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School Officers, 3rd Term, 1915.

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Cricket Captain :—J. I. Birnie. *Vice-Captain* :—E. E. Mackay.

Cricket Committee :—Mr. J. Cameron, J. I. Birnie, E. E. Mackay, J. B. Hawkes, S. A. MacKenzie, C. B. Carrick.

Captain of the Boats:—C. M. Webb. *Vice-Captain* :—E. E. Mackay.

Rowing Committee:—Mr. J. V. Hill, C. M. Webb, R. S. M. Mitchell, E. E. Mackay, A. J. C. Waugh, S. A. MacKenzie.

Football Captain :—J. I. Birnie. *Vice-Captain* :—C. B. Carrick.

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2nd Lieutenants :—C. M. Webb, E. E. Mackay.

Company Sergt.-Major ;—C. J. Ireland.

Sergeants :—T. B. Hawkes, K. C. E. Brodie.

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Citizen Force Detachment (M.V.R.) :—Corporal R. S. M. Mitchell

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Vice-Presidents:—Mr. S. B. Calvert, Mr. J. Cameron, Mr. G. A. N. Mitchell.

Committee:—J. I. Birnie, E. E. Mackay, R. C. E. Brodie, H. I. Gibb, L. J. Foreman.

Hon. Sec. & Treas. :—C. M. Webb.

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School Items.

THE First Term of 1916 begins on Tuesday, February 8th.

At the end of last term the Principal announced that Mr. A. H. MacRoberts had volunteered and been accepted for service. On September 16th, prior to his departure for the Geelong Camp, the school was assembled to bid him a formal farewell. Mr. Price spoke in appreciative terms of all that Mr. MacRoberts had done for the College during the last twelve years. At the call of Duty he had laid his work aside, it was hoped only temporarily, to undertake more onerous tasks in the defence of his country. J. I. Birnie said that Mr. MacRoberts's absence would be felt severely, both in the classroom and on the field. He had gained the affection of all the boys, and it was hard to say " Good-bye " to him. On behalf of the school he presented Mr. MacRoberts with a wristlet watch. Mr. MacRoberts said that he was leaving with great regret the College where he had formed so many close friendships. He hoped that, by the time he returned, the German flag would be cleared from the land as it had already been from the sea.

Mr. MacRoberts has been Editor of the " Pegasus " since its inception, and whatever it has attained in the way of success is largely due to his energy and watchful care.

At the end of the Second Term Gordon McArthur left the College with the intention of proceeding to England to enlist in King Edward's Horse. A severe illness forced him to change his plans. Happily he has since recovered sufficiently to partially carry out his original idea ; he has sailed for Europe, and hopes by spending the winter in the south of France to pick up his strength again, and to be able



MR. A. H. MACROBERTS.

to offer his services in defence of the Empire. Previous to his departure he was, at a special assembly in the Hall, presented with a wristlet watch by the Senior Prefect on behalf of the school. The Headmaster mentioned that Gordon had represented the College in four branches of sport in Public School contests : cricket, rowing, football and shooting, thereby gaining his honour badge, a feat difficult of attainment. He eulogised him for his fine work as prefect, and for his splendid example to the younger boys. J. Birnie spoke of McArthur as the type of boy that Geelong College aimed at producing. He had always sunk himself for his school, and all that he had done had been done modestly and without a thought of self. In replying, McArthur said that he had always enjoyed his school days. Though going from Australia, he was almost certain to meet some Old Boys at the other end of the world, and would join them in trying to keep up the traditions of the College.

On October 22nd we were privileged to welcome at roll-call four clergymen—Rev. J. McKenzie, Rev. F. H. L. Paton, Rev. J. A. Forrest and Rev. C. Neville. Rev. J. McKenzie gave us an inspiring address on the subject of "Service," and showed how the establishment of British rule in India and elsewhere had been made possible by the generations of service that lay behind it. Rev. F. H. L. Paton supplemented this by applying the idea of service to each one individually, and pointed out that to enable his service to be of value each must submit his will to God.

An Honour Board for the names of our Tennis Champions now graces the walls of the Memorial Hall. The board, which is of chaste design and beautifully carved, is the gift of Mr. Russell Keays. Mr. Keays was able to attend roll call one day early in October and hand over the board

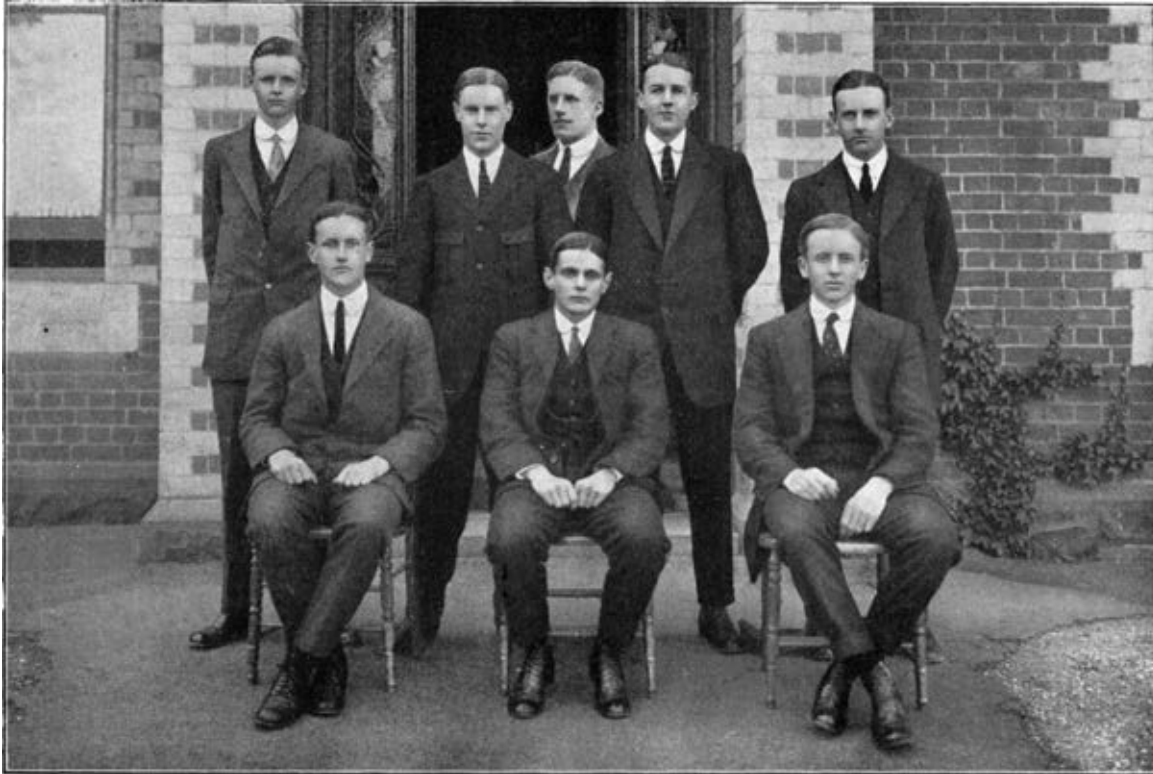
in person. We are much indebted to him for this fresh instance of his interest in, and generosity towards, his old school.

Dr. G. Lamble's annual donation to the Library takes the form this year of 12 books, most of them appropriately bearing on the war. We thank Dr. Lamble for his continued kindness.

Tennis enthusiasts have been permitted to practise against the west wall of the main building and have developed some truly wonderful strokes. Whether the occasional resulting roof-climb with its subsequent "three hours on Saturday" has been worth while can be decided only by those immediately concerned.

The fathers of three Old Boys, M. Storrer, E. P. Hendy and C. T. Sutherland, who have fallen in the war, have presented large framed photographs of them to the school. These, as well as one of the 3rd and 4th Light Horse Brigade in Egypt, are now hanging in the classrooms.

On Saturday, December 11th, the usual Boarders' Farewell Dinner was held in the College Dining Hall, and went with its accustomed swing. The following Old Boys were able to accept the invitation to attend:—Dr. Baxter (President of the Old Collegians' Association), Messrs. W. H. Reid, S. B. Calvert, E. R. Sparrow, J. D'Helin, Ford Shannon, W. A. Waugh, Stuart Gray, Archie Shannon, W. Munday, A. Milne and Dr. Piper, as well as the following in Khaki—A. S. Green, R. A. Reid and E. W. Sandford. Mr. A. H. MacRoberts (in Khaki) and Rev. J. A. Forrest were also present. The toast of the College was proposed by Rev. J. A. Forrest and responded to by J. I. Birnie. "The Masters" was proposed by F. M. Burnet and responded to by Mr. A. H. Harry. The Headmaster proposed the toast of "The Prefects," and C. M. Webb replied. In proposing the toast



PREFECTS, 1915.

H. I. Gibb. C. B. Carrick. G. S. McArthur. R. S. Mitchell. A. S. McKenzie.
E. E. Mackay. J. I. Birnie. C. M. Webb.

" Those who are leaving the College/" Mr. E. R. Sparrow gave some of his reminiscences ranging over half a century; R. S. Mitchell responded. Dr. Baxter proposed " The Prize-winners," to which A. E. Lee, as Dux of the school, and E. E. Mackay, as winner of the College Cup, replied. A stirring speech by Mr. J. D'Helin in honour of those who have enlisted was responded to by Corporal A. H. MacRoberts, who met with a great reception. " The Old Collegians " was the toast entrusted to R. C. E. Brodie, and Mr. S. B. Calvert, the Secretary of the Old Collegians' Association, in replying, urged the claims of the School and Association on those who were about to leave. Mr. Ford Shannon proposed the health of Mr. W. T. Price ; this was endorsed by all present with three hearty cheers, and three more having been given for Miss Price, the proceedings ended.

An address urging the claims of the Church as the choice for a boy's career in life was given on December 13th in the Memorial Hall by Rev. E. M. Baird. The speaker was listened to with special interest as being an Old Collegian who in his schooldays was a notable athlete, being captain of the Eleven for two years in succession, as well as a very expert tennis player.

At the recent contest for the Raynes-Dickson Shield and Public Schools' Lawn Tennis Championship our two representatives, J. B. Hawkes and T. B. Hawkes, were very successful. They showed excellent tennis right through, and beat all other opponents. In the final Jack Hawkes defeated his brother, and the Shield which he won at the previous contest will still remain in the College Memorial Hall. Jack is to be congratulated on his fine performance, particularly in view of the fact that, owing to an accident in a Public School match earlier in the year, he had fractured his tennis wrist and for some time had to forgo practice,

Salvete.

Lower V.—
 Ireland, C. J.
 Middle IV.—
 Murphy, B. J.
 Lower IV.—
 Daniel, F. J.

Valete.

VI.—
 McArthur, G. S.—Prefect, 1914-15; XL,
 1912-13-14-15; Eight, 1913-14-15;
 XVIII, 1915; Shooting Team, 1913;
 Junior, 1913.
 Sharland, J. L.—Junior, 1914.
 Upper V.—
 Carr, G. G.—Eight, 1915.
 Lower V.—
 Boag, C. C—XVIII, 1914-15.
 King, E. J.
 Fernald, D. L.
 Lower IV.—
 Martin, G. E.

Cricket.

OWING to the war we have lost Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, after ten years' faithful service in charge of the College cricket. He has answered the call of duty and is now in camp. All our present cricketers, as well as the many more of past years who have come under the spell of his personality, wish him the best of luck and a safe return.

A second noteworthy item is that after three years of uninterrupted defeat in Public School cricket, we have this year won two matches fairly and squarely. In the first term we beat Wesley College by an innings and 10 runs, and in this term we beat Xavier College by 91 runs.

The success of the team this year is due in a very large measure to the excellent way in which the Captain, J. I. Birnie, has handled the bowling. The problem of bowling

Hawkes and Mackay practically all the time without tiring them, has been, solved by Birnie in a manner that reflects great credit on himself.

The batting of the team during this term has been, on the whole, disappointing. Only one good individual score has been made, viz. : 72 by J. Hawkes against Xavier College. On the other hand, one most promising feature must be noted. In every innings this term the latter half of the team have come to the rescue after the first half had failed.

Besides being an omen of good promise for next year, this determination in the face of difficulties is the best kind of pluck. It is the royal road to success.

GEELONG COLLEGE V. SCOTCH COLLEGE.

Scotch College beat us in Melbourne by an innings and 39 runs, owing to the failure of our batting. Scotch batted first on an excellent wicket. Mackay and J. Hawkes bowled at their very best, and by lunch time had five of the best Scotch batsmen out for 90 runs. Then, after lunch, Ride and Dunn made a stand. At first they batted very shakily, but the dropping of several catches by our boys gave them confidence, and they batted very well in the latter part of their innings.

Birnie's bowling was very effective at the end of the innings, as he got three wickets (including Ride's) for 18. Though at one stage it looked as if we should get Scotch out for a small score, their total of 235 was, for such a strong side, as small as we could reasonably hope for.

We then went in to bat, and made 92 and 104. R. Campbell, 20 not out in the first innings, and Carrick, 23, and McKindlay, 16, in the second innings, showed what a little confidence could do, and that the Scotch bowling was not unplayable, good as it undoubtedly was.

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The scores were :—

SCOTCH COLLEGE.

First Innings.

