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School Officers, 3rd Term, 1922.

Head Prefect:—J. R. T. Macmillan.

*Prefects:—*A, J. H. ray, E. G. Greeves, A. L. Rentoul, R. B. Ronaldson, C. G. Rusden.

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*Cricket Committee:—*Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, E. G. Greeves, J. R. T. Macmillan, E. W. McCann, A. L. Rentoul, C. G. Rusden.

Captain of the Boats:—H. A. Anderson.

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*Tennis Committee:—*A. G. Baird, E. G. Greeves, J. R. T. Macmillan.

Hon. Sec. Athletic Games :—J. R. T. Macmillan.

*Librarians:—*Mr. A. H. Harry, R. P. Boyd, U. H. Bradshaw, A. J. H. Gray.

*"The Pegasus" :—*Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, H. A. Anderson.

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*President.—*Rev. F. W. Rolland.

*Vice-Presidents:—*Mr. S. B. Calvert, Mr. T. W. Campbell, Mr. A. H. Harry.

*Committee:—*H. A. Anderson, W. H. Baird, J. R. T. Macmillan, A. L. Rentoul.

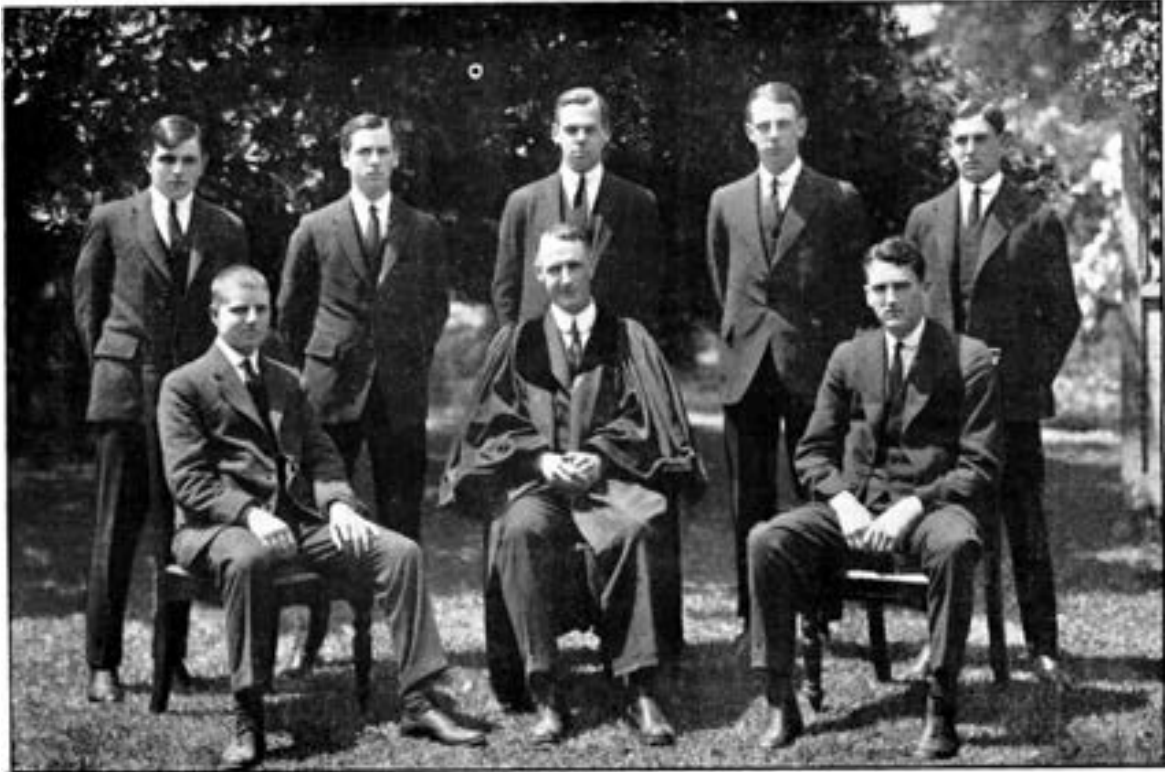
Hon. Sec. and Treas.—H. H. Bradshaw.

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*Sergeants:—*H. H. Bradshaw, C. D. Campbell, W. W. V. Maguire.

*Corporals;—*H. L. Taylor, D. M. McLenzie.



THE PREFECTS.

School Items.

THE First Term, 1923, begins on Wednesday, February 14th.

The work of the school was somewhat disturbed this term by the outbreak of an epidemic of chicken-pox, which, at one time, threatened to interfere seriously with the chances of the candidates for the Public Examinations. Fortunately, however, the disease abated in time to allow most of the patients to sit, and it remains to be seen whether their enforced seclusion will have had a beneficial or prejudicial effect upon their work. The chief sufferers were, perhaps, the members of the junior cricket teams, several of whose matches were cancelled owing to the danger of infection to other schools.

Our Senior Prefect, C. E. McArthur, left at the end of the second term. His place was taken by J. R. T. Macmillan, and the vacancy in the ranks of the Prefects was filled by the appointment of E. G. Greeves-

The membership ticket, presented annually by the M.C.C., has been awarded to A. L. Rentoul.

The Games Committee has awarded colours to the following boys. Cricket:—J. R. T. Macmillan, A. G. Baird. Running:—R. C. MacKay, C. G. Rusden, J. R. T. Macmillan. A Running Cap was awarded to H. G. Troup.

College Scholarships for next year have been awarded to the following:—Mrs. Stuart Murray Scholarship, W. Hardy, E. C. McDonald, R. C. MacKay, N. A. V. Young. Under 16, J. L. Paterson. Under 14, E. H. Harry, 1; J. G. Bonnin, 2; M. C. McCalman, 3. Under 12, J. W. Edgar, J. C. Hosford.

Mr. A. H. Harry, B.A., who has acted for the last five years as Vice-Principal of the College, is leaving us this year to take up the position of Classical Master at the Launceston Grammar School. Mr. Harry joined the staff in 1904 as Classical Master under the late C. N. Morrison. Later, he took charge of the Senior English Forms also, and was appointed Vice-Principal in 1917. During his long term of office he has taken a keen interest in every phase of school life, both in the schoolroom and on the playing field. He was football master for many years, chairman of the Athletic Sports Committee, vice-president of the Debating

Society, and, for four years, editor of "The Pegasus." The great value of his work is recognized by all connected with the College, and his departure is generally regretted. All Collegians join in wishing him every success in his new career.

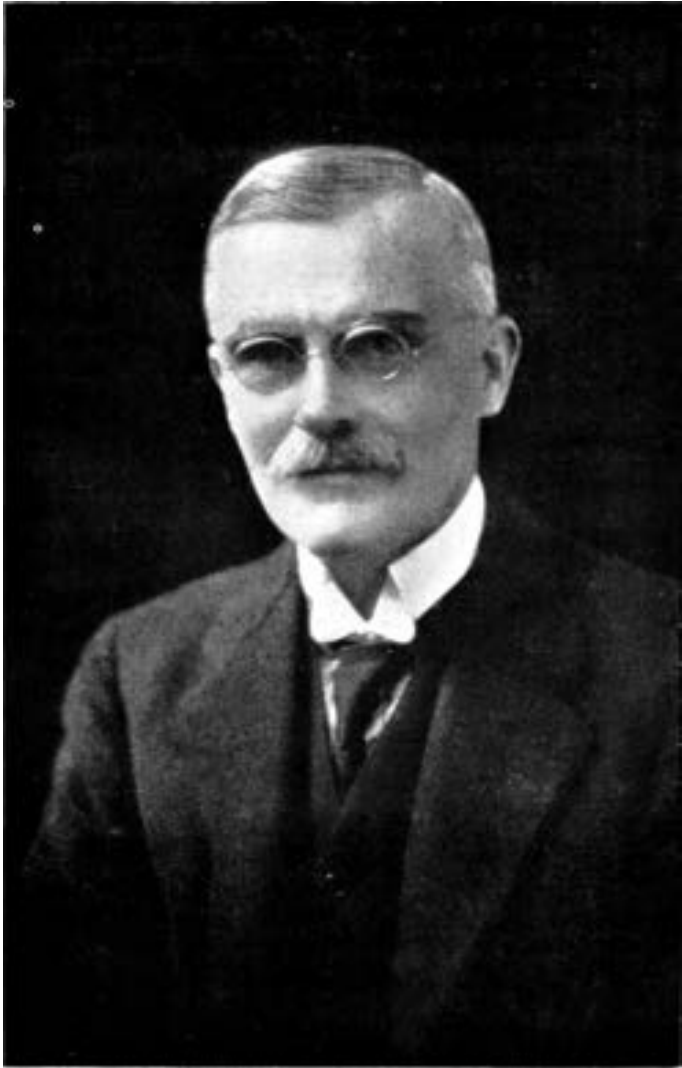
We were favoured this term by a visit from Miss Lily Butler, "The Mother of Blighty," who gave a most interesting address on her work in an English soup kitchen in Paris, during the Allied retreat upon that city.

In November the Moderator-General of Australia, the Right Rev. J. Mathew, and the Moderator of Victoria, the Right Rev. F. H. L. Paton, visited the school. The former spoke to the boys on school life and its temptations, and the latter gave a vivid description of the work of the Rev. R. Love in Queensland.

The Inter-House Cup events have been contested as keenly as ever this year, and the winning House was not definitely known until the last event, had been decided. Eventually, however, Warrinn managed to retain its position as Premier House, owing chiefly to its superiority in school work. The detailed points were as follows:—

	WARRINN.	SHANNON.	MORRISON.	BARWON.
Cricket	1	2	3	—
Football	2	3	1	—
Tennis	—	3	2	1
Swimming		2 ½		2 ½ ½ ½
Running	3	2	½	½
Rowing	3	1		— ½
School Work—1st Term	3	1½	i½	
2nd Term	3	—	2	1
3rd Term	3	—	1½	1½
Totals	20½	15	12	6½

On Friday, December 15th, the boys of the Preparatory School were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Rolland in the Morrison Hall. As was the case last year, the entertainment took the form of a fancy dress party, and, judging from the mirth provoked by many of the costumes, the function was enjoyed to the full. A Christmas Tree stood on the platform, and from it a miscellaneous assortment of presents was distributed among the guests. Three prizes were awarded for the best costumes,



MR. A. H. HARRY, B.A.

the winners being J. Mockridge, Red Cross Nurse; Henry Hall, Gum Tree Brownie ; and Peter Sloanc, Red Riding Hood. A bounteous supper was served in the Dining Hall, and at the conclusion of the proceedings, Ronnie Greeves, on behalf of the Prep., thanked Mr. and Mrs. Rolland for the very enjoyable evening that had been provided for them.

On the last Saturday of the term, the annual College banquet took place in the Dining Hall. Fancy dress was again the order of the night, and many weird and striking costumes provided amusement to the spectators. The feast was a merry one, and the speeches in connection with the various toasts proposed were happy in the extreme. After the banquet, an adjournment was made to the Morrison Hall, where the day-boys, also attired in fancy dress, joined the party. Some novel House competitions took place and provided much entertainment. Then Mr. Wilson mystified the audience with some clever sleight-of-hand tricks, and, at last, a thoroughly enjoyable evening was concluded by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Salvete.

Lower V.—
O. J. Shanahan
Upper IV.—
J. W. Baker
Prep.—
P. G. Sloane

Valete.

VI.—
C. E. McArthur—Head Prefect, 1922.
Prefect, 1920-22. XL, 1917-22
XVIII., 1918-22. VIII., 1918.
Upper V.A.—
I. M. Craig
I. R. Craig
A. L. Macpherson
Upper V.B.—
D. H. Home
Middle V.—
A. M. D. Barber
G. Scott
R. A. Stewart
Lower V.—
F. H. Parsons
Prep.
R. B. Wallace
V. Rathausky

THE PEGASUS.

Preparatory Notes.

HOUSE COMPETITIONS.

The results of work and 2nd XI. Cricket for this term are not yet complete, but Pegasus House has established a sufficient lead to ensure them the position of "Cock House, 1922." Bellerophon House held the Cup for **1921**. The points gained by each House are as follows;—

		PEGASUS.		POINTS.		BELLEROPHON.		POINTS.	
WORK	1st Term	..	2	1st Term	..	1			
	2nd Term	..	2	2nd Term	..	1			
	3rd Term			3rd Term					
CRICKET	1st XI.	..	3	1st XI.	..	0			
	2nd XI.			2nd XI.					
FOOTBALL	..	..	5						0
SWIMMING	..	..	1						
ATHLETICS	..	..	3						0
TENNIS	..	..	3						0
TIDINESS	1st Term	..	½	1st Term	..	1½			
	2nd Term	..	1	2nd Term	..	1			
	3rd Term			3rd Term					
Total				20½	Total				7

House competitions in athletics, cricket and tennis have been held this term. The result in athletics was in doubt until the last event, when Pegasus established a lead of one point, the scores being:—Pegasus, 29 ; Bellerophon, 28.

Those who won their events were:—

- THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—Macpherson (Pegasus).
 75 YARDS UNDER 9.—Fallaw, C. (Bellerophon).
 75 YARDS UNDER 10.—Wright (Bellerophon)
 100 YARDS, UNDER 11.—Pizer (Bellerophon).
 100 YARDS, OPEN.—Rolland (Pegasus).
 220 YARDS, OPEN.—McDonald (Bellerophon).
 FLAG RACE.—Pegasus.
 LONG JUMP.—Macpherson (Pegasus) and Baird, J. (Bellerophon).
 HIGH JUMP, UNDER 10.—Wright (Bellerophon).
 HIGH JUMP, OPEN.—Baird, J. (Bellerophon).

On Sports' Day, Macpherson was successful in the Prep. Championship. The results were:—

- 100 YARDS.—Macpherson, P., 1; Roebuck, G., 2; Rolland, R., 3.
 HIGH JUMP.—Baird, J. 1; Hirst, M., 2; Macpherson, P., 3.
 LONG JUMP.—Macpherson, P., 1; Roebuck, G., 2; Rolland, 3.

TOTAL POINTS:—

P. Macpherson, 7 points	1
S. G. Roebuck, 4 points	2
J. L. Baird, 3 points	3

The other events in which Prep, boys gained places were:—

- 100 YARDS, UNDER 12.—Roebuck, 1; Baird, 2.
 75 YARDS UNDER 10.—Wright, 1; Pettitt, 2; Ingpen, R., 3.
 JUNIOR MANX.—Champ and McCann, 2.

The Flag Race was won by Pegasus, whose representatives were:—Macpherson, Rolland, Roebuck, Hirst, Mathews, and Doyle.

In cricket also, Pegasus proved themselves too strong for Bellerophon. They won the first two matches during the first term, and have now gained their third success. Bellerophon batted first, and were dismissed for 10 runs, Macpherson 6 wickets for 3 runs, and Greeves 4 for 4 being the cause of their downfall. Pegasus replied with a score of 66. Doyle batted well for 27 not out, and Baird 3 for 19, Lang 4 for 16, and Wright 3 for 15 took the wickets.

The 2nd XL competition has caused more excitement. At the commencement of this season, Pegasus had two wins to their credit, but Bellerophon have now won two games, and another match has to be played to decide the premiership.

The tennis scores were:—Macpherson and Greeves (P.) defeated Baird and McDonald (B.), 10—2; Macpherson defeated Baird, 10—3; Greeves defeated Lang, 10—3. Pegasus, 3 sets 30 games; Bellerophon, 0 sets 8 games.

The Prep, picnic, this term, was held at Torquay on Saturday, Nov. 18th. We hired a drag for the journey from Geelong, and thoroughly enjoyed a noisy drive through the country. We spent most of the day playing on the beach, or in swimming, though a few boys went bird-nesting for a short time. In the afternoon, the races were followed by a

cricket match on the beach. The teams were led by Miss Trumble and Mr. Nicolson. It was an exciting game, in which Mr. Nicolson's team won by a determined last wicket partnership. Miss Trumble not only displayed good judgment in leading her side, but carried her bat for 9 runs and took a fine catch at point. After tea we once more took our places in the drag, and arrived home just before dark. We all felt that it was one of our best outings.

The competitions by which we obtain money for photos of the Prep, teams have continued each week, and are a great success.

Next year we will miss a great many familiar faces, for the Middle IV. will be promoted to the Big School. But we are also to lose two of our best friends, Jack and Jim Pomeroy. They are going to England, but we may see them at school again in a few years when they return. Our Prep, poet felt that the occasion called for something more thrilling than mere prose, hence:—

VALETE.

James William and John Oscar Blom,
 We grieve to part with thee.
 Must we indeed be parted by
 Such quantities of sea?
 Alas! 'tis hard. And wilt thou soon
 Upon the ocean free,
 Forget thy friends and enemies
 In little, old G.C.?
 Ah! no! Thou wilt one day return
 To grace our midst. And we
 Will give three cheers when once again
 Thy cheerful grins we see.

