of Preparatory School, and a copy of the "Geelong Advertiser" and other papers. Mr. Shannon referred to the possibility of the finding of these records hundreds of years hence, when Geelong would have perhaps a population of 100,000. The people of that day would then say of the contributors enabling the extension, "What a far-seeing people they were to have provided for the College in this way." He believed that the Preparatory School was going to accomplish a fine work, and he wished it all success.

Dr. Norman McArthur, a member of the College Council and a past president of the Old Collegians' Association, described Mr. Shannon as "the grand old man of Geelong College." He held a unique position, possibly the only one of its kind in the public schools of Australia, inas-

much as he was elected an honorary member of the Old Collegians' Association, although he had never attended the school. Mr. Shannon was a man who would retire to the background if he could, but the Council and the boys desired that he should perform this function, and thus associate himself irremovably with the College.

Tapping the stone lightly with the presentation trowel, Mr. Shannon declared the stone to be "well and truly laid," and the College flag was then unfurled amidst cheers. Further cheers were given by the boys and the ceremony concluded with prayer offered by the Rev. J. A. Forrest.

THE DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

Speaking at the Annual Prize Distribution of the Geelong College at the Mechanics' Hall on December 14, Sir John Monash referred to the fine war record of the College, and to the splendid men who had spent their schooldays at this College. Special mention was made of several who had been intimate friends for years. It had been his great privilege to meet the late Dr. Morrison in London not many weeks before the latter passed away. Mr. Norman Morrison, a former headmaster, had been a brother in arms with him in the civilian forces. He gratefully remembered the loyal service which the soldier boys of the College had rendered him during the war. "As a public school boy myself, I am proud of the part played by the public schools of Australia in the war," Sir John said, amidst applause. The war had been a very severe test, not only of physical endurance, but also of mental calibre. Modern wars required more than strength of muscle—they required brain and intellect.

Speaking of the A.I.F., Sir John said that of the many parts of the great Australian field army, he had always regarded the part known in general terms as the intellect of the army, namely the staff, as of supreme importance. However brave and efficient the individual Australian might have been, Sir John emphatically stated that they would have been helpless had they not been guided and supported by a fully qualified staff. He thought it would be almost true to say that the majority of the staffs from Corps to Battalion were composed of public school boys. Even as Wellington was alleged to have said that Waterloo was won on the playing fields of Eton, so was the great success of the A.I.F. won in the public schools of Australia,

Speaking to the parents, Sir John pleaded with them not to make up their minds—or their son's minds—too early as to a specialised career. The great mistake of modern secondary education was to turn a boy early in life into a definite track, and thereby narrow his selection of a calling. What was wanted was breadth of education. No man could hope to become a great professional man unless he began by being a cultured man. The fault at present was that we had men high up in some particular calling, but with no culture whatever.

After speaking to the boys of the traditions which had been handed down to them by the A.I.F., the speaker dealt individually with the qualities which helped to bring success. These included loyalty, comradeship, and respect for discipline. There had been a great many ridiculous stories spread about the world regarding the discipline of the Australians. "Let me label these now as ridiculous fictions," Sir John said. The Australians had realised the necessity for rules and regulations. All the qualities which he had mentioned applied equally well to the problems which faced us now. Australia appeared to be at the parting of the ways. Were our own people going to break themselves up into cliques and classes and even individuals to obtain their own particular ends, or were we as a nation going to work together, each one doing his best for the common good of all? He urged the boys to remember that their education was intended to fit them for national service; the public school boy was going to be the saviour of this young nation. He was going to be the leader in politics, commerce and industry.

Sir John Monash then presented the prizes to the boys. Mr. J. A. Gillespie, president of the Old Collegians' Association, presented the sports' prizes. The prize for the essay was won by Douglass Neville. His subject was "Good Citizenship," and he received an autographed copy of Sir John Monash's book, "Australian Victories in France, 1918."

ANNUAL REPORT.