F. R. May, c Mackay, b J. Hawkes	9
C. R. Craig, b Mackay.	17
G. S. Stewart, b Mackay.....	21
S. Freemantle, c and b J. Hawkes	0
D. G. Rogerson, c Mackay, b J. Hawkes	25
V. Dunn, c Carrick, b L. Reid.	51
L. Ride, b Birnie.	70
F. Chapman, run out	14
J. MacGill, c Campbell, b Birnie	0
W. Fleming, not out	11
MacLeod, l.b.w., Birnie.	2
Sundries	19
Total	235

Bowling:—J. Hawkes, 3 for 76.
 J. Birnie, 3 for 18.
 Mackay, 2 for 44.
 L. Reid, 1 for 55.

GEELONG COLLEGE.

First Innings.

J. Birnie, c Ride, b Rogerson	19
J. Hawkes, b Rogerson	2
L. Reid, b Rogerson	12
Mackay, c Dunn, b Rogerson	16
E. Philip, b Freemantle	0
T. B. Hawkes, b Rogerson ..	1
J. R. Hodgson, c Dunn, b Stewart	8
W. D. McKindlay, c Stewart, b Rogerson.	8
C. B. Carrick, b Rogerson.. ..	2
R. Campbell, not out.	20
I. A. Campbell, l.b.w., b Rod- gerson.	1
Sundries	3
Total	92

Second Innings.

run out	5
c Ride, b Rogerson	18
l.b.w., Freemantle.....	0
l) Rogerson	21
not out	9
c Ride, b Rogerson	0
st. Craig, b Rogerson ..	1
c Ride, b Freemantle ..	16
not out	23
b Freemantle.	5
b Freemantle.	1
Sundries.	5
Total	104

Bowling:—Rogerson, 8 for 50. Bowling:—Freemantle, 4 for 38
 Freemantle, 1 for 34. Rogerson, 4 for 34.
 Stewart, 1 for 5.

Scotch College won by an innings and 39 runs.

GEELONG COLLEGE V. XAVIER COLLEGE.

This match was played on our ground, and after a very interesting game, we won by 91 runs. Though the wicket was good, the scoring was low on both sides. All the team had a share in making our first innings score of 157. For a change, our running between the wickets was very good. Then, good bowling for us got Xavier out for 122. At the close of the first day's play, however, we had lost our advantage, as 7 of our wickets in the second innings were down for 86 runs.

On Saturday morning Tom Hawkes joined his brother Jack, who had 19 not out. Between them they completely changed the situation, by scoring 99 runs for the eighth wicket. Tom was the first to go, with 43 to his credit. He showed very good judgment in making the runs, as he put up a very stubborn defence, but was not afraid to punish loose balls. Almost immediately Jack got out. He went in first and was the ninth out, after scoring 72. His innings was in his best style—very safe, without a chance, and with many pretty strokes all round the wicket. Mackay and R. Campbell also batted very well.

Xavier had to make 222 runs to win—a task well within their powers. Good bowling by J. Hawkes and Mackay soon put us in a winning position, and we had 6 of their wickets for 67. A stand by Shanaughan and King brought their total up to 130, so that we won our second Public School match for the year by 91 runs.

The full scores were :—

GEELONG COLLEGE.

First Innings.

J. I. Birnie, c O'Neill, b T. Ryan	6
J. B. Hawkes, run out	26
C. B. Carrick, b Shanaughan..	3
E. E. Mackay, l.b.w., b T Ryan	34
J. R. Hodgson, c & b T. Ryan	8
R. N. Campbell, b Hood	16
W. D. A. McKindlay, b T. Ryan	21
L. E. Reid, b Hood	5
T. B. Hawkes, st. O'Donnell, b T. Ryan	7
I. A. Campbell, c Boileau, b Shanaughan	11
W. R. Macpherson, not out ..	12
Sundries	8

Total157

Bowling:—E. Hood, 2 for 31.
 T. Ryan, 5 for 58.
 J. Shanaughan, 2 for 43.

 T. Starr, none for 16.
 K. Byrne, none for 4.

Second Innings.

b Hood	0
st. O'Donnell, b Shanaughan	72
c O'Donnell, b Hood	1
c Moriarty, b Shanaughan	29
b Shanaughan	0
b T. Ryan	28
b T. Ryan	4
c Boileau, b Shanaughan	0
c Boileau, b Shanaughan	43
not out	0
c King, b Shanaughan ..	0
Sundries	9

Total186

Bowling:—E. Hood, 2 for 32.
 T. Ryan, 2 for 75.
 J. Shanaughan, 6 for
 49-
 G. Boileau, 0 for 10.
 J. E. Ryan, 0 for 11.

XAVIER COLLEGE.

First Innings.

E. Hood, st. Carrick, b J. Hawkes	12
J. E. Ryan, b Mackay.....	0
G. Boileau, b Mackay	12
T. F. Starr, c McKindlay, b Mackay	10
T. J. Ryan, c Reid, b J. Hawkes	24
J. Shanaughan, run out	6
K. O'Neil, b Reid	3
P. King, not out	28
F. O'Donnell, b J. Hawkes ..	15
K. Byrne, c R. Campbell, b Birnie	6
G. Moriarty, run out	3
Sundries	3

Total122

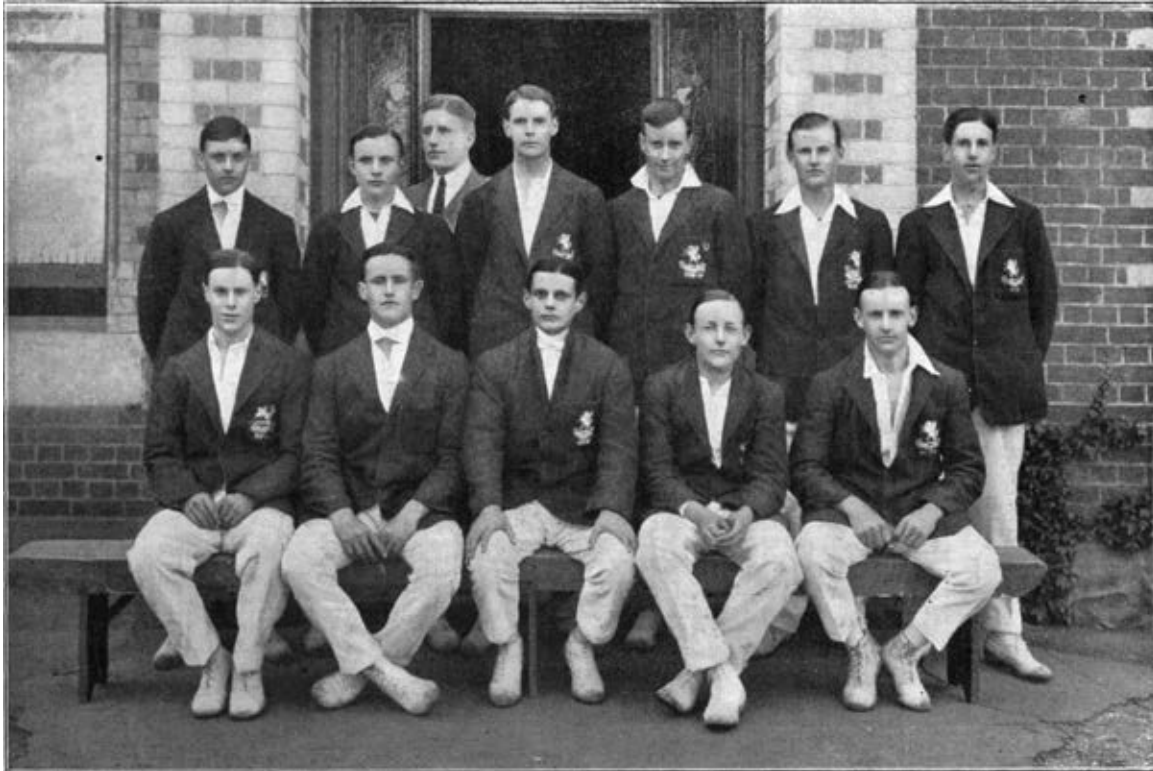
Bowling:—Mackay, 3 for 55.
 J. Hawkes, 3 for 39.
 L. Reid, 1 for 10.
 J. Birnie, 1 for 15.

Second Innings.

c Mackay, b J. Hawkes ..	23
c I. Campbell, b J. Hawkes	4
c T. Hawkes, b Mackay ..	1
b Mackay	4
c Mackajr, b J. Hawkes ..	13
l.b.w., b Hodgson	45
c McKindlay, b Mackay..	13
b J. Hawkes	19
b Mackay.....	0
l.b.w., b Hodgson	5
not out	0
Sundries	3

Total130

Bowling:—E. Mackay, 4 for 52.
 J. Hawkes, 4 for 35.
 L. Reid, 0 for 18.
 J. R. Hodgson, 2 for
 22,



THE CRICKET TEAM.

R. N. Campbell. W. D. McKindlay. G. S. MjArthur. J. R. Hodgson. L. E. Reid. T. B. Hawkes. I. A. Campbell.
C. B. Carrick. E. E. Mackay (*Vice-Capt.*) J. I. Birnie (*Captain*). J. B. Hawkes. A. S. McKenzie.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL CRICKET.

The result of the Public School matches is as follows :—

	Won	Lost
Geelong Grammar School	4	1
Melbourne Grammar School ..	4	1
Scotch College.	4	1
Geelong College.	2	3
Xavier College	1	4
Wesley College.	0	5

FIRST ELEVEN PRACTICE MATCHES.

Three Practice Matches have been played during the term—one against a local Red Cross team, another against Wesley College, and a third against Geelong Grammar School. The first of these was won, the second drawn, and the third lost. The regular members of the team obtained useful practice in them, and some of those who were righting for a place were given a chance to show their worth.

SECOND ELEVEN MATCHES.

The Second Eleven has had four matches this term. It lost them all, but showed greater keenness at the end than even at the beginning. The batting, was weak and unenterprising. The only good scores were made by E. Philip 53 and 49, and I. Campbell 47 not out. The bowling lacked variety and length. McLennan (the captain) and Robins were the most successful bowlers. Results of matches played :—

v. BARRABOOL.

College, 40; Barrabool, 131. Macpherson made 16, and McLennan got 3 wickets for 28.

v. GEELONG GRAMMAR SCHOOL, SECOND ELEVEN.

Grammar, 193; College, 72. For us I. Campbell made 47 not out, and Edgar, McLennan and Robins each got two wickets,

v. MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL, SECOND ELEVEN.

Melbourne Grammar, 176; College, 37 and 59. For us Macpherson made 14, W. Macmillan 15, and McLennan 12. In bowling, McLennan got 3 for 21, Crawley 2 for 24, Levy 2 for 32, Robins, 2 for 36.

v. WESLEY COLLEGE, SECOND ELEVEN.

Wesley, 255; College, 119 and 136. Robins (5 for 65) and E. Philip (3 for 38) were the best bowlers. E. Philip played two good innings for 53 and 49. Other double-figure scores were:—Levy, 20, W. Macmillan 11, Hill 12, Crawley 13, Carr 17, Edgar 12.

THIRD ELEVEN MATCH.

College batted first and made 71. Hill (the captain) made 33, and Purnell 17. All the Grammar Eleven batted, but only two batsmen got out; the others retired. Their total was 134. Hill got both wickets for 44 runs.

JUNIOR MATCHES.

The results of our Under 15 matches were:—

Against Melbourne Grammar, Lost by 51 runs.

Against Geelong Grammar, Won by 49 runs.

Against Melbourne Grammar, Lost by an innings and 16 runs.

Against Geelong Grammar, Lost by 46 runs.

Against Wesley College, Lost by 91 runs.

W. Sharland has been the best all-round player. He has a batting average of nearly 11 this term, and has taken 18 wickets for 176 runs. Lee has bowled very well, getting 30 wickets for 185 runs. Besides these, C. McArthur has been a consistent scorer. Two good individual performances were L. Morton 37, and Lucas 23,

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UNDER 13 MATCHES.

We played two Under 13 matches with Geelong Grammar, and lost them both. Coghlan and G. Bell did most of the bowling. In batting, G. Bell made 19, H. Macmillan 15, Tregear 10.

FORMS' MATCHES.

The Forms' Competition was won by the Sixth Form, who went through the year with only one defeat. The Upper Fifth and the Lower Fifth tied for second place with 3 wins and 2 losses each. The Upper Fifth are to be congratulated on putting up a record score for Forms' Matches, viz.: 257. Crawley was chiefly responsible for this score, as he made 93 not out. Other good individual scores this term were:—I. Campbell 36, Hill 42; and M. Philip 42.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MATCHES, 1915.

BATTING AVERAGES.

Batsman.	Innings.	Not Out.	Highest Score.	Total.	Average
E. Mackay	9	0	91	351	39-
J. B. Hawkes	9	0	78	289	32.1
J. I. Birnie	7	0	75	187	26.7
S. A. McKenzie	5	0	43	84	16.8
R. N. Campbell	9	1	28	122	15.3
W. D. McKindlay	9	0	24	107	11.9
T. B. Hawkes	9	0	43	105	11.6
W. R. Macpherson	2	1	11*	11	II.
C. B. Carrick	9	0	23	84	9.3
E. M. Philip	2	1	9*	9	9.
G. S. McArthur	5	0	8	26	5.2
I. A. Campbell	4	1	11	13	4.3
J. R. Hodgson	4	0	8	17	4.25
L. E. Reid	9	1	11	24	3-

BOWLING AVERAGES.

