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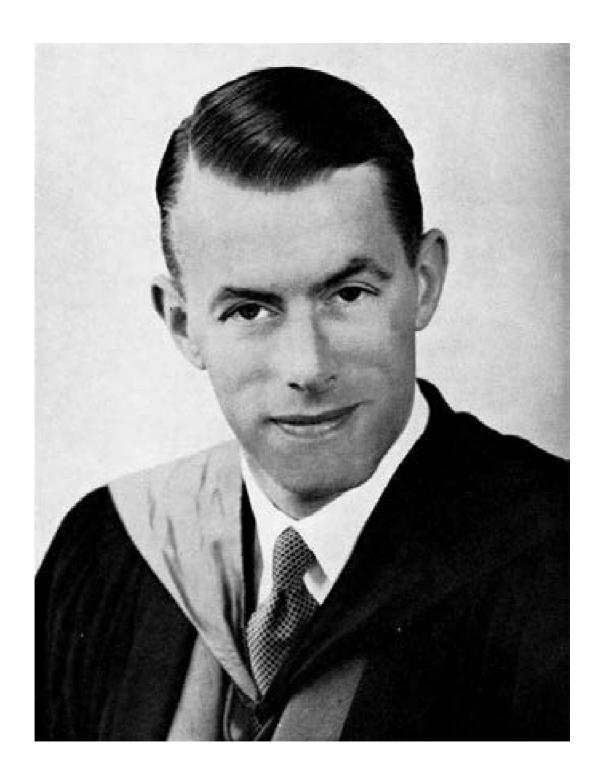
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Mr. P. N. THWAITES.

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New Principal: - Mr. P. N. Thwaites M.A. (Oxon.), B.Ed. (Melb.), M.A.C.E.

Mr. Peter Nelson Thwaites, the new principal of Geelong College, is a scholar and a member of a scholastic family.

His record of attainments is indeed impressive for a man of 43 years, especially when it is remembered that five of those years were spent on active service during the second world war, and, as far as his career was concerned, amounted virtually to marking time.

He was born at Toowoomba, Queensland, where his father, Mr. R. E. Thwaites, was science master at Brisbane Grammar School. He was educated at Ivanhoe Grammar School (1929-31), Geelong Grammar School (1932-35) and then went to Trinity College; University of Melbourne, after having won a major entrance scholarship.

In 1936, he took three first-class honours and an exhibition. The next year, he took two first-class honours and shared an exhibition. In 1938, he won the Dixson scholarship, and took his Bachelor of Arts degree with honours.

From there, he went to Oxford, and again took the Bachelor of Arts degree after having obtained special permission to sit for the examinations after only three terms, instead of the usual six. This was granted to enable him to enter the Royal Navy.

After serving for 12 months as an ordinary seaman on Atlantic convoys aboard the sloop, H.M.S. Rochester, he was commissioned. The Royal Australian Navy was then seeking mathematicians and scientists to study radar, so he was transferred to the navy of his home country in 1942.

After completing the radar course, he returned to Australia, and served with H.M.A.S. Australia in the Pacific, and was in the combined Gaudalcanal-Tulagi action. From then until 1944, he trained officer radar operators, and later became a radar liaison officer first in Washington and then in London. He saw the end of the European conflict in that theatre, and was on his way back to Australia for further Pacific service when Japan capitulated.

In 1942, Mr. Thwaites married Miss May Pask. He met her while he was a student at the University of Melbourne, Mrs. Thwaites is a Bachelor of Arts and holds a Diploma of Education. They now have a son, Jonathan, aged 16 years, a daughter, Ann, aged 13, and a son Timothy, aged 7.

Mr. Thwaites' first appointment after demobilisation was to the staff of Geelong Grammar School, where, from 1946 he taught senior mathematics, and was a house tutor.

During that time, he obtained his Diploma of Education at the University of Melbourne and, in 1948, he went back to Oxford to complete some work interrupted by the war. He took no more degrees there because he had been awarded his M.A. (Oxon) during his absence because of the work he had done before the war.

While at Oxford, he was appointed principal of Guildford Grammar School, Western Australia, a school of 400 boys, of whom 300 are boarders. He remained there until 1956.

In 1957 he was appointed principal of Ballarat College, thereby filling a position formerly held with great distinction by his father. He remained there until coming to Geelong.

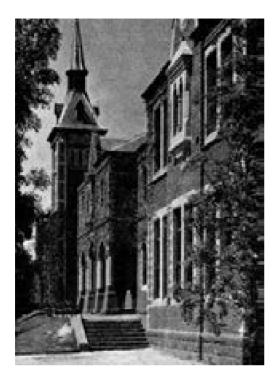
During this time Mr. Thwaites completed his Bachelor of Education at the University of Melbourne.

Mr. Thwaites has also found time to take an interest in the welfare of schools generally. He has been a member of the Headmasters Conference of Australia since 1950, and was a member of the Headmasters' Conference of Great Britain from 1950 to 1956. He was a member of the West Australian Public Examination Board Policy Committee and of the Faculty of Education Advisory Board. He is an ex-officio member of the Presbyterian Board of Education and the New' University College Interim Council.

At school, he played football and took part in athletics, and was a member of the University of Melbourne athletic team in 1937. He has coached schoolboys in the high jump and football. Now his sporting activities are confined chiefly to social tennis, but he would like to do more coaching if he could find time.

He has always been active in church circles. While in Ballarat, for example, he was elected to the board of management of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in 1957, and became an elder and member of the session in the following year. He was also an ex-officio member of the Presbytery of Ballarat and the General Assembly of Victoria.

Since coming to Geelong, he has been appointed as ?n elder of St. Georges Presbyterian Church.



EDITORIAL.

At the present time the world situation is extremely precarious, with both the Communist and the Western world striving for control over the smaller, undeveloped areas. Every day one reads of internal dissension in small, previously insignificant states, and it is often evident that the cause of these seemingly unimportant civil wars is the question of whether communism, or western democracy, should be adopted.

Communists in every country are effectively using every means of propaganda in an effort to turn the masses against their Western leaders, and it is only by great thought, and material perseverance, that we can prevent this enormous infiltration of communism into our own great country, Australia, a country which exhibits the freedom and ideals of Western Democracy in its entirity. To uphold these ideals we must not be complacent in our attitude towards Communism, but must meet this challenge with all the forces we can bring to bear, at all costs, however, avoiding a full scale war.

At present, there is only "cold war" but the fire is there, and it only requires a spark to turn the world into a turmoil of Atomic Warfare. The state of the world after such a catastrophe would be difficult, if not impossible, to predict,

and the main factor towards the prevention of this would be world-wide knowledge and understanding of Atomic Power, and its implications. Atomic power, and its utilization, is a wonderful and fantastic scientific achievement, but, because of its possible use for the destruction of the human race, it has been condemned by many, without a great deal of thought. Perhaps the greatest inspiration for these condemnations was the destruction, death, and havoc caused at Hiroshima at the end of the second World War. when people's feelings were repulsed by the thoughts of this wholesale death and maining for life. Vivid accounts of this, the first use of atomic energy for destruction, have reminded people of the fact that this could happen to us, today, but on a much greater, and more devastating, scale. To prevent this, we must tread carefully, and ensure that Atomic power is used solely for peaceful and exploratory purposes, for science is forever advancing with alarming speed and we must advance in step with it.

How does this affect our College and its life?

Materially, we must advance with the world in both science and society, and, to do this, we must remain in close contact with world affairs. Our New Preparatory School is one example of our desire to enlarge and modernize, but, it is not only the buildings, but the moral standards and behaviour, which must improve. With advancements in psychology come advancements in methods of teaching, and I have no doubt, that in the ensuing years Geelong College will be foremost in teaching and academic standards.

With the present clash between the two leading world factors, we, as Australia's leaders of tomorrow, and citizens of one of the greatest Western Democracies, must do all in our power to prevent a world-wide calamity. Whatever may be the outcome of the future the College must remain united as one body, for only in unity is there success. At present the College has a definite standing and recognition in the community, but this will be even better if every collegian realizes his obligations to his country, and his School, and steadfastly upholds the traditions, honours and spirit of the Geelong College.

We all, as Christians united under the one everlasting God, must be forever directed by our consciences, for only in the principles of truth can salvation for humanity be found.

B. G. Tymms.

HEAD PREFECT'S REPORT.

The 99th year in the history of Geelong College has introduced us to a new era. This year our new Preparatory School was opened and our seventh Headmaster, Mr. Peter Thwaites, was ordained in St. George's church. As a result, various changes in school life have been necessary, and I am pleased to say that every boy has adapted himself very well to these alterations and has supported Mr. Thwaites, as far as possible, in all his new ideas.

In the Dining Hall there is now an Official Table at which Mr. Thwaites, any guests he may have with him, and both day boy and boarder prefects have their midday meal. The house seatings have also been altered slightly, for those in Warrinn now sit at the eastern end of the Hall, and those in Senior House sit in the centre

This year the general tone of the school was very high. From the first day of term it was evident that the boys were willing to co-operate in any way possible. However, the prefects did notice that during the course of the year the behaviour, and example, set by the fifth and sixth forms could have reached a higher standard. If these senior boys realized their obligations, and improved their attitude toward the School, our College would be even better than it is now.

Throughout the year the vigour and enthusiasm of the boys was quite evident, and it was noticeable that "School Spirit" increased considerably, especially during second term when

the football team was given excellent support at home matches. "School Spirit" is something which we must have in a school such as ours, and I hope that during our centenary year every boy will do his best to promote it.

Maie and Mrs. Stock, who had managed our tuck shop for the past nine years, left at the end of first te m and Mrs. Matthews, our Hoube Keeper, left during second term. We extend to them our very best wishes for the future, and our sincere thanks for their loyal services to College over the past years.

At the beginning of the year the General Games Committee decided to promote Tennis and Swimming as major sports, and to award school colours and honours for them. This is a great step in raising Public School Swimming and Tennis to the status of athletics, football, rowing and cricket. This year the school again performed well in sport winning the Head of the River, coming fourth in the football, and being beaten only by Scotch and Wesley in the swimming.

The Cadet Corps, under Col. Dunkley, functioned very well, and, as an example of our military achievements, the drill platoon and quarter guard performed well at the competitions.

Over all we have had a very successful and enjoyable year, and I would like to take this opportunity of wishing all those returning next year the very best, and to do all in their power to make our centenary year a memorable one.

Hugh Bromell.

SCHOOL NOTES

Tuesday, 31st May. At the first assembly for the term we were introduced to the new principal, Mr. Thwaites. Members of the Council, including Mr. A. A. Gray, were present.

Thursday, 2nd June. A large congregation of boys was among those present at St. George's Church for the installation of the new principal, by the Presbytery of Geelong.

Saturday, 4th June. The First XVIII was defeated by Xavier in a practice match in Melbourne.

At night several senior boys were present at the annual Morongo dance in the Gertrude Pratt Hall.

Sunday, 5th June. The first meeting of the Debating Society for 1960 was held in the Lecture Theatre.

Monday, 6th June. The first round of House football matches commenced, with McArthur defeating Calvert in both age groups.

Saturday, 11th June. The First XVIII defeated Carey at home.

A few forutnate boys went to the annual Hermitage dance and enjoyed themselves very much

Sunday, 12th June. In place of the normal evening service, the full length film, "Martin Luther" was screened.

Thursday, 16th June. The whole school listened to a very educational and interesting concert. The bassoon, flute and clarinet were the instruments played.

Saturday, 18th June. The First XVIII were defeated by Melbourne Grammar.

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Thursday, 23rd June. Three College boys debated against the Geelong High School at 3GE. The programme was broadcast the following Sunday afternoon.

Saturday, 25th June. The first XVIII defeated Ballarat College in the morning on Senior Oval.

Saturday, 2nd July. The First XVIII won the first P.S. match very convincingly at Brighton Grammar.

Monday, 4th July. At lunch the Head Prefect farewelled our housekeeper Mrs. Matthews on behalf of the boys.

Tuesday, 5th July. Rev. M. Brewer spoke in assembly on the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Thursday, 7th July. The Exploration Society conducted on "Open Night." Various boys described the May expedition with the aid of slides.

Friday, 8th July. The Chaplain conducted the annual Founder's Day Service. It was the 99th anniversary of the founding of the school.

Saturday, 9th July. The First XVIII were defeated at home, by Wesley in the 2nd P.S. match.

In the evening Senior boys conducted the School dance in the brightly decorated Morrison Hall.

Sunday, 10th July. A "Fact and Faith" film was shown in the evening service. It was called "River of Life."

Wednesday, 13th July. The First XVIII defeated the Gordon Tech. in a match on Senior oval.

Friday, 15th July. Ross Both represented the College in the "Speak for Australia" debating contest.

Boarders went home for the Exeat Week-end. Monday, 18th July—Boarders returned and school commenced the next day.

Saturday, 23rd July. It was Old Boys' Day and many saw the First XVIII defeat Geelong Grammar on the Senior oval.

Saturday, 30th July. The First XVIII defeated Caulfield Grammar in Melbourne.

Sunday, 31st July. Rev. M. Brewer returned for the evening service and showed a film on the work of the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Saturday, 6th August. The First XVIII was defeated by Xavier at College.

The Morrison Hall was again festooned for the Senior House dance.

Sunday, 7th August. Another religious film "Tammy" was screened in the evening service.

Saturday, 13th August. The A.P.S. versus Associated High Schools match was played at Scotch College. Several boys took part in the cross country run at Scotch.

Monday, 15th August. The whole of Senior School took part in the annual cross country run.

Thursday, 18th August. The Cadet Corps left for camp at Puckapunyal.

Tuesday, 13th September. Third term commenced.

Friday, 16th September. An interesting and varied programme was presented in the School Concert at the Plaza Theatre. A feature of the evening was the rendition of several items from the opera "Carmen" by the Choir.

Wednesday, 21st September. Mr. Priestly from the University gave helpful advice and information to our prospective University students.

Friday and Saturday, 23rd and 24th September. Boys of the College and girls of Morongo gave a very successful presentation of "George Washington Slept Here," in the Gertrude Pratt Hall. The performers are to be congratulated on their efforts.

Sunday, 25th September. A religious film, "Kai goes his way Alone," was shown.

Wednesday, 28th September. The October Test Exams commenced for the Senior forms.

Saturday, 1st October. The annual Military Gymkhana was held in Melbourne. The Drill and Guard Platoons gained, respectively, equal second and third places. We congratulate Scotch on their win in both competitions.

Thursday, 6th October. An A.I.M. film discussing the potential of Australia's Far North, was shown to the school

Saturday, 8th October. The impact of television is being felt in the school. One of the few Saturday night films shown this year was "A Town like Alice."

Sunday, 9th October. The College Band gave a recital at the Burnside Camp at Anglesea.

Friday, 14th October. Although poor weather threatened our annual House Sports early in the week, Friday was a fine day and a very successful meeting was held.

Saturday, 15th October. House Shooting commenced at the Geelong open range.

Friday, 21st October. The Rev. Fred McKay of the A.I.M. spoke to the school on Australia's North.