We wish you luck and happiness,
 A voyage full of fun,
 And hope you'll soon be back again
 After your trip is done.

Cricket.

AS usual, our team was weaker at the end of the year than it had been the first term, owing to the loss of two of our best batsmen, C. McArthur and R. Mack. Thus we once more finish the year without a victory to our credit. We try, however, to extract what crumbs of consolation

we can from the fact that in one of the two matches played this term our batting showed a marked improvement, while, in the other, fairly accurate bowling and fielding prevented a strong Melbourne Grammar School team from registering its usual large total against us.

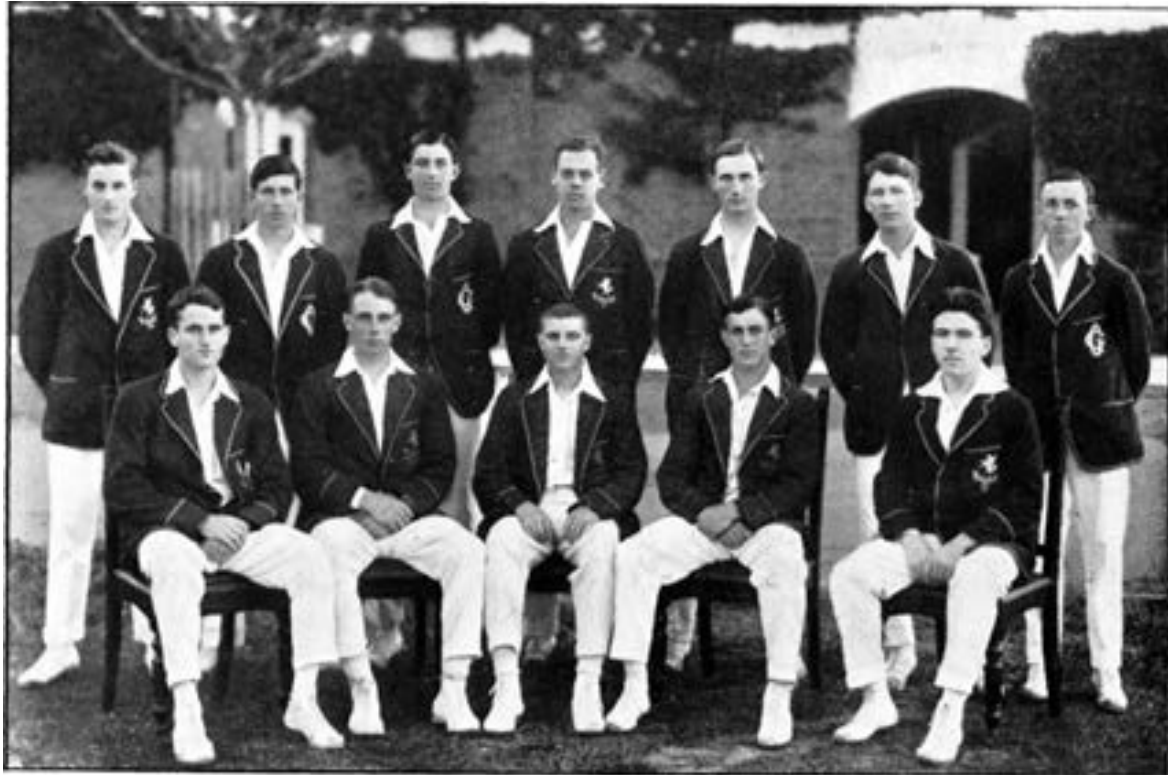
E. Greeves has maintained the promise he showed last year, and has batted consistently throughout the season. He has made more runs than have been scored in one season for many years, and we have to congratulate him on compiling the first century made for the College since 1918. A. G. Baird played two good innings against Scotch College. He shows any amount of promise, but must guard against a tendency to undue recklessness. The others are still in the improving stage, and some of them may make runs next year.

The teams below the First Eleven have, as usual, suffered from a lack of practice matches, and, until this difficulty is overcome, it is hard to see how we can succeed in producing a good school team. This time the outbreak of chicken-pox in the College was responsible for the cancellation of several fixtures, and, as a result, the Second Eleven played no matches at all.

The House matches were carried through as usual, but the Shannon team was so much superior to the others that the competition was not productive of a great deal of excitement. These matches, though always contested with great keenness, have done hardly as much as was expected towards developing latent talent, and it is probable that the College cricket will not improve to any marked extent until more turf practice wickets, and more matches are obtainable for the junior teams.

BATTING AVERAGES, 1922.

Name.	Innings.	N.O.	Runs.	H.S.	Average.
E. G. Greeves	10	2	394	102*	49.25
A. G. Baird	4	0	159	81	39.7
C. E. McArthur	6	1	161	70*	32.2
R. Mack	5	0	68	42	13.6
J. R. T. Macmillan	9	0	108	40	12.
D. M. McKenzie '	7	3	41	14	10.25
H. A. Anderson	8	0	79	27	9.9
J. T. Robertson	8	1	64	22	9.1
E. G. Greeves	3	2	9	8*	9.
E. W. McCann	7	0	60	19	8.6
C. G. Rusden	8	1	49	25	7.
A. Rentoul	9	1	55	14*	6.9
H. S. Kennedy	8	2	35	14	5-8
W. L. Ingpen	1	0	2	2	.
W. J. Read	1	0	0	0	0



THE CRICKET TEAM.

BOWLING AVERAGES, 1922.

Name.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
E. G. Greeves	384	14	27.4
A. G. Baird	59	2	29.5
A. Rentoul	500	15	33.3
D. McKenzie	35	1	35.
J. R. T. Macmillan	111	3	37-
J. T. Robertson	260	7	37.1
C. G. Rusden	371	8	46.3
E. W. McCann	249	4	62.25

COLLEGE v. MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

On this occasion we won the toss for the first time this year, but did not make the best use of our advantage, as we were all dismissed for 99- To this E. Greeves contributed 59 by good cricket, the next highest score being 9. The destroying agent was H. Austin, who kept a good length throughout, and secured 7 wickets for 39.

The Grammar School started well with a good partnership between Dunlop and Bryant, but after these two were dismissed wickets fell fairly rapidly, and the side was disposed of for 194. Our bowling, though not deadly, was fairly accurate, and our ground fielding, as usual, was good. Greeves, Rentoul, and Robertson all got wickets fairly cheaply.

Our second innings was no improvement on the first. This time Greeves failed, and if "Sundries" had not come to the rescue, our total would have been small indeed. As it was we just managed to save the innings defeat, and, in the end, were beaten by ten wickets. Baird did best of the batsmen with 17, but neither he nor any of the other members of the team batted up to practice form.

Scores:—

GEELONG COLLEGE.

First Innings.	Second Innings.
E. Greeves, c Ewing, b H. Austin 59	1) H. Austin 10
J. R. T. Macmillan, b G. Austin .. 5	l.b.w., G. Austin 5
A. G. Baird, c and b H. Austin .. 2	l.b.w., Walker 17
A. Rentoul, b A! or an.....9	std. Grounds, 1) Dunlop 5
H. Kennedy, b H. Austin 2	b Dunlop 9
C. Rusden, b H. Austin 0	b Dunlop 6
E. McCann, b H. Austin 2	b Walker 0
H. Anderson, c Moran b H. Austin 4	1) H. Austin 6
J. Robertson, c Dunlop, b G. Austin 5	b Walker 6
D. McKenzie, not out 2	b H Austin 3
C. Greeves, b H. Austin 0	not out 1
Sundries 9	Sundries 28
Total 99	Total 96

Bowling:— H. Austin, 7 for 39. G. Austin, 2 for 16. Moran, 1 for 14. Walker, o for 7. Noyes, o for 16.	Bowling:— Dunlop, 3 for 12. Walker, 3 for 12. H. Austin, 3 for 28. G. Austin, 1 for 14. Moran, 0 for 10.
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MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

First Innings.	Second Innings.
B. Dunlop, lb.w. Rentoul 30	not out 2
J. Bryant, run out 47	not out 0
G. Ewing, c Kennedy, b McCann 8	
H. Austin, b Greeves 20	
F. S. Vine, b Greeves 2	
H. Grounds, c McCann, b Rentoul 23	
Plante, c McCann, b Robertson 30	
E. Moran, b Greeves 6	
G. Austin, c Kennedy, b Baird 3	
R. Noyes, not out 2	
J. Walker, c and b Robertson 0	
Sundries 23	Sundries 0
Total 194	Total, 0 wickets for 2

Bowling:—A. Baird, 1 for 5. J. Robertson, 2 for 14. A. Rentoul, 2 for 21. E. Greeves, 3 for 49. E. McCann, 1 for 20. C. Rusden, o for 60.	Bowling:—C. Rusden, o for 2.
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COLLEGE v. SCOTCH COLLEGE.

Scotch College won the toss, and, remaining at the wickets all day, put up the huge total of 518 for nine wickets. They possess an unusually even batting side, and a partnership of over 100 runs was registered for the ninth wicket. Phillips, Meares, Petchell and Roberts all batted extremely well, as comparatively few chances were missed in the field. Our bowlers at no time kept so good a length as in the previous match, and towards the close of the day became very erratic indeed. The fieldsmen, however, stuck well to their work all the time.

On resuming on the second day, Scotch declared their innings closed, and we put up the fairly respectable totals of 234 and 208 for two wickets. The hero of the first innings was Baird, who hit with great vigour for 81. He gave several chances, and made some bad strokes, but the majority of his hits were clean and hard. He again batted well in the second innings for 59, but this time he was overshadowed by E. Greeves, who played

one of his characteristic innings for 102 not out. Others who rendered useful assistance were Macmillan, Rusden, Robertson, and Anderson, who each showed a considerable improvement on their form in the last match.

Scores:—

SCOTCH COLLEGE.

First Innings.

Smith, c Baird, b Rentoul	^1
Empey, c E. Greeves, b Rusden	30
Phillips, c Robertson, b Rusden	146
Campbell, c Rusden, b Rentoul	2
Thomson, b Greeves . . . . .	.12
Roberts, b Baird . . . . .	.62
Baxter, c E. Greeves, b McKenzie	4
Carter, b Greeves . . . . .	.15
Meares, not out . . . . .	.103
Petchell, c Anderson, b Rentoul	62
Schultz, not out . . . . .	.8
Sundries	47

Total, 9 wickets for 518

Bowling:—D. McKenzie, 1 for 21.
 A. Rentoul, 3 for 80.
 C. Rusden, 2 for 92.
 A. Baird, 1 for 54.
 E. Greeves, 2 for 135.
 H. Macmillan, o for 19.
 J. Robertson, o for 75.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

First Innings.

E. Greeves, c and b Baxter . . . . .	.14
J. R. T. Macmillan, l.b.w. Baxter	20
A. G. Baird, c Baxter, b Roberts	81
A. Rentoul, b Empey	o
H. Kennedy, c Baxter, b Empey	6
C. Rusden, b Carter . . . . .	.25
J. Robertson, b Roberts . . . . .	.22
H. Anderson, l.b.w. Baxter . . . . .	.22
W. L. Ingpen, b Roberts . . . . .	.2
D. McKenzie, b Empey . . . . .	.14
C. Greeves, not out . . . . .	.8
Sundries	20

Total 234

Bowling:—Roberts, 3 for 47.
 Baxter, 3 for 66.
 Carter, 1 for 22.
 Empey, 3 for 71

Second Innings.

not out . . . . .	.102
b Roberts . . . . .	.23
c Baxter, b Thomson . . . . .	.59
not out . . . . .	.14
Sundries . . . . .	.10

Total, 2 wickets for £08

Bowling:—Roberts, 1 for 16
 Thomson, 1 for 53
 Empey, o for 14.
 Baxter, o for 15.
 Phillips, o for 16.
 Meares, o for 25.
 Carter, o for 26.
Smith, o for 33.

COLLEGE v. OLD BOYS.

This match was played after the conclusion of the school match, and, as usual, provided an enjoyable game. As play was limited to one afternoon, the question of supremacy was not definitely settled, but our boys obtained some useful practice, and good innings were played by Greeves and Rentoul for the school, and by Baker, Rylah, and David for the visitors.

Scores:—

GEELONG COLLEGE.		OLD BOYS.	
E. Greeves, retired	61	J. Birnie, c Rusden, b Greeves	1
A. Rentoul, retired	46	H. Birrell, b Greeves	10
A. Baird, c T. Hawkes, b J. Baker	18	J. D'Tielin, run out	10
H. Kennedy, retired	3	G. Rylah, retired	45
A. Lang, b J. Baker	4	J. Baker, retired	62
W. Ingpcn, stpd. Reid, b Baker	0	A. David, retired	40
H. Wettenhall, c Birnie, b Baird	3	W. J. Read, run out	1
N. Boyes, b Baird	4	A. V. Rankin, not out	6
D. McKenzie, not out	18	T. Hawkes, retired	15
J. T. Robertson, c Hawkes, b David	19	A. Price, b Robertson	5
C. Greeves, not out	13	Dr. Baird, not out	2
Sundries	5	Sundries	16
Total, 9 wickets for	197	Total, 9 wickets for	213
Bowling:—Baker, 3 for 32. Baird, 2 for 11. David, 1 for 41.		Bowling:—Greeves, 2 wickets for 102. Robertson, 1 for 34.	

PRACTICE MATCHES.

v. SOFT GOODS' ASSOCIATION.

College—First innings, 172 for 8 wickets. Batting—A. Rentoul 71 not out; D. McKenzie, 26; A. Baird, 24. Bowling—J. Taylor, 2 for 15; Brierly, 2 for 46-

Soft Goods—First innings, 164. Batting—J. Taylor, 51; Collis, 41; Bowling—MacKay, 4 for 21; E. Greeves, 4 for 44.

v. WESLEY COLLEGE.

Wesley College—First innings, 199. Batting—Rigg, 51, retired; Allen, 37. Bowling— E. Greeves, 2 for 42 ; A. Rentoul, 2 for 53. Second innings, 7 for 90. Batting—Rush, 39 ; Crockett, 23. Bowling—Greeves, 3 for 19; Robertson, 2 for 55.

Geelong College—First innings, 112. Batting—Anderson, 22; MacKay, 19, not out. Bowling—Munro, 3 for 14.

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v. ORMOND COLLEGE.

Ormond—First innings, 137- Batting—I. McLean, 36; J. Coltman, 32; F. Sutherland, 28. Bowling—McCann, 3 for 14; Rusden, 3 for 24, Rentoul, 2 for 11. Second innings, 9 wickets for 17. Batting—Searby, 5. Bowling—E. Greeves, 7 for 8; Rusden, 2 for 8.

College—First innings, 199. Batting—A. Rentoul, 84; H. Kennedy, 38. Bowling—Sutherland, 6 for 62; Coltman, 2 for 18.

JUNIOR MATCHES.

v. SCOTCH COLLEGE.

Geelong College—First innings, 87. Batting—T. R. Ingpen, 20. Bowling—Bell, 4 for 9. Second innings, 43. Batting—T. Rusden, 11.

Scotch College—First innings, 90. Batting—Pevenil, 23. Bowling—Robertson, 3 for 20. Second innings, 4 for 32. Batting—McKenzie, 26, not out. Bowling—Reid, 2 for 26.

v. XAVIER COLLEGE.

Geelong College—First innings, 63. Batting—Rusden, 16. Bowling—Smith, 5 for 24.

Xavier College—First innings, 103. Batting—Robertson, 45. Bowling—Robertson, 8 for **33**.

HOUSE MATCHES.

1. Shannon, 185 (Greeves, E., 63) beat Warrinn, 89 (Waugh, 22). Bowling—Robertson, 4 for 17.

Morrison, 103 (Greeves, C, 36, Rusden, C, 27) beat Barwon, 46 and 2 for 59 (McKenzie, 19 and 29 not out). Bowling—Read, 3 for 5.

2. Shannon, 5 for 278 (Greeves, E., 192 not out) beat Barwon, 10 and 36. Bowling—Rentoul, 7 for 3 and 8 for 18.

Morrison, 175 (Murray, 63, Greeves, C, 53) drew with Warrinn, 9 for 174 (Macmillan, 94). Bowling—MacKay, 3 for 44, Rusden, 7 for 64,

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3. Shannon, 2 for **130** (Greeves, E., 62 retired) beat Morrison, 46 and 7 for 51 (Greeves, C, 17). Bowling—Robertson, 4 for 1.

Bar-won, 88 and **62** (Rusden, T., 31) beat Warrinn, 46 and 2 for 79 (Macmillan, 69 not out). Bowling—Macmillan, 9 for 27, McKenzie, **3 for 20.**

Second Elevens.