Bowler.	Wickets.	Runs.	Average
J. I. Birnie	8	128	16.
J. B. Hawkes	25	508	20.4
E. E. Mackay	21	479	22.8
J. R. Hodgson	2	47	23.5
L. E. Reid	6	333	55.5



THE FOOTBALL TEAM.

J. R. Hodgson. J. H. Hill. R. S. Mitchell. I. A. Campbell. G. S. McArthur. C. Aikman. A. Levy. T. B. Hawkes. L. E. Reid.
A. Waugh. A. N. McLennan. C. B. Carrick (*Vice-Capt.*) J. I. Birnie (*Captain.*) E. E. Mackay. A. S. McKenzie C. G. Carr.
R.N.Campbell J. B. Hawkes. C. E. Backwell. W D. McKindlay.

Cadet Notes.

TOWARDS the end of last term Captain Lamble had to leave us at a moment's notice to take up an important post in connection with the training- of the A.I.F. at the Geelong Military Camp. His place as O.C. has been taken by Lieut. J. V. Hill, who has been transferred from the Unattached List. Mackay's promotion to 2nd Lieut, and transfer to C. Coy. has at length come out in District Orders.

Although compulsory training was suspended as from October 1st, our detachment has gone on with its programme as usual, except that we have been unable to proceed with our musketry, as the ranges are fully occupied by the men in camp. Consequently, on October 2nd, we indulged in a sham fight at Queen's Park instead of the pre-arranged musketry practice at the ranges.

On November 2nd Major Carroll, Inspector of Universal Training, inspected the 9th and 10th Platoons—the first visit of inspection for some years.

During November a class of twenty has been under instruction for promotion as Non-Coms. The examination was held on November 23rd, when the following were successful:—

To be Sergeants:—Cpl. Marshall, Backwell, Gibb, Campbell, R. N., and Taylor, R. R,

To be Corporals:—Cruickshank, Purnell, Peebles, Macmillan, Fairchild, Macpherson, and Bumpstead (Coy. Clerk).

To be Lance-Corporals:—Peter and Clark.

During the term all equipment of the M.U.R. detachment has been recalled, and two examinations have been held for Non-Coms., but the results are not yet to hand. Another of our M.U.R. members, Boag, has enlisted.

Rowing Notes.

THE Forms' Races took place on the Barwon on Monday, Dec. 6th, and Tuesday, Dec. 7th, when some good rowing and close finishes were witnessed. The course for the Seniors was from Pakington Street, and for the Juniors from "The Bent Tree" to our sheds. Unfortunately, owing to the breaking of an oar, the final heat between V.A. and VI. was spoilt, as "2" of the former crew could not row well with the new oar sent to him.

The following were the heats and the results :—

SENIOR FOURS.

First Heat.

V.A. (No. 1)—Reid (str.), Carr (3), Campbell, I. (2), Campbell, R. (bow).

VI. (No. 2)—Pattinson (str.), Foreman (3), McLennan (2), Hobbs (bow).

V.A. won by a length and a half.

Second Heat.

V.A. (No. 2)—Macmillan (str.), Levy (3), Taylor (2), Waugh, J. (bow).

REST OF SCHOOL—Edgar (str.), Stewart (3), Philip, E. (2), Hedges (bow).

The Rest of the School crew, being afflicted with dental trouble, and consequent visits to the dentist, had their training considerably interfered with, and were easily defeated by six lengths.

Third Heat.

VI. (No. 1)—Gibb (str.), Mackenzie (3), Carrick (2), Brodie (bow).

V.B.—Macpherson (str.), Russell (3), Clutterbuck (2), Ireland (bow).

The Sixth, rowing easily, won by two lengths.



THE COLLEGE CREW.

A. J. C. Waugh (bow). E. A. J. Stoker (2). T. B. Hawkes (3). G. G. Carr (4). G. S. McArthur (5). R. S. Mitchell (6).
C. M. Webb (7). E. E. Mackay (stroke). N. W. Ricketts (cox).

Fourth Heat.

V.A. No. 1 crew defeated V.A. No. 2 by three-quarters of a length.

Final.

The Sixth (No. 1) beat V.A. first crew by six lengths.

JUNIOR FORMS (Under 15).

First Heat.

UPPER IV.—Morton, L. (str.), Macmillan, J. R. (3), McArthur, C. (2), Bell, H. (bow). '

LOWER V.—Ricketts (str.), More ton, A. (3), McArthur, R. (2), Bell, C. (bow).

This was one of the best races of the day, the Upper IV. being defeated by only half a length.

MIDDLE IV.—Smallnian (str.), Russell, N. (3), Macmillan, J. R. T. (2), Ransley (bow).—A bye.

Final.

Ricketts' crew (L.V.) had a good race with the Middle IV, and won by three-quarters of a length.

Tennis.

EARLY in the term there was a match between representative teams from Geelong Grammar School and Geelong College. It was held on the Geelong Courts (kindly lent for the occasion) and afternoon tea was provided for the visitors by Mrs. Hawkes.

Considerable interest was taken in the event by a large number of spectators, and it is hoped that it will become an annual fixture.

The College team was weakened by the absence of Jack Hawkes, who had not recovered from the injury received at football, but the team selected were put on their mettle and managed to win after a good game,

The scores were :—T. Hawkes and C. Carr (G.C.) beat Jackson and Mair (G.G.S.), 6—4, 6—0 ; and beat Fairbairn and Manifold, 6—2, 6—1. E. Mackay and R. Hodgson (G.C.) - beat Fairbairn and Manifold (G.G.S.), 4—6, 6—2, 9—7, and lost to Jackson and Mair, 3—6, 6—4, 3—6.

Totals :—

College—3 rubbers, 7 sets, 55 games.

Grammar School—1 rubber, 3 sets, 38 games.

The College Court has been improved through the generosity of Mr. T. Hawkes, who had both ends of the Court boarded up and painted green to provide a better background. Players have expressed their pleasure at the improvement. Our thanks are due to Mrs. Hawkes also for once more donating trophies for the Tournament.

The entries for the Tournament were not quite so numerous as last year, but, on the whole, the play was of a high standard.

The scores are appended :—

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND.

- R. Campbell beat J. Birnie (walkover).
- C. Carr beat L. Foreman, 10—1.
- E. Mackay beat R. Hodgson, 10—7.
- T. Hawkes beat C. Boag (walkover).

SECOND ROUND.

- C. Carr beat R. Campbell, 10—5.
- T. Hawkes beat Mackay, 10—2.

FINAL.

- T. Hawkes beat C. Carr, 6—2, 6—4.

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND.

- R. McArthur beat C. McArthur 10—3.
- F. Lee a bve.

FINAL.

- R. McArthur beat F. Lee, 6—5, 6—0.

HANDICAP DOUBLES.

FIRST ROUND.

- R. Mitchell and J. Hill, 3/6-15, bye.
 J. Waugh and R. Webb, rec. 15, bye.
 E. Philip and R. Macpherson, owe 3/6-15, bye.
 L. Foreman and T. Hawkes, owe 30-3/6, beat R. Campbell and W. Stephens, scr., 10—1.
 M. Scott and J. Hope, rec. 15, beat C. M. Webb and C. Carr, 10—5.
 I. Campbell and D. McKindlay, owe 3/6-15, beat J. Osborne and S. Edgar, rec. 3/6-15, 10—7.
 R. Hodgson and E. Mackay, owe 30-3/6, bye.
 R. McArthur and C. McArthur, scr., bye.

SECOND ROUND.

- R. Mitchell and J. Hill beat J. Waugh and R. Webb, 10—9.
 L. Foreman and T. Hawkes beat E. Philip and R. Macpherson, 10—7.
 M. Scott and J. Hope beat I. Campbell and D. McKindlay, 10—8.
 R. Hodgson and E. Mackay beat R. McArthur and C. McArthur, 10—5.

THIRD ROUND.

- L. Foreman and T. Hawkes beat J. Waugh and R. Webb, 10—8.
 R. Hodgson and E. Mackay beat M. Scott and J. Hope, 10—4.

FINAL.

- R. Hodgson and E. Mackay, owe 30-3/6, beat L. Foreman and T. Hawkes, owe 30-3/6, 6—4, 5—6, 6—3.

HANDICAP SINGLES.

FIRST ROUND.

- R. McArthur, scr., v. M. Scott, rec. 15-3/6, bye.
 R. Mitchell, rec. 15, beat R. Brodie, rec. 15, 10—3.
 C. Smith, rec. 3/6-15, beat A. Lee, rec. 15, 10—3.
 E. Mackay, owe 30-3/6, beat L. Foreman, owe 15, 10—5.
 L. Reid, scr., beat M. Philip, rec. 3/6-15, 10—6.
 F. Lee, scr., beat J. Birnie, owe 15, (walkover).
 C. Carr, owe 30-3/6, beat W. Stephens, rec. 3/6-15, 10—5.
 J. Hill, scr., beat I. Campbell, scr., 10—6.
 E. Philip, scr., beat S. Edgar, scr., 10—o.
 R. Campbell, scr., beat C. Webb, rec. 3/6-15, 10—5.
 A. Waugh, rec. 15, beat J. Hawkes, owe 50, (w.o.)
 J. Osborne, rec. 3/6-15, beat R. Macpherson, scr., 10—8.
 J. Hope, rec. 15-3/6, beat C. McArthur, rec. 3/6-15, 10—5.

SECOND ROUND.

- R. McArthur beat M. Scott, 10—7 R. Campbell beat A. Waugh, 10—1
 R. Mitchell beat C. Smith, 10—3
 E. Mackay beat L. Reid, 10—4 J. Osborne beat J. Hope, 10—5
 C. Carr beat F. Lee, 10—1 R. Hodgson beat J. Waugh (w.o.)
 J. Hill beat E. Philip, 10—9

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THIRD ROUND.

R. McArthur beat R. Mitchell (w.o.)
C. Carr beat E. Mackay, 10—6
R. Campbell beat J. Hill, 10—4
R. Hodgson beat J. Osborne, 10—6

SEMI-FINALS.

R. McArthur beat C. Carr, 10—7
R. Hodgson beat R. Campbell, 10—4

FINAL.

R. Hodgson, owe 30, beat R. McArthur, scr., 6—4, 6—4.

Annual Athletic Sports.

THE Annual Athletic Sports were held on Saturday, October 16th, and provided an enjoyable afternoon for a large gathering of interested spectators. During the afternoon the St. Augustine's Orphanage Band rendered a choice selection of music, and added materially to the pleasure of the function. Among the onlookers one noted a fair sprinkling of Khaki-clad Old Collegians who were at the time undergoing their course of training at the Geelong Camp. Charlie Dowling and Stanley Mack had just returned from the scene of operations, owing to wounds and illness respectively, and we were pleased to have them with us once again, and trust that their final recovery may be swift and sure.

During the afternoon many exciting contests were decided, and in most events good fields were competing. The College Cup was won by E. E. Mackay from C. M. Webb and R. S. M. Mitchell. W. R. Macpherson won both the Under 16 Championship and the Norman Morrison Under 16 Handicap Cup. C. C. Bell won the Under 14 Championship from R. S. Howell and J. R. Macmillan. This year, the Old Collegians' Cup was run off without the preliminary heats,

and the Old Collegians' 440 Yards Handicap was not contested. This race was first introduced six years ago with the definite view of catering for those Old Collegians, who, after leaving school, maintained an active interest in Athletic Sports, and on this occasion very few of these were available. The Veteran's Plate drew forth a much larger field than usual, and we were pleased to note a move in that direction. Mr. J. MacMullen scored a popular win in this event.

The Sports were commenced later than usual, and between 2.15 and 5 o'clock 40 events were decided. At no stage of the afternoon was an event more than two minutes later than the pre-arranged time, and there were a few minutes to spare before the final event. In this respect, we are once again indebted to Mr. James D'Helin, who has acted as starter for many years. Without apparent anxiety, and with the minimum of confusion, he at all times effects excellent starts to large fields, and, by keeping so closely to the programme time-table, greatly enhances the enjoyment of the afternoon to those who are not thoroughly conversant with the running of a Sports meeting. Our sports were successful, and in their brightness and punctuality lay the keynote of the success. Our thanks are also due to Messrs. E. C. Bradley and T. Bennett, who acted as time-keepers, and to the various judges and officials who helped during the afternoon.

Subsequent to the Sports, the boys who had won prizes during the year in running, tennis or swimming, unanimously decided that one-third of the values of their trophies should be given to the Patriotic Funds. This amount, taken in conjunction with the weekly contribution which has been in operation during the greater part of the year, will give a good total for the year's contribution from the boys.

The following are the officials who conducted the Sports, and the results of the various races :—Committee of Management : Mr. C. A. Cameron, J. I. Birnie, C. B. Carrick, S. A. McKenzie, E. E. Mackay, C. M. Webb ; Handicappers : J. I. Birnie, E. E. Mackay, C. M. Webb ; Judges : Messrs. O. Albers, S. B. Calvert, C. A. Cameron, J. Cameron, S. R. Dickinson, A. H. Harry, J. V. Hill, A. R. Orion, J. D. Royle and Dr. T. J. M. Kennedy ; Starter : Mr. James D'Helin ; Timekeepers : Messrs. E. C. Bradley and T. Bennett ; Joint Hon. Secretaries : H. I. Gibb and C. M. Webb.