Saturday, 22nd October. The Triangular Sports was held this year at Geelong Grammar. Our athletes did very well and College came first in the competition.

A film "The Long Arm" was shown :hat irght.

Sunday, 23rd October. A "Fact and Faith" film "God and the Atom" was shown.

Wednesday, 26th October. Our Combined Sports Team competed in the heats in Melbourne. College gained places in nine finals.

Thursday, 27th October. Major-General Risson took the salute at the Cadet Passing Out Parade. Drill, Guard and Specialist demonstrations were a feature of the afternoon.

Saturday, 29th October. Alhough we did not do as well as in past years, the Combined

Sports were a great success, in spite of the wind and heat.

Saturday, 5th November. Cricket commenced for the term. The First XI was defeated by Xavier.

Many boys went to the P.F.A. camp at Point Lonsdale for the week-end.

Monday, 7th November. House Tennis commenced.

Friday, 11th November. Our Remembrance Service was conducted by the Principal.

Monday, 14th November. Several ambitious boys attempted the Ormond College Scholarship Exams during the week.

Wednesday, 16th November. Normal school ceased for the Matriculation for study for the end-of-year examinations to begin.

School

EXPLORATION SOCIETY

The Birdsville Track Expedition was a great success. Each day of the journey brought new experiences with a freshness about them which we will never recapture, for this was the first time any of us had been into the interior. Each day brought problems too, but a party as resourceful as ours would have taken a great deal of stopping. Concerning the minor irritations—the dust, the sand, and the shortage of water-which were always with us over the long miles on the back of the truck, well, it can't be said no one ever complained, but the complaints certainly were never of the growing kind. One thing we could look forward to each day was a large and leisurely evening meal, made complete with the finest of flapjacks. Every man played his part in the preparation of the meal, and the other routine tasks, so that, by the end of the journey we had became a highly efficient team.

There was but one unsatisfactory thing connected with the expedition. The number of boys had to be limited to 16 senior boys, so that not only were many others with good claims turned down, but also there were many wistful enquiries from more junior boys. Next year we hope to do something about this. There will probably be in May 1961, with the help of the A.I.M., an expedition at least comparable with this year's, and during the year we propose to run weekend trips for juniors as well as seniors.

Activities

During the Birdsville expedition we got to know some of the people of the Inland and are greatly indebted to them for their kindness. There were the station people at Nappa Merrie, at Innimincka, at Olive Downs, at Arrabury and at Clifton Hills; the oil men at Innimincka; and T.A.A. and R.F.D.S.

Without the help of many people in Geelong and further afield the expedition would not have been possible. To the following I wish to convey our great appreciation and thanks. Dr. M. A. Buntine, Mr. D. W. Webb, Mr. B, R. Keith, Rev. V. J. Murrell, Rev. F. McKay, Mr. R. Purnell, Mr. A. L. Taylor (J. C. Taylor & Sons), Mr. R. Avery (International Harvester Co.), Mr. J. L. Grant (Shell Oil Co.), Mr. I. McLennan (Broken Hill Pty.), Mr. Witton (Hooper & Sons), the Zinc Corporation, Peters Ice Cream Co., Shell Touring Service, the College ground staff, domestic staff and office staff. G.C.R.

THE BIRDSVILLE TRACK EXPEDITION.

In May of this year a second and more comprehensive trip to Central Australia was undertaken by the Exploration Society under the direction of Mr. Robertson.

Our objective was the Birdsville Track, along which we intended to travel to the rail head at Marree, 340 miles south. The famous stock route runs through arid gibber plains where a



temperature of 130°F is not uncommon. The track was opened in the 1880's and until quite recently mobs of cattle were driven to Marree by the traditional team of drovers. It has been superseded as a communications route by the faster and more reliable aeroplane.

The party left the dining-hall gates at dawn on the 10th of May and travelled to Red Cliffs through familiar country. After inspecting the local pump and generating stations we moved on through Miludra to Wentworth, where it was decided to continue without delay to Broken Hill, as the weather threatened to turn the dusty track into a quagmire. After a long drive in bad conditions, "The Hill" reached. On completion of a tour of the Flying Doctor Service radio base and the Zinc Corporation mines, we were ready to strike out for our objective. We left Broken Hill on the morning of Thursday 12th, and were soon covered with a thick film of red dust which was not to leave us for nearly two weeks.

Our first camp, typical of many we made, was in a dry creek bed. The surrounding country was sparsely covered with she oak and dry grasses, and every six to eight miles we would cross a dry creek bed, discernible from a distance by a row of stunted sentinel gums.

200 miles north of Broken Hill lies Tibooburra, a small shopping and kangaroo-shooting centre, the last town before Birdsville. The party, piloted by one of the local characters, made a visit to the hut of "Millar, King of the Wilson," but the old aboriginal was not at home although his housekeeper, Alice, provided much interest and amusement.

As we approached the Warri gate on the N.S.W.-Qld. border, the numerous kangaroos we had seen since Broken Hill were replaced by the hardy scrub, she-oak and coarse grasses of the Channel country. The change took place at the border, as though nature had taken notice of political divisions. Just as striking was the change from sheep to cattle stations. The Channel country has some of the best fattening land in Australia, and is capable of carrying three cattle per square mile.

We missed the turn-off to the refueling station at Nappa Merrie, and arrived at one of Australia's few oil rigs, based at Innimincka in butte-mesa country. The men were dismantling the rig as the site was to have been abandoned.

On the way to Nappa Merrie we visited the tree on which Burke chipped the date and position of the provisions before his last fateful journey. On the 17th one of the trucks broke down and we had to wait three days for parts to be flown to Innimincka by D.C.3. During this time we camped at Nappa Merrie and enjoyed the unique experience of rowing and fishing on the Cooper in the middle of the desert.

We left on the 21st, and passed through Arrabury and Mt. Leonard homesteads on comparatively good tracks on which there were shell signs. Shell have pioneered the area for tourists, and their signs were heartening to say the least. After passing through Betoota, we arrived at Birdsville and indulged in a frog dance outside the only hotel.

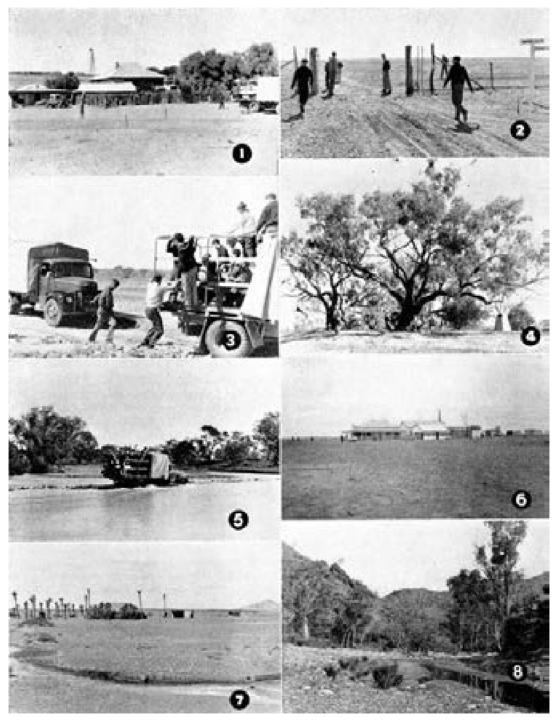
The object of our trip was a very small town of about nine significant buildings on the west bank of the Diamantina. It was a cheerful independent little place, and the aboriginal children were fascinating to talk to and watch at their schoolwork. We also visited the A.I.M. hospital.

It was a triumph for us to get there, because all along the way we were treated with exceedingly pessimistic views on the chances of making our goal. Our struggles over rough tracks were ended however, for we found the notorious Birdsville Track an easily negotiable road at this time of the year. We passed through Clifton Hills, and on the night of the 24th camped on the Cooper in a traditional setting of collibahs. This was our last night with a real "camping-out" flavour.

Marree was the next stop, and from there we continued on to Adelaide, passing through the beautiful Flinders Ranges, which were a perfect climax to the wonderful and varied scenery we had enjoyed over the past fortnight. The Adelaide-Geelong trip, after a short tour of Adelaide, was made in one night, and we arrived home, tired but happy, in the early morning of Sunday, 22nd of May.

On the application form for the trip we were asked what we would expect to gain from it. The replies to this query were varied, but the general expectations were a deeper knowledge and understanding of Australia and its people, and the value to be gained from the experience and companionship which the Exploration society offers. These expectations were fully realised.





- 1. A typical North N.S.W. homestead, Olive Downs.
- 2. Warri Gate, Queensland/N.S.W. Border.
- Getting out of a bog.
 Burke and Wills Memorial, Coopers Creek.
- 5. Fording the Diamantina River.
- 6. Main Street, Birdsville.
- 7. Date Palms at Lake Harry.
- 8. The Flinders Ranges, S.A.



Personnel:

Masters: K. R. Clayton, T. H. Reid, G. C. Robertson, M. H. Rolland.

D. Alton, R. J. Bade, H. T. Bromell, M. R. Campbell, J. S. Cox, C. W. Fallaw, G. R. A. Gregg, E. J. Hazeldine, A. H. McArthur, M. L. McDonald, H. McDonell, P. M. McLennan, P. R. Mann, J. S. Robson, M, A. Taylor, A. C. H. Whitehead.

CENTRAL AUSTRALIAN PERSONALITIES.

The truck lurched and then suddenly there were loud yells and cries of pain. Some of our party cursed the driver furiously as they lay flat on their faces in the red dust on the tray of the truck. We had hit another of those deep sandy creeks and most of the sixteen members of the Exploration Society had come off "second best." However little occurrences like this did not discourage us as we travelled on meeting new faces and situations daily.

In the N.W. of N.S.W. we met the personalities of Tibooburra; an old full-blooded aboriginal stockman, who was in town for his weekly spree, and did not seem surprised when sixteen excited and inquisitive schoolboys plied him with questions as he 'dragged' on his handmade cigarette. Crossing one bandy leg over the other, he pulled his large "ten-gallon hat" over his sleepy eyes. As he brushed away the occasional fly he told us slowly and deliberately of his life and the job he had.

Also in town that Saturday afternoon was a veteran kangaroo-shooter with his transport; a 1955 Hillman Minx. This seemed incongruous, but he thought nothing of its reeking of kangaroo's blood and dead rabbits. He worked at night and slept during the day, but said that there was not much money left in chasing kangaroos for a living.

Another interesting character was a middle-aged man who introduced himself as Luke. He had lived all his life in "the bush" and seemed to take us for granted. He immediately began to take us on a conducted tour of the old gold mining town. We visited a typical tin-can-and-old- iron shack akout three miles out of the town; home of the apparent "King of the Wilson." His housekeeper Alice was home but the King was out fossicking for gold in the surrounding hills. About fifteen mangy, hungry, howling, mongrel dogs slunk about the makeshift humpy; not adding to our pleasure, for we feared that one of us might appear to them to

be a tasty meal. Alice, who was dressed in a faded dress and an old man's cardigan told us of her life as she casually swatted the flies that settled on her watery eyelids. After an uneventful search for her mate we continued on our journey.

Further north over the Queensland border we struck a gang of men just putting the final work into pulling down an oil rig. Here, at Innamincka we struck the typical tough men that we expected to find in the centre. Out oi seven men we found only two native Australians. They welcomed us with open arms, and within forty minutes of our arrival we were sitting or standing around the makeshift camp eating a solid, three-course meal. I doubt if we could have expected better at school.

As we sat around the open fire in one of the huts, we were told many stories of the bush and the life in the "oil game." We left the Delhi-Santos oil camp with some knowledge of how an oil-prospecting crew works and also how men in the bush react to twenty unexpected visitors.

Throughout our trip we were greatly impressed with the hospitality of the Australians in the outback. Wherever we went we were warmly welcomed, shown everything, and looked after in every conceivable way.

At Birdsville (population sixty) we visited the school. Here we met the young school teacher who arrived at school with a few days growth of whiskers to his credit, and a twinkle in his eye at seeing such a curious group as we were talking to his pupils. He said he liked teaching in Birdsville, as it was quiet and he could get on with his University studies and do some quiet reading. This he could not do in the hustle and bustle of Brisbane.

At school, after exchanging songs, we met a small full-blooded aboriginal who knew things about Nature that the white men will never know. He could understand the talk of the large "woman" snake as well as notice small things in insects and animals that would not even attract our attention. Most of the native children cannot be fully educated, but the preliminary education they are given will in turn help their children. We found out that all the native boys wanted to be stockmen except one—he wanted to be a stockman's cook!

On the arid Birdsville track we came to "Dulkaninna" station on which sheep ran until the owner lost three quarers of them to dingoes in one Christmas vacation. He now runs Here-

ford cattle on the rich (by inland Australia standards) 447 square miles. Mr. Dave Bell had lived in the outback for sixty years and had many tales to tell us. First of all he showed us how to scalp a dingo that had just been shot on the property a few minutes before we arrived on the scene. To obtain the one pound bounty the Government pay for the dingo he had to take a strip from the tip of the nose to the end of the tail leaving a piece of the tail bone in the tip. Apparently the natives sometimes try to get two scalps from the one dingo, even though many stockmen say it is hardly worthwhile even to scalp them for the one pound bounty. Mr. Bell told us that snakes had lice and about a type of frog that can be found in the desert that has pure rainwater in (Handy if you were dying of thirst.). Among other interesting things he explained how to prepare and eat witchetty grubs, and also described their taste.

I think the only other character of real interest we met on the trip, or should I say who met us, was a South Australia policeman in Adelaide. Here we were, sixteen, dirty unshaven youths, all with big, broad-brimmed hats on, lounging around Adelaide Railway Station waiting for our chaperons to return to pick us up in the truck. We were all yarning to an old aboriginal who was in town from a big station in the north. Then to our surprise a police van sped along the street and pulled up right beside us. Out of the window learned a policeman who said to one of our number, "Where have you coves been?" One of the dirtiest of us yelled back "Been exploring Central Australia, Mate!" To this the policeman replied in a loud gruff voice, "You will explore my jail if you don't move on up the street." This remark surprised us all because we thought we appeared very innocent, but no, doubt he thought we were going to 'wreck' Adelaide. So a policeman was put on duty to guard us until the other truck arrived!

We met many typical Australian bushmen and the characteristics that were outstanding among all of them were generosity and friendliness. Maybe a little of the spirit of the inland has rubbed off onto us. These personalities of the bush will long remain in the memories of those few lucky ones who were privileged to go on the Birdsville Track Expedition.

A. H. McArthur,

SNIPPETS FROM THE CENTRE.

The first time we made camp in the open was just outside Broken Hill. Up till then we hed lived easily in the luxury of Bill Mackay's pickers' sheds at Mildura and the Argent St. Barracks at Broken Hill. We camped in a dry creek bed about 70 miles from the town. There is generally plenty of firewood and protection from the weather in such places. Those who slept in tents did so for the first and last time. They were either forcibly ejected early in the night or aroused by a barrage of huge paddy melons very early in the morning. This vegetable was ideal ammunition, and was used freely from Mildura till Nappa Merrie. The remainder, and indeed all of us for the rest of the trip slept by a roaring fire. It has its disadvantages however. Early in the night you are too hot, and as the night progresses and the fire dies down, you become too cold. A hard life!