1. Warrinn, **83** (King 34) beat Shannon, 72 (Walters,21). Barwon, 70 and 45 beat Morrison, 18 and 61.

2. Morrison, 96 (O'Sullivan, 36) beat Warrinn, 65. Shannon, 88 (Cochrane, **22**) beat Barwon, 56.

3. Morrison, 165 (Reid, 40, Wilson, 43) beat Shannon, 33. Warrin, 207 (Ingpen, 80, King, 44) beat Barwion, 50 and 32.

PREMIERSHIP ORDER :

1. MORRISON.
2. SHANNON.
3. WARRINN.
4. BARWON.

Rowing Notes.

HOUSE COMPETITIONS.

THE popularity of rowing in the School has again shown itself in the **number** of boys who use the boats during the week-ends. Each Saturday several crews were to be seen down the river.

The main rowing event this term was the Hojuse Competition, which was decided on Friday, 1st December. This year coaches were appointed for the various house crews, and the improvement in form showed the advisability of this step. We would like to take this opportunity of thanking the coaches, Mr. Young—who also had members of the eight



THE COLLEGE CREW.

out for practice—, Mr. Hurst, and Mr. Coleman. Twice during the term boys from the school rowed in "combination eights" races, held by the Geelong Rowing Association. All four Geelong Clubs were well represented, and some good racing was witnessed.

House Races :—

FIRST HEAT.

Warrinn House

v.

Shannon House.

Bradshaw, H. H. (bow)
 Anderson, H. A. (2)
 Waugh, G. F. (3)
 Sproat, A. (stroke)
 I. A. Stewart (cox.)

Hope, G. W. (bow)
 MacLeod, H. A. (2)
 Kennedy, H. S. (3)
 Gieeves, E. G. (stroke)
 I. S. M. Murphy, (cox.)

Warrinn led away at the start, but Shannon gradually gained, and Warrinn quickening from the bridge, won comfortably by 1¼ lengths.

SECOND HEAT

Barwon House

v.

Morrison House.

Mitchell, J. M. (bow)
 Kennedy, P. F. (2)
 McKenzie, D. M. (3)
 Ronaldson, R. B. (stroke)
 W. W. V. Maguire (cox.)

Sloane, W. H. (bow)
 Colvin, J. (2)
 Hindle, W. (3)
 Greeves, C. G. (stroke)
 D. Dickson (cox.)

Morrison, rowing better than was expected, as they had lost three men owing to chicken pox, got within ¾ of a length of Barwon.

FINAL—WINNERS.

Warrinn

v.

Barwon.

Warrinn, rowing well, gained from start to finish, and won easily by 2 lengths.

THIRD PLACE.

Shannon

v.

Morrison.

Morrison, feeling the effects of their first row, could make no impression on Shannon, who won by 2 lengths.

Tennis.

THE Annual Tournament lasted for the greater part of the term, and provided some very interesting contests. Most of the matches were very close, and interest was well sustained up to the end,

The following are the results of the Tournament:—

SENIOR SINGLES HANDICAP.

FIRST ROUND.

- H. S. Kennedy (owe 15) beat A. Bell (rec. 3-6 15), 10—7.
 H. H. Bradshaw (scr.) beat L. Lang (rec. 3-6 15), 10—9.
 I. S. M. Murphy (rec. 15) beat G. Officer (rec. 15), 10—9.
 J. R. T. Macmillan (owe 40 3-6) beat E. W. McCann (scr.), 10—3.
 £. G. Greeves (owe 60) beat J. M. Mitchell (rec. 3-6 15), 10—6.
 E. E. Davies owe 30 3-6) beat R. Strong (rec. 3-6 15), 10—5.

SECOND ROUND.

- J. P. McCosh (owe 30) beat C. G. Greeves (owe 15 3-6), 10—4.
 H. Taylor (rec. 15) beat A. J. H. Gray (owe 3-6 15), 10—9.
 R. Fairley (owe 15) beat I. R. Craig (rec. 3-6 15), 10—8.
 T. Hogg (scr.) beat A. D. Sproat (scr.), 10—4.
 D. M. McKenzie (owe 3-6 15) beat H. A. Anderson (scr), 10—3.
 N. Boyes (rec. 3-6 15) beat E. M. Hope (rec. 15), 10—8.
 H. S. Kennedy beat H. H. Bradshaw, 10—4.
 J. R. T. Macmillan beat I. S. M. Murphy, 10—5.
 E. E. Davies beat E. G. Greeves, 10—4.
 C. D. Campbell (rec. 3-6 15) beat P. Reilly (scr.), 10—8.
 J. T. Robertson (owe 30) beat A. L. Rentoul (owe 15), 10—7.
 G. Lang (scr.) beat R. B. Ronaldson (scr.), 10—9.
 A. A. Lang (owe 30 3-6) beat I. F. Sloane (owe 15 3-6), 10—3.
 G. W. Hope (owe 30) beat C. G. Rusden (owe 15 3-6), 10—5.
 W. J. Read (owe 3-6 15) beat R. C. MacKay (owe 15), 10—5."
 C. Pagels (rec. 3-6 15) beat T. G. Young (rec. 15), 10—4.

THIRD ROUND.

- J. P. McCosh beat H. Taylor, 10—3.
 R. Fairley beat T. Hogg, 10—8.
 D. M. McKenzie beat N. Boyes, 10—7.
 H. S. Kennedy beat J. R. T. Macmillan, 10—I.
 E. E. Davies beat C. D. Campbell, 10—2.
 J. T. Robertson beat G. Lang, 10—5.
 A. A. Lang beat G. W. Hope, 10—3.
 W. J. Read beat C. Pagels, 10—8.

FOURTH ROUND.

- R. Fairley beat J. P. McCosh, 10—4.
 D. M. McKenzie beat H. S. Kennedy, 10—8.
 E. E. Davies beat J. T. Robertson, 10—2.
 A. A. Lang beat W. J. Read, 10—7.

SEMI-FINALS.

- R. Fairley beat D. M. McKenzie, 10—8.
 E. E. Davies beat A. A. Lang, 10—1.

FINAL.

- E. E. Davies beat R. Fairley, 8—6, 6—3.

JUNIOR SINGLES HANDICAP, UNDER 16.

FIRST ROUND.

- C. Robertson (owe 15) beat J. M. Devereux (rec. 3-6 15), 10—8.
 N. Atkins (owe 30) beat H. M. Troup (scr.), 10—6.
 J. Keays (owe 3-6 15) beat J. C. Campbell (rec. 3-6 15), 10—5.
 W. L. Ingpen (owe 40) beat N. Morrison (rec. 3-6 15), 10—5.
 A. I. Reid (rec. 15) beat W. H. Sloane (rec. 3-6 15), 10—4.
 T. R. Ingpen (owe 15 3-6) beat H. Cameron (owe 15 3-6), 10—7.
 F. Routley (owe 30) beat S. W. A. Kerr (rec. 3-6 15), 10—2.
 D. Love (scr.) beat R. Wettenhall (owe 15 3-6), 10—1.
 P. Macpherson (rec. 3-6 15) beat D. E. Davies (owe 15), 10—5.
 W. Lang (owe 15 3-6) beat K. Campbell (rec. 15), 10—2.
 H. Wettenhall (owe 40) beat R. B. Read (rec. 3-6 15), 10—8.
 C. Mackintosh (rec. 3-6 15) beat A. Levy (owe 15), 10—9.
 P. Kennedy (owe 15) beat S. Gray (scr.), 10—6.
 K. King (owe 40) beat J. Wilson (rec. 15), 10—1.

SECOND ROUND.

- C. Robertson beat F. D. McIntosh, 10—9.
 N. Atkins beat J. Keays, 10—6.
 A. J. Reid beat W. L. Ingpen, 10—3.
 F. Routley beat T. R. Ingpen, 10—4.
 P. Macpherson beat D. Love, 10—5.
 W. Lang beat H. Wettenhall, 10—6.
 C. Mackintosh beat P. Kennedy, 10—5.
 K. King beat D. Dickson, 10—8.

THIRD ROUND.

- N. Atkins beat C. Robertson, 10—6.
 F. Routley beat A. I. Reid, 10—3.
 P. Macpherson beat W. Lang, 10—6.
 K. King beat C. Mackintosh, 10—6.

SEMI-FINALS.

- F. Routley beat N. Atkins 10—3.
 K. L. King beat P. Macpherson, 10—6.

FINAL.

- K. L. King beat F. Routley, 7—5, 2—6, 6—2.

DOUBLES HANDICAP.

FIRST ROUND.

- J. M. Mitchell and F. Routley (rec. 3-6 15) beat C. D. Campbell and C. Pagels (scr.), 10—2.
 J. P. McCosh and E. E. Davies (owe 30 3-6) beat H. Troup and H. A. MacLeod (rec. 3-6 15), 10—6.
 R. Fairley and H. Bradshaw (owe 15) beat E. W. McCann and J. R. T. Macmillan (owe 30), w.o.
 E. G. Greeves and A. G. Baird (owe 60) beat I. S. Murphy and P. Reilly (rec. 3-6 15) w.o.
 T. Young and J. Keays (rec. 15) beat N. Morrison and R. B. Read (rec. 3-6 15), 10—7.

- C. Greeves and W. Hope (owe 30 3-6) beat C. G. Rusden and A. L. Rentoui (owe 30), w.o.
 T. Hogg and N. Boyes (scr.) beat I. M. Miller and A. Bell (scr.), 10—4.
 D. McKenzie and J. Gray (owe 3-6 15) beat G. Lang and I. Sloane (owe 15), 10—7.
 A. Lang and H. Kennedy (owe 30 3-6) beat H. Wcttenhall and L. Ingpen (owe 3-6 15), 10—8.
 R. C. MacKay and A. D. Sproat (owe 3-6 15) beat H. Taylor and L. Schwenenesen (rec. 15), 10—5.
 C. Robertson and D. Dickson (rec. 3-6 15) beat H. Anderson and J. Robertson (owe 3-6 15), 10—9.
 R B Ronaldson and W. J. Read (owe 3-6 15) beat K. Campbell and J. Campbell (rec. 15), 10—7.
 G. Officer and K. L. King (scr.) beat J. M. Devereux and D. Davies (rec. 3-6 15), 10—3.
 L. Macmillan and E. M. Hope (rec. 15) beat A. Levy and J. O. Tait (rec. 3-6 15),

SECOND ROUND.

- J. Mitchell and F. Routley beat D. Love and A. I. Reid (rec. 15), 10—8.
 J. McCosh and E. E. Davies beat R. Fairley and H. Bradshaw, 10—8.
 E. G. Greeves and A. G. Baird beat T. G. Young and J. Keays, 10—4.
 W. Hope and C. Greeves beat T. Hogg and N. Boyes, w.o.
 A. Lang and H. Kennedy beat D. McKenzie and J. Gray, w.o.
 R. C. MacKay and A. D. Sproat beat C. Robertson and D. Dickson, 10—7.
 G. Officer and K. King beat R. B. Ronaldson and W. J. Read, w.o.
 C. D. Mackintosh and N. Atkins (rec. 3-6 15) beat L. Macmillan and E. M. Hope, 10—8.

THIRD ROUND.

- E. Davies and J. McCosh beat J. M. Mitchell and F. Routley, 10—8.
 E. G. Greeves and A. G. Baird beat C. G. Greeves and W. Hope, 10—5.
 A. Lang and H. Kennedy beat R. MacKay and A. Sproat, w.o.
 G. Officer and K. King beat D. Mackintosh and N. Atkins, 10—8.

SEMI-FINALS.

- E. Davies and J. McCosh beat E. G. Greeves and A. G. Baird, 10—9.
 G. Officer and K. King beat A. Lang and H. Kennedy, 10—8.

FINAL.

- E. E. Davies and J. McCosh beat G. Officer and K. King, 6—3, 4—6, 6—2.

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND.

- W. Lang beat R. Nicholson, 10—7.
 J. O. Tait beat T. R. Ingpen, 10—3.
 A. R. Wcttenhall beat D. Dayies, 10—6.
 W. L. Ingpen beat H. Cumming, 10—2.
 R. B. Read beat P. Macpherson, 10—7.
 C. T. Robertson beat S. Gray, 10—6.
 A. Levy beat R. Windsor, 10—5.
 J. Keays beat N. Morrison, 10—2.

SECOND ROUND.

W. Lang beat J. O. Tait, 10—0.
W. L. Ingpen beat A. R. Wettenhall, 10—2.
C. Robertson beat R. B. Read, 10—7.
A. Levy beat J. Keays, 10—2.

SEMI-FINALS.

W. L. Ingpen beat W. Lang, 10—9.
A. Levy beat C. Robertson, 10—3.

FINAL.

W. L. Ingpen beat A. Levy, 6—3, 6—3.

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND.

D. McKenzie beat G. Lang, 4—6, 6—3, 7—5.
J. McCosh beat R. B. Ronaldson, 6—1, 6—4.
E. E. Davies beat T. Hogg, 6—2, 6—2.
I. Sloane beat A. D. Sproat, 6—4, 6—0.
H. Kennedy beat C. Greeves, 6—1, 6—3.
J. R. T. Macmillan beat H. H. Bradshaw, 7—5, 6—1.

SECOND ROUND.

E. G. Greeves beat A. A. Lang, 8—6, 7—5.
N. Boyes beat E. W. McCann, 6—4, 5—7, 6—2.
D. McKenzie beat I. Murphy, 6—2, 6—2.
E. E. Davies beat J. McCosh, 6—2, 6—2.
H. Kennedy beat I. F. Sloane, 6—4, 6—3.
A. G. Baird beat J. R. T. Macmillan, 6—4, 8—6.
G. W. Hope beat H. A. Anderson, 6—1, 6—12.
J. Robertson beat A. J. H. Gray, 6—2, 6—0.

THIRD ROUND.

E. G. Greeves beat N. Boyes, 6—0, 6—1.
E. E. Davies beat D. McKenzie, 7—5, 6—2.
A. G. Baird beat H. Kennedy, 6—0, 6—3.
J. T. Robertson beat G. W. Hope, 9—7, 6—1.

SEMI-FINALS.

E. G. Greeves beat E. E. Davies, 6—2, 6—2.
A. G. Baird beat J. T. Robertson, w.o.

FINAL.

E. G. Greeves beat A. G. Baird, 1—6, 6—0, 6—3.

Cadet Notes.

TRAINING under the new regulations has been carried on throughout the term. A large part of every parade has been devoted to Musketry, and a good deal of miniature-range shooting has been done. There is

a general consensus of opinion that this is a considerable improvement on the old system, when so much time was given to squad drill. The miniature-range shooting should serve as a useful preparation for the open-range shooting that will be done next term.

The Corps entered two teams for the Battalion Shooting Competition. The teams seemed to be affected more than they should by the unfamiliar conditions of the Myers Street range, and our scores were disappointing. The result of the Competition has not yet been announced, but we know that at least one team has beaten our score.

Memories of 25 Years Ago—*continued.*

BY "S."

THE last term of a school year is usually the most interesting, to masters and boys alike. This general rule held good in 1897. During the 4th quarter of that year, notwithstanding the necessary 11th hour "stewing for exams," time had to be found for the concluding Cricket matches, Rifle-shooting contests, the Annual Sports meeting, Tennis tournaments, Quarterly and "Matric" exams., and, finally, the dread but very welcome Speech Day, or, as we termed it, Distribution Day.

The Cricket matches have already been dealt with, and as "exams." are sad events, the results being interesting mainly to the victims, we shall, therefore, hurry on, and I think it may safely be said that in a few brief recollections of the Cadet Corps and the Rifle shooting matches at Williamstown, we can surely find reasons for great pride and pleasure.

The College Corps was, for many years, remarkably efficient, and there can be little doubt that the reason for this lay in the outstanding personality of the Officer-Commanding, Captain C. N. Morrison.

Captain Morrison's ability as an instructor and disciplinarian on the parade ground was extraordinary. His high-pitched and ear-piercing command "Company! Show-w-n-n!" (attention!) was something to remember, (and to obey!), while the dread of such outspoken comments on our efforts as "A—, you're waddling," or "B—, you march like a camel," was more than sufficient to induce every cadet to do his utmost to avoid "The Captain's" displeasure.

Drum-Major Rashleigh, who was for so many years in charge of the College Bugle Band, was a splendid old soldier, with a great pride in the College Corps and his Superior Officer. His fund of stories seemed inexhaustible. One such, which I moist narrate, although it may be a "chestnut," referred to a general parade of the battalion of which the College Corps formed part. The Drum-Major had occasion to ask the rather irascible General Officer-Commanding for instructions where he should march the College Band, and received the impatient and not very courteous reply "Oh, march them to Jericho/" or words to that effect. A startling command surely! Our old Drum-Major was, however, equal to the occasion. Saluting gravely, he replied "Yes, Sir!" turned smartly to the grinning band, and roared, in a stentorian voice that carried far beyond the limits of the parade ground, "Band! to Jericho, Quick Mar-r-r-ch!!" For some minutes the parade was in confusion, spectators as well as the battalion enjoying the situation immensely.