COLLEGE CUP EVENTS.

LONG JUMP.—E. E. Mackay, 1; C. M. Webb, 2; R. S. M. Mitchell, 3. Distance, 18ft. 9½in.

PUTTING THE WEIGHT.—L. J. Foreman, 1; E. E. Mackay, 2; C. M. Webb, 3; R. S. M. Mitchell, 4. Distance, 28ft. 11½in.

120 YARDS HURDLES.—C. M. Webb, 1; E. E. Mackay, 2; R. S. M. Mitchell, 3. Time, 18 1-5th sees.

440 YARDS.—E. E. Mackay, 1; C. M. Webb, 2. Time, 55 sees.

220 YARDS.—E. E. Mackay, 1; C. M. Webb, 2. Time, 25 sees.

HIGH JUMP.—L. E. Reid, 1; A. R. McLennan, 2; I. A. Campbell, 3; E. E. Mackay, 4; C. M. Webb and R. S. M. Mitchell, equal, 5. Height, 5ft. iin.

100 YARDS.—E. E. Mackay, 1; C. M. Webb, 2; R. S. M. Mitchell, 3. Time, 10 2-5th sees.

TOTALS :—

E. E. Mackay, 20 points	1
C. M. Webb, 14½ points.	2
R. S. M. Mitchell 5½ points.	3

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP. (The Headmaster's Cup).

LONG JUMP.—W. R. Macpherson, 1; F. R. Apted, 2; W. D. McKindlav, 3. Distance, 15ft. 10in.

HIGH JUMP.—W. D. McKindlav, 1; W. R. Macpherson, 2; F. R. Apted, 3. Height, 4ft. 7in.

100 YARDS.—R. L. Sutherland, 1; W. R. Macpherson, 2; F. R. Apted, 3. Time, 12 secs.

220 YARDS.—W. D. McKindlav, 1; W. R. Macpherson, 2; R. L. Sutherland, 3. Time, 28 secs.

TOTALS :—

W. R. Macpherson, 9 points	1
W. D. McKindlay, 7 points	2
R. L. Sutherland, 4 points	3

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP. (Miss Price's Cup).

3. HIGH JUMP.—R. S. Howell, 1; D. L. B. Howell, 2; C. C. Bell,
 3. Height, 4ft. 2in.
 3. 100 YARDS.—C. C. Bell, 1; J. R. Macmillan, 2; R. S. Howell,
 3. Time, 12 3-5th secs.
 3. 440 YARDS.—C. C. Bell, 1; T. R. Macmillan, 2; R. S. Howell,
 3. Time, 72 secs.

TOTALS :—

C. C. Bell, 7 points	1
R. S. Howell, 5 points	2
J. R. Macmillan, 4 points	3

THE NORMAN MORRISON CUP. (Under 16 Handicap Events).

FIRST DISTANCE—100 YARDS.—W. R. Macpherson, 3 yds.,
 1; W. D. McKindlay, 3 yds., 2; R. R. Taylor, 3 yds., 3. Time,
 11 3-5th secs.

SECOND DISTANCE—150 YARDS.—W. R. Macpherson, 4
 yds., 1; W. D. McKindlay, 4 yds., 2; R. R. Taylor, 4 yds., 3. Time,
 17 secs.

THIRD DISTANCE—200 YARDS.—R. R. Taylor, 6 yds, 1;
 J. Bell, 9 yds, 2; W. D. McKindlay. 6 yds, 3. Time, 23 2-5th secs.

TOTALS :—

W. R. Macpherson, 6 points	1
W. D. McKindlay and R. R. Taylor, 5 points, equal	2

THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—J. 1. Birnie, 1. Dis-
 tance, 86 yards.

100 YARDS MAIDEN.—C. M. Webb, 1; S. A. McKenzie, 2; T. B.
 Hawkes, 3. Time, 11 secs.

SENIOR MANX (100 Yards)—J. H. Pill and A. C. Aikman, 2
 yds, 1; J. Hope and I. C. M. Peebles, 7 yds, 2.

120 YARDS (Under 14).—C. C. Bell, 1 -d, 1; J. R. Macmillan,
 2 yds, 2; C. E. McArthur, 7 yds, 3. Time, 15 i-5.th secs.

100 YARDS (Under 13).—N. K. Russell, 9 yds, 1; A. J. Wilson,
 S yds, 2; N. Newman, 10 yds, 3. Time, 13 2-5th secs.

THE ASSOCIATION PLATE—100 Yards—(Presented by
 J. L. Currie, Esq, on behalf of the Old Collegians' Association)—
 A. J. C. Waugh, 5 yds, 1; S. A. McKenzie, 1 yd, 2; C. J. Ireland, 6
 yds, 3. Time, 11 secs.

120 YARDS HURDLES (Mr. E. K. Russell's Trophy)—A. J. C. Waugh, 8 yds. behind, 1; J. H. Hill, 5 yds. behind, 2; L. E. Reid, 12 yds. behind, 3. Time, 20 2-5th sees.

880 YARDS (Mr. G. Bradley's Trophy)—W. E. Macmillan, 5 yds., 1; C. E. Backwell, 15 yds., 2; A. C. Aikman, 15 yds., 3. Time, 2 min. 14 secs.

100 YARDS—Under 12—(Mrs. J. M. Baxter's Trophy).—T. Freeman, 6 yds., 1; S. W. Buckland, 10 yds., 2; N. Newman, 9 yds., 3. Time, 13 secs.

440 YARDS (Mrs. R. C. Webb's Trophy).—A. J. C. Waugh, 15 yds., 1; S. A. McKenzie, scratch, 2; T. B. Hawkes, 7 yds., 3. Time, 54 2-5th secs.

EGG AND SPOON EVENT.—W. E. Macmillan, 1; L. E. Reid, 2; C. Smith, 3.

ONE MILE WALK.—J. H. Waugh, 60 yds., 1; M. E. Scott, 180 yds., 2; A. C. Aikman, scratch, 3. Time, 8 min. 47 secs.

JUNIOR MANX (100 Yards).—H. Wilson and J. H. Heath, 6 yds., 1; A. R. Moreton and F. M. Lee, 2 yds., 2.

880 YARDS (Under 16).—F. R. Apted. scr., 1; E. M. Philip, 30 yds., 2; R. R. Taylor, 25 yds., 3. Time, 2 min. 31 sees.

150 YARDS (The Masters' Trophy).—S. A. McKenzie, 2 yds., 1; T. B. Hawkes, 3 yds., 2; D. M. Latta, 6 yds., 3. Time, 16 secs.

TOO YARDS HURDLES (Under 16).—W. R. Macpherson, 6 yds. behind, 1; W. D. McKindlay, 10 yds. behind, 2; J. Bell, 4 yds. behind, 3. Time, 17 3-5th sees.

SACK RACE.—A. R. Moreton, 1; J. R. J. Sidebottom, 2; L. P. W. Brooke, 3.

FORMS' FLAG RACE.—Form Lower V.—A. J. C. Waugh (Captain), W. A. Stephens, J. W. Hope, F. M. Lee, C. J. Ireland, W. R. Macpherson—8 yds. each, 1; Form Lower IV., 2; Form Upper V.,

440 YARDS STEPLECHASE.—A. J. C. Waugh, scr., 1; R. L. Crawley, 40 yds., 2; J. H. Hill, 6 yds., 3. Time, 1 min. 11 secs.

100 YARDS (Under 15).—F. M. Lee, 4 yds., 1; J. E. F. Fairchild, 3 yds., 2; A. R. Moreton, 2 yds., 3. Time, 11 2-5th secs.

BICYCLE RACE.—W. N. Ricketts, 140 yds., 1; W. A. Stephens, 95 yds., 2; J. H. Hill, 50 yds., 3. Time, 3 min. 8 secs.

ONE MILE RUN (Mrs. Russell's Trophy).—W. E. Macmillan, 30 yds., 1; C. G. Carr, 15 yds., 2; J. Bell, 150 yds., 3. Time, 4 min. en secs.

OLD COLLEGIANS' CUP (120 Yards).—H. T. Burn, 15 yds., 1; R. N. Pillow, 4 yds., 2; C. W. Parsons, 11 yds., 3. Time, 12 3-5th secs

VETERANS' PLATE (75 Yards).—J. MacMullen, 18 yds., 1; H. F. Elvins, 2 yds., 2; A. N. McArthur, 6 yds., 3. Time, 8 3-5th secs,

PUBLIC SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA.

FIXTURES, 1916.

(Last-named School has choice of Ground).

1st Term.

CRICKET.

March 3rd & 4th	(G.C. v. G.G.S.) (J.S.C. v. X.C.) (W.C. v. M.G.S.)	March 10th & 11th	(G.G.S. v. S.C.) (G.C. v. W.C.) (X.C. v. M.G.S.)
March 17th & 18th	(X.C. v. G.G.S.) (M.G.S. v. G.C.) (S.C. v. W.C.)		

ROWING.

May 5th & 6th. Public Schools' Boat Race, Barwon River.

Combined Sports.

THE Annual Athletic Competitions were held on the Melbourne Cricket Ground on Friday, 29th October. Fine weather prevailed, and, as usual, there was a very large gathering of interested spectators. From an athletic point of view the Sports were very successful, and the competitions throughout of a high degree of excellence.

This year our competitors had no thought of securing the Cup, but each boy in the team did his utmost, and generally performed better than in training. In the Open Events, and particularly in the long distance events we did well, and made a creditable showing, but in the under age events our boys failed to secure a place in any event,

The following were the results of, and the names of our representative in, the various events :—

OPEN EVENTS.

Putting the Weight.—L. F. Edmunds (S.'C), 33ft. 8½in., 1; F. G. Grieve (M.G.S.), 2; W. M. Dixon (X.C.), 3. L. J. Foreman was fifth.

100 Yards.—L. R. V. Spencer (S.C.), 1; W. R. G. Officer (M.G.S.), 2; J. C. San Miguel (X.C.), 3. E. E. Mackay finished fifth. Time, 10½ secs.

High Jump.—G. G. Sellick (W.C.), 5ft. 5in., 1; N. F. Armytage (G.G.S.) and D. McKenzie (S.C.), equal, 2; I. A. Campbell (G.C.) and J. D. Boydell (M.G.S.), equal, 4.

220 Yards.—L. R. V. Spencer (S.C.), 1; J. W. E. Adams (W.C.), 2; W. R. G. Officer (M.G.S.), 3. E. E. Mackay was fifth. Time, 23 4-5th secs.

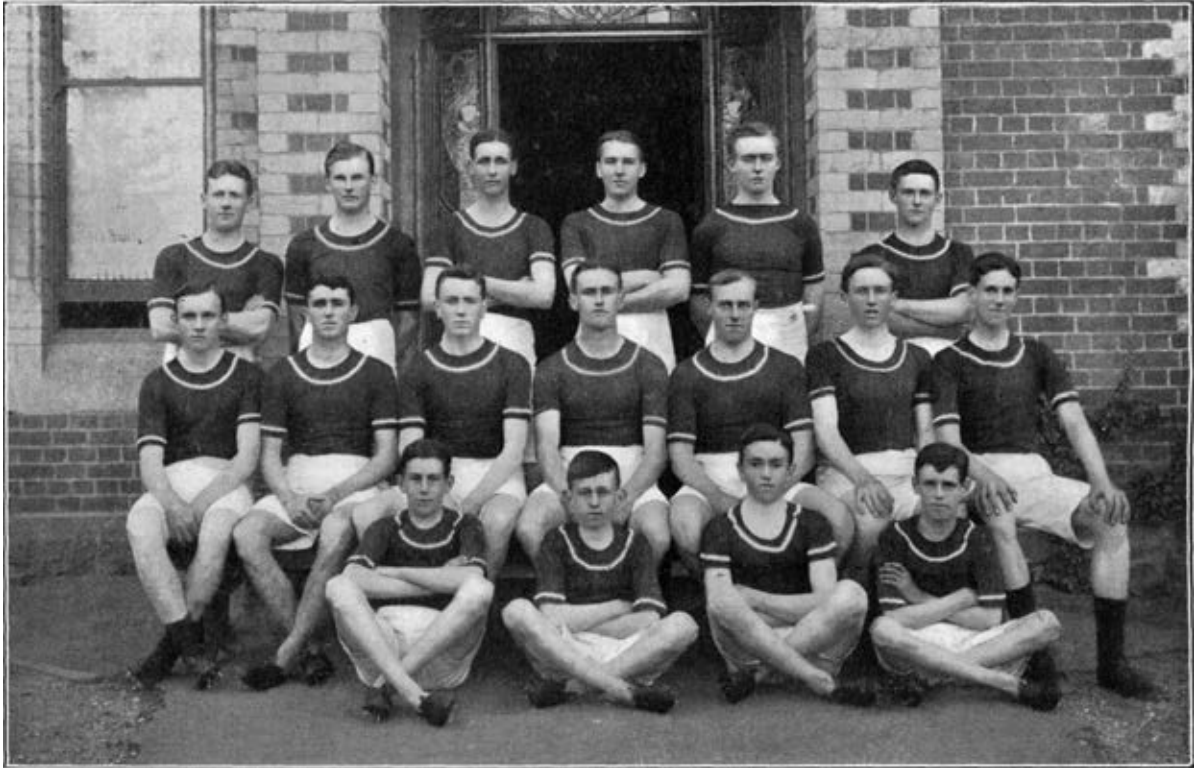
120 Yards Hurdles.—L. F. Edmunds (S.C.), 1; P. H. Heywood (M.G.S.), 2; C. R. Botterill (G.G.S.), 3. A. J. C. Waugh was fifth. Time, 16 2-5U1 secs.