Meals were leisurely, riotous occasions. For tea we sampled various stews, dried vegetables usually cooked to a sodden glutinous mass, soup and tinned fruit, followed by some of the chefs' concoctions-flapjacks, rice or damper Petroliferous biscuits, sand and that inevitable burnt taste were additionally tempting to our palates. After tea, we talked or sang. We had two opposing, but talented choirs. Our harmony, most pleasing to the audience, serenaded us with negro spirituals from Mr. Roland's "Medical Handbook." The others were inclined differently and assailed our ears with everything from College war-crys to rock-and-roll. Our harmony section has since risen to greater heights back at school. The talents of the remainder have been suppressed.

We ate well at breakfast. The menu included cereal, eggs, fried, scrambled, tossed, mutilated, sanded or carbonised, occasionally stew and always tea. We divided into two groups for all our meals. There was always intense rivalry and quarrelling as to who had the best cooks and who collared the most rations. Just out of Tibooburra, our diet was further supplemented through the efforts of our sharp shooters. They slew a kangaroo and bore it triumphantly back to camp. The kangaroo steak we ate the following breakfast was novel if not delicious.

Before we shifted camp each morning, the two trucks had to be started and warmed up. One was quite temperamental. As the trip progressed a new morning ritual commenced—to start a tired truck. Method—put shoulder to rear of truck and heave. No movement. Curses. Forgot to release handbrake. Release

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handbrake. Depress clutch. Heave again. When truck reaches high speed release clutch. Truck stops. Apply same procedure again. After fourth try truck roars ahead.

The boys travelled in the International and the food and other stores in the Thames. There were two seats, back to back, along the middle of the International, and a canvas hood over the whole rear of the truck. From the first day the hood rolled right forward and as many as possible took advantage of the uncovered framework to sit on and watch the scenery jolt by. As the trip progressed a noticeable bow in the framework was observed and the whole apparatus swayed alarmingly as we rounded corners. Indeed, welded joints snapped in one or two places, but these were repaired as soon as possible.

We lost our way twice. Just over the Queensland border we took the 'wrong turning. Fortunately one of the few travellers who passed us, arrived at an opportune moment and directed us. We had a large number of back seat drivers that day! On the other occasion we had



Map of the Trip.

just passed Bluff Station, only 20 miles from Birdsville. It is on the top of a residual mountain, with a wonderful view of the Diamantina river flowing below. At a fork in the road we were in a quandary. One road led to Birdsville but which one? We took the turning to the right and were confronted with the swift flowing Diamantina, too deep to ford. We returned. An aged stockman who was coming down the other track directed us. Evidently one track was a wet weather road, the other a dry weather road—both leading to Birdsville, eventually. We iiow took the wet weather road.

Then further difficulties beset us. Would we never reach Birdsville? The great straight track was crossed every couple of miles by huge vertical sandhills. The road did not detour, but went straight over the hill. We backed along the track to get a run up. At break neck speed the truck charged the hill, reached the top and bogged down in drifts of sand at the crest. We dug vards of it away and making use of convenient branches lurched to the top and hurtled over. This same procedure had to be performed with two trucks over two sand hills. Another sandy hazard was to be found at the bottom of creek beds. Our procedure for crossing—twenty-five yards before crossing, accelerate widly. Charge. Bog down in loose sand half way across. Put shoulder into wheel and heave. Collapse into sand as truck lurches away spraying bedraggled helpers with sand and exhaust fumes. Truck stops. Mop up spilt petrol and crushed eggs in back of truck. Apply same procedure with other truck.

We celebrated our arrival at Birdsville with a war-cry in the main street. The locals were not surprised at our antics. They knew we were coming. The aboriginal children and the dogs turned out in full force, however. Next day our two choirs combined and entertained the children at the school. It is perhaps fortunate that their knowledge of music was limited. The necessities of life are dear in Birdsville. Beer is 6/6 a bottle, petrol 6/9 a gallon and lemonade 3/6 a bottle.

The whole area is in the middle of a huge artesian basin. At Clifton Hill station 126 miles down the track from Birdsville, the bore is hot. For the first time we washed our utensils properly. The manager very kindly let us sleep in the men's quarters. We were very lucky for it rained that night. Inevitably next day, five miles down the track we were bogged. The old



Standing Left to Right: D. H. Kitson, B. G. Tymms, E. J. Hazeldine, D. J. Laidlaw, I. R. Yule, J. Robson, S. J. Miles, D. E. McLellan, I. R. A. McLean, G. R. Synot, R. N. Douglas, Sitting Left to Right: P. R. Mann, J. S. Cox, Mrs. P. M. Wood, R. G. Sanderson, G. R. A., Gregg, I. J. Fairnie.

routine got us out. At Lake Harry, sixty miles out of Marree there are the remains of an old date plantation, along side the bore. Behind the homestead there was a huge heap of bottles, a feature of many outback settlements. The bore was at an excellent temperature for a shower. But only one tried it, making himself a popular camera study and losing his clothes into the bargain.

The only night it rained and we were obliged to use our tents was out of Hawker, 250 miles from Adelaide. Several braved the elements sleeping under canvas, the remainder sleeping in or under the trucks. An extremely varied night was had by all. We learned in the morning that one member sleeping under a truck had been deluged with water. An unsuspectingmember on the seat above had emptied the contents of the sagging canvas roof down the sides of the truck. To add to our troubles, one ot the trucks was bogged. There are few fond memories of Hawker. But one learns by experience.

Our crowning insult occurred at the end of the trip. We drove into the House of Guilds and promptly bogged the truck in the lawn.

P.M.McL.

MORRISON LIBRARY.

This year the Library has attained a new peak of efficiency, for at a Committee meeting on the 30th June it was decided that a VI form Library Council should be formed. The first Council meeting took place on the 7th August and it was resolved that J. S. Cox be made Chairman and Head-Librarian. At the next meeting the Council was honoured by the presence of the Principal, Mr. Thwaites, who offered many helpful suggestions. third meeting a Library Constitution was read and duly passed. This is a most important and significant step forward, for it means that the foundation stone of Library management has been laid. Since the formation of the Council. the Library has functioned very smoothly and gained the co-operation of all concerned.

Profound thanks are extended to Mrs. Wood for opening her house to the Council on numerous occasions. The Council also offers its thanks to Mr. Thwaites for his enthusiasm and consideration in all matters pertaining to the Library. The Chairman, J. S. Cox also has the Council's heartfelt thanks for the able and impartial manner in which he presided over all its meetings.

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Janice Nicol

DRAMA CLUB

"Right! We'll have alternate boy-girl seating around the room." The first meeting of the Drama Club for 1960 was in progress and Mr. Nicolson was trying to encourage conversation between the shy boys and girls. However his efforts were in vain—not a sound broke through the silence. It was at this opportune moment that Miss Shaw, the Principal ol Morongo, entered the room and wished us every success for the year.

Undaunted by our response Mr. Nicolson, with the aid of Mr. Young, proceeded to teach us the fundamentals of amateur acting in the succeeding weeks. At first our meetings were held alternately at Morongo and College, the host school providing afternoon tea. However when rehearsals began at the beginning of second term, it was more convenient to meet at Morongo every Sunday to become used to the stage.

After many hours of deliberation and research Mr. Nicolson and Mr. Young decided on a suitable play—"George Washington Slept Here," a comedy in three acts by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman. The production of this play was to be undertaken by Mr. Nicolson. The casting was done by Air. Young. The rest of the term was spent in reading through the play.

Second term Mr. Ken Hemmens of the Geelong Repertory Society took over as assistant producer to Mr. Nicolson to replace Mr. Young who was to be away for the term. Mr. Hemmens did much to keep the spirit of the Club at a high level. As rehearsals passed we became more relaxed and the standard of the play showed a steady improvement until by the end of second term it looked as though it could be a success. The September holiday saw much frantic learning of parts—labour which had its reward in the high standard of lines in the performances.

In the first, furious fortnight of 3rd term practices were held every night after school, the scenery and lights were installed and in general the excitement mounted. Then came the climax—the performances on Friday 23rd and Saturday, 24th of September in the magnificent Gertrude Pratt Memorial Hall at Morongo. The play was a great success.

The cast was as follows, in order of appear-
ance:
Mr. KimberRoss Both
Newton FullerTim Cole
Annabelle FullerLeonie Haines
Ann Gibson
Madge FullerSandra Mockridge
Jillian Webb
Steve EldridgeAlistair McArthur
KatieMeredith Paterson
Elizabeth McNair
Mrs. DouglasLeslie Atkinson-Grimshaw
Lorraine Binns
Clayton Evans Gavin Jamieson
Rena LeslieJeanette Dehnert
Elizabeth Thomas
HesterElizabeth Holyman
Margot Hallam
RaymondPeter Mann
Mr. Prescott Ewan Hazeldine
Uncle Stanley Ian Barnet
Leggett Frazer Andrew Con-
Tommy HughesDavid Davies
Sue BarringtonJan Gawith
Heather Lewis
Miss WilcoxJanice King

Although everybody acted extremely well it would be quite impossible to mention each actor and actress here. However Tim Cole was outstanding as "Newton Fuller," showing quite a lot of natural ability. Also outstanding were Leonie Haines and Ann Gibson in the exacting-role of "Annabelle." Ross Both really "brought the house down" as "Mr. Kimber," the general handyman and Ian Barnet made a remarkably good old man as "Uncle Stanley." Peter Mann performed the part of "Raymond," a 12 year old terror, very capably.

It is at this stage that we must pay tribute to our producer—Mr. Nicolson. Mr. Nicolson, who is a member of the Geelong Repertory is an experienced producer as we soon discovered. He knew exactly what he wanted from us and he would not rest until he got it. He was responsible for all personal properties and also in conjunction with Mr. Webb, for the design of the set. Our thanks to Mrs. Nicolson, who assisted the girls with their dresses and make-up and who gave us much encouragement throughout the year.

Our thanks are offered to those members of the school without whom the show could not

have been staged. Mr. D. Webb was in charge of the construction of the set and the sound effects machines, and our thanks must go to him and his group of helpers for the marvellous job they did in this regard.

During the performance Mr. Young and a team of boys worked hard to carry out the necessary scene changes and sound effects For this and the transporting of the scenery to Morongo and back to College we extend our appreciative thanks.

We also would like to thank Mr. Lester and the members of College and Morongo who helped him in his ushering and programme distribution.

We are deeply indebted to Mr. Ken Hemmens

who gave up so much of his valuable time to help us during rehearsals, and also for the very valuable help as prompter during the performance.

Our thanks also go to Miss Shaw who has encouraged the Drama Club and who gave us the use of the Hall for our play.

Last but not least, the boys of the Club would also like to thank the girls for providing such wonderful afternoon teas for us during the year. I feel sure the girls will join with us in wishing next year's Drama Club every success and in hoping that they have as much enjoyment, experience and fun as we did this year in "George Washington Slept Here."

EJ.H.

SOCIAL SERVICES

"Friday Collection" has been part of the life of Geelong College for many years. Friday morning over the recent years, collection monitors in each form have extracted a few unwillingly given coppers from individuals who did not know, and in most cases had not given enough to really care where their money was It was our present headmaster, Mr. Thwaites, who drew our attention to the complete change of attitude which was necessary on tlrs question of a weekly collection. So, as the first step in bringing this important idea to the attention of the whole school, the Social Services Committee was formed. The committee's duties were to decide which charities the school should support, and-more important-to see that every boy was given a chance to think over how much the deserving causes demanded of his pocket-money. The committee was taken from the senior boys and consisted of G. R. Gregg, D. L. Kefford (Secretary), D. J. Laidlaw, A. H. McArthur, W. M. Mitchell and R. G. Sande son.

Many and varied methods have been used by the committee to bring to the notice of the whole school, facts about the various charities which the school supported during the year. These methods included suitable films procured for screening before the school. These were "The Long Line" which very strikingly gave every boy a picture of the war refugee problem, and "Australia, Land of Tomorrow." This last was an excellent film; besides revealing to many people things about their country they never knew before, it spotlighted the fine work done by the Australian Inland Mission. Rev. Fred

McKay came and spoke to the school on this subject, and Rev. Max Brewer spoke to us about the British and Foreign Bible Society. In addition to these numerous highly coloured notices have adorned the notice boards, proclaiming their message in no uncertain manner. In spite of the derision that they invariably cause, they do occas ona ly pass on their message. But by far the most powerful method used by the committee has been directly approaching separate forms-each member of the committee has been allotted certain forms-and discussing the question of Friday Collection (with them. Both the school and the committee have found this direct approach very helpful in clearing up a few misunderstanding many boys have always had about Friday Collections.

The response to all these new developments has been on the whole, an improvement on previous years but there is still much to be desired. The following amounts have been contributed to various charities this year.

Red Cross. £20	0	0
Save the Children Fund Special		
Appeal	0	0
World Refugee Appeal	9	1
British and Foreign Bible Society 14	1	3
Local Chaities:		
Geelong Mentally Handicapped		
Children's Association; Victorian		
School for deaf children; Spastic		
Society of Victoria, Victorian Asso-		
ciation of Braille writers, Victorian		
Society for Crippled Children		
£3/14/1 each 18	10	5

SECRETORS COLLEGE

Annual	Save	the	Children	Fund		
Sponsor	ships			38	0	0
Australi	an In	land	Mission	16	0	0
Christia	n Edu	catio	n in Schoo	ls 10	0	0
Balance	carrie	ed fo	orward	40	17	7

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I would like to thank our headmaster, Mr. Thwaites and our chaplain, Mr. McLean, for their valuable guidance throughout the year, and to wish next year's committee every success.

Also I would like to ask everyone to give Friday Collection your full support next year. Think very seriously over everything you hear or see from the committee, and remember that the only way we fortunate Australians can make an impact on many of our less fortunate neighbours, is to bear in mind and incorporate in our daily lives these words:

"O brother man fold to thy heart thy brother Where pity dwells the peace of God is there."

D.L.K.

DEBATING CLUB

The Debating Society began meetings again at the beginning of second term. Mr. Henderson again acted as chairman and president, with last year's secretary A. H. McArthur as vice-president. The secretaries this year were D. Aiton and H. C. Forbes and the committee consisted of R. Both, H. T. Bromell, P. M. McLennan and P. J. Young.

We were fortunate in being invited to take part in "Forum of Youth" over 3GL twice during the year. The first of these debates was "That Amateur Sport is a Sham" against the Geelong High School. The College team consisting of A. H. McArthur, R. B. Douglas and P. M. McLennan, took the affirmative side. The second debate was against St. Joseph's. The College team of I. R. Barnet, B. G. Tymms and D. T. Laidlaw argued against the subject "That it is Better to be a Butterfly than a Bee." No decision was given at either of these debates.

Ross Both represented Geelong College in the annual "I Speak for Australia" contest which was won this year by St. Joseph's College.

Early in third term we held our last meeting for the year at school with a debate against Teacher's College. A competent Teacher's College team defeated A. H. McArthur, R. Both and P. McLennan on the subject "The Hand that Rocks the Cradle Rules the World."