The College successes in Rifle-shooting matches became, in those days, almost monotonous in their frequency. Thus, in 1897, the shooting teams, competing in 4 matches at Williamstown, open to all schools in the Colony, won 3 of them and secured 2nd place in the other. Sgt. W. M. Robertson won the title of Champion Senior Shot; Lieut. A. C. Whiting and Sgt. Lobb were 3rd and 4th, while Cadet Orr, shooting in the Francotte section, proved the "best young shot" at the meeting. The College Cadet Corps was certainly at the top of the tree 25 years ago.

It is amazing to recall that the Juniors, practising with the Francotte rifle, used a short range in the School grounds. The targets were fixed against the old blank south wall of Room A, underneath the present "Sleep-out," and the cadets shot from near the present tennis-courts!! It was the markers' duty to warn trespassers from the line of fire, but on more than one occasion tragedies were narrowly averted, and about 1898 this range was dismantled.

Since the days of the great "Gus" Kearney, the College has been a noted "tennis school," and the "1st four" of 1897, consisting of E. M. Baird, W. M. Robertson, E. G. Greeves, R. Braham and P. Brett, was particularly strong. Four matches were played during the year; all were won by the College.

Great interest was taken in the College Tennis tournament, held in November. The principal event, Singles Handicap, was won by P. G. Brett, with E. M. Baird 2nd.

By this time the school year was fast drawing to a close. The days being warm and long, river and country called aloud, and "crews" left early every Saturday morning to spend a glorious day "down the river" at the "Break," the "Willows," the "Lakes," or even at the "Heads." "The Captain" (Mr. Morrison) was usually a member of one or another of these crews, and many good stories could be told of his pranks on such occasions. Space, however, forbids at present.

Walking and cycling "crews" (all Saturday parties were termed "crews") were also numerous. The Dog Rocks, Viaduct, You Yangs, Junction, and Spring Creek (Torquay) all had their weirdly garbed and youthful visitors every Saturday.

The egg-collection—not now so popular, fortunately—grew steadily, and was placed in charge of J. D. Mack and C. E. Dennis, who spent much time and care in classifying and labelling the specimens—

The Athletic Sports were held on the Corio Oval a few days before "break-up." Present boys may like to compare some of the following results of 1897 with those of 1922:—

Putting the Weight, 30ft. 10m.
 Long Jump, 17ft. 10in.
 High Jump, 5ft. 3 ins.
 Mile, 6 min. 45 2-5 secs.

Such distances and times would certainly not be considered satisfactory in these days. It will be noticed that no time is given for the 100 Yards. E. G. Greeves ran magnificently in this event in an attempt to break the then-existing College record. For some reason, however, the timekeepers failed in their duty, and no time was taken. In recalling this incident, I cannot help wondering if "Teddy's" anger has yet abated!

The College Cup was won by E. G. Greeves, and the Old Boys' Cup by W. M. Bell, S. B. Calvert being 2nd. Mr. Morrison won his heat in the latter event, but was unplaced in the final, much to the disappointment of the boys.

The last great event of the year 1897—"Distribution of Prizes"—was held in the Geelong Town Hall. The report was read by "the Doctor," and the prizes were distributed by Mr. Charles Shannon. The writer has a vivid recollection of that particular day, because, possibly through some error, he secured a prize which is still cherished as a silent witness to at least one glorious triumph of the past.

In the list of prize-winners for 1897 may be found some interesting names. Amongst these Robt. Officer, Harold and Alf. Collocott and G. H. Ouinton all became splendid athletes, and were the mainstays of many College teams a few years later.

The Scholarship winners were A. E. Goller and H. C. E. L. Douglas. It is pleasing to hear that the two sons of the former are now boarders at the College. Alf. Goller made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War.

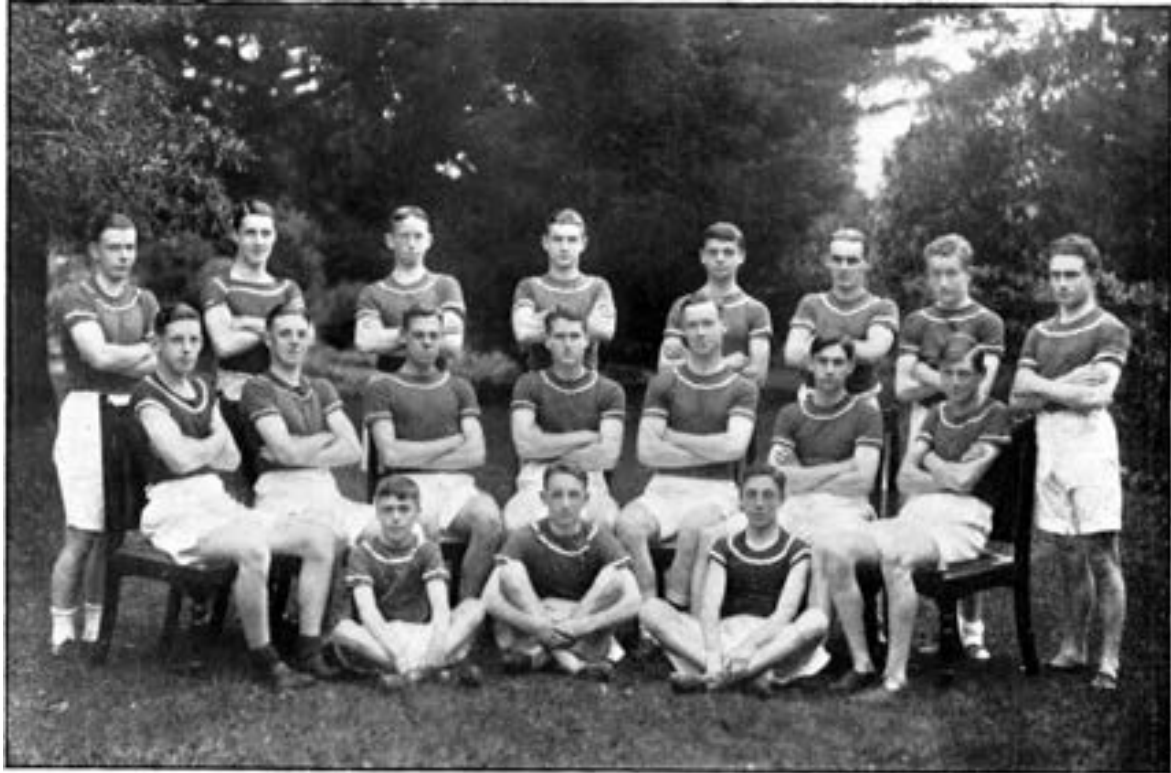
I wonder if Dr. R. R. Wettenhall remembers that he was awarded the Conduct Prize for 1897. Roland was, I fancy, the last member of the older generation of the Wettenhall family to attend the College, and there is no doubt that he worthily upheld the family name whilst there.

The Annual Athletic Sports.

THE Annual Athletic Sports were held on the College Oval, on Saturday, October 14th. We were fortunate in having a beautiful day in a period of unsettled weather, and there was a good attendance of the supporters of the school. Afternoon tea, as usual, was well patronised, and selections by the Geelong City Band added to the pleasure of the afternoon.

Complete arrangements had been made by the Committee of Management, who were delighted to have Mr. James D'Helin acting once again in the capacity of starter. Messrs. T. Bennett and S. V. Simmons gave every satisfaction as timekeepers.

Owing to the inclement weather it was difficult to get the preliminary events off quickly before the Sports' Day, and some of the times, especially that of the Cup Mile, were adversely affected. The College Cup was won by C. G. Rusden, after a keen struggle with J. R. T.



THE RUNNING TEAM.

Macmillan. The Norman Morrison Cup was won by F. Routley; the Under 16 Championship by H. M. Troup (who after he had tied with K. King, won in the run-off) ; and the Under 14 Championship by T. Ingpen. Detailed points are given below.

The Old Collegians' Cup was won in great style by A. G. Sloane, and Dr. Elvins won the Veterans' Plate, with Mr. J. A. Gillespie close behind him.

In the under 16 flat races H. M. Troup shone out conspicuously, and put up two records, doing the 220 yards in 25 4-5 sec, and the 440 yards in 59 2-5 sees. At the Combined Sports later, he beat his own record for the 220 yards by 1-5 of a second.

The Preparatory School Championship was made to cover three events this year, the Long Jump and High Jump being decided before the Sports, and the 100 Yards Run on the day of the Sports as usual. The winner was Peter Macpherson.

The following are the names of the officials, and the results of the events:—Committee of Management: Mr. A. H. Harry, E. G. Greeves, J. R. T. Macmillan, E. W. McCann, A. L. Rentoul, C. G. Rusden; Handicappers: Mr. K. W. Nicolson, J. R. T. Macmillan, E. W. McCann, C. G. Rusden; Judges: Messrs. S. B. Calvert, E. J. Campbell, F. Crichton, A. H. MacRoberts, K. W. Nicolson, A. M. Palmer, R. R. Pavia, C. H. Strover, A. T. Tait: Referee: Mr. A. H. Harry; Starter: Mr. James D'Helin; Timekeepers: Messrs. T. Bennett and S. V. Simmons; Joint Honorary Secretaries: H. A. Anderson and E. G. Greeves.

GEELONG COLLEGE CUP.

LONG JUMP.—J. R. T. Macmillan, 1; C. G. Rusden, 2; E. G. Greeves, 3. Distance, 19ft. 2¾ins.

PUTTING THE WEIGHT.—E. W. McCann, 1; J. R. T. Macmillan, 2; C. G. Rusden, 3.

120 YARDS HURDLES.—C. G. Rusden, 1; E. W. McCann, 2; E. G. Greeves, 3. Time, 17 sec.

440 YARDS.—C. G. Rusden, 1; J. R. T. Macmillan, 2; E. W. McCann, 3. Time, 54 4-5 secs.

220 YARDS.—J. R. T. Macmillan and C. G. Rusden, dead heat, 1. Time 25 3-5 secs.

100 YARDS.—Not run.

HIGH JUMP.—E. G. Greeves, 1.

ONE MILE.—C. G. Rusden, 1; J. R. T. Macmillan, 2; E. W. McCann, 3. Time, 5 min. 30 secs.

TOTALS:—

C. G. Rusden, 14½ points	1
J. R. T. Macmillan, 11½ points	2
E. W. McCann, 7 points	3
E. G. Greeves, 5 points	4

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP.

(The Elgar Opie Memorial Cup).

- LONG JUMP.—E. G. Cook, 1; K. King, 2; P. F. Kennedy, 3. Distance, 16ft sins.
 HIGH JUMP.—K. King, 1; T. L. Macmillan, 2; H. M. Troup, 3. Height, 4ft. ½in.
 100 YARDS.—H. M. Troup, 1; K. King, 2; E. G. Cook, 3. Time 11 3-5 secs.
 220 YARDS.—H. M. Troup, 1; E. G. Cook, 2; K. King, 3. Time, 25 4-5 secs.
 440 YARDS.—H. M. Troup, 1; K. King, 2; E. G. Cook, 3. Time, 59 2-5 secs.

TOTALS:—

H. M. Troup and K. King, 10 points	1
E. G. Cook, 7 points	3

The run-off at 150 yards was won by H. M. Troup.

THE NORMAN MORRISON CUP.

(Under 16 Handicap Cup).

- 100 YARDS.—A. I. Reid, 10 yds., 1; W. L. Ingpen, 1 yd., 2; N. G. Atkins, 2 yds., 3.
 Time, 11 3-5 secs.
 150 YARDS.—F. Routley, 2 yds., 1; R. B. Reid, 6 yds., 2; W. Moodie, 5 yds., 3.
 Time, 17 1-5 secs.
 200 YARDS.—F. Routley, 3 yds., 1; W. L. Ingpen, 3 yds., 2; W. Moodie, 6 yds., 3.
 Time, 24 3-5 secs.

TOTALS:—

F. Routley, 6 points	1
W. L. Ingpen, 4 points	2
A. I. Reid, 3 points	3

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP.

(The Headmaster's Cup).

- HIGH JUMP.—D. A. Ingpen, 1; S. Purnell & C. Robertson, 2. Height, 4ft. 1 2-3ins.
 100 YARDS.—G. F. Higgins, 1; T. R. Ingpen, 2; P. Dimming, 3. Time, 132-5 secs.
 220 YARDS.—T. R. Ingpen, 1; E. L. Milner, 2; G. F. Higgins, 3. Time, 30 secs.

TOTALS:—

T. Ingpen, 5 points	1
G. F. Higgins, 4 points	2
D. Ingpen, 3 points	3

PREPARATORY SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP.

- LONG JUMP.—P. Macpherson, 1; S. G. Roebuck, 2; R. W. A. Rolland, 3. Distance, 12ft.
 HIGH JUMP.—J. L. Baird, 1; M. L. Hirst, 2; P. Macpherson, 3. Height, 3ft, 10½ ins,

100 YARDS.—P. Macpherson, 1; S. G. Roebuck, 2; R. W. Rolland, 3. Time, $\frac{1}{3}$ 4-5 secs.

TOTALS:—

P. Macpherson, 7 points	1
S. G. Roebuck, 4 points	2
J. L. Baird, 3 points	3

OPEN EVENTS.

THROWING THE CRICKET BALE.—E. G. Greeves, 1; R. C. McKay, 2; R. Fairley, 3. Distance, 94yds., 4ms.

LONG JUMP.—J. R. T. Macmillan, 1; C. G. Rusden, 2; G. F. VVaugh, 3. Distance, 19ft. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ ins.

PUTTING THE WEIGHT—R. C. McKay, 1; Pl. A. Anderson, 2; J. R. T. Macmillan, 3. Distance, 30ft. 2ins.

OPEN 100 YARDS.—H. R. Fidge, 1; G. F. Waugh, 2; T. Young, 3.

SENIOR MANX RACE.—H. H. Bradshaw and D. M. McKenzie, 5yds., 1; G. F. Waugh and E. G. Greeves, scr., 2; W. J. Read and A. A. Lang, 8yds., 3.

120 YARDS UNDER 14, (Mrs. J. A. Reid's Trophy).—G. F. Higgins, 7yds., 1; I. Pettitt, 9yds., 2; H. M. Milner, 7yds., 3. Time, 15 secs.

100 YARDS UNDER 13, (Mrs. R. C. Webb's Trophy).—I. Pettitt, 5yds., 1; G. F. Higgins, 2yds., 2; S. G. Roebuck, 4yds., 3. Time, 12 4-5 secs.

THE ASSOCIATION PLATE, 100 YARDS, (Presented by J. L. Currie, Esq. on behalf of the Old Collegians' Association).—H. H. Bradshaw, 4yds. and R. G. Strong, 6yds., 1; T. G. Young, 6yds., 3.

120 YARDS HURDLES, (Mr. G. A. Gray's Trophy).—E. G. Greeves, 12yds. bhd. scr., 1; G. F. Waugh, 10yds. bhd. scr., 2; I. M. Miller, 5yds. bhd. scr., 3. Time, 20 3-5 secs.

880 YARDS, (Messrs. P. and E. C. Bradley's Trophy).—T. Hogg, 40yds., 1; K. Thompson, 65yds., 2; P. F. Biddle, scr., 3. Time, 2 mins. 15 3-5 secs.

100 YARDS UNDER 12.—S. G. Roebuck, scr., 1; J. L. Baird, 2yds., 2; R. W. A. Rolland, scr., 3. Time, 13 3-5 secs.

HIGH JUMP, (Mr. R. E. McArthur's Trophy).—A. Lang, 1; E. G. Greeves, 2; N. Boyes, 3. Height, 5ft. 3ms.

300 YARDS UNDER 15, (Lieut.-Colonel Purnell's Trophy).—K. Paull, 20yds., 1; C. Storrer, 20yds., 2; W. L. Ingpen, scr., 3. Time, 39 secs.

THE E. R. SPARROW' CUP, 440 YARDS OPEN, (Mr. W. E. Sparrow's Trophy).—A. Colvin, 35yds., 1; R. G. Strong, 15yds., 2; D. M. McKenzie, 25yds., 3. Time, 54 3-5 secs.

EGG AND SPOON RACE.—W. H. Sloan, 1; A. K. Daniel, 2.

220 YARDS OPEN, (The Messrs. McFarland's Trophy).—C. P. Reilly, 6yds., 1; H. H. Bradshaw, 4yds., 2; T. G. Young, 6yds., 3. Time, 25 secs.