One Mile.—H. L. Davies (S.C.), 1; W. E. Macmillan (G.C.),- 2; A. R. Wilkins (G.G.S.), 3. Time, 4 min. 48 4-5th secs.

440 Yards.—J. W. E. Adams (W.C.), 1; E. E. Mackay (G.C.), 2; L. R. V. Spencer (S.C.), 3. Time, 51 7-10th secs. At the finish, Mackay was well up to the winner, and was beaten by two or three yards. Making ample allowance, his time must have been better than 52½ secs., which is considerably better than C. Howell's College record of 53½ secs., which has held since 1879.

880 Yards.—W. E. Macmillan (G.C), 1; H. L. Davis (S.C.), 2; J. W. E. Adams (W.C.), 3. Time, 2 min. 12 1-5th secs. Our congratulations are due to Macmillan for his splendid efforts in both this event and the Mile. As a maiden effort in these competitions, his successes were highly creditable and augur well for the future.

Long Jump.—P. S. Heywood (M.G.S.), 20ft. 8in., 1; L. F. Edmunds (S.C.), 20ft. 2½in., 2; E. D. Grant (W.C.), 3. E. E. Mackay was fifth,



THE RUNNING TEAM.

A. Levy. T. B. Hawkes. f. H. Hill. R. S. Mitchell. C. G. Carr. W. R. Macpherson.
W. D. McKindlay. A. Waugh. W. Macmillan. E. E. Mackay (*Capt.*) L. Foreman. C. M. Webb. I. N. Campbell.
F. M. Lee. C. Bell. A. R. Moreton. R. Howell.

UNDER 16 EVENTS.

TOO Yards.—T. G. Sullivan (X.C.), 1; C. R. Joyce (M.G.S.), 2; N. G. H. Tranter (S.C.), 3. Time, 11 1-5th secs. R. L. Sutherland was last.

220 Yards.—T. G. Sullivan (X.C.), 1; R. P. Creed (W.C.), 2; J. Gumming (M.G.S.), 3. Time, 26 1-10th secs. W. D. McKindlav was fifth.

440 Yards.—T. G. Sullivan (X.C.), 1; J. dimming (M.G.S.), 2; N. G. H. Tranter (S.C.), 3. Time, 57 4-5th sees. W. D. McKindlav was fifth.

High Jump.—J. C. Jones (S.C.), 5ft. 2½in., 1; G. W. H. Butler (G.G.S.), 2; A. P. Gorman (X.C.), 3. W. D. McKindlav (G.C.) and A. N. L. Patten (W.C.), equal, fifth.

Long Tump.—F. L. Edmunds (S.C.), 19ft. 3in., 1; E. A. Wells (W.C.), 2; C. R. Joyce (M.G.S.), 3. W. R. Macpherson was last.

UNDER 15 EVENTS.

100 Yards.—C. E. Bond (S.C.), 1; P. M. Shaw (M.G.S.), 2; L. W. O'Connor (X.C.), 3. Time, 11½ secs. F. M. Eee was last.

300 Yards.—P. M. Shaw (M.G.S.), 1; A. N. L. Patten ((W.C.), 2; C. E. Bond (S.C.), 3. Time, 37 3-5th secs. A. R. Moreton was last.

UNDER 14 EVENTS.

100 Yards.—W. S. Woodside (M.G.S.), 1; C. R. Speeding (G.G.S.), 2; R. L. Almond (S.C.), 3. Time, 11 3-5th secs. The time establishes a new record for this event. C. C. Bell was fourth.

High Jump.—J. B. Aitken (S.C.), 4ft. 6½in., 1; W. S. Woodside (M.G.S.) and K. W. Norman (VV.C), equal, 2. R. S. Howell was fourth.

TOTALS.

Scotch College, 101 points	1
Melbourne Grammar School, 76½ points	2
Wesley College, 55½ points	3
Xavier College, 48 points	4
Geelong College, 31 points	5
Geelong Grammar School, 30 points	6

At the conclusion of the Sports, the Challenge Cup was handed to the Captain of the Scotch College Team by His Excellency the Governor (Sir Arthur Stanley).

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Old Boys' Column.

EXTRACTS from Association Rules :—

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Allardyce, A. G. P.
Anderson, A. N.
Anderson, W. W.
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Birnie, G. A., Dr.
Birnie, N. E. S.
Birnie, R. K., Dr.
Birrell, W. A. H., Dr.
Broughton, J. M.
Buchanan, R.
Burrows, W. R.
Burn, H. T.
Butt, C. R.

- Calvert, C. M.
 Campbell, A. F.
 Campbell, A. M.
 Campbell, N. L.
 Campbell, P. S. C.
 Campbell, R. K.
 Cathcart, N. H.
 Cavanagh, B. H.
 Cavanagh, E. R.
 Champ, F. C.
 Cherry, G. F.
 Cocking, K. W.
 Coles, A. W.
 Coles, D. H.
 Coles, J. S.
 Collier, H. R.
 Collins, A. S. M.
 Collins, E. G.
 Cother, A. E.
 Cutts, W. C.
 Cox, F. E. D.
- Dardel, A. L.
 Dardel, E. W.
 Dardel, J. H.
 David, T. A.
 Davidson, F. S.
 Davidson, J. H.
 Deane, E. W., Dr.
 Deans, G. W.
 Dennis, C. E. D.
 Dennis, J. V.
 Dougall, A. W.
 Dougall, V. S.
 Douglass, L. F.
 Dowling, C. W.
 Dowling, J. W.
 Dunlop, W. A. S.
 Drew, H. O. S.
- Edgar, R. S.
 Ellis, D.
 England, L. W.
 Evans, N. McT.
 Evans, S. W.
- Fenton, J.
 Freeman, A. B. J.
 Freeman, J. A.
 Freeman, N. M.
- Gadd, R. B.
 George, S. W.
 Gibson, G. W.
 Gibson, J. B.
 Gregory, E. A. E.
 Green, A. S.
 Grigg, D. D.
 Gunn, R. M.
- Harriot, G.
 Haughton, T. II. E.
 Hawkesworth, H. E.
 Hearne, E. T.
 Hearne, K. G., Dr.
 Hearne, W. W., Dr.
 Hedges, W. S.
 Heinz, G. V.
 Hendy, E. P.
 Hicks, H. F.
 Hirst, H.
 Hitchins, H. H.
 Hodges, H. G.
 Hodges, L. G.
 Holloway, E. S., Dr.
 Hooper, A. A. W.
 Hope, R. W.
 Howsam, L. G.
 Hurst, L. N.
- Jackson, A. C.
 Jackson, J. D.
 James, C. H.
 Johnston, H. T.
 Jones, A. G.
 Jones, J. D.
 Joyce, J. J.
- Kaufmann, J. C. S.
 Kelso, D. L.
 Kennedy, L. E.
 Kerr, T.
 Kininmonth, J. C.
 Knight, H. W.
 Knight, R. B.
- Latta, C. H.
 Leggatt, W.
 Lester, H. R.
 Littlejohns, R. W.
 Lock, S. M.

- Longden, C. R.
 Longden, N. A.
 Lyon, C. H.
- MacDonald, W. S.
 Mack, E. H.
 Mack, J. D.
 Mack, S.
 Mackay, E. R.
 Mackay, F. J.
 Mackay, G. G.
 Mackenzie, A. S., Dr.
 Mackintosh, A. E.
 Macknight, H. H. R.
 Maclean, A. K.
 Malcolm, R. H. B.
 McCallum, P.
 McCulloch, W. B.
 McDonald, A. J.
 McKenzie, K. A.
 McKenzie, L. E.
 McLennan, A. N.
 McPherson, W. O.
 McRae J. K. F.
 McWilliam, —
 Meakin, A. I.
 Meakin, R. H.
 Mitchell, G. A. N.
 Moreton, A. PL
 Moreton, F. E.
 Moreton, G. V.
 Morgan, E. J.
 Morrison, G. N. I.
 Murray, A. S.
 Murray, E.
 Murray, J.
 Murray, T. P.
- Nasmith, D. S.
 Nicholson, L. W.
- Officer, R., Jr.
 O'Farrell, V.
 O'Hara, M. O.
 Oliver, W. D.
- Parrington, T. W.
 Paul, G. G.
 Paul, H. K. B.
 Paul, J. C.
- Pearce, J. V., Dr.
 Pearce, J. W.
 Pearce, W. B.
 Pearson, C. K.
 Philip, E. J.
 Philip, E. T.
 Philip, W. S.
 Pillow, H. F.
 Pillow, R. N.
 Piper, K. M.
 Poynder, G. H.
 Price, C. L.
 Price, F. N.
 Pullar, P. G.
 Purnell, F. O.
 Purnell, H.
 Purnell, H. W.
- Rankin, J. M.
 Reeve, C. F.
 Reid, H. B.
 Reid, R. A.
 Reid, W. J.
 Reid, W. J. (2)
 Roberts, R. A. J.
 Robertson, H. C. H.
 Roebuck, A. K.
 Roebuck, F. H.
 Rogers, J. D.
 Ross, J. F.
- Sadler, N. H.
 Salmon, J. W.
 Sandford, E. W.
 Sandford, G. H.
 Scott, F. E. S.
 Sewell, H. E.
 Shaw, H. T.
 Simson, C. E. P.
 Slater, J. H.
 Smith, A. V.
 Smith, J. G.
 Smith, L. S.
 Spalding, J. K.
 Spittle A. A.
 Stanlake, R.
 Steele, F. W. A.
 Stewart, J. S.
 Stodart, C.
 Stodart, C. M.

Stodart, D. E., Dr.	Ware, J. S.
Stodart, F. L.	Watts, W. H.
Stone, E. J.	Weddell, R. H.
Storrer, C. M.	Welch, D. E.
Strong, H. W.	Wettenhall, R. R., Dr.
Suffield, A. F.	White, M.
Sutherland, C. T.	Whitehead, H. E.
Sutterby, T. E.	Willan, G. P.
Sword, R. S.	Wilson, A. B.
	Wilson, A. C.
	Worrall, W. J.
Tait, A. T.	Wrathall, H. S.
Tait, J. T., Dr.	Wynne, T. G.
Tassell, J. D.	
Thomson, N. A.	Young, C. L.
Walker, S. D.	Young, I. S.
Wallace, R. T. A.	Young, J.

Dr. J. T. Tait has been appointed registrar and secretary of 1st Australian General Hospital, Heliopolis.

Lieut. J. W. Pearce, of B. Coy., 21st Battalion, was one of the now-famous volunteer stokers on the torpedoed "Southland." He has since been ill, but is, we hear, recovering.

Harry Turner Shaw has been given a commission, and transferred to the Royal Flying Corps.

Dr. W. W. Hearne, in the Army Medical Corps, has been promoted to the rank of Lieut.—Colonel.

W. J. Reid is 2nd Lieutenant in the Royal Field Artillery. In home letters written at the end of September he mentioned that he was attached to an Ammunition Column supplying ammunition to four batteries, and had two horses wounded under him.

Corporal A. K. Roebuck has been in charge of a section at the front containing two other Old Collegians, A. F. Campbell and E. W. Dardel. His brother, F. H. Roebuck, is reported as missing.

T. A. David has gained a commission in the R.A.A. Corps. He called at the school, before sailing, to say good-bye.

E. T. Philip has a commission in the Royal Field Artillery ; his brother, Lieut. W. S. Philip, is already serving at the front.

D. Clive Morrison was present at the wedding of Miss Hilda Morrison to Mr. Clive Gaunt (which took place in Ceylon), and afterwards went on for a trip to Singapore. Mrs. Gaunt is now living at Rangoon.

Rev. A. Irving Davidson has been doing Military Chaplain work.

Visits have been paid recently to the school by J. R. P. Mackenzie, J. S. Davey and F. Cox.

Cedric Longden has been reported as seriously ill, but is convalescing.

News from the front has reached the Headmaster from W. A. S. Dunlop, G. A. Birnie, R. A. Berry, D. Ellis and others. Tom. Kerr also sent a note on the eve of his departure.

Stanley Mack, Charlie Dowling and Norman Evans, who have been invalided home, have visited the College, and received a hearty welcome. Stanley Evans, who was wounded some time ago, still has a piece of shrapnel in his lung. At present he is in England. Sergeant J. D. Ross has also been wounded.

We were sorry to hear of the illness of Privates J. D. Mark, 1). Ellis, A. F. Campbell and T. Sutterby.

J. G. Worth, formerly on the College staff, has gained a commission in the Royal Army Service Corps.

Ken. McKenzie has been promoted to the rank of Captain.

Jim. Kininmonth has been mentioned in despatches, for carrying ammunition under fire.