At the end of this meeting, Mr. Henderson announced his intention of retiring from the Debating Society and handing over to Mr. G. W. Young.

Mr. Henderson has acted as chairman and president of the society for thirty years and has never failed to give invaluable criticism and advice to all members. On behalf of all those who have passed through the debating society we would like to thank Mr. Henderson sincerely for all he has done.

DA.

P.F.A.

In this second half of the year the P.F.A. has been fairly busy.

lOnce again we have had a number of very interesting speakers who have enlightened us on many subjects. Mr. Prince spoke to us about his home country of South Africa. Mr. Jim Ferguson gave us a very interesting talk on the island of Nauru and showed us some very interesting slides. We then had a series of talks on the government of the different Churches. Firstly Mr. G. A. Wood spoke on the Presbyterian Church, and then Mr. Weeks spoke on the Methodist Church, and finally Mr. Gason gave us some ideas of the Anglican Church.

Other visitors that we have had during the year were Mr. Vivian who told us something about Ghana; and the Geelong Executive Committee of the P.F.A. who showed us something of how the P.F.A. as a whole is run.

Our annual badge dedication service was taken by Mr. Davey and he told us something of the significance of the P.F.A. badge.

The collections this year amounted to £13/ $11/5\frac{1}{2}$, but as yet we have not sent any donations to charities.

Towards the end of third term the P.F.A. spent a very enjoyable weekend at Point Lonsdale. Sixty seven boys were able to go and these were mainly Mackie and Warrinn boys. Some of the Senior boys acted as leaders in the study circles on "Fellowship." We thank Mr. McLean, Mr. Clayton and Mr. Young for making possible such an enjoyable weekend.

P.R.M.

MUSIC.

Since the June edition the music of the College has progressed suitably. In the House Music Competitions Morrison won as was the case last year. Results were as shown:—

	Pos.	C.	Mc.A	Μ.	S.
Piano Solo	50	44	46	44	41
Instrumental Solo	. 50	39	38	42	40
Vocal Ensemble	.100	60	81	86	86
Instrumental Ensemble	100	68	60	80	79
Choir— Set Song	100	90	80	86	80
Part Song	100	80	81	76	80
Unison Song	.100	90	80	86	79

The adjudicator this year was Mr. H. Davis from the Melba Conservatorium and we thank him for his services.

The musical talents of the boys of the College were not required at Skipton this year and so the journey was not made. Instead, the time was spent in preparation for the school concert which was held in the Plaza Theatre before a small but responsive audience. The aim of the concert was to demonstrate all aspects of the

musical life at the College and due credit must go to Mr. Martin for doing this admirably. In addition to the choir of ninety voices, the orchestra and various ensembles, the newly formed beginners orchestra and the Prep, boys' choir, under the direction of Mr. Hulme, performed a number of items.

Late in second term a most enjoyable musical evening was spent with girls of The Hermitage in the House of Music. Various items wer performed by each school and the whole atmosphere was one of sympathetic understanding for the performers. It is hoped that these will be continued and that Morongo will be able to join us in the future. Congratulations to Mr. Martin for a sound idea and for his management of the evening.

The final event for the year will be a carol service on December 5th at St. David's Church and this will complete a successful year in the field of music.

C.W.F.

STAMP CLUB.

The Club enjoyed quite a successful second half of the year, attendances being good at all meetings except one. We had a variety of meetings, the first one after the May holidays being a quiz conducted by Mr. Gavin of the Geelong Philatelic Society. The questions were interesting and informative and all present enjoyed the meeting. Our next meeting was poorly attended probably because of the impending exams however those who were there enjoyed Miss Phoenix' exhibition and talk on the subject of Thematic Collecting. At our last

meeting for term two a general collection of New Zealand stamps was shown. At the first meeting for third term Canadian stamps were displayed. At our last meeting sheets of stamps put in by members were exhibited, and this was one of the most successful meetings of the year. As usual Mr. Lester provided first day covers for members at cost price, cheap stamps from the Geelong Philatelic Society and helpful advice. All members are grateful for the work he has done for the club.

R.N.D.

HOUSE NOTES.

CALVERT HOUSE.

The House Captain assisting Mr. Campbell this year was Garry Fenton. We would like to thank him for all the work he put into the House before he left at the end of second term. Vice-Captains this year were B. G. Fell-Smith and A. C. H. Whitehead

Our first competition for the year was the Swimming Sports. Although we came last we had some good performances; G. Dale and D. Leslie were our best swimmers.

We were second in both sections of the cricket. Our open team defeated Morrison on the first innings by 133 runs, McArthur outright by an innings and 35 runs and were beaten by Shannon on the first innings by 77 runs. B. Fell-Smith, G. Fenton and S. Green, dominated the bowling while J. Davies batted well making a century and 95 not out. We congratulate the last three on receiving their House Colours. The best Under 15 performers were. D. Calvert, I. Corr and J. Paton.

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We also came second in the rowing. Our VIII were beaten by H lengths by Morrison and our IV was also just beaten by Morrison.

Congratulations to R. Agnew, J Bade, D. Bernie and H. McDonell on receiving their House Colours.

In second term our open team came third in the House Football competition. Our best players were: J. Davies, G. Dale, M. Duigan, B. Fell-Smith, G. Fenton and B. Mitchell. Congratulations to the last four on receiving their House Colours. The U. 15 team finished third, the best players being R. Carmichael, I. Corr, G. Henderson and R. Lawler.

Our first competition in third term was the House Shooting in which we came last. No comment.

Although we only came third in the Athletic Sports we had some very good performances. J. Davies came second in the open 440 yards, high jump, broad jump and third in the shot putt. R. Irvine came equal first in the U. 16 championship, coming first in the 100 yards and 220 yards with S. Green who won the hurdles and the broad jump. A. Geddes won the U. 16 shot putt. We also won the open 6 x 220 yards relay and U. 16 1320 yards relay. With more boys attending Standards this year we won these by a little over 1%.

A.C.H.W.

McARTHUR HOUSE NOTES.

Mr. Profitt continued to give us his good service as House Master this year. I. S. Cousen was appointed Captain with A. F. McClelland Vice-captain.

Last year McArthur won the House competition and we had a lot to live up to this year but by the end of first term things did not look at all favourable. We were lying fourth, 10 points behind the nearest House.

Swimming: This was the first House fixture. Shannon came out victors with McArthur third. J. S. Cox, M. D. Gretton-Watson. and J. L. Jackson all swam well to gain House Colours.

Cricket: The Open cricket team was not as successful as hoped We came fourth in this department. Congratulations to M. D. Gretton-Watson on good performances to gain House Colours. The Under 15 team did well to come second.

Rowing: This year we could not repeat the wins of the two previous years. The First VIII came third and the only new House Colours went to R. P. Edge, the Cox. The First IV also came third behind Morrison and Calvert.

Second term was our most successful term. We picked up nineteen points to pass Calvert and Shannon on the aggregate totals.

Football: Hugh Bromell led a good all-round team to victory with Morrison second. R. J. Bell, I. S. Cousen, R. P. Edge, W. L. Lehman and A. F. McClelland all played well to gain House Colours. The Under 15 team was second.

At this stage Morrison held a fourteen points lead with only six points separating McArthur, Shannon and Calvert.

Athletics: Our Athletics team did reasonably well to finish second behind Shannon with Calvert third. Congratulations go Hugh Bromell on winning the Nigel Boyes' Trophy and the Geelong College Cup. Also G. Andrews on winning the Under 14 championship.

Response to the standards was poor this year. McArthur could only manage fourth position. Athletics House Colours were awarded to R. J. Bell, H. T. Bromell, I. S. Cousen, W. L. Lehman, M. R. MacPherson and D. McQueen.

Tennis: The team was H. T. Bromell, S. Cousen, A. G. Henderson and D. R. McConaghy in the Open and G. Corstorphan and R. Robson in the U. 15. The Open team played very well. H. Bromell and A. Henderson went through the series losing only one match. I. Cousen and D. McConachy went through losing two matches. We came out victors with Morrison second, Shannon third and Calvert fourth.

Congratuitions go to Morrison for their aggregate win with 70 points, McArthur were second with 59 points.

I.S.C.



This year we welcomed Mr. Nicolson back again as House Master after his overseas tour last year.

A. H. McArthur was appointed House Captain with A. G. R. Strahan and E. J. Hazeldine as Vice-captains

Although we only won the Rowing and Under 15 Football we managed to gain sufficient points in the other sections of the House Competition to win the aggregate for the year. This is the first time since 1956 and we hope to stay there in future years.

Swimming: In the Inter-House Swimming we came second to Shannon with McArthur and Calvert third and and fourth respectively. Congratulations go to Tony Strahan for winning the Open Championship and for setting records in four events. Other swimmers who stood out were: D. McGregor, third in the Under 16; H. Strahan, first and a record in the Under 15; K. Leach, third in the Under 15; G. Oswell, a record and equal third in Under 14.

House Colours were awarded to D. Alton and A. G. Strahan.

Cricket: In Cricket this year we came third in the Open section and fourth in the Under 15 section. We won only one match; against McArthur in the Open section and none in the Under 15. House Colour Awards were gained by I. R. Barnet (awarded previously), K. W. Barnet, G. P. Hallebone and E. J. Hazeldine.

Rowing: This year our rowing standard was high and we won the VIII's by two lengths from Calvert with McArthur third and Shannon fourth.

In the IV's we also won convincingly from Calvert with McArthur and Shannon third and fourth respectively. House Colour Awards were gained by A. H. McArthur, M. L. McDonald, P. M. McLennan, P. C. Mayne (awarded previously); R. I. Griffiths, R. J. John, A. J. Lawson and J. I. Mactier.

House Music Competitions: Morrison came out on top in these competitions and congratulations must go to E. J. Hazeldine for a fine effort in organising and conducting the Choir; as well as the other performers who put much time and energy into practising their "roles."

Football: In the football we did quite well in the Open section by coming second to McArthur. House Colour were awarded to K. W. Barnet. E. J. Hazeldine, R. D. Howard (awarded previously); I. R. Barnet, A. E. Coulson, R. I. Griffiths, A. J. Lawson, P. M. McLennan. In the Under 15 section we were victorious with D. Balfour, D. M. Birks, M. R. Florence, S. T. Hood, D. P. McKeon and R. R. Russell as our best players.

Shooting: Although in Morrison we had the majority of the school shooting team to our advantage we only came second to Shannon.

Our best shots for the day were D. Aiton, A. L. Fletcher, M. L. McDonald and J. M. Powell.

Athletics: As always, when looking through the team picked for the House Sports it seems obvious that there will be no competition from other Houses and that our own House will win the sports. This year we were disappointed in the athletics and trailed the field in most events as well as in the final result.

Standards: This was a chance to redeem ourselves so with vigorous campaigning and some effort from the majority of the House we managed to gain second place. With the new system of seven high standards and two low standards as qualification for House Colours more boys were able to gain their colours this year.

House Colours for Athletics were gained by: D. Aiton, R. D. Howard and P. M. McLennan, and in Standards by G. R. A. Gregg, G. P. Hallebone, A. G. R. Strahan and B. G. Tymms.

Tennis: This year our Open tennis team was I. R. Barnet and B. G. Tymms, first pair; A. L. Fletcher and R. I. Griffiths, second pair. The final result was McArthur first, Morrison second, Shannon third, and Calvert fourth.

In conclusion I would like to thank Mr. Nicolson for his continued interest in the House. Tony Strahan, Ewan Hazeldine and the other Morrison prefects also earned gratitude for their helpful advice and hard work throughout the year. To those returning I would like to stress the point that the more you put into your House, and the more you support it, the greater the satisfaction you will get from knowing that you have helped. Good luck for 1961 and see that you keep Morrison "cock House" in the years to come.

A. H. McA.

SHANNON.

The House started the year well with a win in the House Swimming in spite of Morrison's strong team. The boys mainly responsible for the win were Peter Doak, Charles Fallaw and Ian McCay; the reay teams also swam well.

In the Cricket, Shannon won the Open section after a close struggle with Calvert. With Captain Peter Young and Vice-Captain Ian Hookings supported by the good play of Michael Knox and Paul Sheahan the team played well and deserved its fine win. The Under 15 team, ably led by Colin Blair, managed to come equal second with Calvert.

Rowing again proved our downfall and we came last in both the VIII's and the IV's.

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The loss of the VIII was clue to lack of experienced rowers and, even though the crew was stroked by John Quinton, the gap could not be bridged.

Returning to school for second term we found the House Music Competitions had to be started. With some friendly persuasion a choir was formed with H. Wright as pianist and Charles Fallaw conductor. The instrumental ensemble proved to be the comic act of the night but the vocal ensemble came equal first for their singing of Swing Low Sweet Chariot.

Shannon failed to win a match in both sections of the football this year, a marked change from last year. Peter Young and Colin Blair were Captains of the Open and Under 15 teams respectively but overall strength was lacking and this proved too big a hurdle for teamwork and determination.

In the Athletics Shannon proved superior and managed to win the House Competition by SO points. Shannon relay teams were mainly responsible for the big margins but in the individual events fine performances were put up by Gary Cotton, Charles Fallaw, Paul Sheahan, Ian Urquhart and Peter Young. Newcomer Stuart Weeks proved a reliable athlete and

James Robson surprised us with a third in the high jump. Unfortunately the team spirit did not carry through to the standards and we only managed to gain third in a close finish. We extend sympathy to our Vice-captain Ian McCay who, in an attempt to gain his high hurdles standard, injured his calf and is incapacitated for six weeks.

In the Shooting our team was regarded as the weakest and Morrison was backed as a certain winner. Fortunately Shannon rose to the occasion and won the competition. We congratulate R. Bowler on being the best shot of the day.

In the tennis we came third.

In conclusion, congratulations to Morrison on winning the House Competition, thanks to Vice-captains Peter Young and Ian McCay and also to House Master Mr. Lester for their interest and example in leading the House.

To those returning next year may I remind you that, even though the individuals must be successful, the winning margin is always produced by successful relay teams. To have successful relay teams everyone must attempt to be part of them.

Morrison

C.W.F.

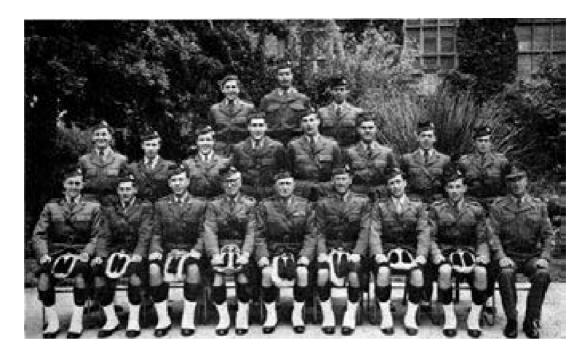
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HOUSE COMPETITIONS 1960.