I have to submit to you the 60th Annual Report of the Geelong College. The number of boys on the roll for 1920 is the largest in the history of the school. During the year we had to provide additional accommodation for boarders and another large dormitory will be added during the vacation. This will give us room in our two houses for over a hundred boarders. The new class rooms to be erected will accommodate 75 more boys than we have at present. These additions will allow us

room for considerable growth. When our new rooms are full it will be necessary for the Council to consider whether a still larger school is desirable or not. It is an open question. There may be room within the circle of the Associated Schools for one Public School conducted on lines which would be possible only when the number of boys was comparatively small.

Little alteration has taken place in the curriculum this year. The most interesting is the introduction of a class in practical agriculture. The experiment has proved a distinct success. The course will be much more fully developed next year, and a very valuable training will be given to all boys who are intending to go on the land when they leave school. We have some special advantages for the development of this course, as we are near the best experimental farms in the State. Ground at the College will be ploughed and harrowed and made ready for next year's experiments. Although there is a certain advantage in having senior science and mathematics taught by the same master—for he can thus very closely correlate these two studies—there is the greater disadvantage that in each subject the scholar has a succession of masters who may have slightly different methods. It has therefore been decided to have a senior mathematical master, who will take all the higher classes in arithmetic, algebra, trigonometry and geometry. We have been fortunate in securing the services of an experienced, senior mathematical master, who can work in close relation with the senior science master, as he is himself a Master of Science, and a Final Honorman and Dixon Scholar in Natural Philosophy at the Melbourne University. This will allow our senior science master to devote more time to chemistry and physics, and agricultural science throughout the school. While speaking of changes in the staff, I should like to express my appreciation of the fine work and influence of Mr. Orton, who left us to be nearer the University, where he wished to complete his Arts course. Our only consolation is that his place has been taken by a distinguished old boy of the College. Mr. Alan Tait concluded his University career by taking final honors, and carrying off the Exhibition in Philosophy. He has gained distinction also in the world of sport, and in the sterner game of war. His military experience is of the greatest value to our cadets, who are becoming an efficient corps, and did credit to their officers in the recent inspection by General Sir Harry Chauvel.

May I say at this point that the assistant masters of this school deserve well of it. Their working hours have no limit of time table. Their little leisure has often been surrendered to the boys' interests. I thank them all and especially the senior master for the unfailing courtesy and helpfulness towards myself.

To the prefects also the school is indebted. A maid told me the other day that one of the "perfects" wanted to see me at the door. Without going as far as that I believe that the College can seldom have been led by boys who fulfilled

the responsibilities of their office with more justice and tactfulness. The honor of the school has been very safe in their hands.

There are many friends of the school who have generously helped us this year. The members of the Council have given much time to College affairs during the last twelve months. As far as I can see their reward will be even harder work next year. I should like to thank the following ladies and gentlemen who have given prizes:—Mrs. Bell, Mrs. McArthur, Mrs. Hawkes, Mrs. Gray, Canon Wheeler, Dr. Baxter, Mr. Washington, Mr. Harry, Mr. Calvert, Mr. Roadknight, M. Bibron, and Mr. Cotton; and others who have given sports' trophies:—Mrs. Hawkes, Mrs. M. A. McPherson, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Waugh, Mrs. Pillow, Mrs. Webb, Messrs. Macfarland, Sparrow, Opic, T. S. Hawkes, F. Purnell, R. E. McArthur, P. & E. C. Bradley, Bell, J. L. Currie, W. J. Thorne, Dr. Wettenhall and the Masters.

The College is much indebted to Mr. Eric and Mr. Jas. Russell who have given us a second tennis court, a very much needed addition to the school. Two of our old boys, who have done good things in tennis this year, Mr. Tom and Mr. Jack Hawkes, have presented the school with an Honor Board for the swimming championships. Mr. F. A. Campbell has given two of his own delightful aquatints to be hung in the boarders' sitting room. Mr. and Mrs. Collier have given a historical picture in memory of their son, Lieut. Collier, who fell in the great war. Mr. Russell Keays has given a donation to the clock fund, some members of the Council have provided indoor games for winter evenings, and some have given a generous lead to a movement that I hope will not end until our College is entirely free from the burden of debt, and is enabled to render that splendid service to the city of Geelong which is given by properly endowed Public Schools in cities like Edinburgh. We are very much indebted also to Mr. Young and Mr. Harold Hirst for the time and trouble they have devoted to our rowing boys.