A. S. Green, after being at the Gallipoli landing and spending three months in the trenches, was invalided to England. He is now visiting Geelong, and is slowly recovering.

Hugh H. Riordan, of 13th Reinforcements, 7th Batt., A.I.F., wishes it known that in future he intends to use the name of Hugh Hamilton Riordan Macknight as his full name.

L. N. Hurst has been wounded, but not seriously. He has been promoted to 2nd Lieutenant. J. D. Rogers has also been given his commission at the front; so, too, has T. H. E. Haughton.

Horace W. Strong acted as transport conductor in General Botha's campaign. He was in charge of the convoys from Kuruman to Windhuk, and was highly commended for the rapidity with which his train was brought up, and the excellence of the route he selected.

F. C. Purnell, while acting as Commanding Officer of the Geelong Military Camp, became seriously ill and had to relinquish temporarily his command. He is now well on the road to recovery.

For the first time on record the Old Collegians' Cup has been presented to the winner before the College Speech Day. Corporal Harold Burn, the winner, has enlisted, and opportunity was taken during his final leave to hand over the Cup to him in person. The presentation was made in Mr. J. D'Helin's office, and speeches in praise of Corporal Burn's patriotic action and loyalty to his school were made

by Mr. W. T. Price, Mr. Neil Campbell and Mr. W. H. Reid. Corporal Burn returned thanks in a modest speech, and expressed his pride at having won the much-coveted cup. Subsequently the Stock and Station Agents' Association presented him with a case of cutlery, Mr. Neil Campbell (chairman of the Association) making the presentation.

At a gathering of members of the Old Geelong Collegians' Association at the Prince of Wales Hotel, a presentation was made to Mr. A. H. MacRoberts, then a Private at the Geelong Camp. Mr. Stanley Calvert, as chairman, read a letter from the Association President (Dr. J. M. Baxter) expressing the conviction that Private MacRoberts would add to the fame the College had already won. Messrs. S. Calvert, W. Reid, J. D'Helin, Tom. Cole and Dr. E. Piper also spoke in terms of high praise of Mr. MacRoberts's sense of duty, and of his services to the school. Mr. Calvert then presented him with a set of pipes, a tobacco pouch, and a money belt. After Mr. MacRoberts had made a characteristically witty speech, the toast of his health was honoured with enthusiasm.

Our Roll of Honour.

SINCE our last issue the list of Old Collegians in active training or serving at the front has been increased considerably. Unhappily the number of lives given for our Empire has also grown. Several of the casualties were sustained on Walker's Ridge in the memorable charge of August 7th,—a charge which has become historic, and of which the official report given by Captain Bean, says :—" It differed from the charge of the Light Brigade in that it was made by horsemen who had volunteered to fight on foot, or in any other way, provided they could only get to Gallipoli and help the other



A. H. MORETON.



E. P. HENDY



H. H. LESTER.



W. R. BURROWS.



N. L. CAMPBELL.



C. T. SUTHERLAND.



A. C. JACKSON.

Australians there. . . . There are no Victoria Crosses—there are no Birthday Honours; but for sheer self-sacrificing heroism, there was never a deed in history that surpassed the charge made by two Australian Light Horse Brigades, in order to help their comrades in a critical moment of a great battle." It is to be regretted that such a lavish expenditure of valuable lives should not show more tangible results, but results cannot always be gauged by what appears on the surface, and the charge at least furnishes another example of the Australian's absolute fearlessness in the face of death.

The following is the list of killed since last August :—

W. R. BURROWS
N. L. CAMPBELL
E. P. HENDY
A. C. JACKSON
H. H. LESTER
A. H. MORETON
C. T. SUTHERLAND
E. H. WHITEHEAD.

Lieutenant N. L. Campbell, of the 5th Royal Scots, who was killed in August, was, on the literary side, one of the most brilliant pupils that have passed through the College. He was Dux of the College in 1911, and was uniformly successful, not only in his schooldays, but afterwards at the University. Amongst other valuable distinctions he gained the Shakespeare Society's Prize, the Sir William Zeal Prize, and the Wyselaskie Scholarship, and had passed with first-class honours the first two years of his law course, when he felt the call to enlist. His earnestness was not confined to the classroom, for he played in the College First Eighteen and rowed as number five in the Head of the River race in 1911,

C. T. Sutherland attended the College from February, 1904 until Midwinter, 1907. He followed pastoral pursuits up to the time of enlisting in the 8th Light Horse on September 1st, 1914. He fell in the fatal charge of August 7th.

H. H. Lester entered the College in 1907, and left in 1910. The only military training he received was at the College ; he was a fine shot, and was made an honorary Quartermaster-Sergeant whilst at the Rest Camp at Alexandria. He was one of the first to enlist in the 5th Battalion of the Public Schools' Corps, and was killed at the landing at Gallipoli on the first day. At the time of enlistment he was in business with his father.

A. H. Moreton attended the College from 1908 till **1910**. After passing the Junior Public Examination he went to Dookie College, and subsequently engaged in pastoral pursuits near the You Yangs. He took an active part in Rifle Clubs, and was one of the best shots in the Geelong district. On the outbreak of the war he was anxious to enlist, and in the face of some difficulties was able to realize his wish at the beginning of the year. He was killed on August 7th.

E. P. Hendy attended the College from 1908 until **1911**. While at school he put up some good performances in long distance races. After leaving, he entered on a practical course of farming, with the intention of getting a thorough insight into everything connected with the land and applying his knowledge later on to business. He spent his twenty-first birthday in the trenches, and was wounded on August 7th and died two days later on the Hospital Ship "Delta." He was buried in the Mediterranean.

Ted. Hendy and Bert. Moreton enlisted together, were tent-mates and occupied the same dug-out together, and gave up their lives in the same battle,—a conspicuous instance of true Public School " Comradeship."

W. R. Burrows entered the College with a scholarship in 1911 and stayed until 1913. He performed well in Junior Cricket Matches and won his way into the Elevens of 1912-1913, and in the latter year also played in the Eighteen. He passed the junior Examination, and subsequently, after a short interval spent at the London Bank, took up Surveying with Mr. Urbahns. He enlisted as soon as he was old enough, and in a very short time was sent to the firing line. He was killed in August, about the time of the Lonesome Pine attack, and died from gunshot wounds in the head on August 23rd.

Lieut. A. C. H. Jackson was at the College in 1899 and 1900. He was on the staff of the Union Bank, and at the outbreak of the war he enlisted in the Public Schools' Corps, 5th Battalion, as a private; subsequently he was transferred to the 6th Battalion with the rank of Lieutenant. He was wounded in the attack on the " German Officers' Trench " on August 6th, and died at No. 1 Stationary Hospital, Mudros, after an operation, on August 10th. Survivors of the attack speak in terms of the highest praise of his courage and thought for others. One writer says: " He was simply wonderful, his pluck and indifference to pain being little short of marvellous/'

H. E. Whitehead entered the College in 1905 and left at Christmas, 1909. In the latter year he was one of the Prefects, was a member of the Eleven, held a Commission in the Cadet Corps, was on the " Pegasus " committee, a member of the Cricket committee, and rowed in the Senior Fours—a fine all-round record. A letter from an Old Boy at the front says :—"Eric Whitehead was killed at the beginning of August ; he had done great work, and everyone who knows him over there swears by him." Unfortunately, we have not been able to procure a copy of his photograph.

Speech Day.

(From the Geelong Advertiser.)

THE annual break-up demonstration of the Geelong College took place in the Mechanics' Hall on Wednesday, December 15th. There was a large attendance of parents and friends of the boys. Pennants won by the school in cricket and football competitions were hung round the hall, and the school prizes and athletic awards were displayed on tables on the platform. Mr. Charles Shannon, chairman of the school council, presided, and was supported by the Headmaster, Mr. W. T. Price; Dr. Wilson, formerly Headmaster of the Presbyterian Ladies' College, and Master of Ormond College during Dr. McFarland's absence in England; Dr. R. H. Morrison; Revs. Canon Wheeler, J. A. Forrest, C. Neville, A. H. Fletcher and T. W. Maguire; Messrs. J. L. Currie, S. B. Calvert, A. W. Gray, J. Reid and H. B. Gibb, and the school staff. Proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. J. A. Forrest.

The chairman said it was the seventh year of the establishment of the Geelong College as a public school. The large attendance evidenced that great public interest was taken in the school, and he could assure them it was worthy of every possible interest. As a school and a home for boys there was no better institution in Australia than the Geelong College. (Applause.) They had with them Dr. Wilson, a well-known educationalist, and Dr. R. H. Morrison, who had carved his name on the school records, and was a member of a family who would always be remembered in connection with the College. The present Headmaster had just concluded his first year in charge of the school, and it was gratifying to state that good work had been done in all branches of the school during the 12 months. (Applause.) He hoped the

school would continue to progress, and be a power for good in the community. (Applause.)

Dr. Wilson paid a high tribute to the founder of the school, the late Dr. George Morrison, and his son, the late Mr. C. N. Morrison, whose memory, he stated, came up very vividly on such occasions. Mr. W. T. Price was one of a chain of worthy principals, and they wished him a long, happy and successful career. (Applause.) He desired to congratulate him on his interesting report, which indicated the care taken in his duties by the Headmaster, the zeal of the Staff, and the ability of the boys. He hoped the boys would love, admire and cherish their school, and that they would show it in a practical way after they left school and entered upon their duties in life. The Geelong College was well worthy of all their love and admiration. (Applause.) Compared with what the boys of a few hundred years ago experienced, the boys of to-day had a happy time. In the old days a boy when addressing his father had to bend his knee and say, "Honoured Sir and father/" At school in those days young boys were required to do many things for the elder boys, and for them life at school was often a perfect hell. Was it any wonder that boys often ran away from school? Nowadays school life was entirely different. The duty of schoolmasters in olden days of seeing that boys used their pipe and tobacco properly had passed out with the flight of time, and generally new methods and ways had come into existence. With regard to the war he was pleased to see that the boys had risen to the occasion well, and had come forward splendidly to serve the Empire. (Applause.) Many did not seem to realise the gravity of the situation, and the position of the Allies. If the Germans were successful, they would carry out a long-cherished desire to seize Australia, on which they had long cast covetous eyes. When they remembered what the

Germans did in Belgium, they could well understand what it would be to have German domination in Australia. The Australian troops had shown such gallantry in Gallipoli that it would act as an incentive to the Germans, if they gained a footing in Australia, to exceed their frightfulness in Belgium in the endeavour to entirely crush the Australian spirit. They would have to face that if Germany were triumphant in the war. Was their sacrifice at Gallipoli to be in vain, and were they going to allow the Germans to rule the destinies of the world ? Unnamable outrages had been committed by those brutal soldiers, who had slaughtered many without the slightest provocation. Let them remember what it would mean if the Allies were defeated, and they would see that no sacrifice could be too great to avert the evil. (Applause.) The soldiers at Gallipoli called ! If it were not conscription or national service, it would be the worst possible conscription under the lash of Prussian taskmasters. In preference to such a fate all who were able to do so should willingly serve their country. (Applause.) In the trenches soldiers risked their lives, and put up with many discomforts ; they made the sacrifice cheerfully for King and country. He had spoken forcibly because too many failed to realise what it meant to them in Australia if Germany gained the upper hand. The new educational scheme of the University School Board was referred to by Dr. Wilson, who said it had been framed after two years' consideration, and was intended to meet modern requirements ; The Junior Public and Senior Public were to be replaced with intermediate and leaving certificates. There were certain objections to the scheme in the minds of the heads, but he hoped all difficulties would be surmounted, and that the scheme when it came into operation would be generally beneficial. He would ask the boys to always do what was right, and to be honest in word and deed. If a boy did not learn to be honourable then he practically learned nothing

at school. A boy should always tell the truth. Soldiers had to be obedient ; unless they were, there would be chaos on the battle field. Boys should be obedient to their superiors, and be conscientious ; even if they did not get a prize they would get the reward of a good conscience. They should persevere, even in the face of difficulties and trials, and determine to succeed. Nothing discouraged a teacher more than to get a note from parents saying, " Let Jacky drop geometry. I don't see any use for it." By applying himself to the study of geometry the boy would sharpen up his brains, and be all the better because he had learned it. His experience was that the boy who dropped geometry under the circumstances stated was invariably a failure. He was not encouraged to persevere and surmount a difficulty, but gave in to the first trouble ; he would give in to other difficulties, and his character become flabbier every day. He wished them good health to carry on their work next year, and trusted the school would continue to progress. (Applause.)

Dr. Wilson distributed the educational prizes, and Dr. Morrison the athletic prizes.

Cheers were given for Drs. Wilson and Morrison, Mr. Shannon and Mr. Price.

The National Anthem was sung at the close.

ANNUAL REPORT.

In presenting to you the Fifty-fifth Annual Report of the Geelong College, I desire to take the opportunity to express my gratification at the honour that the Council has done me in entrusting to me the direction of the school with which I have been so long connected. Nearly eighteen years spent in its service have made me familiar with its aims and sympathetic towards its traditions ; I have become attached to it by old associations ; and while sensible of the responsibility placed upon me, I look forward to my work with a pleasure that the good-will of the Old Boys of the school has done much to increase.