75 YARDS, UNDER 10.—M. T. Wright, scr., 1; R. W. Pettitt, 3yds., 2; R. J. Ingpen, 1yd., 3. Time, 11 1-5 secs.

JUNIOR MANX RACE.—R. J. Goto and J. O. Tait, scr., 1; J. W. R. Champ and P. M. McCann, 12yds., 2; S. G. Roebuck and M. L. Hirst, 7yds., 3.

880 YARDS UNDER 16, (Dr. R. R. Wettenhall's Trophy).—E. G. Cook, 5yds., 1; J. W. Waderton, 35yds., 2; W. J. Moodie, 10 yds., 3. Time, 2 mins. 32 2-5 secs.

- 150 YARDS OPEN, (The Masters' Trophy).—R. C. Mackay, 9yds., 1; H. H. Bradshaw, 3yds., 2; C. P. Reilly, 5yds., 3. Time, 16 1-5 secs.
- 100 YARDS HURDLES UNDER 16, (Mr. W. J. Thome's Trophy).—K. King, 10yds. bhd. scr., 1; D. Dickson, 2yds. bhd. scr., 2; W. H. Sloane, scr., 3. Time, 17 2-5 secs.
- SACK RACE.—E. M. Hope, 1; R. G. Barber, 2; H. A. Hall, 3.
- HOUSE FLAG RACE.—Warrinn House (N. G. Atkins, H. H. Bradshaw, A. J. H. Gray, J. R. T. Macmillan, R. C. McKay, G. F. Waugh), 1; Shannon House, 2; Morrison House, 3.
- PREPARATORY SCHOOL FLAG RACE.—Bellerophon (J. L. Baird, N. E. Pizer, M. T. Wright, J. K. McDonald, L. A. Hancock, M. L. Richardson), 1.
- 440 YARDS STEEPLECHASE, (Mrs. W. A. Waugh's Trophy).—A. Bell, 25yds., 1; E. G. Greeves, scr. and J. R. T. Macmillan, 15 yds., 2. Time, 1 min. 4 1-5 secs.
- 100 YARDS UNDER 15.—R. B. Reid, 3 yds., 1; W. L. Ingpen, scr., 2; K. Paull, 6yds., 3. Time, 12 secs.
- ONE MILE OPEN, (The Roy Pillow Trophy).—K. Thompson, 160yds., 1; R. C. Mackay, noyds., 2; E. E. Davies, 140yds., 3. Time, 5 min. 4¾ secs.
- OLD COLLEGIANS' CUP.—A. G. Sloane, 13yds., 1; W. E. Macmillan, 3yds., 2; T. B. Hawkcs, 6yds., 3.
- VETERANS' PLATE— H. F. Elvins, 12yds., 1; J. A. Gillespie, 25yds., 2; E. G. Greeves, 5yds., 3. Time, 8 4-5 secs.

HOUSE SPORTS.

Great interest was taken in the House Sports this year. It was a pity that unfavourable weather, to a certain extent, interfered with them, but, notwithstanding this, the contests were very keen. The Committee decided to alter the allocation of points and to give 8 points for first place, 5 for second, 3 for third, 2 for fourth, and 1 for fifth, so that those who did not get a place in the first three might still score for their house.

Alter a very close contest, the result of which was in doubt up to the last event, Warrinn beat Shannon by two points, while Morrison (who were handicapped by the fact that their champion sprinter, J. Wilson, could not run, owing to an injury to his leg) came level with Barwon. The final scores were:—

WARRINN	120 points
SHANNON	118 points
BARWON	
MORRISON	52 points

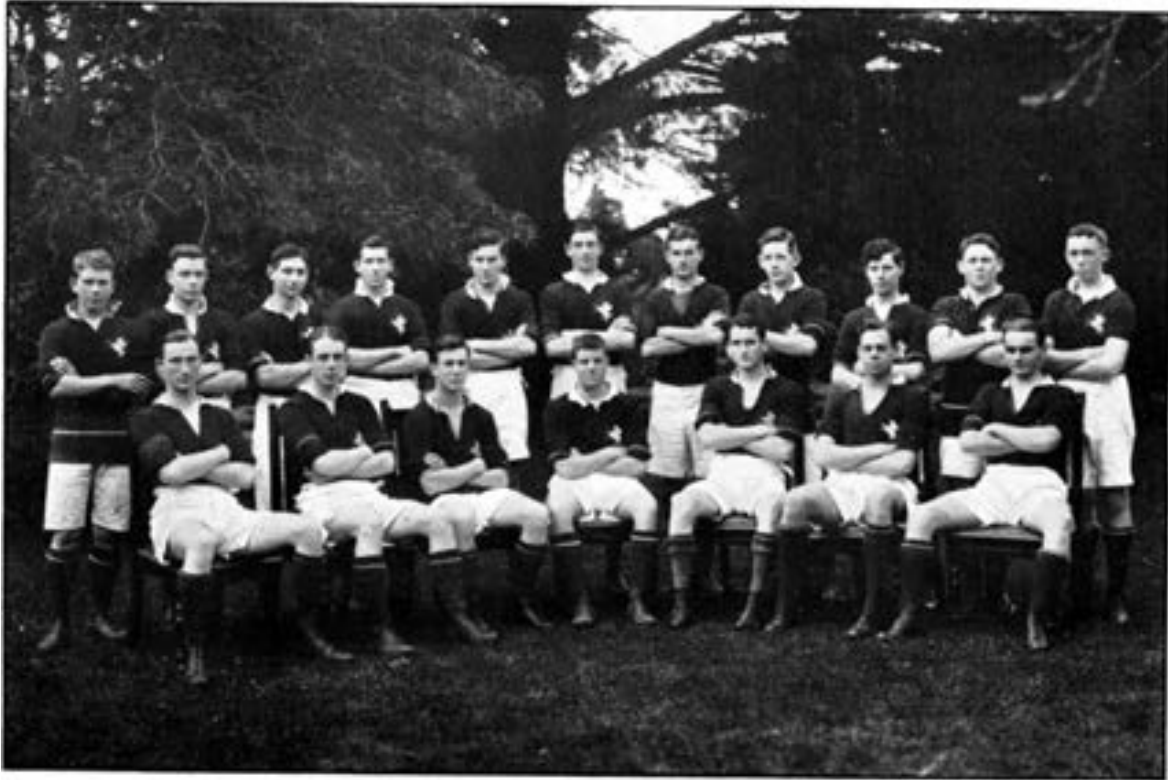
The following runners gained points for their Houses:—**Warrinn:** J. R. T. Macmillan (34), K. King (27), H. H. Bradshaw (11), G. F. Higgins (11), R. C. MacKay (8) T. R. Tngpen (7), H. A. Anderson (5), P. F. Riddle (5), G. F. Waugh (4), A. D. Sproat (3), G. S. Gray (3) N. G. Atkins (2). **Shannon:** H. M[^] Troup (25), E. G. Cook (20), E. G. Grecves (19), W. L. Ingpen (16), S. R. Purnell (9), T. L. Macmillan (7), A. A. Lang (8), A. L. Rentoul (5), H. Kennedy (5), C. Robertson (2), T. G. Young (2). **Morrison:** C. G. Rusden (20), R. B. Reid (11), H. Gumming (5), K. G. McIntyre (5), T. G. Hogg (3), C. P. Reilly (3), R. Wettenhall (2), A. Colvin (2,) K. Paull (1). **Barwon:** H. k. Fidge (22) W. Moodie (9), P. Kennedy (6), R. J. Goto (5), R. Mui'r (5), F. W. McCann (3), D. Love (1), I. M. Miller (1).

Combined Public Schools' Sports.

THE Combined Sports, held on October 27th, attracted the usual crowd of enthusiastic spectators— A large contingent went by special train from Geelong, and were rewarded by seeing some fine performances by some of the Geelong contestants.

The Melbourne Grammar School soon established a strong lead, which they maintained to the end. They are to be congratulated on having a team capable of scoring more points than any two of the other schools concerned. There was no marked distinction between the rest, for with only three events to go there was a difference of merely four points between the second school and the last. Unfortunately, our representatives in the long jump were, as usual, weak, and we once more had to be content with the last place. It w⁷as, however, the best performance put up by a College team for several years, and their supporters were gratified at the result. Xavier College and Geelong Grammar School gained second and third places respectively, Scotch and Wesley being below their usual standard.

H. Austin (M.G.S.) beat his own previous record for putting the weight by 17 inches, his distance being 38ft. 9¾ ins. R. MacKay, for the College, gained second place in this event by putting 33ft. 4¼ins.—a very creditable performance—



THE FOOTBALL TEAM.

In the Under 16 Events, H- M. Troup, the College representative, did excellently by getting a first place in the 220 yards, a second in the 440, and a third in the 100. Other good efforts were those of W. L. Ingpen (third in the 300 yards under 15), C. G. Rusden (third in the Open Hurdles), and J. R. T. Macmillan (third in the Mile).

'His Excellency the Governor, Lord Stradbroke, presented the Challenge Cup to the Melbourne Grammar School at the close of the meeting.

The following were the final scores:—Melbourne Grammar School, 107½ points; Xavier College, 53 points; Geelong Grammar School, 51 points; Scotch College, 45 points; Wesley College, 42½ points.

Our representatives were:—J. R. T. Macmillan (Capt.), P. F. Biddle, H. H. Bradshaw, E. G. Cook, H. R. Fidge, G. F. Higgins, W. L. Ingpen, K. L. King, A. A. Lang, R. G. MacKay, I. M. Miller, R. Muir, S. R. Purnell, C. P. Reilly, C. G. Rusden, H. M. Troup, G. F. Waugh, T. G. Young.

Places in the events were gained as follows:—

PUTTING THE WEIGHT—H. M. Austin (M.G.S.), 38ft. 934ms., 1; R. C. MacKay (G.C.), 33ft. 4¼ins., 2; E. F. Sullivan (X.C.), 3.
 HIGH JUMP.—G. A. Carter (M.G.S.) and E. A. Eddy (W.C.), equal, 1; C. A. Macfarlane (G.G.S.), 3. Height, 5ft. 6ins.
 TOO YARDS OPEN.—C. J. Lane (M.G.S.), 1; H. O. Merewether (G.G.S.), 2; K. Lidgett (W.C.) and R. I. Inglis (S.C.), equal, 3. Time, 10 3-5 secs.
 220 YARDS.—C. J. Lane (M.G.S.), 1; H. O. Merewether (G.G.S.O), 2; R. K. Cussen (X.C.), 3. Time, 23 2-5 secs.
 120 YARDS HURDLES.—H. K. Walker, (M.G.S.), 1; V. J. Tunbridge (G.G.S.), 2; C. G. Rusden (G.C.), 3. Time, 17½ secs.
 440 YARDS.—C. J. Lane (M.G.S.), 1; K. R. Cussen (X.C.), 2; J. A. Tallis (G.G.S.), 3. Time, 52 2-s sees.
 880 YARDS.—P. McM. Glynn (X.C.), 1; T. Standing (W.C), 2; J. A. Dibbs (G.G.S.), 3. Time, 2 mins. 8½ secs.
 ONE MILE.—P. McM. Glynn (X.C.), 1; H. E. Stribling (M.G.S.), 2; J. R. T. Macmillan (G.C.), 3. Time, 4 mins. 52 1-5 secs.
 LONG JUMP.—J. A. Tallis (G.G.C.), 1; K. Lidgett (W.C), 2; E. J. Gay (M.G.S.), 3. Distance, 21ft. 1in.
 FLAG RACE.—Wesley College, 1; Melbourne Grammar School, 2.

UNDER 16 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—F. D. Green (S.C), 1; G. J. Brooksbank (M.G.S.), 2; H. M. Troup (G.C.), 3. Time, 11 1-5 sees.
 220 YARDS.—H. M. Troup (G.C.), 1; G. J. Brooksbank (M.G.S.), 2; A. H. Abbott (W.C), 3. Time, 25 3-5 secs.
 440 YARDS.—G. J. Brooksbank (M.G.S.), 1; H. M. Troup (G.C.), 2; A. C. Jones (X.C.), 3. Time, 58½ secs.
 HIGH JUMP—V. H. Seabrook (W.C), 1; L. M. Johnson (S.C.) and S. W. B. Cooke (M.G.S.), equal, 2. Height, 5ft. 2¼ins.

LONG JUMP.—C. W. Arnold (M.G.S.), 1; K. C. Keam (X.C), 2; A. J. Lister (G.C.), 3. Distance, 18ft. 8ins.

UNDER 15 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—C. W. Arnold (M.G.S.), 1; A. P. Robertson (N.C.), 2; N. W. Swann (S.C.) 3. Time 11 1-5 secs.

300 YARDS.—C. W. Arnold (M.G.S.), 1; A. P. Robertson (X.C), 2; N. W. Swann (S.C.) and W. L. Ingpen (G.C.), equal, 3. Time, 36 3-5 secs.

UNDER 14 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—L. M. Smith (G.G.S.), 1; A. H. Miller (S.C), 2; R. F. Bunting (M.G.S.), 3. Time, 12 1-5 secs.

HIGH JUMP.—N. H. Coles (S.C), 1; T. C. McKellar (G.G.S.) and W. L. Simpson (W.C), equal, 3. Height, 4ft. 8ins.

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War Memorial Endowment Fund.

THE following donations have been received since our last issue:-

	£	s.	d.
G. E. M. Scott.....1	1		0
Executors late W. McGarvie (3 final instalments)	30	0	0
J. M. Baxter (5th instalment)	20	0	0
F. E. S. Scott	3	3	0
B. W. M. Collins (3rd instalment).	5	0	0
A. S. M. Collins (3rd instalment).	5	0	0
E. J. Hurst (3rd instalment).	2	2	0
R. J. Young (5th instalment).	10	0	0

Old Boys' Column.

David Oliver has been elected Assistant Shire Engineer at Heidelberg from a very large number of applicants. This is a fast growing district, and we congratulate David upon his appointment.

Congratulations to Claude Backwell, who completed his medical course in August, and was almost immediately appointed resident at the Geelong Hospital.

H. A. Maclean, unfortunately, did not succeed in leaving Sydney in October as expected. We shall book him for a visit next year—perhaps for the Old Boys' Cricket Re-union in March.

Interesting notes from Geelong News, 1872 (50 years ago)—"Fifteen pupils from the Geelong College have passed the Matriculation Examination for the year, being exactly the same number as have passed within that time from all the other schools in Geelong."

"The physical prowess of the College boys is sufficiently attested by the fact that in the matches played by them this year for the Cup presented by the Proprietors of the "Australasian," open to all the upper schools in the Colony, the first, second and fourth places were taken by pupils of the Geelong College."

We send congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Keith Doig, Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Purnell, and Mr. and Mrs. James Bell, who have each a daughter since last issue.

We are pleased to learn that Walter Maepheron is gradually improving in health, and send him Xmas greetings and best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Congratulations to J. H. Urbahns who has passed his final in Engineering and Surveying.

We are glad to hear that R. K. McArthur has recovered from his recent illness, and hopes to come along and see us shortly. He sends a budget of interesting news regarding other Old Collegians.

C. C. Bell has arrived in London. He had a good voyage over, and was not a prey to sea-sickness. He describes Durban and Cape Town as "the two most beautiful places he has seen." He has entered Ducroy, Duxat and Co. (Wool-brokers), and later on is going to join Laycock's in Bradford. Of London wool-floors he says, "The wool is shown down by the river, in musty, old warehouses, surrounded by some of the lowest slums imaginable. You would not be at all struck with the stores or the way the wool is shown—you see every bale in a lot, and they are all piled three deep on their sides." Incidentally, he says he saw there some of his father's wool ("Leslie Manor"), and also some lambs' wool he remembered in Hague's, Geelong. London, he says, is a great place. He has bought a cane, gloves, spats and boxer, and has visited Brooklands and Westminster Abbey.

D. Hope and A. A. Gray have returned from their trip to the Malay States, where Jim Hope sweats on a rubber plantation. Gray is off to England shortly, while Hope has gone up to a sheep station in N.S.W. as a jackeroo.

Angus Urquhart had an unpleasant experience recently. While motoring along the Terang road, one of the wheels of his car caught in a rut, the steering gear jammed, and the car turned completely over, but Angus came out of it unscathed. We congratulate him on his powers of extraction.

The shearing strike has been a source of trouble to many of our Old Boys in different parts of Australia. We trust Walter Maepheron (Paika, N.S.W.), Willie Waugh (Clare, N.S.W.), the Reids, and any others up that way have successfully wound up operations. Shearing has been a slow affair in Vic. this year, many station's having had to carry on short handed. Will Cumming (Mt. Fyans), George Dowling (Jellalabad)

and Jack Currie (Lara) have just finished; while Llewelyn Dennis (Eyeuk), Lewis Bell (Leslie Manor), Stewart McArthur (Meningoort), and Ernest Mc Arthur (Kootnong) are on their last few sheep.