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	Position	Points	Position	Points	Position	Points	Position	Points
Swimming	4	0	3	4	2	8	1	12
Cricket— 1st XI	2	10	4	0	3	5	1	15
Under 15	2=	3	1	6	4	0	2=	3
Rowing— 1st Crew	2	10	3	5	1	15	4	0
2nd Crew	2	4	3	2	1	6	4	0
Football— 1st XVIII	3	5	1	15	2	10	4	0
Under 15	3	2	2	4	1	6	4	0
Athletics— Meeting	3	4	2	8	4	0	1	12
Standards	19		4	0	2	6	3	3
Shooting	4	0	3	3	2	6	1	9
Tennis	4	0	1	12	2	8	3	4
YEAR TOTALS	47	7	5	9	7	0	:	58
YEAR POSITIONS	4		2	2		1		3



UNIT OFFICERS.

BACK ROW: W.O.2 M. R. MacPherson, W.O.1 H. T. Bromell, W.O.2 A. C. H. Whitehead. STANDING: W.O.2 B. G. Tymms, C.U.O.s J. S. Cox, A. H. McArthur, A. F. McClelland, M. L. McDonald, P. M. McLennan, I. W. McCay, P. J. Young.

SITTING: C.U.O.s R. A. Both, I. R. Barnet, Capt. G. W. Young, Capt. J. H. Campbell, Lieut.-Col. H. L. E. Dunkley, Capt. E. B. Davies, Lieut. M. J. H. Roland, C.U.O. B. G, Fell-Smith, W.O.2 E. Haynes.

CADET UNIT.

The camp this year was a most memorable one and was enjoyed by all. Geelong College were in the second intake with Mentone Grammar and Haileybury College and in the same area. The three schools were within a few hundred yards of each other and since Puckapunyal had been used for National Service Training each was very well equipped.

The sleeping arrangements were different from those of Scrub Hill the previous year, for this year we slept in huts with three cadets to each room. The food was extremely good. Efficiency was established early, especially by the Q-store staff under the guidance of Capt. Campbell.

Training consisted of the usual instruction in service weapons and infantry minor tactics for "B" and "C" companies. The areas allotted for these exercises however were very small and instruction had to be limited. "A" Company and a composite platoon from "B" Company took part in the exercise "Operation Circuit" which was held in the State Forest. The re-

mainder of "B" Company had a smaller scale exercise of their own which proved highly successful. "C" Company had a one day exercise, which gave many of the cadets valuable experience for next year's manoeuvre.

Both Guard and Drill Competition Platoons qualified for the finals. This year the competitions were to be held at Scotch College, but because of rain they were held at Batman Avenue Barracks. The Drill did very well to obtain equal second place, and the Guard displayed some fine drill to finish third. Both Drill and Guard commanders are to be congratulated on their showing.

At the end of second term C.U.O. Barnet was appointed commander of 9 Platoon as the previous commander C.U.O. Fenton left school at that time.

The Earle Roberts team finished second to Geelong Grammar with 223 points out of 320. Results: D. Aiton, 66; M. L. McDonald, 60; A. C. Whitehead, 56; and A. F. McClelland, 44. The Clowes Cup team finished second to

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Geelong Grammar with 426 points out of 750. Top scorers were: M. L. McDonald and J. M. Powell each with 61 out of 75.

The House Shooting provided many surprises but good shooting was evident.

Results: Shannon, 481; Morrison, 468; Mc-Arthur, 465; Calvert, 448.

Best shots were Cpl. G. J. Jamieson and Cdt. R. Bowler each obtaining 82 out of a possible 100

This year, with very good shooting we finished first in the 24th Battalion Shield. It was the first time we had won it and the team is to be congratulated on a creditable effort.

Best scorers were M. L. McDonald 69 and 67; J. M. Powell, A. L. Fletcher and G. J. Jamieson each 65 out of a possible 75.

As the Passing Out Parade was to be held on the 27th October the last two parades of the term were occupied in preparation for it. Major-General Risson took the salute and also gave us a short address. We congratulate the unit as a whole on a magnificent display of military procedure. Much of this credit must go to Lt. Colonel Dunkley who has for many years past ably organised such a parade. The Speciauists, Guard, Drill and 5 Platoon all carried out demonstrations successfully. Lt. Roland paraded the Passing Out Company of the boys who were leaving.

Finally the whole unit marched past and formed up again to be dismissed for the last time this year.

I.R.B.

DRILL PLATOON.

When a boy is in a junior form he has little Opportunity to represent the school in a "first" team. The Drill Platoon provides one of these opportunities. Being a member of the Drill is a thankless job until after the competition. Then you can look back on the lunch-times spent practising in the cow paddock, and the hours spent cleaning equipment, and reflect that it was not in vain. You have accomplished something. You have represented the school.

At camp in September our heat took place on a rainy day. However in spite of the weather, nervousness and mistakes, we went into the finals a quarter of a point ahead of Albury Grammar, our traditional rivals. We also had the doubtful glory of appearing on television. It was not all marching at camp, however. We took part in "Operation Circuit" in the State Forest and slept the night under the

stars, in our own temporary shelters. As the night progressed we discovered how "temporary" they really were.

Back at school with only three weeks till the finals, training was increased by the inclusion of Sunday afternoon practices. The finals this year were held at the Batman Ave. Barracks. We came equal second with our rivals. Albury Grammar. Our congratulations go to Scotch College on their fine win.

I would like to thank Graham Sheahan, our sergeant, for the work he put in during the year. It was he who did the menial jobs that lead to the smooth running of the platoon. I would also like to thank the three corporals for their efforts during the year and wish them luck in their more senior positions next year. Finally, thanks to those who matter—the platoon, for their keenness, especially in the last weeks, and unfailing attendance. Good luck, next year. Let's hope the Drill Shield will be back on the dining hall mantel-piece, this time in twelve months.

The Platoon: C.U.O. P. M. McLennan; Sergeant G. J. Sheahan; Corporals R. J. Bade, H. C. Forbes, J. I. Mactier. Cadets K. T. Andrews, R. D. Burger, P. W. Busbridge, J. M. Cannington, G. M. Cotton, F. D. Dobie, I. H. Falk, M. R. Florence, D. E. Goldstraw, J. F. Holland. P. J. Illingworth, K. F. Leach, D. G. Leslie, B. N. Marshman, G. J. Manger, J. A. Moreton, I. S. McAdie, R. P. McCann, J. S. McKenzie, T. F. McNair, B. Mulligan, A. J. Paterson, J. W. Read. W. G. Reddrop, L. H. Reichnau, R. Richardson, G. R. Synot, W. T. Troedel, E. D. Urquhart I. W. Urquhart, V. G. Watson.

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BAND.

This year, by cadet camp, the band had reached a fairly high standard of playing and we are grateful to Mr. Perriam who took us for each Thursday practice.

At camp we learnt to march correctly in band formation until we reached a high enough standard to enter in the annual Military Gymkhana. Unforunately we were forced to withdraw as some of our members were unavailable.

Back at school in third term, we practised selections from White Horse Inn which we played later in the school concert at the Plaza Theatre.

On 16th October the band played at a Pleasant Sunday Afternoon held at the Burnside



THE QUARTER GUARD BEING INSPECTED.

Front Rank: Sgt. P. H. Cole, Cpl. D. McQueen, Cdts. A. C. Geddes, T. J. Hofden, G. D, McCracken, W. L. Lehmann, Cpl. R. D. Kitson, C.U.O. B. Fell-Smith.

Centre Rank: Cpl. I. Hookings, Cdts. D. A. J. Dennis, P. R. Malkin.

Rear Rank: Cdts. J. H. Greene, A. I. Henderson, A. R. Corr.

P.F.A. camp at Anglesea. We also played marches at the Passing Out Parade on Thursday, 27th October.

As most members are returning next year, the band is looking forward to a successful year in 1961.

Ranks 1960: Drum Major C. W. Fallaw, Sgt. D. Aiton, Cpls. J. Davies, P. Mann, V. Wood, L/Cpl. D. C. Ekstedt.

D.A.

GUA,RD.

Guard practices started early in second term and for quite a time were held before breakfast, but for the latter part of the term and all third term, training was changed to lunchtime.

The competition heats were held during the annual camp at Puckapunyal. As College were in the second intake we competed against Scotch and Albury Grammar.

During camp the guard "enjoyed" one night of duty in which there were many notable incidents—unprintable in this magazine.

he day of the final competition was 1st Novmber, and the venue Scotch College, but owing to the conditions of their ovals after some heavy rain, this was changed to the asphalt parade ground of the Engineers' Depot in Batman Avenue.

The competition took place in perfect, sunny, conditions and was exceptionally well run. The final placings were (with the marks out of a possible 200): Scotch (173), 1; Ballarat College (169), 2; Geelong College (161), 3; then followed Albury Grammar and C.B.C. Parade.

Our congratulations go to Scotch on a fine performance.

The Guard as represented the College in the final of the guard mounting competition:

C.U.O. B. G. Fell-Smith: W.O.I H. T.

Bromell; Sgt. T. P. H. Cole; Cpl. R. D. Kitson (Guard Cpl.); Cpls. I. C. Hookings, D. McQueen; Cdts. A. C. Geddes, T. Holden, D. G. McCracken, W. L. Lehmann, J. R. Irvine, B. N. Singer, A. B. Birks, P. Malkin, J. H. Greene, A. R. Corr, I. Henderson.

Cdt. Mansfield competed in the heat but was forced to withdraw from the final.

The Guard would like to thank W.O.2 Haynes, Cpt. Campbell and Cpt. Young for their invaluable assistance over the training period, and would like to wish the future guards the best of luck and hope they benefit from our mistakes.

B.G. F-S.

SPECIALISTS.

Little is indicated by the word "Specialists." In the cadet unit Specialists is the name given to the platoon which is proficient in either 3 in.

mortar, M.M.G., signals or L.M.G. This year Young was C.U.O. of the platoon and Sgt. Lawson his 2I.C. Sgt. Ouinton and Cpl. Gardner were attached to mortar, Sgt. Rickey attached to vickers, Sgt. Thornton and Cpl. Taylor attached to signals and Negri and Strong were the corporals of the bren. The Southern Command Specialists' Competition was cancelled this year owing to the adverse weather conditions. However the first teams of both mortar and vickers were quite competent and were as good if not better than crews of previous years. On October 27th, the day of the Passing Out Parade, Specialists were in full force with the whole platoon taking part. All sections were spread across the oval and on the order from the commander through the wireless transmitter and the signals, Specialists went into action. This exercise was a great success and was made even better by the firing of blanks by vickers and bren. This was the last parade for the year.

P.J.Y.



RIFLE TEAM.

STANDING: Sgt. D. Aiton, Cpls. A. L. Fletcher, G. J. Jamieson, P. C. Mayne Sgt. S. F Paton, Cpl. A. G. R. Strahan, W.O.2 A. C. H. Whitehead, C.U.O. A. H. McArthur.

SITTING: Cpl. J. M. Powell, C.U.O.s M. L. McDonald, B. G. Fell-Smith, A F. McClelland, I. R. Barnet.

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SPORTS AWARDS 1960.

SWIMMING.

Honour Award).

New Awards: Doak, P. J., Fallaw, C. W., McCay, I. W., Strahan, A. G. R. School Colours.

New Awards: Cox, J. S., Doak, P. J., Duigan, M. L., Fallaw, C. W, McCay, I. W., Strahan, A. G. R.

School Caps.

New Awards: Cox, J. S., Doak, P. J., Duigan, M. L., Fallaw, C. W., McCay, I. W., Strahan, A. G. R., Strahan, H. P.

House Colours,.

Calvert: Previous Award: Dale, G. J.

New Award: Duigan, M. L.

MeArtihur: Previous Award: Bromell, H. T. New Awards: Cox, J. S., Gretton-Watson, M. D., Jackson, J. L,

Morrison: Previous Awards—Aiton, Strahan[^] A. G. R.

New Awards: Nil.

Shannon: Previous Awards-Doak, P. J., Fallaw, C. W., McCay, I. W.

New Awards: Millikan, D., Urquhart, D. J. C.

CRICKET.

School Colours.

Previous Awards: Davies, J. E.

New Awards: Barnet, K. W., Fell-Smith, B. G., Fenton, G. C, Hallebone, G. P., Hookings, I. C, Sheahan, A. P., Young, P. J. School Capsi,

Previous Awards: Davies, J. E., Fell-Smith,

B. G., Young, P. J.

New Awards: Barnet, K. W., Barnet, I. R., Ekstedt, D. C, Fenton, G. C, Green, S. T., Hallebone, G. P., Hookings, I. C, Sheahan, A.

House Colours.

Calvert: Previous Awards—Fell-Smith, B. G. New Awards: Davies, J. E., Fenton, G. C. Green, S. T.

MeArtihur: New Award—Gretton-Watson, M.

Morrison: Previous Award—Barnet, I. R. New Awards: Barnet, K. W., Hallebone, G.

Shannon: New Awards-Knox, M. J., Sheahan, A. P., Young, P. J.

ROWING.

Honour Awards.

Previous Awards: Bromell, H. T., McClelland, A. F., McDonald, M. L., Quinton, J. H. New Awards: Bade, R. J., Lawson, A. J., Mayne, P. G, McDonell, H., Whitehead, A. C.

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House Colours.

Calvert: Previous Awards-Both, R. A., Whitehead, A. C. H.

New Awards: Agnew, R., Bade, R. J., Berney, D. H. M., McDonell, H.

MeArtihur: Previous Awards-Bromell, H. T., Forbes, H. C, McClelland, A. F.

New Award: Edge, R. P.

Morrison: Previous Awards: McLennan, P. M., McDonald, M. E., Mayne, P. C, McArthur, A. H.

New Awards: Mactier, J. I., Griffiths, R. I., Lawson, A. J. E., John, R.

Shannon: Previous Award-Quinton, J. H. New Award: Robson, J. S.

----FOOTBALL.

Honour Awards:

Previous Awards: Bromell, H. T., Davies, J. E.

New Awards: Fenton, G. C, Howard, R. D., Young, P. J.

School Colours.

Previous Awards: Bromell, H. T., Fenton, G. C, Davies, J. E., Young, P. J.

New Awards: Bade, R. J., Barnet, I. R., Barnet, K. W., Cousen, I. S., Coulson, A. E., Duigan, M. L-, Fallaw, C. W., Hookings, I. C, Howard, R. D., McClelland, A. F., McQueen, D., Powell, J. M.

School Caps.

Previous Awards: Bromell, H. T., Fenton, G. C, Davies, J. E., Young, P. T.

New Awards: Bade, R. J., Barnet, I. R., Barnet, K. W., Cousen, I. S., Coulson, A. E., Duigan, M. L., Fallaw, C. W., Hookings, I. C, Howard, R. D., McClelland, A. F., McQueen, D., Powell, J. M., Hazeldine, E. J., Jackson, J. L-, Lehmann, W. L.

House Colours.

Calvert: Previous Awards—Bade, R. J., Dale, G. J., Davies, J. E., Fenton, G. C. New Awards: Duigan, M. L., Fell-Smith, B. G., Geddes, A. C, Mitchell, B. R.

McArthur: Previous Awards-Bromell, H. T., McQueen, D.

New Awards: Bell, R. J., Cousen, I. S., Edge, R. P., Lehmann, W. L-, McClelland, A. F.