Turning now to our old boys, it is with sorrow that we have to record the death of the most famous of them all, Dr. George Ernest Morrison. His career when fully recorded will provide a romance of real life without a modern parallel. It is extraordinary to think of this old Geelong Collegian controlling the foreign policy of China, doing more for Britain in the East than whole armies, and more for China than any of its own rulers. Steps are being taken to place in the College a worthy memorial of its illustrious son.

We must congratulate various old boys on distinctions that have come to them in 1920.

The following College boys have passed the leaving examination since last Speech Day:—A. M. Baird, N. G. Box, A. G. Burnet, B. R. Keith, J. B. Patterson, and H. T. Price; R. K. McArthur and F. M. Lee obtained honors in English; R. K.

McArthur, A. J. Wilson and J. R. Macmillan honors in history; B. R. Keith honors in French; and F. M. Lee honors in physics. The following boys passed the intermediate examination:—H. A. Anderson, A. L. Cruickshank, D. W. Hope, J. B. King, J. R. T. Macmillan, D. I. Morrison, C. E. Rich, A. J. Roffey, H. J. Taylor, T. J. Colvin, J. L. Doyle, W. F. Marquardt, A. E. MacDonald, H. S. Price and W. S. Sharland.

I have not been here long enough to make any general comparisons between one year and another in the way of work and play. I am sorry to find still lingering in immature minds a belief very prevalent in my own schooldays that a boy brings more honor to the school by some skill of foot or hand than by resolute work in his class. Sport, as a servant, is one of God's best gifts, building up the body and strengthening the will and the social instincts, but sport as a master, as an end in itself, produces moral and mental slackers, who will never sacrifice their own pleasure for the good of the community. I am glad, however, to know that the hardest workers in the school are not neglecting the training of the body, and I congratulate one of our prefects, A. J. Wilson, on winning, in the same year, the Duxship and the College Cup. It is amazing to me how a school with comparatively few big boys can compete as it does with much larger schools. We have attained no victories, although we have sometimes come close to them. Our boys deserve appreciation for the resolute fights they have put up, and for the cheery optimism with which they confront each new contest. They have earned a name everywhere for pluck and sportsmanship, and I have reason to believe that the other schools, with all of whom we are on the happiest terms, would be almost as pleased as ourselves should the Geelong College have a run of victories. While I confess I should like to see our boys rewarded in this way, I sometimes feel that these uphill battles are developing in them far more fully than success could do, those splendid qualities that have given our race its great position in the world. Towards the end of the year the idea of dividing the school with Houses to create keener team competition within our boundaries was suggested by Mr. MacRoberts, and adopted by the sports committee. Although so far only applied to cricket and the cadet corps, it has proved an immediate success. Morrison, Shannon, Warrinn and Barwon have been chosen as the names of the Houses.

The event in the history of the year that excited most interest was undoubtedly the bringing to the school and the unveiling of captured German guns, which were presented to the College by the Government of France. We are indebted to Mr. F. Purnell for his thought and trouble in securing these trophies for his old school. We have had some fine lectures this year from distinguished visitors, ranging from an address by General Birdwood to a talk on music by Dr. Floyd, organist of St. Paul's Cathedral. The boys have delighted all the speakers by their enthusiastic appreciation.

The Field Naturalists' Association has increased the boys' interest in the world about them. My gratitude to its members includes a lively sense of favors to come.

Next year the time-tables will allow for a series of lectures by experts, which will give the boys opportunities of meeting interesting men, and of getting into closer touch with the life of the community.

As I look back on the past twelve months, the most frequently recurring figures seem to be the plumbers, the carpenters, and the painters! It has been a year of restoration inside the school and outside. It has also been a year of new buildings. Additional accommodation for domestic staff is nearly finished. An upstairs sleeping-out place has added an interesting feature to the boarders' quarters. Plans are now drawn up for a complete hospital, with wards and nurses' rooms and kitchen, in case of any outbreak of the infectious ailments, to which schools are sometimes subject.