Colin McArthur is at home, helping with the shearing and station work.

The property near Camperdown, managed by Lewis Bell, has been bought by the Government for settling Indian officers on.

Harry Lucas, who was at the College 1915-1917, is in a bank in Brisbane. He has developed into a high class footballer, having represented Queensland against N.S.W. in the last two seasons.

Jack Hawkes is again prominent in Vic. Tennis Championships. He was runner-up to Patterson in the Singles, and with the latter won the Doubles Championship. He also won all his contests in the Inter-State match v. N. S. W.

Tom Hawkes has been appointed general manager of Hawkes Bros.

Foior Old Collegians have once again won the Senior Pennant Tennis Premiership for Geelong—surely a unique record. Jack and Tom Hawkes, and the evergreen Russell Keays and A. L. Baird again constituted the team. There's no doubt the Old Boys of the College can hold their own in the tennis and football world, but what of cricket? Perhaps the years to come will show us an Old Collegian in an Inter-State or International team.

Bert Hedges—left school in 1916—was in Melbourne for the Cup. He has gone to West Australia, intending to take up grazing pursuits.

We congratulate Jim Russell (Barunah Plains) on the birth of a son and heir.

A rumour has reached us that Rob Scott has a farm in the Malice—can anyone verify it?

Annual Reunion.

THE next Annual Reunion will take place at the College on Friday, 23rd March, 1923.

After careful consideration the Old Boys' Committee decided that a change might meet with the approval of the members, and have accordingly arranged for a Cricket Afternoon at the College as stated above. Old Boys of all ages will have an opportunity of once again taking the field, when a series of matches will be arranged.

The evening meal will be dispensed at the school, with music, song and story

A complete programme, when arranged will be sent to members during February. In the meantime, "Teddy" Rankin will concentrate his best efforts on the preparation of some first-class wickets.

Old Boys who are desirous of taking part might send in their names to the Honorary Secretary.

The following names have already been received for the consideration of the Selection Committee :—

1860-70.—J. M. Campbell, Archie Campbell, C. J. Murray, F. J. Macoboy, A. S. Chirnside, W. Parker, Mr. Justice S. Leon, A. S. Murray, J. C. Bowden, Richard Skewes, J. McLaughlin, H. E. B. Armstrong, R. C. Bell, W. De C. Berthon, Lewis Bell, J. L. Currie, John Jacobs, Wm. Oliver, A. Oliver, Jas. Robertson, H. F. Richardson, J. F. Strachan, H. M. Strachan, Norman Strachan.

1870-80.—A. S. Bell, W. Boyd, Mr. Justice S. McArthur, A- G. Campbell, A. Philip, C. Baird, J. Boyd, J. Henderson, W. Philip, J. Baker, Neil Campbell, W. B. Gumming, C. Cole, G. W. Dowling, F- A. Edols, W. W. Hope, R. H. Morrison, C. McLean, M. Pasco, W. H. Reid, A. M. Wilkinson, J. W. Dowling.

1880-90.—H. F. Elvins, J. H. Hewison, F. C. Purnell, A. Boyd, W. Macpherson, A. Simson, T. O. Guthrie, A. D. Guthrie, C. McArthur, W. Reid, G. Simmons, A. N. McArthur, W. Timms, M. Kearney, R. E. McArthur, G. Meek, H. Timms, A. Wettenhall, J. F. Finarty, R. J. Holloway, J. F. Guthrie, I. G. Glassford, Robert Reid, R. Gullan, W. M. Bell, L. G. McArthur, D. C. Morrison, M. Wettenhall, Val. Mogg, C. Sandford, R. P. Calvert, Percy Dowling, T. E. Edols,

1890-1900.—F. Strickland, Tom Cowan, J. D'Helin, E. Baird, R. McFarland, C. Duckett, S. Young, A. L. Baird, G. Connor, Harold McFarland, V. Williamson, A. E. Sandford, G. Sutherland, Frank McFarland, A. Thompson, S. Robertson, W. Robertson, A. C. Stock, W. McPherson, T- De Gruchy, H. Young, E. G. Greeves, A. B. Dixon, S. Nasmith, Percy Bretts, H. Collocott, A. B. Collocott, A. W. Dougall, Jas. Gatehouse, R. Officer, R. Stanlake, N. Watson, H. McLean, R. R. Wettenhall, R. B- Keays.

1900-1910.—W. S. Philip, J. Sinclair, F. L. Stodart, E. A. McFarland, R. R. Grigg, C. G. Timms, A- S. Philip, E. E. V. Collocott, E. C. Cherry, T. E. Doughton, G. B. Kearney, E. J Piper, J. F. S. Shannon, A. H. Birrell, E. J. Cherry, A. G. McLean, A. H. Campbell, T. M. Dickson, I. S. Edgar, C. G. McNeilage, C. M. Stodart, F. B. Crawford, J. W. Young, W. B. McCulloch, J. E. Baker, T. A. David, F. X. de Bavay, J. W. Salmon, A. T. Tait, N. A. Maclean, K. M. Doig, M. Simson, J. F. Bell, P. G. Pullar, E. K. Russell, E. H. Whitehead, S. T. Appleford, C. R. Longden, S. H. Mayo, J. C. Betheras, J. R. Porter, Leslie F. Douglass, R. K. Birnie, A. Rankin, G. C. D-Reid, J. W. Dowling, A. K. Maclean, J. C. Kininmonth, j. W. Fenton, P. S. C. Campbell, J. I. Birnie, G. Rylah, F. M. Collocott, Norman Longdon, K. C. Purnell, W. J. Tremble, R. H. Crisp, G. Howatson, Neil Calvert, Donald Calvert.

1910-1920.—E. S. Andrew, W. J. Reid, C. Dowling, J. H. Davidson, Gordon McArthur, L. M. Calvert, G. A. N. Mitchell, D. W. Paine, C. M. Calvert, E. E. Mackay, D. T. Fenton, J. R. McKindley, A. M. Snow, R. N. Campbell, W. D. McKindley, L. E. Reid, Ian Campbell, Jack Hawkes, J. R. Hodgson, T. B. Hawkes, W. S. Sharland, W. R. Macpherson, E. M. Philip, A. R. McLennan, F. R. Apted, C. T. Robins, R. K. McArthur, J. K. Carmichael, F. M. Lee, L. Morton, D. M. Kennedy, A. E. Purnell, C. E. McArthur, R. Morton, J. S. Maddern, J. R. Macmillan, O. L. Read, R. Mack, A. M. Brushneld, R. Ball.

Debating Society.

THE Annual Banquet of the Society was held in the dining hall on August 26th, and proved to be a suitable close to a most successful year.

The first toast of the evening, that of "The King," was proposed by Mr. Rolland, and acknowledged in the usual way. J. Gray, in proposing the toast of "The Society/' showed what a great advantage it was for a boy to be able to be a member of a society, such as the Geelong College Debating Society. H. Macmillan replied on behalf of the Society, thanking Gray for his kind remarks.

The next toast was that of "The Masters," proposed by H. Bradshaw. This speaker pointed out how much the success of the school depended on the co-operation of the boys and the masters. Mr. Palmer, who replied on behalf of the masters, said that they were always willing to help the boys, if the boys would give them a chance-

The toast of "The Teams" was proposed by D. Dickson, and replied to by H. Anderson. Dickson expressed his appreciation of the way in which the teams had played throughout the year, and wished them the best of success in the forthcoming years.

The last toast of the evening, that of "Those Leaving," was fittingly proposed by R. Ronaldson, who expressed his regret in losing so many good comrades, but wished them the best of success in whatever path of life they took up. C. McArthur replied on behalf of those leaving, stating that, although he and his old College companions no longer attended school, they would not lose their deep interest in the school.

Mr. Harry then stated that the debating prize (donated by Mr. S. B. Calvert) had this year been won by J. Gray. Deep regret was felt that Mr. Calvert was unable to attend the banquet.

Thanks are due to Mrs. Rolland and the staff who so kindly helped with the banquet in all ways within their power-

The Ormond Letter.

THE past term has seen the last of the Inter-Collegiate fixtures for the year decided. The tennis matches were played during September, and resulted in a win for Trinity. In our match against Newman, we had a good win by six rubbers to two. In the final against Trinity, when advantage sets were numerous, we lost by six rubbers to two. Rain rather interfered with the final, which had to be spread over two days.

Ormond have won only one contest this year—the Athletics—, but next year we hope to do a good deal better, and win back the position of cock-College.

On the evening of September 1st, the annual "At Home" was held in the St. Kilda Town Hall, and proved a tremendous success.

Tod Sloan was a member of the "Shop" team in the Five Miles Senior Cross-country Championship, run at Ballarat, and finished 36th.

On September 16th the annual regatta for the Morrison Fours was held over a short course on the Yarra. In the final the crews stroked by Bert Gibb and Fred Gilmour rowed off, the result being a good win for the former.

Several of the old boys in College are doing their finals this year. Tod Sloan is doing finals in Engineering, and Jim Sharland, Alan Waterhouse, and George Scott do their finals in Medicine in March. We wish them the best of luck.

Most of us in College have exams in the near future, and are hoping for good results from the year's work.

All join in congratulating the College on the fine performance put up at the Combined Sports, especially in the under-age events.

Any of the present boys who intend to come up to the "Shop" next year should come into College, where, without doubt, they get the ideal University life, and they can be sure of a warm welcome.

In conclusion, we wish the College the best of luck next year, and hope to see them well to the fore.

J.R.M.

University Notes.

AT the present time there is an increasing appreciation of the advantages to be gained by higher education. This has been shown by all classes of the community. Whether this impetus to education is a result of the Great War or not it is difficult to say; but certainly the returned man has been a striking feature of our post-war University, and he it is who has come directly under the grim influences of war.

Many of these men have come back to complete a sadly interrupted course, but there are many others who, under the normal course of events, would have remained in other spheres of life. Some have had the opportunity of continuing their education with the assistance of the Repatriation Department. The result is, the increase of the University compared with that of the State has been out of all proportion. The present roll of about 2600 is almost double that of pre-war days. The old buildings have become inadequate. To alleviate matters a new Art School and a new Anatomy School are being built, and will be ready for use next year. Other departments have been added to in a very makeshift style. Most departments are under-staffed, and the Government grant does not nearly meet the growing needs.

During the August vacation Inter-Varsity football, hockey, lacrosse, and rifle-shooting were contested- Melbourne won the last-named.

In the Metropolitan Amateur Football Association both Shop teams reached the semi-finals, and in the end the premiership was won by the University "Blacks."

A team represented the "Shop" in the Senior Five Mile Cross-country Championship at Ballarat, and ran into fourth place.

We are now running an A grade tennis team, and two teams in the C grade. The senior team has done only moderately, but the junior teams have had a completely successful year.

In 1913 the first Inter-Varsity boxing contests took place in Sydney. Melbourne was badly beaten in most of the contests. During the war boxing, along with most other sports, lapsed. It has been revived again, but as a club with a separate existence from the Sports Union. It is hoped to revive Inter-Varsity contests again in the near future. At our

own annual contests Mitchell won the heavy-weight honours. Others who won were Buchanan, of Inter-State rowing fame, Archer and Levick.

Cricket has begun again. Our district team is a strong combination, and has already had a creditable win against Northcote, largely owing to a beautiful century and a half by L. Freemantle. The second eleven is a strong team also. Dick Lee figures as one of its prominent members-

At Henley a much fancied "Shop" maiden eight carried all before it, wanning the final by a length. Another maiden eight and a four both succeeded in reaching the semi-finals.

We were all delighted at the performance of the old School at the Combined Sports, and with the all-round consistency of the running. We congratulate Troup on his fine win.

Willie Macmillan is the possessor of a much coveted blue for athletics, and Walter Ricketts for rowing.

Exclusive of Ormond men, Lovell Langslow (Law), George Fleming, "Sam" Heath, A. R. Moreton (Meds.), and W. N. Ricketts (Science) all hope to "trick" the examiners at the ensuing examinations.

In conclusion, we wish you the best of luck, and hope to see a large contingent of "freshers" up from School next year.

A.R.M.

Speech Day

(From the "Geelong Advertiser".)

Keen regret was expressed in Geelong yesterday, when it became known that His Excellency the Governor-General would be unable, owing to indisposition, to be present for the College break-up, at which he was to have addressed the boys. The unavoidable absence of Lord Forster meant a very busy day for Her Ladyship, who cheerfully accepted double duty.

Arriving by train from Ballarat about mid-day, Her Excellency, who was attended by Captain Pitt-Rivers, A.D.C., was motored by Alderman and

Mrs. Hitchcock to the Geelong West Kindergarten, which she inspected

Accompanied by the chairman of the College Council (Mr. Stanley B. Calvert), and the Chaplain (Rev J. B. Rentoul), Lady Forster lunched with the Principal (Rev. F. V. Roliand) and Mrs. Rolland, and afterwards inspected the school and grounds. She showed especial interest in the Honor Board in the Hall, and was delighted with the College arrangements, educational and general.

Prior to the break-up function, Her Ladyship was received by the College

Council in the class-room at the Mechanics' Institute, those present including Sir John Macfarland, Right Rev. F. H. L. Paton (Moderator of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria), Mr. Stanley B. Calvert, Revs. F. W. Holland, T. Worsley Maguire, J. B. Rentoul, Chas. Neville, and D. W. Smith, Drs. W. W. Hope and M'Arthur, Messrs. J. F. S. Shannon, A. W. Gray, J. L. Currie, of "Larra," A. H. Harry (vice-Principal), A. H. M'Roberts (pernor resident), F. Crichton (science master), A. T. Tait, C. H. Stiover, A. M. Palmer, L. J. Campbell, and L. Niclolson.

The "Speech Day" proceedings were opened with prayer by the Moderator, after which the chairman, on behalf of the College Council and the boys, heartily welcomed Her Excellency

The report was then read by the Principal, facts and figures being enlivened by many gleams of dry humor in the telling. When he referred to the sporting spirit Lady Forster had shown in taking the place of her husband, the boys signalled their appreciation by three lusty cheers, worthy of Geelong College lungs. The Principal also read a letter from the Governor-General expressing his disappointment at the enforced cancellation of a visit he had been looking forward to with great pleasure. He would do his best to come another time.

A reversal of the usual order of things was seen when Her Excellency presented the school prizes and house cups first, and addressing the boys afterwards. Dr. Hope, president of the Old Collegians' Association, distributed the sports prizes and trophies.

In her address to the boys Lady Forster, who was received with prolonged applause, expressed the Governor-General's disappointment that he was unable to be there that afternoon. There was no part of his official life in which he took greater pleasure than to visit the large public schools of Australia and do anything he could to help and encourage them. On his and her own behalf she extended very hearty congratulations on the school report, which showed that Geelong College was holding its own,

both in work and in sport, with the other great schools with which it competed, in spite of its smaller numbers as compared with many of its rivals. Referring to the Honor Board, which she had seen in their hall, she described it as a beautiful object of memorial. She felt she could speak to them as a mother greatly blessed—the names of two sons were inscribed on the Honor Rolls of two of the greatest public schools—(here Lady Forster's voice broke with emotion). To those on the threshold of manhood, she appealed that they carry out with them into the great world the ideals put before them in their school. To be manly, it was not necessary to drink or swear; to be rude or rough; cleverness did not consist of being "slim" in business. She wished them all a happy Christmas, a prosperous New Year, and a very enjoyable holiday.

To the Vice-Principal, Mr. A. H. Harry, who is leaving to take up the position of senior classical master at the leading educational institution in Tasmania, the chairman presented the following special resolution from the College Council:—

"The Geelong College Council desires to convey to you its deep regret upon learning of your retirement from the staff after nineteen years' continuous and successful service. Five years of that term you have ably filled the position of Vice-Principal, and during Mr. Rolland's absence on leave that of Acting Principal. The Council desires that I shall convey to you a special resolution which has been recorded in its minute book expressing appreciation and thanking you for your loyalty and untiring work. You have never spared yourself within the school, and throughout the play grounds the result of your teaching and good influent has largely assisted in the development and progress of the College. The Council congratulates you, wishes you success in your new appointment, and earnestly hopes you and your family will be very happy at your new home in Tasmania."

On behalf of the Old Collegians' Association, Dr. Hope presented Mr. Harry with a wallet of notes, and in

so doing extolled the recipient's long and splendid service to the College. The esteem and appreciation of the boys was expressed in the gift of a handsome silver hot-water kettle and stand, handed over by Senior Prefect R. T. McMillan. Mr. Harry made suitable acknowledgment.

The chairman congratulated the Principal and Mrs. Holland on their services to the College; specially thanked the teaching staff; praised the work of the house staff; and extended congratulations to Mr MacRoberts on his appointment as vice-Principal, and he did not forget to mention the good work done by the scholars.