Morrison: Previous Awards-Hazeldine, E. J., Howard, R. D., Barnet, K. W.

New Awards: Barnet, I. R., Coulson, A. E., Griffiths, R. I., Lawson, A. J. E-, McLennan,

Shannon: Previous Award—Young, P. J. New Awards: Fallaw, C. W., Knox, M. J., Mulligan, B., Quinton, J. H.

ATHLETICS. Honour Awards*.

Previous Award: Bromell, H. T. School Colours.

Previous Awards: Bromell, H. T., Fallaw,

C. W., Howard, R. D. New Awards: Aiton, D., Davies, J. E., Duigan, M. L-, McLennan, P. M.

School Caps.

Previous Awards: Bromell, H. T., Fallaw, C. W., Howard, R. D., Hinchliffe, J. R., Irvine, J, R., McKenzie, J. S.

New Awards: Aiton, D., Brown, G. K., Davies, J. E., Duigan, M. L., McLennan, P. M. House Coloursu

Calvert: New Awards-Both, N. M., Both, R. A., Dale, G. J., Davies, J. E., Duigan, M. L-, Fell-Smith, B. G., Gardner, D. E., Mitchell, B. R., Jamieson, G. J.

McArthur: Previous Award—Bromell, H. T. New Awards: Bell, R. J., Cousen, I. S., Lehmann, W. L., MacPherson, M. R., McQueen, D. Morrison: Previous Award—Howard, R. D.

A. J. E., McLennan, P. M., Strahan, A. G. R., Tymms, B. G.

Shannon: Previous Award—Fallaw, C. W. New Awards: Hughes, D. R., Knox, M. J., Sheahan, G. J., Weeks, S. F., Young, P. J.

New Awards: Aiton, D., Gregg, G. R. A.,

Hallebone, G. P., Hazeldine, E. J., Lawson,

TENNIS.

Honour Awards.

New Award: Tymms, B. G. School Colours and Caps.

New Awards: Cousen, I. S., Fletcher, A. L., McConaghy, D. R., Tymms, B. G., Wood, V. F. House Colours.

Calvert: New Awards-Nil.

McArthur: New Awards-Bromell, H. .T., Cousen, I. S., Henderson, A. G., McConaghy,

Morrison: Previous Award—Tymms, B. G. New Awards: Barnet, I. R., Fletcher, A. L. Shannon: New Awards-Hookings, I. C, Young, P. J.

Cross Country Running

The Cross Country Running Season started in the first weeks of second term. We had lost a number of good runners from last year but they had been replaced by many new and energetic runners as we found out early in the sea-

Several boys competed with Geelong Guild in two races at Eastern Park. One was a four mile race and the other a two mile. Later there was a three and a half mile race around High-

We also had a College run on the Saturday afternoon that the First XVIII played Wesley. On Old Boys' day when the First XVIII played Geelong Grammar at College we had a race over the very difficult three mile course. We ran against a team from the Grammar School and fifteen runners from Geelong Guild. F. Larkins was first in for Guild with the fastest time from scratch. Don Braden, an old boy, came in fourth place with the second fastest time and a Geelong Grammarian filled second place.

We were very privileged to have Mr. Rudolf Hockreiter of Geelong Guild to coach us. He spent at least two afternoons a week with us. Ken Wilson from the Geelong Guild came up also and helped in the latter part of the season. To both of these gentlemen we extend our sincerest thanks for devoting so much of their own time to us.

We had to change our usual training tracks to higher ones several times because the Barwon River flooded. This no doubt made us do more hill climbing than usual, however we were rewarded in later races by this training.

Our last Inter-school race for the term was the Public Schools v. High Schools run at Scotch on the day of the A.P.S. v H.S. football match.

The cross-country running finished with the Inter-House Championship Race. The number of competitors in this was not as many as in last year's, but the interest and amusing points were present as always.

GEELONG GUILD-GEELONG GRAMMAR COLLEGE RACE, 23rd JULY.

NAME	Place	Time	Handicap
Urquhart, I.	1	10.55 mins.	+2 mins.
Wood P.	8	12.00	+2
Moodie, R.	9	12.05	+2
McNair, T.	14	12.15	+2
Steel, E.	19	12.35	+2
Dew, R.	22	12.40	
Sloane, K.	24	12.55	+2
Troedel, W.	26	13.00	+2
Kefford D.	27	13.10	
Both, R.	33	13.40	
John, G.	34	13.41	
Carney, T.	37	14.5	+2
Jacobs, S.	38	14.6	+2
McDonell, H.	40	14.15	
Matthews, C.	41	15.10	-4-2

GEELONG SCHOOLBOYS' CHAMPIONSHIPS.

	Under	19.	
NAME	Place	Time	Handicap
Dew, R.	5	17.20	_
Kefford, D.	7	18.00	
Jamieson, G.	8	18.13	
Both, R.	10	18.17	
	Under	17.	
NAME	Place	Time	Handicap
Wood, P.	8	11.10	•
Tohn, G.	14	12.03	
Campbell, M. R.	15	12.04	
McNair, T.	18	12.10	
	Under	15.	
Urquhart, A.	9	9.11	
Smith, I.	13	9.19	
Rogers, I.	17	9.42	
Carney, T.	19	9.45	

	HOUSE	CROSS	COUNTRY	RUNNING.
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CALVERT		McARTHU	R	MORRISO	ON SHANNON		N
Name	Place	Name	Place	Name	Place	Name	Place
Open		Open		Open		Open	
Dew, R.	1	Kefford, D.	5	McLennan, P	. 2	Young, P.	3
Moodie, R.	9	McClelland, A.	. 7	Aiton, D.	4	Batten, B.	14
Berney, D.	11	Cousen, I.	8	Singer, B.	6	Quinton, J.	15
Duigan, M.	12	Bromell, H.	10	John. G.	17	Robson, J.	27
Both, R.	13	Browning, W.	20	Hazeldine, E.	18	Campbell, M.	28
Jamieson, G.	16	McQueen, D.	29	Edgar, R.	24	Weeks, S.	33
Under 16		Under 16		Under 16		Under 16	
McKenzie, J.	3	Andrews, K.	1	McNair, T.	4	Wood, P.	1
Walker, J.	10	Bell. R. J.	5	Leach, K.	6	Batten, B.	7
Leslie, D.	11	Morton, J.	22	Birks, D.	8	McAdie I.	9
Under 15		Under 15		Under 15		Under 15	
Carmichael R.	10	Hocking, P.	2	McKeon, D.	1	Blair, C.	4
Bade, P.	11	Corstorphan,	P, 5	Robbins, G.	3	Macleod, C.	6
Troedel, J.	12	McLeish, A.	8	Carney, T.	7	Irvine, G.	9
Under 14		Under 14		Under 14		Under 14	
Cooper, G.	8	Andrews, G.	5	Robbins G.	2	Sheahan, P.	1
Marshall, P.	9	Lyon, A.	11	Goodall, R.	3	Urquhart, A.	4
Carmichael, M.	14	Koch, W.	26	Oswell, B.	10	Steel, D.	6
		CALVERT	MORRI	SON SH	ANNON	McARTI	HUR
OPEN		233 (1st)	303	(2nd) 33	9 (3rd)	383 (4t	h)
UNDER 16		154 (1st)			0 (2nd)	246 (4t	h)
UNDER 15		374 (3rd)	408	(4th) 33	5 (2nd)	296 (19	st)
UNDER 14		474 (2nd)	330	(1st) 49	5 (3rd)	597 (4t	h)
TOTALS		1225	1278	137		1522	
PLACE		1	2	3		4	

Lowest score wins in each section.

Basis of 4 Points for 1st	Calvert13	Points,	1st
3 Points for 2nd	Morrison10	Points,	2nd
2 Points for 3rd	Shannon8	Points,	3rd
1 Points for 4th	McArthur7	Points,	4th

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Tennis

This year, school tennis took a turn for the better, for tennis was put on an equal status with cricket and football. This was particularly noticeable in first term when a school team played against other public school teams with some success.

I am sure the tennis coaching also contributed greatly to this new enthusiasm. Our thanks must accordingly go to Mr. Quick who organized the "cards" during the year, and to the coaches, Mr. Trethowan and Mr. Sleeman, for so faithfully devoting their time and their talents to improving the play of the younger boys, to whom we will look for the champions of the future.

We must also thank Mr. Lester for arranging a social "mixed" tournament, which was held on Saturday, 17th September, with girls from Morongo and the Hermitage. Ewan Hazeldine and Helen Dean are to be congratulated on their close victory over Brian Tymms and Jean McClelland. The day was immensely enjoyed by all, thanks to Mr. Lester's "to the second" timing of sets, and we hope similar social games may be arranged between the three schools in the years to come.

I.R.Y.

HOUSE RESULTS.

- 1. McArthur-3 wins.
- 2. Morrison—2 wins.
- 3. Shannon—1 win.
- 4. Calvert—0 wins.

Morrison defeated Calvert, 3 matches to 2.

Tymms-Barnet, I. defeated Corr A.-Corr I., 6-4, 6-1; and defeated Davies J.-Baker, 6-4, 6-3. Fletcher-Griffiths defeated Davies-Baker, 4-6, 6-1. 6-2; and lost to Corr-Corr. 5-6. 2-6.

Russell-Crawshay lost to Paton M.-Bowden, 1-10.

McArthur defeated Shannon, 3 matches to 2.

Bromell-Henderson A. defeated Young-Hookings, 6-2, 5-6, 7-5; and defeated Mansfield-Anderson, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

McConaghy-Cousen defeated Mansfield-Anderson, 6-2, 6-2; and lost to Young-Hookings, 6-4, 5-6, 4-6.

Corstorphan-Robsnn J. lost to Sheahan-Blair, 6-10

McArthur defeated Morrison, 3 matches to 2,

McConaghy-Cousen defeated Fletcher-Griffiths, 6-2, 6-2; and lost to Tymms-Barnet, 6-2, 3-ff. 3-6.

Bromell-Henderson defeated Fletcher-Griffiths, 6-4, 6-0; and lost to Tymms-Barnet, 2-6, 1-6.

Corstorphan-Robson defeated Russell-Birks, 10-3.

Shannon defeated Calvert, 5 matches to 0.

Young-Hookings defeated Davies-Baker, 6-4, 6-5; and defeated Corr-Corr, 6-2, 6-3.

Mansfield-Anderson defeated Corr-Corr, 6-3, 1-6, 6-4; and defeated Davies-Baker, 6-1, 2-6, 6-4.

Sheahan-Blair defeated Paton-Bowden, 10-9,

Morrison defeated Shannon, 4 matches to 1.

Tymms-Barnet defeated Young-Hookings, 4-6, 6-4, 6-0; and defeated Mansfield-Anderson, 6-4, 6-3.

Fletcher-Griffiths defeated Mansfield-Anderson, 6-0, 6-4; and defeated Young-Hookings, 4-6, 6-5, 8-6.

Hood-Birks lost to Sheahan-Blair, 7-10.

McArthur defeated Calvert, 4 matches to 1.

McConaghy-Cousen defeated Corr-Corr, 6-2, 6-3; and defeated Davies-Baker, 6-1, 6-1.

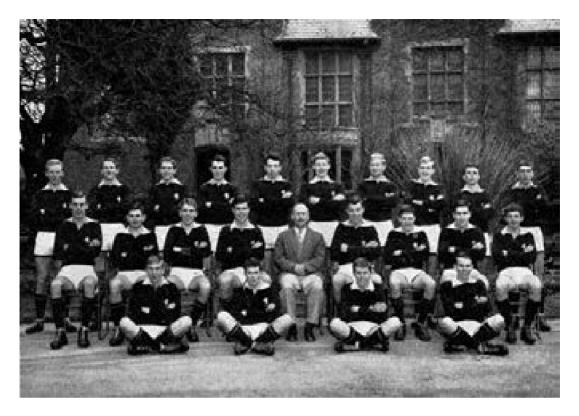
Bromell-Henderson defeated Davies-Baker, 6-3, 6-2; and defeated Corr-Corr. 6-4, 6-0.

Corstorphan-Robson lost to Paton-Bowden, 4-10.

SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

In the Under 15 Singles Championship, Paton, J. M. defeated Marshall, M. J., 5-6, 6-1, 6-2 and Corstorphan, G. B. defeated Sheahan, A. P., 6-2, 6-2 in the quarter finals. In the grand final Paton won the first set 6-5, but in a brilliant comeback Corstorphan won the next two, 6-0, 6-1. In the Under 15 Doubles Championship, Corstorphan G. B.-Sheahan, A. P. defeated Robson, R. K.-Stewart, R. J., 6-3, 6-2.

The Open Singles Championship was keenly contested. Barnet, I. R., the only player to be pressed to three sets in the previous round, by Corr, I., defeated McConaghy, O. R., 6-1. 6-2, and Tymms, B. G., defeated Corsorphan, G. B. in a colse 6-4, 6-2 game in the quarter finals. So the grand finalists were Barnet, I. R. and Tymms, B. G. Tymms won the first set 6-4 after continual service breaks. Although Barnet's big service, the most feared in the school, caused Tymms some trouble, the latter's perfect timing and ball control won him the day and he took the second set 6-3. In the Open Doubles, Barnet-Bromell defeated Cousen-Fletcher in a hard fought 6-4, 6-4 match. Tymms-McConaghy defeated Seward-Griffiths, 6-0, 6-1. In the Grand Final Tymms-McConaghy defeated Barnet-Bromell, 6-1, 6-1 to win the Doubles Championship.



FIRST XVIII.

STANDING: J. H. Quinton, I. S. Cousen, V. F. Wood, S. F. Weeks. D. McQueen, M. L. Duigan, A. E. Coulson, E. J. Hazeldine, J. M. Powell, R. J. Bade.

SITTING: C. W. Fallaw, I. R. Barnet, J. E. Davies, H. T. Bromell (Capt), F. R. Quick, Esq., G. C. Fenton (Vice-Capt.), R. D. Howard A. F. McClelland, K. W. Barnet. FRONT ROW: W. L- Lehmann, P. J. Young, I. C. Hookings, M. J. Knox.

Football

REPORT BY COACH OF 1st XVIII 1960.

Some Old Boys say that it doesn't matter what we do in football so long as we defeat Geelong Grammar in the P.S. round. Well, we won in 1958, drew in '59 and won handsomely this year so they ought to be satisfied. However," College 1st XVIII does far more than that. So far the New Public Schools have not been able to beat us. They know that we are prepared to fight it right out. "We never give up, we never give up, win, lose or draw," so goes our football song. They know we train harder and longer than any other school, so they know that we are to be feared in a last quarter. They know too. that we pull together, we help one another and the individual obeys his instructions and always does the best he can. These are the qualities that are putting us on the Football map. All combined they amount to our special brand of Geelong College spirit. And to this is added a cheerful tone in defeat which makes our boys great company on

and off the field. Congratulations training list members. It has been my great pleasure to have been amongst you and to have helped you to strive for those manly qualities that are going to be invaluable in your future life.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.

Congratulations once again Wesley. You were even better than last year in winning the Premiership.