It is impossible to form a just estimate of our work during the past year without taking into account the disturbing influence of the war upon the usually tranquil course of our school life. Many of our Senior Boys have been looking forward to the coming year as the time when they should be able to take their places on the battle-field side by side with the Old Boys who have gone before them. Two members of the Teaching Staff left before the beginning of the third term, one to take up a military appointment, the other to enlist. And all of us have had continually uppermost in mind the tragedy of the struggle in which our Empire is engaged. Yet I believe that, on the whole, our year's work will bear comparison with that of former years. I believe that the boys in our schools are responding to the stimulus of the war as the men and women of the nation are responding, and that never before have they realized so fully as they do to-day the supreme need for resolute effort in whatever lies before them.

Since the last report was issued the following eighteen boys have completed the Junior Public Examination :—A. C. Aikman, C. E. Backwell, N. G. Bourchier, F. M. Burnet, T. B. Hawkes, J. R. McKindlay, R. W. Miller, R. S. M. Mitchell, E. O. J. Pattinson, I. C. M. Peebles, J. L. W. Sharland, D. Sinclair, C. P. Westacott, H. T. Wright, R. C. E. Brodie, H. J. Burns, A. R. McLennan and G. G. Paul.

F. M. Burnet obtained a distinction in each of his seven subjects.

L. Richardson and R. W. Hope completed the Junior Commercial Examination.

Three boys passed the Senior Public—E. E. Mackay, W. O. McPherson and A. Milne, while ten others passed in various subjects of this examination.

R. N. Pillow obtained 2nd Class Honours in Physics and Chemistry, J. R. Hobbs 3rd Class in Physics and 2nd Class in Chemistry, A. E. Lee 3rd Class in Physics and Chemistry.

At the recent examinations for Entrance Scholarships to University Colleges A. S. Marshall obtained a Scholarship in English and History at Queen's College, and A. E. Lee and J. R. Hobbs Minor Scholarships in Physics and Chemistry at Ormond College.

The following results of successes achieved by our Old Boys at the University are to hand:—

R. N. Pillow passed 1st Year Medicine; L. E. W. Roberts 3rd year Medicine, with 2nd Class Honours in Physiology; K. C. Purnell 4th Year Medicine; R. H. Crisp 4th Year Medicine, with 3rd Class Honours in Pathology, Dietetics and Hygiene; R. K. Birnie and K. M. Doig completed the Medical Course, the latter with 2nd Class Honours; C. W. K. Pearson passed 2nd Year Laws; W. W. Leggatt completed the Final Year in Arts, and J. R. S. Cochrane and W. R. Jewell the Final Year in Science.

While the needs of boys who intend to enter professional or commercial life are provided for in the courses set down for the Junior and Commercial examinations of the University, an attempt has this year been made in the school to afford some practical help to those boys who wish to devote themselves to country life. A class in Elementary Surveying, Mensuration and Mechanics has been formed for their benefit, and under the able guidance of Mr. Charles Cameron, boys have been instructed in the use of the chain and of the level, the laying out of drainage channels, the computation of the areas of paddocks, the volumes of tanks, and so on. Mr. Cameron's interest in the work has communicated itself to the boys, and the class has proved very successful.

Of other alterations in the school course, the most important has been with regard to History. Hitherto in the Middle School boys have been offered a choice between this subject and Chemistry, but could not take both. The importance attaching to the study of History, both as a training for citizenship and as an incentive to patriotism, seemed sufficient reason for giving it a more prominent place in our school course, and it has accordingly been made part of the regular course of work throughout the Middle School.

In Public School Sport our most gratifying success has been attained in cricket. Of late years our cricket has been at a low ebb, but this year it has improved considerably, and we have won two of our matches. In football, in spite of keen practice and hard play, we won only one game. At the Combined Public Schools Sports our representatives again did well in the long distance events:—Mackay gained second place in the 440 yards, and W. Macmillan

won the 880 yards and ran a close second for the mile. At the recent Schools' Tennis Championship Tournament Tom and Jack Hawkes put up a fine performance, and worthily maintained the reputation of the school in this branch of sport. Both won through to the final, which, therefore, became a contest between two Geelong College boys, and in the end Jack carried off for the second year in succession the shield presented by Air. Raynes Dickson.

Our Honour Roll of Old Geelong Collegians who are serving or have served in the army or in the navy during the present war now contains more than 250 names. It includes the names of Old Boys from one extreme of the military age to the other. Not a few who were at Geelong College in the days of its founder are among the number, and special mention may be made of the oldest of them, Pte. H. B. Reid, who entered the school in 1885. Of those who have left the school during the last ten to twelve years, and who are now of military age, more than one-third have already enlisted.

- Some are serving with the British forces on the Western front, many have fought on Gallipoli and have played their part in those gallant deeds that have given the country of their birth a place in History. Many have been wounded, and the following have been killed in action or have died of wounds:—Major E. A. E. Gregory, Lieut. A. C. Jackson, Lieut. J. C. Paul, Lieut. N. L. Campbell, Lieut. H. E. Whitehead, Sergeant C. M. Storrer, Lance-Corporal C. S. Kaufmann, Lance-Corporal J. J. Joyce, Troopers C. L. Young, E. P. Hendy, A. H. Moreton, A. J. McDonald, H. R. Lester, W. R. Burrows, C. T. Sutherland and K. M. Piper. Sergeant J. F. Ross is posted as missing..

Our land can ill spare men of their worth ; yet, mingled with our deep regret for their loss, is the feeling of pride that they have cheerfully given their lives for their country, and following " the path of duty " have found " the way to glory/

It is fitting that there should be in the school some permanent memorial to all those of our boys who have enlisted. What form this memorial will take has not yet been fully decided, though it is intended at the end of the war to inscribe the names on a series of Honour Boards to be set up in the Norman Morrison Memorial Hall, and Boards have been generously promised by the President of the Old Boys' Association, Dr. J. M. Baxter, and by the Secretary, Mr S. B. Calvert.

At the beginning of the first term the boys in the school decided to help the National cause by devoting regularly throughout the year a certain proportion of their pocket money to the War Funds. Last year they gave up their prizes both for school work and for sports, but it was thought by many of those most interested in the school that some other course should be adopted this year, and that the prizes should be given. However, after our sports meeting was over the prize-winners met together and decided unanimously to make some further contribution to the National funds ; they have therefore devoted to this purpose one-third of the value of their sports prizes.

Help has also been given in other ways. For some months a number of boys devoted their Saturday mornings to the making of splints, and our thanks are due to Mr. A. R. Ashton, the Sloyd instructor, for his kindness in giving up his time to superintend this work. Others, again, of the boys have undertaken to help in getting in the harvest.

Reference has already been made to certain changes in the Staff. At the beginning of the year Mr, A. R. Orton replaced Mr. F. A. Trotter. Early in August Mr. R. Lamble left in order to devote his energies to military work. Mr. A. H. MacRoberts set an inspiring example to the school by volunteering for active service. He has been granted leave of absence by the Council, and it is the earnest hope of all connected with the school that he may come back at the end of the war to resume his old place in our midst. His work has been efficiently carried on by Mr. S. R. Dickinson, M.A., who, however, is leaving us to undertake important educational work in New Zealand. Mr. J. V. Hill, M.A., and Mr. J. D. Royle are also severing their connection with the school, the former to take up again his life on the land, the latter to enter on commercial pursuits.

And here I would take the opportunity to express my cordial thanks to the members of the Staff for the loyal support they have given me throughout the year. The work during the last term has been heavier and more exacting than usual, and I appreciate highly the readiness with which they have borne their share of the extra burden.

We are indebted to many friends of the school for their continued interest in our doings. Our former Principal, Mr. W. R. Bayly, always enthusiastic in his encouragement of rowing amongst

us, has most generously provided us with the cost of a new racing eight. Mr. T. S. Hawkes has made an addition to our Tennis Court, much appreciated by the players. Mr. R. B. Keays has presented us with a handsome Tennis Championship board. To these, and to all who have so kindly contributed prizes and sports trophies, we tender our hearty thanks.

In conclusion, I desire to acknowledge my indebtedness to the members of the Council for the ready help they have at all times afforded me, and to express my appreciation of the services rendered to the school by the Prefects, whose unflagging efforts in its interests have won for them both my regard and that of the boys. One word more to the boys who are about to enlist. I know you will do your duty ; I know you will do credit to yourselves and to your school ; and I wish you God-speed and a safe return.

PRIZE LIST.

Dux OF COLLEGE (presented by the Old Collegians' Association)—A. E. Lee.

Dux OF FORM LOWER VI.—F. M. Burnet.

Dux OF FORM UPPER V.—L. M. Clark.

Dux OF FORM LOWER V. (presented by Mr. E. R. Sparrow)—J. H. Lucas.

Dux OF FORM REMOVE—P. B. Callan.

Dux OF FORM UPPER IV. (presented by Mrs. A. W. Gray)—J. R. Macmillan.

Dux OF FORM MIDDLE IV. (presented by Mrs. J. M. Baxter)—A. L. Cruickshank.

Dux OF FORM LOWER IV. (presented by Mrs. J. M. Baxter)—S. W. Buckland.

FORM PREPARATORY.

1.—R. W. Lawrence'

FORM III.

1.—F. N. B. Newman

FORM LOWER IV.

1.—S. W. Buckland

2.—R. Mack

3.—C. R. Lockwood

General Proficiency—R. P. Boyd.

FORM MIDDLE IV.

1.—A. L. Cruickshank

2.—T. D. Freeman

3.—J. R. T. Macmillan

4.—D. L. S. Neville

FORM UPPER IV.

1.—I. R. Macmillan

2.—E. M. Philip

3.—J. L. McCabe Doyle

4.—H. H. Bell

FORM REMOVE.

1.—P. B. Callan

2.—C. E. McArthur

3.—A. W. King

4.—J. F. Higginbotham

5.—A. J. Wilson

6.—A. E. Purnell

FORM LOWER V.

- 1.—J. H. Lucas
- 2.—W. N. Ricketts
- 3.—F. M. Lee
- 4.—R. K. McArthur
- 5.—A. R. Moreton
- 6.—L. R. Kaufmann
- 7.—J. H. Heath

FORM UPPER V.

- 1.—L. M. Glark
- 2.—W. C. Peter
- 3.—W. D. A. McKindlay
- 4.—R. Taylor
- 5.—E. G. Rogers
- 6.—J. Bell
- 7.—C. S. Smith
- 8.—L. C. Cruickshank
- 9.—R. L. Crawley

FORM LOWER VI.

ENGLISH.

- 1.—F. M. Burnet
- 2.—R. S. M. Mitchell

HISTORY.

- 1.—F. M. Burnet
- 2.—R. S. M. Mitchell

CHEMISTRY.

- 1.—F. M. Burnet
- 2.—I. C. M. Peebles

PHYSICS.

- 1.—F. M. Burnet
- 2.—R. W. Miller

ALGEBRA.

- L—H. T. Wright

GEOMETRY.

- L—H. I. Gibb

TRIGONOMETRY.

- i.—U. I. Gibb

FORM HONOUR VI.

CHEMISTRY.

- 1.—J. R. Hobbs
- 2.—A. E. Lee

PHYSICS.

- 1.—A. E. Lee
- 2.—J. R. Hobbs

ENGLISH.

- 1.—A. S. Marshall

HISTORY.

- 1.—A. S. Marshall

SPECIAL PRIZES.

BOARDERS' SCRIPTURE.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

- J. R. Macmillan

MIDDLE DIVISION.

- (Presented by Canon Wheeler).
 R. K. McArthur

SENIOR DIVISION.

- (Presented by Rev. J. A. Forrest)
 F. M. Burnet

MUSIC.

- (Presented by Mr. C. H. Cotton).
 E. E. Mackay

DRAWING.

ARCHITECTURAL—

- H. M. Hedges

MECHANICAL—

- A. A. Gray

SLOYD.

- H. M. Hedges

GYMNASTICS.

DAYBOYS' HANDICAP.

- I. H. Flockart

BOARDERS' HANDICAP.

- W. R. Macpherson

CHAMPION GYMNAST.

- C. E. Backwell

DANCING.

- (Presented by Monsieur Ribron).
 G. G. Carr

DEBATING SOCIETY.

JUNIOR.

- (Presented by Mr. John Cameron)
 C. E. McArthur

SENIOR.
 (Presented by Mr. S. B. Calvert)
 C. R. Clutterbuck

**GUS. KEARNEY MEMORIAL
 PRIZE.**

E. E. Mackay

DR. BAXTER PRIZE.

C. M. Webb

SHANNON PRIZE.

J. I. Birnie

**OLD COLLEGIANS' EXIT
 SCHOLARSHIP.**

A. E. Lee

**SPECIAL SPORTS
 PRIZES.**

CRICKET.

BATTING AVERAGE.
 (Presented by Mr. A. L. Baird).
 E. E. Mackay

BOWLING AVERAGE.
 (Presented by Mr. A. L. Baird).
 J. B. Hawkes

TENNIS.

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.
 (Presented by Mrs. T. S. Hawkes).
 T. B. Hawkes

I JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.
 (Presented by Mrs. T. S. Hawkes).
 I R. K. McArthur

The Debating Society.