Sir John Macfarland proposed a hearty vote of thanks to Her Excellency, and this was carried by acclamation. He also congratulated the Principal, the staff, and the boys on the position of the College. The function closed with prayer by the Rev. J. B. Rentoul, and the singing of the National Anthem.

HEADMASTER'S REPORT

"A headmaster's annual report is, I suppose, a necessary part of Speech Day, but the real annual report of a school is not a thing that can fill a newspaper column or weary an audience. It is a romance that would fascinate us if we could read it unfolding the change that has taken place in the life of every boy, his gain or loss in physique, in initiative, in wisdom, in character.

All an ordinary headmaster can do is to record changes that are outward and visible, the notable events of the year in that little world of school which often forgets how little it is, and far more often fails to realise its endless influence.

This year's report has to chronicle a great loss in the death of Mr Charles Shannon, the chairman of the Council ever since the Geelong College became a public school. He was not an old Collegian, but he believed that a public school in Geelong could render unique service to the city and as a loyal citizen he gave to it for nineteen years every manner of help. I am glad that his name is engraven deep on a College

foundation stone, for he is one of those who by their foresight laid the foundations of whatever future the College may have, and to his labor of love coming generations will owe a debt as long as the school endures. Only one man was thought of as his successor—his friend, Mr Stanley Calvert, who as hon. secretary both of the council and Old Collegians' Association had made the welfare of the school almost his chief aim in life. He does not need to win the goodwill and affection of the Council, the masters and the boys, for they have long been his.

The increase in numbers that marked the jubilee year has been maintained, and perhaps you, as well as wishers of the school, may be glad to know that the enrolment of boarders for 1923 is already in excess of that of any previous year.

This still leaves us the smallest of the great public schools of Victoria. I hope we always shall be. My ideal is a school not great in numbers, but great in the quality of its average boy, great in its power of developing individuality, great in that uphill fighting indomitable team spirit that belongs; peculiarly to a small school for ever matched against larger ones.

I have to thank the staff of the school for the manner in which they have carried their heavy responsibilities, and for all they have done in addition to their ordinary work in the interests of the boys. I thank the prefects also for their loyalty and co-operation.

The chaplain, the Rev. J. B. Rentoul, has, as usual, taken the greatest interest in all sides of the school life.

There will be one change next year that calls for special mention. We are, as you know, losing our vice-principal. Without any seeking of his, Mr Harry has been called to the best classical mastership in Tasmania, and we congratulate him on the high honor that has been paid him, and wish him every success in a position where his conspicuous ability as a teacher of classics will have full scope. But our congratulations are mingled with regret for this change means a loss of a master, who, for a period of years larger than the whole life of most of our present boys

has given to the school a conscientious and loyal service that can seldom have been surpassed in the history of the College. To me personally it means the departure of a valued senior master on whose conscientious thoroughness one could always depend, whose unfailing co-operation has made my road much smoother than it might have been, and whose friendship I shall always hope to retain.

We were exceptionally fortunate in having on our staff another trusted senior master, who, if his war service be included, has been equally long a strength to the College, and the Council was not slow in deciding that in Mr A. H. MacRoberts, M.A., it has the very man for the vacant vice-principalship. Mr MacRoberts, I am glad to say, has accepted the appointment.

The senior Latin classes will be taken next year by Mr Alan Tait, M.C., M.A., Dip. Ed., whose classical gifts will now find full opportunity of exercise. Mr MacRoberts will take over the senior English, and a new master will relieve Mr Tait of the senior French, and Mr MacRoberts of his classes in commercial principles.

Since last Speech Day a new sleep-out has been built at Warrinn, and this has made possible the formation of a junior house. It has been a great advantage for the younger boys to have a boarding school life of their own with more detailed supervision and with hours of study and sleep suited to their age. Additions to the senior house have enabled us to provide more comfortable quarters for the domestic staff, and larger kitchens and pantries and a new dairy. These improvements have greatly facilitated the work of the staff, and perhaps have something to do with the fact that we have no domestic problems at the College. But far more important than any buildings has been the appointment of Miss Addison as matron of the College. Probably many mothers here know from letters home something of Miss Addison's personality, but they can hardly realise as Mrs Rolland and I do with what scrupulous care, what self-sacrificing patience by day, and if need

be, by night, and with what humor and insight she attends to the health and the unexpected demands of our large family. This year the new sanatorium very nearly proved a white elephant, but it has justified its existence by checking the spread of chicken pox, which came to us just at examination time.

Last year the following boys passed the intermediate-examination:—W. H. Baird, H. J. M'Guffie, A. M'Rae, R. Ronaldson, C. Rusden, II- L. Taylor, S. W. Buckland A. Rentoul, and the following the leaving examination: T. Campbell, A. Gray, A. M'Donald, J. P. Wilson, while J. L. Doyle and A. Roffey obtained honors in three subjects, and V. E. Vibert and J. R. Macmillan honors in two subjects-

We have not at present any outstanding genius in the senior classes, but the work of the school has improved in quality, and we shall have a larger number, I think, passing the intermediate examination of 1922 than we have had for some years.

Turning to the out-door life of the College, we have had good teams in the field in every branch of sport, and though their victories have not been many, they have put up some very fine performances, and given their opponents many anxious moments. The football team was the fastest and cleverest we have had for a long time and no one who saw it will soon forget their brilliant fight against the champion team of the year. The manner in which the College has been able to compete at all on level terms with the huge Melbourne schools is the most extraordinary feature of public school sport. The fact that we have such ample playing fields at our very doors has certainly something to do with our success, but another reason, I think, lies in the pluck of the boys themselves, and I congratulate them on the sportsmanlike spirit in which they have fought out every contest. A great deal of credit is due also to the sportsmasters and the coaches who have given so much time to the training of the boys. We owe a debt of gratitude to Mr Young, Mr Hurst, Mr A. Shannon, Mr Dolphin and Mr Athol Wilson. We

have to thank Mr Bradley for acting as time keeper at the sports, and to Mr James D'Helin for acting as starter. To Mr Harry and to Mr D'Helin it is mainly owing that our athletic sports are a model of punctuality and organisation.

The most important function of the year was the commemoration service, at which His Excellency the Earl of Stradbroke unveiled the brass tablets on which are engraved the names of the Old Collegians who took part in the Great War. The honor roll contains 526 names, including those of 87 who gave their lives for their country. Many of us felt that we had never been present at a more impressive service. The magnificent brass records are a memorial that time itself can hardly destroy. They were one part only of the Old Collegians war memorial. Another part is a fund to provide for the education at the College of the sons of those who fell. Another is the erection of a memorial ward in the new hospital.

Many gifts to the school from old boys and others will be acknowledged later. The endowment fund opened last year is growing, and any one at any time can contribute any sum to it, and if it grows even slowly, it will some day make our future from the financial point of view quite secure, and enable us to do service for the community which is at present beyond our power.

"I am sorry to record the death this year of Dr. Alec. Timmes, an old Collegian, well known by every Victorian boy of his day as 'Shako' Timms the great Geelong footballer. I was amazed to discover when a student in Edinburgh, that the famous Scottish International rugby player, perhaps the finest centre three quarters Scotland ever had, was no other than 'Shako' Timms, who thus on two sides of the world, and in very different kinds of football, had attained an outstanding position. But Dr. Alec. Timms had the true public school spirit. He was no mere sportsman, but with such self-sacrifice and generosity did he serve all who needed his help, that the grateful people of his district have erected a memorial in his honor.

Talking of the success in sport of Old Collegians, V. E. Macmillan continues to break mile records, the tennis premiership of Victoria was won by a four composed entirely of old boys of the school, and J. Hawkes was one of the pair who won the doubles championship of Australia.

"We have to congratulate Mr Justice Leon on his being appointed deputy court judge of Victoria, and Mr J. J. Battye, B.A., L.L.B., on receiving a degree rarely given by the University of Melbourne, that of Doctor of Letters. Coming to a younger generation we have to congratulate F. M. Burnet, M.B., B.S., on securing the Exit and Beney scholarships in surgery, obtaining first-class honors in medicine and other subjects, and coming second out of all the students of his year in the class lists. J. T. Tait secured his M.S., E. E. Mackay and A. E. Lee their M.D., W. R. Jewell his M.Sc., J. D. Rogers attained his B.Sc. with honors, A. R. Morton his B.A., and J. H. Urbahns his B.C.E. A. G. Sloane has passed engineering part 3; F. Gilmore engineering part 1 with honors in graphics and natural philosophy; A. Baird engineering part 2; F. M. Lee engineering part 2; F. Forrest first year arts; A. Cousens medicine, first year; W. N. Ricketts first year science; A. R. Morton medicine part 2; L. Langslow third year law; S. Heath second year medicine; and about half a dozen medical students are going up for their fourth year, and their M.B., B.S. degrees in March next. J. K. Herd and L. M. Clark have passed in third year dentistry. Some of our old boys are carrying on further professional studies in England and Scotland, and several are preparing for the army and for the navy.

"This introduces a question that preplexes many parents, and is of great interest to me—the future occupation of their sons. I am glad to say that the number of employers who have asked me to recommend applicants is increasing, and many boys desiring a commercial course have found openings in Geelong. At the beginning of the year the middle school and senior scholars were asked what career if any they had in view, and were told the

subjects necessary for their respective courses. The time-table, by the self-sacrificing labor of Mr Crichton, our senior science master, was planned to suit the requirements of every profession the boys had chosen.

"In addition to this as part of the lecture system of the school, a series of addresses was given by men who were authorities in their own subjects. They gave to the senior school a clear idea of various professions, and at the end of the lectures were kind enough to answer the questions of boys who were specially interested, and to promise them further advice if needed. To them and to the many other lecturers who spoke to the school during the year I am very deeply grateful.

"We have continued in various other ways to link up the school with the life of the community.

"The boys of the Preparatory School have, under the charge of Mr. Nicolson, visited most of the leading industries of the town, and it is wonderful how much they have observed and remembered. It was very good of the proprietors or managers of so many factories to give this time and teaching to our boys. But I am not able to believe that the ordinary public school curriculum is drawing out sufficiently the energy and initiative of our middle form boys. It is sometimes thought that as boys are growing very rapidly at this age, they have the less energy for mental development. Subjects also have lost their novelty, and of course their increasing difficulty demands more concentrated effort. I do not think we should, even if we could, level the hill difficulty to make a play way across it, but I feel that boys would have more heart for the hill if their own spirit of enterprise could be more fully enlisted in the climb. Some schools are trying with a varying measure of success to exchange the ordinary time-table for a fixed amount of work called an "assignment" which a scholar contracts to do in a certain period. Each subject has a room devoted to it with one or more masters, specialists in that branch of knowledge, in charge. A boy can go from one room to another as he

likes, and when he cannot understand some difficulty can seek help from the master. One advantage of this plan is that a boy who is good at one subject can get that part of his assignment finished quickly, and will have more time to spend at some other subject at which he is backward.

"The greatest objection to it is that the masters are almost crushed with the labor of making out and checking the assignments.

"I propose next year to begin, with the co-operation of the staff, something much less revolutionary — an occasional period when the boys, with a master as advisor only, will undertake in their own way some work, suggested to them and approved by them. I have time to give you one illustration only of what is being done in this direction, and what might be done. One of our Old Boys who is now serving the Empire in Uganda has offered an annual prize for the best essay upon a topic of Imperial interest. I chose as the subject this year, "Should India have self-government within the Empire?" The boys who entered for that essay competition are probably to-day the best informed people in Geelong on that particular question. They will take for the rest of their lives an interest in the problem of India, and perhaps one of them may some day save an Australian Cabinet from making a fatal mistake in our relations with that country. The boys found there was a real interest in making up their own minds on the question at issue, in condensing and arranging their extensive material, and in expressing it in the best English at their command. The work for that essay was probably the first piece of independent research work on a large scale they had done. This leads one to think that we have sufficient historical ability in the school to undertake the writing of history. Why should not our boys living in a city which for Australia is comparatively old, be able to gather from pioneers and from early manuscripts and journals, material for a very readable little history of Geelong. It would do our boys no harm to learn what their grandfathers endured in the early days,

and such work would increase their interest in history generally and give Geelong boys a great love for their home town.

"It is the individual boy that gives to the headmaster of a comparatively small school his most anxious hours. Science is trying to lend its aid to the student of human nature. The patient study of the causes of mental obsessions, and abnormal action, has proved that even in normal life the instincts that lie beneath the level of conscious thought, and will play a larger part than we had imagined. Psycho-analysis has had many over-enthusiastic friends, but it has taught masters a more patient charity, and sometimes given to them a helpful clue in dealing with the mystery of personality.

"Scientific methods have been introduced also into the testing of general intelligence. And after thousands of experiments educationalists have arrived at what they consider the standards to which normal children should attain at any particular age. You can imagine how carefully the tests have had to be tested, and how wide the range of questions to cover the various kinds of mental ability shown by different children. But the tests have been becoming year by year more reliable, and I propose to use the best system of such tests next year when judging the ability of new boys. A defect of the tests is that they do not reveal the presence or the absence of perseverance, the will to succeed, and again one does not know whether the person examined is doing his best at the time. These things can only be learnt by the usual slower methods of the class-room.

"The Preparatory School deserves a paragraph to itself. Its boys, though they meet as part of the whole College for prayers every morning, have a distinct and vigorous life of their own. They have their own time-table with short periods, their own excellent journal, their own library, their own house matches, and even their own terminal picnics, all of them speaking of the wonderful interest of the teaching staff in their charges. Parents are beginning to lose the old idea that children

need less skilful teaching when they are young, and to recognise that in the years between 6 and 13 a boy's sense of right and wrong is being formed, his attitude towards learning being determined, and his constitution being built up or damaged. They are therefore demanding the most sympathetic teaching for boys of that age, and the healthiest environment for study in the way of airy classrooms and ample playing fields. Our Preparatory School is an answer to that demand, and the purchase and levelling of a large additional area this year for the especial use of its boys has made the answer very complete.

"And now I come to the pleasant duty of thanking many people for many gifts to the school. Three beautiful boats have been added to our large fleet, a racing eight given by Mrs. McFarland and her sons, and two single sculls given by M_s Ronaldson. We have received fine gifts of books for the libraries from Dr Roland Wettenhall, Mr A. A. W. Eooper, Mr. Calvert, Mr. A. Shannon, Mr. Howard Sloanc, and from anonymous donors; pictures from Miss Shannon, Mrs. M_Tarland and Mr. Skevves; trees for the grounds from Mr. Alex. Gray. Prizes have been given by Mrs. E. M'Arthur, Mrs. Hawkes, Mrs. Jngpen, Mrs. J. C. M. Holland, by Dr. Hope, Dr. Baxter, Mr. G. N. I. Mornson, Mr. Tisdall, Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Washington, Mr. Calvert, Mr. Harry, Canon Wheeler, Mr. Rentoul, Mr. Wodson, and by three boys who left only last year, C. Bell, R. K. M'Arthur, and A. M'Donald; and sports trophies by Mrs. Pillow, Mrs. J. A. Reid, Mrs. R. O. Webb, Mrs. Alex. Gray, Mrs. Hawkes, Mrs. W. Waugh, Mr. AV. Sparrow, Mr. J. L. Currie, Mr. R. E. M'Arthur, the College masters, the headmaster, Mr. Opie, Mr. F. Purnell, Dr. R. Wettenhall, Messrs M Tarland, and Messrs. P. and E. Bradley.

"Mr. Walter Macpherson, the president in 1921 of the Old Collegians' Association, has given a boarding bursary of £50 a year for five years, and Dr. W. Hope, our present president, has offered another equally valuable bursary for two years. These splendid investments have made it possible for

several promising country boys to have the privilege of a secondary education.

"In conclusion, on behalf of Mrs. Holland and myself, may I say how much we have appreciated the way that Old Collegians of many different generations have found time to come back to the old school and introduce themselves to us, and give us every encouragement in their power. On behalf of the whole staff I should like to thank the parents of the boys for many most generous letters of appre-

ciation. I met headmasters by the score in England, and they all warned me solemnly of the parent, but my fears have been strangely disappointed. Any criticisms that have been offered have been given in the kindest spirit, and have often proved valuable.

"I should like not less but mere discussion with parents. My greatest desire in life is to see these boys growing into the kind of men God meant them to be, and that, too, is your desire, therefore we should work together in the closest co-operation."

PRIZE. LIST.

Dux OF COLLEGE—(Presented by Dr. W. W. Hope, on behalf of the Old Collegians' Association)—J. R. T. Macmillan.

Dux OF FORM LOWER VI.—(Presented by Mrs. J. C. M. Rollandj—C. D. Campbell.