The foundation-stone of the new Preparatory School has been laid to-day. As new classrooms had to be erected, it seemed wiser to build an entirely new school in which the younger boys could have a life of their own, and yet begin at an earlier age their connection with the College. In this way their education will proceed without a break from the time the boys can read till the age at which they enter the University. As it is extremely difficult to make the final arrangements for the school before some idea is gained of the number of boys who will be enrolled, I should be very glad if all parents intending to send their boys to the Preparatory School would inform me as soon as possible. In the event of the new building not being ready by the 16th February, the Council have secured the use of the fine modern schoolrooms of the Newtown Presbyterian Church opposite the College grounds.

I am tempted to say something about the revolution, more or less gradual, that is taking place in the world of education. It is, however, easier to talk of educational ideals than to educate. If one's educational creed can in time be expressed in the character, the physique and the mental alertness of the boys of the school, it need not be proclaimed in words, and if it cannot be thus expressed it is not worth talking about.

I may, however, be allowed, at the end of my first year here, to introduce a personal note, and say how much Mrs. Rolland and I have appreciated the kindly welcome we found waiting for us in Geelong. In fact, it has been impossible for us so far to return half the calls or accept many of the invitations that we have received. I was told by one headmaster that he thought his boys a bad lot until he met their parents. I can only say that his experience has not been ours, and I hope the happy relationships that at present exist between the Council, the Old Collegians, the parents, the masters, and the boys, will remain unbroken in the years to come.

PRIZE LIST.

Dux OF THE COLLEGE (Presented by Mr. J. A. Gilespie on behalf of the Old Collegians Association)—A. J. M. Wilson.

Dux OF FORM LOWER VI.—(Presented by Mrs. T. S. Hawkes) — A. J. Roffey.

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Dux OF FORM MIDDLE V. (Presented by Mr. F. C. Roadknight)—E. N. Pearl.

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Dux OF FORM LOWER IV.—J. O'M. Lyons.

FORM LOWER IV.

- 1.—J. O'M. Lyons.
- 2.—D. A. Ingpen.

FORM MIDDLE IV.

- i.—K. G. McIntyre.
- 2.—E. H. Harry.
- 3.—T. R. Ingpen.

FORM UPPER IV.

- 1.—W. H. W. Hooper.
- 2.—R. K. Fletcher.
- 3.—M. Cameron.
- 4.—D. E. O'Sullivan.
- 5.—E. J. Smith.
- 6.—W. L. Ingpen.

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- 1.—J. L. Paterson.
- 2.—D. R. Griffiths.
- 3.—C. L. Hirst.
- 4.—C. G. Storrer.
- 5.—L. L. Walter.
- 6.—R. G. C. Strong.
- 7.—K. J. MacGillivray.

FORM MIDDLE V.

- 1.—E. N. Pearl.
- 2.—W. H. Hardy.
- 3.—R. C. MacKay.
- 4.—J. P. McCosh.
- 5.—N. A. V. Young.
- 6.—T. G. Young.
- 7.—R. W. Lawrence.
- 8.—W. W. V. Maguire,

FORM UPPER V.

- A. D. Longden.
- A. T. H. Gray.
- R. P. Boyd.
- H. H. Bradshaw.
- T. D. Freeman.
- H. D. Harvey.
- K. S. Lancaster.

FORM LOWER VI.

- 1.—A. J. Roffey.
- 2.—W. R. Griffiths.
- 3.—W. H. Sloane.

FORM HONOUR VI. **ENGLISH AND HISTORY.**

- 1.—A. G. Burnet.

PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY.

- 1.—A. R. Cousen.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

ESSAY.

(Presented by Mrs. R. E. McArthur.)

- D. L. S. Neville.

COMMERCIAL.

(Presented by Mr. H. H. Washington)

- A. J. H. Gray and
- A. D. Longden equal.