SINCE the last issue of the "Pegasus" two meetings have been held, and also the Banquet. The first meeting consisted of Impromptu Speeches, in which a number of subjects were discussed at varying length and with varying results. The best speeches were made by Ricketts and Purnell in the Junior Division, and by Clutterbuck, R. Taylor and Backwell among the Seniors. The last debate was on the subject "That Co-operation in Trade is better than Competition." Webb supported the motion, and Marshall opposed it. Other speakers in support of the affirmative were Mackay, Hobbs, A. Waugh and Ricketts, while Marshall's supporters were Peter, R. McArthur, Clutterbuck, Robins and J. Bell. Clutterbuck made his usual dramatic utterance, during which he ably "squashed" several interjectors. This member's powers of declamation amply atone for the occasional weakness of his arguments. Mr. J. Cameron, as arbiter, gave his judgment in favour of the affirmative. The Premier (C. Webb) thus remained unbeaten throughout the year,

The Banquet was held on Saturday, October 9th, about 75 members being present. The following was the toast list:—"The College" (Proposer, J. Birnie; Responder, the Headmaster), "The Masters" (A. Marshall and Mr. J. Cameron), "The Debating Society" (Mr. S. Calvert and C. Webb), "Office-bearers" (J. Plobbs and L. Foreman), 'Those who are leaving' (R. Campbell and R. Brodie), "Public Examination Candidates" (C. McArthur and F. Burnet), "Those who have volunteered" (C. Clutterbuck), "Our Allies" (H. Gibb and C. Peter). Several excellent speeches were made, and the pleasure of the evening was enhanced by a programme of songs and recitations contributed by Mr. Harry, S. Edgar, C. Carr, E. Mackay and C. Webb.

Financially, the year has been very successful, owing chiefly to the generous donations of Mr. Price, Mr. Calvert and Mr. Cameron.

The prizes presented by Mr. Calvert and Mr. J. Cameron for the most improved speakers have been awarded to C. R. Clutterbuck (Senior) and C. McArthur (Junior).

Old Collegians on Land and Sea.

THE Headmaster has received a budget of letters from Old Boys at the Front. They are intensely interesting, and it is a matter for regret that, owing to limits of space, we cannot print them in full. We must content ourselves with a few extracts typical of the perilous enterprises in which our old chums are engaged.

From J. D. Jackson, H.M.S. "Leviathan," 26/8/15:—
 ". . . . I did 50,000 miles steaming in the 'Australia' at the beginning of the war. In March last I left the 'Old Ship,' and here I am now. Being on Admiral Patey's personal staff in a secretarial capacity, I have had to move with him. Life afloat is not all pleasure these days, and the long wait we are having is a great strain. Some

of us long to be taking a more active part when we read of what is happening on the Continent, but we will perhaps get our day yet."

From Tim. Morrison, London, 20/9/'15 :—

"I have been invalided home with a sort of sand-blindness, brought about by the glare and sand in Egypt. The Medical Board have passed me out for another three weeks, after which the Black Watch and France, I hope. Great excitement the other night of the Zep. raid. I got out of bed at the double, dressed, and ran down to see the fun. The anti-aircraft guns were making an awful noise. I could see the Zep. in the searchlight quite plainly; afterwards went down and saw the damage. Colin Calvert has a commission in the Motor Transport Section of the Imperial Army Service Corps."

From Norman Dougall, Gallipoli, 29/9/'15 :—

"My mind often travels back to when I was a Cadet at school. My thoughts before and after a bayonet charge by night I cannot describe ; nervousness, exhilaration, pity, then the reaction— a peculiar sickness both mental and physical."

W. A. S. Dunlop wrote from Anzac on October 10th:—

"Just a note to let you know that things are still going strong. Ken. McKenzie was round this wing yesterday, but I just missed him. Jim. Kininmonth is still well ; I believe he is away on business at present Am getting one of the oldest inhabitants here, just completed an eternity of 21 weeks. Shell got ten of next Regiment a few minutes ago, worse luck. Dave Ellis is away sick from here, but Miles O'Hara is still going strong, and Norman Hurst."

From Dr. G. A. Birnie, on October 12th :—

"The six weeks following my arrival in England I spent in training near Aldershot, and I shall never forget that truly delightful time.* England is all that we have ever been told and read about it. It is so beautiful that sometimes it is almost hard to believe it is real. I am writing this at an advanced dressing station about 1000 yards behind our front line trenches. When a shell is coming you hear from afar a whoo-sh-sh getting louder and louder, like a whirlwind coming right at you, and you know that in a second and a half there is going to be an explosion—somewhere. I don't think even the most hardened hear that sound without experiencing a cold chill down their backs I heard from Bob yesterday

'somewhere in France.' He had just had his first experience of being sniped at, but, as he said, 'the sniper was no Bisley champion.' Norm, is having a pretty rough time in the Dardanelles."

From N. S. Birnie, Gallipoli, October 20th :—

" In last mail I received a 'Pegasus,' which was very welcome, as there are about eight Old Collegians in our Corps who were all pleased to hear news of the school. Frank Beamish came round to see me yesterday. He is R.M.O. to the 8th Light Horse, and has been through some of the thickest of the fighting, but is still well and cheerful. I was sorry that I missed Old Boys' Day this year, but if all goes well it will be a very happy re-union next year, with an endless supply of yarns about Gallipoli. My work here consists mainly of carrying wounded and sick from the trenches down to the hospitals on the beach. It is often done under fairly heavy shrapnel fire,—still the way one looks upon it all out here is that a man is dead unlucky if he gets hit."

From A. N. McLennan, Anzac, October 22nd :—

" I have just finished reading the 'Pegasus.' Norman Birnie had a copy which he passed on to Joe Slater. Joe handed it on to me, and I to Dick Gadd. No doubt Yabby will find some other Old Collegian who will be only too glad to read it. We are all very taken with Mr. MacRoberts's action in volunteering. I hope he side-steps the meningitis and such-like pitfalls of camp life. . . . Do you know that our trenches average about 100 yards distance from the Turks. In one place here only a bare eight yards divide the teams. A thick parapet of sandbags separates them, and bombs are exchanged night and day—at night for preference. Can the searcher for sensation ask for anything more ? If so, let him go sapping. . . . Ike Cherry is in the A.M.C. working with our brigade. He looks very fetching with a fierce beard. Billy Pearce is also in the same ambulance. Cedric Longden had charge of some very unruly mules coming over from Egypt. One particularly fractious one, before the trip was over, succeeded in clouting him amidships with both heels. Cedric in recounting the incident added, 'I didn't say anything !' We are all looking forward to the Boat Race on the Barwon next year."

Norman Dougall, Gallipoli, October 20th :—

" You cannot imagine how glad I was to receive the last number of the 'Pegasus' it was as good as a dose of the best tonic. I

was in the same Battalion and Company as Lance-Corporal J. J. Joyce but did not know that he was an Old Collegian. He was a keen soldier, popular with both officers and men. He died as he had lived—a gentleman. I will make it a duty of mine to attend to his grave and that of Major Gregory. I will plant wattle seeds on each. Truly those who have crossed the 'Great Divide' have carried out the teaching of the College motto, 'Sic itur ad Astra.' "

[The writer also forwarded a copy of the " Peninsula Press/' a small paper published on the Island of Imbros, and forwarded to the trenches.]

Mr. Stanley Calvert has forwarded a letter from E. H. Mack to the following effect :—

" The enclosed letter of Major Gregory's is the last letter he wrote, as he was killed instantly by a piece of shell at five o'clock this morning. His death is a great loss to us all, as besides being a very capable officer, he was a favourite with everyone. The stretcher-bearers to the grave were J. 1). Mack, S. Mack, D. L. Kelso, W. D. Oliver, C. H. Lyon and myself. Alongside the grave were the following Old Collegians :—Dr. F. Beamish, C. Dowling, J. Broughton, C. Sutherland, L. Howsam, G. Sandford and H. Robertson. What makes the Major's death more keenly felt is the fact that he had lately been promoted to the position of second in command of our regiment."

The late Major Gregory's letter referred to was dated 25/6/15, and was as follows :—

" Your cablegram conveying good wishes reached us yesterday, and on behalf of the Old Boys I thank you for your kind thoughts and good wishes. I passed the cable round to the various units. . . . I expect you will have heard all about the heavy losses we have received here, and no doubt it has been a great shock to everybody. While in the trenches it is sniping and bomb-throwing, and while out we are digging. This war quite upsets all the old maxims and rules of warfare,—it is a matter of trench fighting, the deadly machine-gun, bombs, mines and artillery,—the last-named the most important. Our trenches are in many places only 15 yards from the enemy, and to pop your head over the trench invariably means 'Out.' I do not know when we move, but when we do our fellows will be like old veterans, as they have been seven weeks now

under shell and rifle fire, and are as steady as rocks. . . . While I am writing a German plane is floating over our position, dropping pieces of paper over our headquarters as a target for the enemy's guns. She may give us a bomb before she goes. This is part of the excitement and uncertainty of this game. Our mail arrived yesterday with papers and letters, and the result of the Boat Race. I can assure you that in every trench that I went through this morning the boat race was being rowed over again, in some cases with quite an amount of heat between the opposing old schoolboys. I could not help smiling, and felt that it did them good to get their thoughts off the everlasting trenches in front. . . . Accept my good wishes and many thanks to the Old Boys' Association."

Mr. Calvert has also received a copy of a letter sent by Colonel Wilson, Commander of 5th Royal Scots, to Mrs. Neil Campbell, with reference to Les. Campbell's death :—

" I enclose your son's last letter written a few hours before he met that death he dreaded only for your sake. He was only under my command for a few weeks, most of which were passed in a rest camp, but he was one of those who win the confidence and affection of all around him, and every one of us feels a personal sense of loss and regret at losing him. He was brave and capable, and I always knew that any task given him would be done well. He was killed in the firing line trenches. The assault was taking place and perhaps not realising the deadly accuracy of the sniper's fire, he looked over the parapet and was instantly shot through the head, being mercifully unconscious for the few moments until he died. . . . We buried him last night in the little cemetery near our present bivouac, in the presence of the whole Battalion."

In a letter received by friends in Melbourne on October 30th, Percy Campbell wrote :—

" I arrived safely at Gallipoli after my exciting experience when the ' Southland ' was torpedoed in the Mediterranean. We had an exceedingly lucky escape. We were torpedoed on September 2nd, about 9 a.m. ; the torpedo hit right under the bridge, making a hole about 20 feet by 12 feet. Hardly anyone saw it coming, as we were all cleaning our rifles at the time for an inspection at Gallipoli. Orders were given to abandon ship, but there was no confusion, though the first two boats were overturned. The ship did not sink, but steamed ahead and was beached."

Australian Aborigines.

AT the present time there are very few really uncivilised aborigines. The greater part are on Government preserves, or on sheep stations, doing the work of the ordinary white man.

In New South Wales one meets occasionally two or three large families joined together to form a small tribe. These tribes consist of two or three men, seven or eight "gins," and crowds of "picaninnies."

The blackfellow loves tobacco, and men and women alike will do almost anything to procure some. When in camp, the women do all the work, while the men loll around and smoke, or otherwise amuse themselves.

These small tribes seldom leave a river, and they may sometimes be seen floating down the river in their bark canoes, which are loaded up until the water is within an inch of the top of the canoe. It is marvellous how they keep their balance, for a slight movement would send the canoe and all its freight to the bottom. These canoes are flimsy bark structures, made by warping up the edges and ends of large sheets of bark, taken from the trees.

Some very queer specimens are at times met in these camps. In one camp on the Murrumbidgee there is an old fat blackmail, the father of about half the tribe. He is nearly seventy years old, and is still as active as a man of thirty. Everybody in the district knows "Old Jerry." He is an expert in cutting and making canoes and boomerangs, and can still throw a boomerang with remarkable accuracy. One of Jerry's most cherished possessions is an old gun. Its stock was broken off, but he mended it by tying some wire round it. This gun plays an important part in the feeding of the camp, for without it the blacks would not be able to have wildfowl to eat.

W. R. M.

Random Notes.

" A residual mountain is one where an inland sea or ocean resides and leaves it high and dry/'

" Dr. Primrose was the minister in one of Goldsmith's books, 'Grey's Elegy of a Churchyard.'"

Through want of careful observation the statement that " the fame of virtue is immortal " was read by a member of the Remove Form as " the frame of virtue is immoral."

The same result may often be reached by different means. This was proved at the Debating Society's Banquet. Some of the members hoped, by abstention from regular meals for some time previously, to attain that clarity of mind necessary for effective speech-making (and incidentally to do the feast more justice), but at the last moment nervousness robbed them of some of their finest flowers of rhetoric. Others, regardless of consequences, ate lavishly of each course, with the result that their oratory, too, suffered. As the poet so beautifully expresses it, they were " too full for sound or foam." It would, however, be quite erroneous to infer from the above remarks that the speeches fell at all below their usual level of excellence.

It is said that when a recent recruit first donned his dungarees he had a misfit of the blues.

Exchanges.

We beg to acknowledge the following exchanges:—
Coo-ee, King's School Magazine, Prince Alfred College Chronicle, St. Peter's School Magazine, Scotch Collegian, Armidalian, The Waitakian, Aurora Australis, Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal, Scotch College (W.A.) Reporter, Journal of Royal Military College, The Record, Hutchins' School Magazine, Melburnian, The Kyrian, The Sydneian, Brisbane Grammar School Magazine, and Wesley College Chronicle.