Dux OF FORM UPPER V.—(Presented by Mrs. Kaufmann)—J. L. Paterson.

Dux OF FORM VB.—(Presented by Mr. D. O. McIntyre)—A. C. Thoms.

Dux OF FORM MIDDLE V.—(Presented by Mr. H. L. Tisdall)—J. F. Keays.

Dux OF FORM LOWER V.—(Presented by Mrs. Hawkes)—K. G. McIntyre.

Dux OF FORM UPPER IV.—(Presented by Mrs. Ingpen)—T. C. McKim.

Dux OF FORM MIDDLE IV.—D. MCC. Doyle and N. E. Pizer (equal).

Dux OF FORM LOWER IV.—P. S. Grimwade.

Dux OF FORM III.—C. Fallaw.

Dux OF FORM II.—J. W. Pomeroy.

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- 3.—G. M. Cochrane.

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- 1.—P. S. Grimwade.
- 2.—R. W. A. Rolland.

Special Prize.

^Presented by Mrs. L. Bell).

J. L. Gill,

Special Prize.

(Presented by Air. S. B. Calvert).

B. M. Lang.

FORM MIDDLE IV.

- 1.—D. McC. Doyle and N. E. Pizer (æq.)
- 3.—A. L. Bailey.
- 4.—J. O. Goller.

FORM UPPER IV.

- 1.—T. C. McKim.
- 2.—P. C. South.
- 3.—J. T. Murray.
- 4.—F. R. Hooper.
- 5.—J. L. Howard.
- 6.—A. R. Goller.
- 7.—H. Kaufmann.

FORM LOWER V.

- i.—K. G. McIntyre.
- 2.—E. H. Harry.
- 3.—M. C. McCalman.
- 4.—G. F. Higgins.
- ^...j. A. Reid.
- 6.—D. F. Roadknight.
- 7.—G. S. Gray.
- 8.—T. R. Ingpen.

FORM MIDDLE V.

- 1.—J. F. Keays.
- 2.—L. A. Illingworth.
- 3.—T. C. Rusden.
- 4.—J. A. McLennan.
- 5.—W. L. Ingpen.
- 6.—A. R. Wettenhall.
- 7.—D. E. O'Sullivan.

Special Prize.

(Presented by Mrs. L. Bell).

D. C. Madden.

FORM V.B.

- 1.—A. C. Thorns.
- 2.—W. H. Sloane.
- 3.—L. L. Walter.
- 4.—A. K. Daniel.
- 5.—N. G. Atkins.

FORM UPPER V.

- 1.—J. L. Paterson.
- 2.—W. H. W. Hooper.
- 3.—N. A. V. Young.
- 4.—N. I. Boyes
- 5.—R. J. Coto.
- 6.—G. W. Lang.
- 7.—T. G. H. Hogg.

FORM LOWER VI.

- 1.—C. D. Campbell.
- 2.—R. K. McKay.
- 3.—A. R. G. Colvin.

FORM HONOUR VI.

English and History.

(Presented by Mr. C. Bell.)

1.—J. R. T. Macmillan.

Physics and Chemistry.

(Presented by Mr. C. Bell.)

1 — R. P. Boyd.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

ESSAY.

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

R. K. McKay.

ESSAY.

(Presented by Mr. G. N. I. Morrison).

H. R. Fidge.

JUNIOR BIBLE.

(Presented by Canon Wheeler.)

K. G. McIntyre.

BOARDERS' SCRIPTURE.

(Presented by Rev. J. B. Rentoul).

T. E. D. Scott.

DRAWING.

(Presented by Mr. A. E. Anderson).

Senior—H. L. Taylor.

Junior—W. H. Sloane.

COMMERCIAL PRIZES.

(Presented by Mr. H. H. Washington)

Senior—J. P. Wilson.

Junior—T. C. Rusden.

MUSIC.

(Presented, by Mr. C. H. Cotton).

N. G. Atkins.

CARPENTRY.

Senior—I. F. Sloane (Presented by Mr. G. E. Wodson).

Junior—K. M. Campbell.

GYMNASTICS.

Senior—T. Young .

Junior—J. O. Tait.

DANCING.

(Presented by Monsieur Bibron).

R. B. Ronaldson.

"THE PEGASUS" PRIZE.

(Presented by Mr. R. K. McArthur).

W. W. V. Maguire,

DEBATING SOCIETY.

Senior (Presented by Mr. S. B. Calvert)—A. J. H. Gray.

Junior (Presented by Mr. A. H. Harry)—D. M. Dickson/

Dr. GUS. KEARNEY MEMORIAL PRIZE.

C. G. Rusden.

THE FEN, AND ROY PILLOW BURSARY.

A. L. Rentoul.

THE DR. BAXTER PRIZE.

J. R. T. Macmillan.

SPECIAL SPORTS PRIZES.

CRICKET.

Prize for General Proficiency.

(Presented by Mr. J. I. Birnie).

A. L. Rentoul.

TENNIS.

Senior Championship.

(Presented by Mrs. T. S. Hawkes).

E. G. Greeves.

Junior Championship.

(Presented by Mrs. T. S. Hawkes).

W. L. Ingpen.

"Little by Little."

When I first went to the school on the hill
 I brooded and moped and felt terribly ill,—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

But after a little I changed my face,
 And very soon grew to quite like the old place,—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

I made many friends and a few enemies—
 Learnt it was wisdom to ignore these—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

I never could see why work had to be done,
 Till I realised that sores on one's hands were no fun—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

At cricket and football I had a try,
 And mastered the knack of them, bye and bye—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

At length I squeezed in the first eleven,
 And they kept me there for I made twenty-seven—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

The football committee chose me as goal-sneak,
 And immediately my kicking grew weak—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

While I was at school we were always beat,
 "All the better" we said, "makes a win the more
 sweet"—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

And now I have left they are winning a bit,
 So p'raps they are climbing up out of the pit—

Little by little, and bit by bit.

I see through the mists of the years to be
 The old College proud at the top of the tree—

But—it's been little by little, and bit by bit!

R.K.McA,

A Trip to Kosciusko.

FOR those who have not had the good fortune to visit Kosciusko, a short account of a trip made to that well-known mountain by a party from Duntroon may be of some interest.

The party doing this trip numbered six, being made up of a Melbourne Grammar School old boy, a Wesley College old boy, a South Australian, a Queenslander, and myself.

We left Duntroon at 3 o'clock one cold morning towards the end of June, and joined the train at Oueanbeyan an hour later. The trip to Cooma lasted three hours, and was made during a heavy frost. A car met us at Cooma station, and we breakfasted at a kind friend's house, warming ourselves thoroughly in preparation for a cold trip up the mountain. Cooma was left behind about 10 a.m., and a very good car carried us the 55 miles to the hotel very quickly through the keen, frosty air, stopping only at Berridale and Jindabyne, the latter being very prettily situated on the Snowy River, just on the fringe of the mountains, about 15 miles from the hotel. These last 15 miles were very steep climbing the whole way. As this was the only chance we had of seeing "Kosy" (as it is known in the district), we were anxious as to the likelihood of there being plenty of snow, so we were eagerly searching for it, but we were disappointed as there were only odd patches in shaded places. The hotel proved to be a veritable source of cheeriness in the form of large fires and a hearty meal. The hotel, a large, wooden building possessing quite an Alpine aspect, is situated in a valley in which there is a fine lake, which, when it becomes frozen during winter, provides a large skating rink.

During the afternoon the party explored the place, and were overjoyed to find some real snow, and we felt it was real snow in several ways, as can be imagined.

The night was spent in the joys of a fancy dress ball, in which our party joined with much spirit, and, although the lack of costumes was inconvenient, we managed to have plenty of fun among complete strangers till well on into the morning.

The keenness of the air next morning made us appreciate very much the excellent menu provided. But still we were disappointed, as there was no snow to be seen, and, as we only came for the snow sport, we prayed all that day that the snow would come. We contented ourselves that day with several short trips to see the various places of interest; the Falls, and several pretty spots on the Snowy River were visited. We were struck with the absence of large timber, it being quite small compared with the Otway forests, due, no doubt, to the height above sea level. The country itself was far less rugged than one would expect in the heart of such mountains, it being quite easy going across country.

As there was still no snow, or prospects of it, we decided that evening to make an effort next day to get to the top of the mountain. So after lunch on the following day we set off. The going was good, there being a motor road right to the top of the mountain, but the mud was rather unpleasant. That night we reached a small hut where we intended spending the night, the idea being to make the summit the following day, but this was not to be. We were joined at the hut by another man, who was to accompany the party to the top. We found a little snow at the hut—which was 7 miles from the hotel, and about 500 feet higher—but not enough for any sport.

During that night the snow came with a vengeance, as a very strong blizzard began to blow, so strong that it was impossible to look into the wind. We were a bit alarmed at first, but we managed to get some sleep during the night, being kept warm by a large stove in the centre of the room, although the wind was howling outside.

Next morning the ground was covered with snow, almost a foot deep, with the wind still blowing a gale. What a wonderful sight the country presented to us who were unfamiliar with such snow scenes! Every boulder, shrub and tree covered with its mantle of pure, white snow presented a magnificent spectacle. It looked just like flour covering everything, until one felt the icy-cold wetness of this soft powdery snow. Taking advantage of a lull in the wind, we got outside and experienced snow sport, in the form of ski-ing and tobogganing. We learnt very slowly, and after many falls in the snow we found that it was not so easy to stand up on these narrow, long pieces of wood while sliding quickly

down a snow slope. Luckily the snow is very soft to fall into, provided one misses the hidden stones or stumps.

In the afternoon, the storm still continuing, it was decided to try to get back to the hotel, as we did not want to be cut off completely from all civilisation, which might have happened if we had stayed there. All the bags and other means of protection against the icy wind were collected, and a strenuous march of 7 miles was attempted back to the shelter of the hotel.

This trip was an experience to us, and not too pleasant a one either. The wind was continually half blinding us with small particles of snow, which hid the road and the snow drifts from us. These drifts were very unpleasant, as they formed in the shelter of cuttings and hills, and meant that, at times, we had to flounder through several feet of snow, which we found very hard work. They also covered the streams crossing the road, and on more than one occasion members of the party fell through into the half frozen water. After several hours marching through this we reached the hotel. Our arrival was a source of surprise to the people there, as they thought that we would be snow bound for several days, and they considered us game to have attempted the trip. We very much regretted having missed reaching the highest point in Australia, but we had been higher than most of the country.

Snow continued to fall, eventually being 18 inches deep, so the rest of the time was spent in enjoying the thrills of snow sport. We experienced the joy of racing down the hills on the ski. The toboggan was a source of amusement. Several human beings packed on to one of these hitting an obstacle on the track caused much laughter from those watching, and maybe squeals from the girls on board, when the whole party was precipitated into the snow. But it was very fine sport, very exhilarating, and this was the thing to improve the appetite. Gloves, scarves and sweaters kept out the cold and moving and laughing also kept us warm, as it must be remembered that the air was cold,—one day the temperature was never above freezing point! In the evenings the large flies were very welcome. The evenings were spent in impromptu concerts, dances, and amateur plays, in which everyone joined to make a happy family.

After three days' very fine sport our week's leave expired, and we had to return. The trip back was uneventful, although we noticed that the snow stretched almost 50 miles from the hotel, whereas going up there was none. We arrived back at Duntroon just 7½ days since leaving, and thus finished an enjoyable trip.

In conclusion, I think no one should miss any opportunity he has of visiting any place such as Kosciusko or Mount Buffalo, as the experience is well worth undergoing. The sport is extremely fine, invigorating, and healthy, and any chance of experiencing it should not be missed.

H. W.

To a certain Crystal Pool.

Thou sparkling nectar of a giant's cup,
 Deep nestling 'neath the shade of stately ferns,
 Who smooths your crystal surface clear and calm?
 And sends your merry brook in laughing turns
 Of glistening water to your sunlit edge?
 Where drops that silken fall of glistered spheres
 Of fairy mead, distilled in Oberon's realm;
 And chartered by the hand of Mab with smears
 Of fairy honey-dew, for thirsting leaves,
 Which constant swayed create the tiny breeze
 To cool that placid depth of Nature's balm,
 And bring the kine to drink on bended knees.

No other spot mine eyes so fast behold,
 As thou the magic captor of my thought.
 O beauteous calm! what gives thee that strange power,
 Which drowns all that part of mind untaught
 Into miraculous transfixedness
 Of soul and sight and sense and all mere things,
 So that this world is past from all my ken,
 And like Bellerophon me Pegasus brings
 Above the clouds of earth's ungodliness
 To earth where beauteous visions reign supreme.
 But hark! Alas how much too quickly comes
 The jarring sound which glides me from my dream.

W. W. V. M.

6 a.m.

The morning sun shone thro' the pane,
 A "dorm." was wrapt in sleep,
 When suddenly a tinkle came,
 To wake its slumber deep.

A tired waker blinked his eyes,
 And wearily rolled from bed;
 He slapped a dreamer on the back,—
 "Time for the river," he said,

A crew of four went down to row,
 Without a cox to steer,
 Said they, he'll soon catch up to us,
 He surely must be near."

The sun shone thro' the window pane,
 On a small boy's peaceful pate—
 "Come chaps," said stroke, "the shower for
 him!
 We'll teach him to be late!"

W.W.V.M.

A College Camera Club—Why not?

WHY not start a Camera Club at the College? Years ago, in Norman Morrison's time, there was one, but somehow or other, between 1913 and 1915, it dissolved and faded like the morning mist. Perhaps it was the outbreak of war in 1914 that drove all thoughts of such a trivial affair as photography out of the minds of the boys.

But is photography a trivial affair? It was an indispensable branch of organization throughout the late war. Without its aid, shelling operations would have failed miserably, for it was only by means of aerial photographs that the men behind the guns could locate their objectives. In the days preceding a big offensive photographic activity rose to its maximum, when all the strategical positions of the enemy were photographed again and again, that the units concerned in the attack might be fully cognizant as to their defence. Every army had its official war photographers, who have brought home imperishable records of the conflict.

Photography is at once an art, a science, a pastime, and a chronicle, and bids fair to becoming one of the professions.

As an art it can be viewed at the periodical Photographic Exhibitions in Australia, or at the Royal Photographic Society's Exhibition held annually in Great Britain.

As a science it is employed in many walks of life. It enables the detective to trace his criminals; the doctor and dentist to record their X-Ray investigations; the cinematographer to film his scenes; the naturalist to verify his discoveries.

And great possibilities lie before it. Even now we are hearing of the discovery, by photography, of a large ancient city in Mesopotamia, traces of walls, foundations, public, gardens, etc., unnoticeable to anyone on the ground, being revealed by the camera from the air; while in engineering the camera is being regarded as an instrument for which the future holds much in store. Then comes the amazing assertion that sculpture can be performed by photography! Amazing, but true. The art is called "photo-sculpture," and is really a combination of photography and electrically operated machinery.

Photography is educational. It teaches the laws of optics and of light. It teaches you that the intensity of the light which strikes the plate depends not only upon the size of the diaphragm opening, but also upon the distance of the opening from the plate- It teaches you to judge distance, and to estimate actinic metamorphoses. Moreover, it teaches you patience and a love of the beautiful.

Then the camera is a recorder of school activities. We should think the school year woefully incomplete without the professional photographs of the teams. But why not more amateur photographs, and why not publish the best of them in the "Pegasus"? Those Saturdays spent down at the old Willows, or rowing up to the "Junction," or cycling to the Dog Rocks, Viaduct or You Yangs,—would not the pleasure they afford be enhanced if you fellows each had a camera? In after years you would treasure snaps of the old camping places, and of your comrades of the river and road,

I attach great value to my large collection of school photos, including as it does views of the College and grounds, groups and portraits of my contemporary scholars and masters, photos of teams, crews and prefects, of cricket and football practice, and "Teddy." I regret not having many photos of the Saturday excursion spots, but am looking forward to receiving some when the College Camera Club is started.

Perhaps the School would give a prize each term for the best photos suitable for publication in the "Pegasus/" whose pages would welcome something to brighten the "noiseless tenor of their way."

I hope this idea of resuscitating the Club will commend itself to the authorities, because they must realise that photography is destined to become one of the big industries of the future. The archaeological and topographical surveys of to-morrow will be photographic surveys; the school and commercial atlases will be photographic atlases. Exploration, commerce, scientific research must all benefit by an industry which, now that it can be undertaken from the air, may well grow to immense proportions.

R. K. McA.

Exchanges.

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of the following since our last issue :—Scotch Collegian, Wesley College Chronicle, The Melburnian, The Corian, Coo-ee, St. Peter's School Magazine, The Mitre, The Armidalian, Prince Alfred College Chronicle, The Sydneian, All Saints' Grammmarian, Journal of the Royal Military College, Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal, The Southportonian, The King's School Magazine.