JUNIOR BIBLE.

(Presented by Canon Wheeler.)

- C. L. Hirst,

GENERAL PROFICIENCY.

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 Middle IV.—D. F. Roadknight.

DRAWING.

Senior.—A. L. Rentoul.
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 R. Morton.

CARPENTRY.

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 A. G. Baird.

A few facts about Bees.

IT is surprising how little most of us know about the honey bee and its ways. This is perhaps due to the insects' willingness to sting, which, to many of us, is the only thing a bee can do. But let us overcome this dread, and glance at that wonderful factory, in which is brewed the sweetest of all foods, honey!

The bees' hive is, inside, a compact city containing more than thirty thousand individuals, the most important of these being the queen. She

holds in her precious body the life and hope of the hive, for without her no young bees may be reared. It is her duty to lay thousands of eggs daily, while it is the duty of the workers to supply her with cells, in which to rear the larvse, and to store honey. Worker bees are undeveloped females, which have been dwarfed by special rearing. They do everything for the hive. They gather the honey, and build the wonderful wax cells to store it in. They have countless duties to perform in the city. The entrance has to be guarded, and robber bees prevented from entering. The air in the hive has to be kept pure by rows of fanning workers posted throughout the city, and all injured bees that cannot work, have to be carried out. The third class of bee is the drones. They are the male bees, and are much bigger than the workers. They do no work, and are driven from the hive in the Autumn, as they would be useless mouths to feed through the Winter.

In Spring, when the hive becomes overcrowded, young queens are reared, and the bee community decides to divide. A fine day is chosen, and the old queen, perhaps unwillingly, leaves the hive with a multitude of workers. Each worker is loaded with honey to serve as provisions until a site for a new city is found. Bees that are loaded with honey will not sting readily; thus it is possible to capture a swarm of bees without any fear of being stung. It is for this reason that a hive of bees may safely be robbed by frightening its inmates with smoke. The worker bees, when they smell the smoke, fill themselves with honey, and thus become peaceful.

Perhaps the most wonderful thing in nature is the organisation of a bees' hive. Every worker has its own duty to perform, nor does it specialise at any branch of work; for a bee, that one day is gathering nectar from the flowers, may the next day be engaged in feeding the young brood, or ventilating the hive. All this interchange of work goes on smoothly, and as if a perfect form of government existed in the city. The wonders of this female community are infinite, and the more we learn of their ways the more mysterious does their organisation seem.

W.H.S.

**Lines suggested by a
 Painting of a piece of Australian Coast
 just after Sunrise.**

O sandy coast, Australia's rugged shore,
 I once was almost part of thee and thine;
 I saw thee every day and heard the roar
 Of curling breakers rolling on in line.

I see them now, as, drawing near the land
 They rise and topple o'er in wat'ry heap
 Of noisy chaos—Ocean's only band—
 A blessed band which brings me soothing sleep.

Unlike man's own sad end of fear and pain,
 These children of the sea are gently lost
 In sweet oblivion. They all attain
 Their natural aim without our dreadful cost.

I see the rocks and reefs as they resist
 Thy fierce assaults,—a struggle lasting years.
 That shape I see but dimly through the mist
 Is Moonlight Head, 'neath which the sun appears.

The sun appears! O what a glorious sight!
 O'er Earth's cloud-canopy the golden rays
 Outshine the gloom, and bring celestial light
 To sea and sky, and all the creeks and bays.

The ocean's surface now is crystal clear,
 Its depths a mirror which, by day, reflects
 The sun itself; at night, its earthly bier,
 The cruel receiver of a thousand wrecks.

What cherished memories float before my mind!
 What thoughts of days of peaceful loveliness
 Along this rocky shore, where unconfined
 By social chains our doubts grow less and less!

That icy spring that gushes as of old
 Adown the cliff to wander towards the waves,
 Has never yet the waves its story told—
 A thirsty soil consumes the balm it craves.

Such tender thoughts as these flash through my heart
 Whene'er I gaze upon this distant scene,
 Which lift the beauty of the painter's art
 Far, far above all poetry there has been.