Congratulations Mr. Jack Sheahan. In your first year as Coach of the U. 14A's you have won the V.H. Profitt Cup (awarded for highest percentage in matches throughout the season). Untiring, enthusiastic effort has been justly rewarded.

Congratulations Hugh Bromell for your great year. You carried the ruck. Your Captain's job was very well done, and you not only earned a game in the Combined A.P.S. side but stood out all day as the best big man on the ground. Congratulations Vice-Captain Garry Fenton

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for your splendid play that brougst you the Honour Award and thanks for your great help in the Committee, and to your Captain.

Congratulations John Davies for your great football; for your selection in the Combined A.P.S. side and for your outstanding play in that side. Our two College representatives Hugh and John brought honour to our school.

Congratulations Peter Young for your greatly improved and unselfish play. Your Honour Award was well deserved.

Congratulations I. Hookings for being selected in the U. 16 A.P.S. side and for playing so well

Thanks Mr. Ted Davies for your tremendous assistance to me during the football season; for your invaluable "bruiscology" work; for your umpiring; and for your circuit training routine that did so much for the lads. You do a great job here right throughout the year in sport.

Thanks Mr. D. D. Davey for your training of umpires, future umpires, and for your own splendid umpiring of senior games. A great service we sincerely appreciate.

Thanks to all Coaches of football teams for a most sincere attempt to follow my scheme for an overall development of coaching methods designed to encourage and increase the football strength of Geelong College. Your names are registered in news of your teams. Players have greatly appreciated your efforts.

Thanks to Mr. V. H. Profitt for your arduous work in organisation of games; and to Mr. J. H. Campbell for your work of recording scores and for arranging for our special catering needs.

Thanks to Mrs. Cloke and Staff for the special efforts to give our 1st XVIII such memorable barbecue lunches that provided us with the starting point for the fellowship we undoubtedly obtained and enjoyed.

Thanks Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fallaw for opening your home for the Team's end-of-year party. A memorable night, greatly enjoyed by all!!

Thanks Old Boy umpires and assistants. Your work has been invaluable, and was greatly appreciated. Bob Morrow, Ewan Bumpstead, Rex Gorell, Ian Redpath and Geoff. Nielson.

Thanks present students for doing special jobs to help various teams. Umpires: P. R. Mann. I. J. Fairnie, I. W. McCay, A. Corr. Officials: D. Aiton, R. A. F. Negri, J. T. Wallace, D. C. Ekstedt. Trainers: A. H. McArthur and A. C. H. Whitehead. Storeroom and Footballs' Attendant: J. McL. Mitchell

To all those others who have helped us and encouraged us, and especially to the Tuck Shop Staff for providing those great after-match "Soup-n-Sandwiches" which help to bring us into friendly contact with our opponents—such an important aspect. I say, sincerely, thank you for making 1960 such an enjoyable and worth while season.

F. R. Quick.

CAPTAIN'S REPORT, 1st XVIII 1960.

Although we started the season with only five players who had played in P.S. matches before, we did remarkably well. Those of you who know anything about footballers in the school will realise how many natural footballers it has. Very few!

The team consisted of a few of last year's second XVIII players and many from the under 16's. A notable feature of the season was the great improvement shown by all players as the season progressed.

I would like, on behalf of the training list, to thank our coach Mr. Quick, who worked at such a difficult task with great enthusiasm. We ieei greatly indebted to him for all that we learnt during the season and would like to congratulate him on being the first coach from College to coach the Combined Public School's team.

Keenness was amongst us right from the start and we were fortunate in winning most practice matches. The team had moulded together very well by the time the first P.S. match) came around. Our one defeat in section B, was to Wesley, who went on to win the Premiership. We congratulate them on their win. Geelong College were second in their section and played Xavier, second in Section A, in the final match. During this match we lost two of our faster players which we were unable to replace, and this may have cost us the match. Congratulations Xavier on your win. College finished fourh on the Premiership.

This year Mr. Davies introduced circuit training for the training list. This proved a major factor in getting the team fit and thus contributing to our success. Thank you for the interest you showed not only at training but at matches also. He put us through warming-up exercises and acted as medical adviser.

This year our officials were Alistair McArthur and Andrew Whitehead, trainers, Andrew Corr, goal umpire, Ian McCay, boundary umpire, and Doug. Aiton, time keeper. We thank them for their great assistance, willingness and loyal support during the season.

Finally I would like to thank any others who acted as officials, those old boys who made the effort to watch our matches, and the school for the way in which it supported us.

H.T.B.

P.S. MATCHES

BRIGHTON GRAMMAR v. COLLEGE.

(Played at Grammar)

This being our first P.S. match many of the boys who had never played P.S. football before were slightly nervous beneath a calm exterior, as they ran out onto the ground.

1st Quarter:

From the bounce Brighton Grammar took the initiative and drove the ball goalwards only to score one behind. Then College, with Bromell and Davies combining well, soon settled down to play good football and so ended the quarter with a five goal advantage.

 1st Quarter Scores:
 Gls.
 Bhds.
 Pts.

 G.C.
 7
 5
 47

 B.G.S.
 1
 2
 8

 2nd Quarter:

College attacked strongly all this quarter

keeping B.G. to only one goal. Davies showing great form drove the ball forward scoring goals readily.

2nd Quarter Scores:	Gls.	Bhds.	Pts.
G.C	10	11	71
B.G.S	2	2	14

3rd Quarter:

With systematic football Young gave great drive to the roving division. Fergus for B.G. seemed the only one to be putting up any opposition but to no avail as still more goals were being scored by College.

3rd	Quarter Scores:	U	Gls.	Bhds.	Pts.
	G.C		.16	21	117
	B.G.S		2	3	15

Final Quarter:

With both sides crowding the ball B.G. took the advantage and scored two successive goals. However play by Davies again brought College into attack through the remainder of the quarter. Thus we finished a very successful win over B.G. in our first P.S. match. Final Scores:

Gls. Bhds. Pts.

Goal Kickers: Davies 10, Young 4, Fenton 1, K. Barnet 1, Coulson 1, Powell 1, Hookings 1, Quinton 1.

Best Players: Davies, Bromell, Fenton, K. Barnet, Cousen, Powell.

WESL, EY v. COLLEGE. (Played at College)

1st Quarter:

College opened strongly countering every move from Wesley. Bromell and Davies were combining well initiating many moves but Butcher and Lucas proved an equally effective combination for Wesley. Fenton provided the first goal of the match, after marking 30 yards out on a slight angle. Wesley replied with a goal. College fought back and enabled Young to goal from a free. It was a difficult shot but his aim was true. After the bounce the forward's teamwork flashed the ball down for College and Young marked directly in front of goal. Wesley attacked hard but College defence was strong. Then Walduck broke through with a goal for Wesley. From the bounce College broke away and McQueen put another goal on the board for College. Wesley replied with a goal when Walduck received a free just before the bell and the quarter ended with Wesley one point ahead. 1s

st	Quart	er	Sc	or	es	:		Gls.	Bhds.	Pts.
	G.C.							4	0	24
	W.C							4	1	25

2nd Quarter:

At the change College was ready to regain the lead, but Walduck scored majors from two angle shots. College showed their spirit and teamwork by forcing the ball down and scoring a goal through Wesley's solid defence line. Wesley attacked often and broke away many times but bad kicking registered many points. The good play by College backs stopped Wesley from scoring many more.

2nd	Quar	tei	: :	Sco	re	s:	(Gls.	Bhds.	Pts
	G.C.							.5	0	30
	W.C.							7	4	46
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3rd Quarter:

Realising Wesley were running away College attacked desperately but Wesley repulsed every move. Wesley had settled down and their play was superior to that of College for they piled on three goals while College only scored one point.

3rd	Quarter	Scores:	Gls.	Bhds.	Pts.
	G.C		. 5	1	31
	W.C.		 .10	6	66

Final Quarter:

Heavy rain was falling when the final term began but College, not to be deterred, were fighting back only to find their efforts in vain. Wesley attacked but four points went on the board before their first goal. College once again came back, but weather and luck were against them for only a point resulted. Wesley now dominated the play, but the College backs kept their score to a further two goals three behinds. Final Scores:

Gls. Bhds. Pts.

G.C	 .5	2	32
W.C Goal Kickers:			
	 -,	C	-,

Best Players: Bromell, Fallaw, Young, Davies, K. Barnet, Fenton.

GEELONG GRAMMAR v. COLLEGE. (Played at College)

The day was overcast, the ground was soft and greasy. The match was of a higher standard than was expected. Bromell won the toss and decided to kick toward the House of Music goal. There was very little breeze.

1st Quarter:

College swung into attack from the first bounce but erratic play on the forward line and good defence by the Grammar backs prevented many goals. A long kick from Davies in the centre found Fenton a long way out and his kick registered the first goal. Young was quick to follow with two snap goals from his alert roving around the packs. The backs were turning back all Grammar's attempts at goal and College capitalized on BromeH's palming to Davies who was dominating in the centre. Howard from the wing, passed to Young who in turn handballed to Fenton and his kick on the run brought up our fourth goal. Grammar suddenly swung into attack and kicked two quick goals.

1 st	Quarter	Sco	res:	(JlS.	Bhds.	Pts.
	G.C				4	2	26
	G.G.S.				2	1	13

2nd Quarter:

For the first time play became rather scrambly, and many opportunities were wasted on the forward line. K. Barnet earned many kicks and eventually found Young who claimed his third goal. This was College's only major for the quarter. Systematic work by Grammar brought up their third goal for the match. With the backs, I. Barnet, Hazeldine and Fallaw in particular, almost unbeatable, Grammar's

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task was very hard. Bromell's many kicks were quite often turned back by the opposing backs. 2nd Quarter Scores: Gls. Bhds. Pts.

G.C. 5 3 33 G.G.S. 3 3 21 3rd Ouarter:

This quarter the whole team worked as one and the ball rarely passed the centre. Some good teamwork from Cousen to Bade to Fenton to McQueen who marked about fifteen yards out brought up another goal. In the centre College were never beaten with the teamwork of Howard, Davies and Young, taking the ball from Bromell. Coulson running out of the play handballed to Davies and his long kick found no one at home and rolled through for another goal. Davies, Fenton and K. Barnet missed "sitters" and the score of two goals six for the quarter was disappointing.

 3rd Quarter Scores:
 Gls.
 Bhds.
 Pts

 G.C.
 ...
 .7
 9
 51

 G.G.S.
 ...
 .3
 4
 22

Final Quarter:

A similar quarter to the 3rd in that Grammar were only able to kick one goal one point and College had command of most of the play. Duigan, McClelland and Bromell were Grammar's worst obstacles in this quarter. An unfortunate incident occured when one of our "tanks" collided with Fraser the Grammar rover. Fraser was taken off the field with concussion. Young, still brilliant around the packs was rewarded with two more goals giving him a total of five for the match. The ball was on the College forward line when the bell sounded the end to a typical hard College, Grammar match.

 Final Scores:
 Gls.
 Bhds.
 Pts.

 G.C.
 .9
 11
 65

 G.G.S.
 .4
 5
 29

Goal Kickers: Young 5, Fenton 2, Davies 1, McQueen 1.

Best Players: Bromell, Davies, Young, Howard, Fenton, K. Barnet.

CAULFIELD GRAMMAR v. COLLEGE. (Played at Caulfield,)

The Caulfield oval was in good condition except for several, foul-smelling muddy patches around the goals at the street end. Quite a strong wind blew diagonally across the ground towards the street end. The sky was overcast and threatened rain.

1st Quarter:

Kicking with the wind Caulfield were first into attack with a quick goal. The College backs took some time to settle down. However inaccurate kicking by the Caulfield forwards prevented them from going further ahead. College went forward through Duigan—the only result being points. Late in the quarter Hookings broke from the pack and goaled from thirty yards out and directly in front.

 1st Quarter Scores:
 Gls.
 Bhds.
 Pts.

 G.C.
 1
 3
 9

 C.G.S.
 1
 4
 10

2nd Quarter:

With the wind in their backs, College were

quickly into attack with Davies goaling from a long kick. However lack of co-operation among the College backs resulting in Caulfield scoring two quick goals. With Duigan defending well, College attacked again. Coulson, bursting through the pack, ran into an open goal and goaled. Later in the quarter after a period of slow, slugging football, Davies flying high above the pack, marked securely and kicked accurately for College's fourth goal. Caulfield came back and scored another goal making the difference only two points. 2nd Quarter Scores: Gls. Bhds. Pts.

3rd Quarter:

This quarter began with a quick goal by Caulfield. However the backs, playing together at last, repulsed several more determined attacks before Fenton, from fifty yards out on an angle, drop-kicked a goal on the run. College had the better of the remainder of the quarter with another goal from Fenton, again from a long way out.

 3rd Quarter Scores:
 Gls.
 Bhds.
 Pts.

 G.C.
 6
 9
 45

 C.G.S.
 5
 5
 35

4th Quarter:

The final quarter started with College 10 points in front and kicking with the wind. Several determined Caulfield attacks were repulsed by Duigan and Howard both playing very well. College then went into attack and Davies' long, left-foot snap rolled through for a goal. Young was playing very unselfish football and opening up the forward line by handballing away from the packs. K. Barnet running into the open, goaled. Then Young, clinching the victory tor College and climaxing an excellent, unselfish game, burst from the pack and goaled. College ran out winners by 25 points.

 Final Scores:
 Gls.
 Bhds.
 Pts.

 G.C.
 9
 12
 66

 C.G.S.
 6
 5
 41

Goal Kickers: Davies 3, Fenton 2, Hookings 1, Coulson 1, Young 1, K. Barnet 1.

Best Players: Duigan, Young, Fenton, Howard, Davies, Bromell.

XAVIER v. COLLEGE. (Played at College)

For this match there was only one main change. Wood came into the forward pocket, Hookings became 19th man relieving Knox of that position. The oval was dry. the weather cloudy and a slight breeze was blowing toward the scoreboard end. The captains, Bromell and Roche tossed, and the latter won, electing to kick with the breeze.

1st Quarter:

A the first bounce Bromell palmed to Davies whose kick was releived upfield and Xavier went into attack. College backs prevented any score. Both teams were even and neither team scored for a considerable time. Howard on the wing outplayed several opponents and a long kick for goal was marked in the goal square by Wood who accordingly goaled. Xavier

were quick to equalize and soon after kicked their second. Once again play moved around the centre and Xavier marked and goaled on the bell.

1st Quarter	r	Sc	or	es	:	(Gls.	Bhds.	Pts.
G.C							.1	1	7
X.C							.3	3	21

2nd Quarter:

College attacked from the start but only to be driven back time after time. K. Barnet marked 70 yards out and had a shot which_fell short. Fenton was able to mark this and his kick put us within eight points of Xavier. Bad luck hit College when Howard and Powell (both playing well) were taken off with concussion after a collision. Play see-sawed and Xavier managed to goal. College kicked two points then K. Barnet broke clear and passed to Cousen who registered our third goal. We were still in attack when the bell ended our best quarter.