R. K. McA.

A Sportsman's Paradise.

ABOUT forty miles from its confluence with the Murray, the Murrumbidgee river at its summer level pursues a tortuous course between steep sandy banks. On either bank, as far as the eye can see, are scattered huge red gums which rear their stately length high into the blue sky, or leave their rotting trunks on the ground beneath. In the rainy season the river rises with remarkable rapidity, covering many miles of valuable stock-raising country; this nuisance has been overcome in some areas by erecting dirt barriers to keep the water back.

A startling contrast is visible in the summer months when only a few shallow lagoons remain. In all directions dense reeds and river grasses grow in abundance, being a serious menace in the event of fire. In this vicinity is to be seen a veritable sportsman's paradise. Everywhere there are ducks floating lazily on the lagoons, or darting in hurried flight between the gums. The most numerous species are Teal, Wood Duck and Black Duck; Widgeon, Blue Wing and Hard Head exist in lesser numbers. Ibis there are, in huge mobs of many hundreds, perching on the dead trees or feasting in the bed of some dry lake. They are looked on by the station owners as their greatest friends among the bird life, through their ability to destroy the insect pests. The Crane species are well in evidence, besides dozens of other aquatic birds.

Of the Parrot tribe, the Pink Galah is most numerous. A flock appears in the distance like a pink cloud of rapidly changing hues. These birds cause great depredations on all crops. Both the White and Black Cockatoos are to be seen soaring above or heard screeching among the gums.

The Wedge-tail and Whistling Eagles rear their young high up in the biggest gums.

The animal life is represented by rabbits, which, in a good season, exist in thousands, varying from grey and white to black and yellow in colour. Foxes are present in considerable numbers, though their prey is too easily caught for them to affect the rabbit pest to any extent.

With the abundance of water, and the climatic conditions, snakes are very numerous; the Tiger, Black and Brown species are repeatedly seen,

while an occasional Carpet snake is found. Goannas are plentiful, existing up to six feet in length.

In the river, which is full of dead logs and snags, there are water-rats and turtles in abundance; the latter proving very annoying when one is fishing by their repeated nibbling at the bait. Splendid fishing is to be had. Murray Cod and Black Fish are the most easily caught. The Cod are generally secured when the river is clear, by using a spinner round the logs where the Cod hide. The best time is just before sunset when they rise with great avidity. Some very big fish are sometimes caught—up to 40lbs. and over.

No more picturesque, or better, camping ground can be found than on the sandy banks above the water. The green foliage of the gums stretch out from either bank, and their beautiful reflection is mirrored below in the limpid water.

At night a ghostly stillness prevails, broken only by the weird wail of the Curlew or the splash of leaping fish, and the tired but happy camper drowsily falls asleep in complete contentment dreaming of the game he will secure on the morrow.

S.O.J.

My Shattered Hopes.

One day I bought a cricket bat
 From England's greatest cricketer;
 So proud was I that I did pat
 Myself upon the back. I sought
 Out England's elect band, and stood
 In awe while one by one they wrote
 Their names upon my willow-wood,
 And said, "What scores that bat'll make!"

I took my bat back to the school
 And oiled and "faced" it every day; .
 A host of boys admired it then,
 And scarce could tear themselves away.
 The autographs fresh from the pen
 Of Douglas, Hendren, Hobbs or Hearne
 And others just as great, were oft
 The cynosure of wond'ring eyes.

In our next match I thought I'd try
 To wield my willow-blade. So out
 I strode with spirits surging high;
 I took my block, then looked about
 To gauge each fieldsman's place. I'm sure
 They all were looking at my bat
 With thoughts of chasing every four
 I whipped with ease off to the fence.

I rolled my sleeves up carefully,
 And looked round once again. At last
 The time is come and now I see
 To my delight—I hate them fast—
 The ball comes slow, and out I step
 To smite at least a six. Alack!
 I missed the ball, and none knew how!
 But all knew that I'd made a quack.

R. K. McA.

Exchanges.

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