2nd	Quar	te	r	sco	ore	s:	(ĴlS.	Bhds.	Pts.
	G.C.							3	4	22
	X.C.							4	4	28

3rdl Quarter;

Xavier played very determined football from half time onwards. They had much of the play, however our backs were doing a good job. Especially Hazeldine who was unbeatable in the pocket. College were missing the drive from Howard around the packs. Hookings was tripped within 35 yards of the goals and given a free. His kick was accurate. Xavier played harder now and went away to a commanding lead by adding four goals to their score. Young, around the packs, and Bade on the wing were doing a lot of good work but all to no avail. 3rd Ouarter Scores: Gls. Bhds. Pts.

G.C.				4	5	29
X.C.				.8	8	56

Final Quarter:

This was the quarter where Xavier went further ahead as College were rarely sighted. Bromell was inspiring his team with great personal determination but the lack of College teamwork all over the ground and bad handling of the ball cost College a score which might well have been. Three points was the only score College managed. K. Barnet, Fallaw and Bade drove the ball forward several times only to be returned by the Xavier backmen. Xavier kicked six goals for the quarter.

Final Sc	ore	es:			Gls.	Bhds.	Pts.	
G.C.					4	8	32	
X.C.					.14	11	95	

Goal Kickers: Wood 1, Fenton 1, Cousen 1, Hookings 1.

Best Players: Hazeldine. Bromell, Howard, K. Barnet, Bade, Young, Fenton.

2nd XVIII NOTES 1960.

We began the season with a sound victory over Scotch. This win put the players in good spirit and gave them confidence for their next match.

The following match was played against Xavier, at Xavier. We found this team slightly stronger than anticipated. Each player in our

team played well, but a last quarter burst by the Xavierians, left us stranded.

In our third match against Carey, the opposition scored a behind in the final fifteen seconds before the siren, and we were unluckily defeated.

Our last practice match, played against Melbourne Grammar School resulted in M.G.S. being the superior team. However, still full of confidence and determination, we trained solidly, ready for a victory against Wesley, in our first P.S. game. The result of this match however was not in our favour, although the match was a great tussle throughout. Not one player gave up at any stage of the game.

The second P.S. match was played against Geelong Grammar School, at Corio. We found some tough opposition in this team, who just scraped home to win by a few points, in the final stages.

Our players were not discouraged by these losses, and trained harder each week, which eventually paid dividends. In the last match before the finals, we scored a jubiliant win over Caulfield Grammar School. Our team staged an excellent performance of first-class football in this match.

The finals were played the following week, when we met Xavier. The match was played at Xavier, where a thick fog had accumulated over night. The 'back-line' players found it difficult to see the opposite end of the ground in the early stages of the mach, due to the dense fog. It cleared however in the latter part of the game. Xavier received a great shock when we dominated the beginning of the game, and scored two majors. They came to within a few points of us, but once again we swept away from them. The final scores however, proved Xavier to be a shade better.

The fighting spirit of the team and the "never-give-up" attitude of the players, was a great asset of the 2nd XVIII. Each member of the 2nd XVIII training list trained hard and willingly throughout the season.

I would like to offer my congratulations to those members of the team who were selected to play in the 1st XVIII, after displaying outstanding performances in 2nd XVIII matches—E. J. Hazeldine, I. S. Cousen, S. T. Weeks, J. H. Quinton and V. F. Wood.

Finally I would like to thank Rex Gorell who gave up a great deal of his time to offer his services as coach, and to travel with us to important matches.

The 2nd XVIII training list consisted of:—
A. G. R. Strahan (Capt.), M. E McDonald (v.c), M. R. MacPhersron, P. M. McEennan, G. J. Dale, A. J. E. Eawson, J. S. Robson, D. R. Hughes, P. J. Doak, G P. Hallebone, R. I. Griffiths, B. G Fell-Smith, D. R. McConaghy, B. G. Tymms, B. R. Mitchell, M. D. Gretton-Watson, A. L. Fletcher, D. J. C. Urquhart, R. E. Fraser, R. P. Edge.

Also E. J. Hazeldine, I. S. Cousen, S. F. W^eeks, J. H. Quinton, V. F. Wood, who were selected in the 1st XVIII team.

A.G.R.S.

3rd X'VIII NOTES 1960

Although not a very successful season, everyone I am sure enjoyed it thoroughly. I think that everyone who played in the 3rds this year would like to thank our coach, Mr. Davey for the precious time he sacrificied to help us and also for all the trouble he went to in organising so many matches.

Apart from playing our Saturday matches against Brighton Grammar, Geelong Grammar, Caulfield Grammar and Scotch College we also played the Geelong schools on Tuesdays. Those we played were Belmont High, St. Joseph's College and Chanel College. Although only winning the last match against Chanel who were a smaller side we had some close tussles notably against Caulfield Grammar who only beat us by 5 points. This helped somewhat, to mould a team out of eighteen individual players.

Those who played this season were:— G. R. A. Gregg (Capt), D. M. H. Burney (v.-c), R. J. Baker, T. P. H. Cole, A. R. Corr, M. C. Cameron, R. P. Edge, L. Enscoe, L. F. Evans, A. R. Garrett, P. J. Grant, D. A. J. Dennis, R. A F. Negri, P. C. Mayne, P. R. Malkin, K. A I. Maclean, K. R. Kilsby, B A. R. Tyrer, G. J. Sheahan, B. N. Singer, R. D. Kitson, J. G. McInnes, P. R. Mann, J. T. Wallace, L. H. Reichenau, R. D. Williams.

G.R.A.G.

UNDER 16 A.

This year we were not a successful team if you gauge success on the number of matches we won, but we were successful in a number of other ways. We learnt how to fight on even in seemingly hopeless positions, and to take defeat in a sporting manner.

Throughout the season Mr. Reid unfailingly devoted his time to us—we hope he does not feel his time was wasted.

Congratulations to J. M. Powell, I. C. Hookings and M. J. Knox on gaining selection in the first XVIII.

Those who played: H. C. Forbes (c), M. J. Knox (v.-c), J. W. Anderson, R. J. Bell D. G. Bent, B. N. Batten, D. C. Ekstedt. C. P. Emerson, A. C. Geddes, D. E. Goldstraw, S. T. Green, J. H. Greene, J. R. Hinchliffe, P. M. Hobday, T. J. Holden, J. R. Irvine. K. F. Leach, J. M. Mansfield, J. S. McKenzie, A. D. McDonald, B. Mulligan, C. G. Seward, I. W. Urquhart, I. C. Wadelton

Best players were: J. W. Anderson, D. G. Bent. C.P. Emerson, H. C. Forbes, A. C. Geddies, S. T. Green, P. M. Hobday, M. J. Xnox, J. M. Mansfield, I. W. Urquhart. Results:

G.C, 2-5 lost to S.C, 16-16.

G.C., 0-3 lost to X.C. 9-13.

G.C, 4-3 lost to M.G.S., 6-5. G.C, 15-7 defeated Carey, 3-2 G.C, 9-7 defeated B.G.S, 4-4. G.C, 4-4 lost to W.C, 9-9.

G.C, 2-1 lost to G.G.S., 5-7.

G.C, 12-8 defeated C.G.S., 2-3.

G.C, 3-1 lost to XC, 8-8.

UNDER 16 B.

This season was most enjoyable but not so successful as we only won one match out of the eight played. The team was handicapped often by the loss of our best players to the Although we suffered many de-"A" team. feats the spirit and enthusiasm was high throughout the season and all matches were hard fought. As the season progressed it was noticeable that everybody was improving and by the end of the season the standard of football was very high for a "B" team. On behalf of the team I would like to thank Mr. Robertson for his advice and keen interest throughout the

The team:—R. F. Hicks (Capt.), K. F. Leach (v.-c), R. L. Allison, K. T. Andrews, P. A. Bartold, B. N. Batten, A. S. Bickford, P. W. Busbridge, R. O. Burger, P. D. Dobie, K. J. Dunn, D. E. Gardner, J. H. Greene, A. G. Henderson, J. R. Hinchliffe, J. H. Hurlston, A. D. McDonald, R. G. Strong, G. I. Thompson, J. W. Wallace, V. G. Watson, C W. Whitehead, R. C Wright.

Best players:— R. L. Allison, K. T. Andrews, B. N. Batten, K. J. Dunn, J. H. Greene, K. F. Leach, A. D. McDonald, R. C Wright.

The results:-

G.C, 1-1 lost to S.C, 15-16.

G.C, 3-4 lost to X.C, 4-11.

G.C, 4-4 lost to M.G.S, 8-16. G.C, 3-19 defeated B.G.S., 2-1. G.C, 2-4 lost to W.C, 6-6. G.C, 3-1 lost to G.G.S., 4-14.

G.C, 3-9 lost to C.G.S, 5-4. G.C, 3-5 lost to X.C, 7-4.

R.F.H.

UNDER 15 A.

During this year the U 15A football team played 9 matches and won 5. Which was not as good as last year's performance.

At the first practice we were glad to see Mr. Bickford our last year's coach back with us once more, and many new boys. Mr. Young the coach of the "B" team, left early in the season and so Mr. Bickford ably took over his team as well.

Those who plaved with this team were:-D. Balfour (Capt.j, D. M. Birks (v.-c), R. H. Bielby, G. K. Brown, C. C. Blair, R. B. Crawshay, N. McL. Craig, I. D. Corr, A. J. Forbes, M. R. Florence, S. T. Hood, T. A. Hinchliffe, G. C Henderson, G. G. Irvine, D. P. McKeon, C W. MacLeod, A. J. McLeish, R. P. McCann, I. B. Opperman, J. M. Paton, R. T. R. Russell, R. K. Robson, H. G. P. Strahan, R. R. Tonkin. D.B.

UNDER 15 B.

A fairly successful season was enjoyed by the team. Nine games were played of which we won four and drew one. We defeated Xavier twice, Carey Grammar Brighton Grammar once. We lost to Wesley College, Geelong Grammar, Melbourne Grammar, and Scotch College. The drawn match was against Caulfield Grammar. On behalf of the team I would like to thank Mr.

Bickford our coach, for the time he spent with us and his advice on and off the field. Those who played during the season were, A. J. Paterson (Capt), D. M. Calvert (v.-c), R. P. McCann, D. G. Leslie, S. T. Hood, R. J. Hede, W. M. Patterson, G. M. Cotton, J. S. Holland, R. Jones, I. M. Dobie, W. G. Reddrop, R. A. Fraser, G. J. Manger, R. R. Tonkin, R. P. Carmichael, W. L. Renfrey, G. R. Smith, A. L. Langslow, I. L. Gill, G. B. Corstorphan, G. C. Henderson, J. H. McKindlay, C. R. Simson, J. S. Johnston, J. D. Troedel, R. W. Walter.

A.T.

UNDER 14 A.
This year the U 14A team was fortunate enough to win the coveted V.H.P. Trophy.

The first match against Scotch proved unsuccessful for us, as we had not trained before the match. However through tight teamwork and much enthusiasm we were successful in all other matches except that against Brighton Grammar. The team trained very hard and there was ample reward, as has been shown. I would like to thank Rob. Lawler very much for his co-operation during the season, and also the team for their fighting teamwork.

Lastly, I would like to thank Mr. J. Sheahan for the time he gave up to coaching and encouraging us at all times.

Those who played were:—A. P. Sheahan (Capt.), R. J. Lawler (v.-c), G. T. Andrews, G. R. Barratt, D. A. Cook, R. D. Cumming, R. J. David, P. C. Fagg, D. G. French, R. H. K. Goodall, M. D. Greene, C. M. Gross, D. W. Heath, P. R. S. Kidd, W. A. Koch, H. E. Kryczko, J. E. Leishman, P. J. Marshall, R. W. McGregor, G. A. Robbins, P. E. Roberts, I. H. Smith, R. Thomson, M. R Webb, L. J. Weddell.

UNDER 14 B.

This year although unsuccessful towards the beginning of the season, the U. 14B's have had a happy and pleasant year. We won three of the nine games and these were won against Wesley, Geelong Grammar and Caulfield Grammar at the latter part of the season. At one time we travelled to Melbourne Grammar with our first XVIII and enjoyed a barbecue just outside Melbourne. On many occasions we went to Queen's Park by truck for training and practice matches. Mr. D. W. Martin was our coach with Ian Fainie and Robert Sanderson helping out. At one match at Geelong Grammar captain D. W. G. Downey and vicecaptain R. F. Stewart were both injured so W. Koch and B. Olsen took over.

Those who played during the season were:—D. W. G. Downey (Capt.), R. F. Stewart (v.-c), R.'. J. Asplin, G. R. Barratt, A. G. Birks, T. W. Borbidge, M. M. Carmichael, D. A. Cooke, S. J. Coulson, R. D. Cumming, A. J. Drew, D. A. Ellerman, R. J. David, P. A. Hamilton, D. W. Heath, S. W. Jacobs, W. A. Koch, H. E. Kryczko, A. A. Lyon, D. G. MacDonald, R. G. Madden, I. C. Martin, B. R. Olsen, G. Oswell, L. J. Powell, A. H. Rickarby, R. M. Robson, J. D. Roydhouse, I. H. Smith, A. S. Wall.

UNDER 13 A.

During 2nd term of this year the U. 13 team were coached on Thursdays by Rev. E. C. Mc-Lean. We would like to thank him for the time he gave the team. This season we had 23 players to pick from and we had some good players and the rest were very good tryers. We played 8 matches, won 5 and lost 3. The team consisted of:—W. A. Koch (Capt.), R. J. David (v.-c), I. C. Martin, P. G. Richardson, B. R. Olsen, G. Oswell, A. T. Drew, P. A. Hamilton, R. G. Betts, M. R. Wood, C. W. Wright, J. P. Simpson, P. R. Webb, C. M. Gross, P. T. Funston, T. J. Fenton, A. D. Proudfoot, J. D. Roydhouse, J. D. Reynolds, H. Crane, A. G. Birks, G. S. Campbell

W.A.K.

UMPIRES NOTES.

This football season, a panel of senior boys was given the opportunity to take charge of some of the younger inter-school football matches. These umpires were watched and helped throughout the season by the coaches of the teams, Mr. Davey and Mr. Profitt. To these men we are truly indebted and would like to thank them for helping us. As the season progressed we gathered confidence and towards the end the umpiring standard had increased considerably.

One of the senior members of our panel, Andrew Corr received a great honour in being chosen as the A.P.S. goal umpire.

P.R.M.

HOUSE FOOTBALL HOUSE MATCHES, 1960.

1st Round:

Open: McArthur, 8.6 (54 points) defeated Calvert, 3.3 (21 points).

Goal Kickers—McArthur: Bent 3, McConaghy 2, McQueen 3. Calvert: McKenzie 1, Davies 1, Bade 1.

Under 15: McArthur, 6.5 (41 points) defeated Calvert, 3.4 (21 points).

Open: Morrison, 8.10 (58 points) defeated Shannon, 4.5 (29 points).

Goal Kickers—Morrison: Hallebone 4, Barnet, I. 3, Powell 1. Shannon: Urquhart, I. 1, Frazer 1, Knox 1, FaHaw 1. 2nd Round¹:

Open: Morrison, 5.1 (31 points) defeated Calvert, 3-5 (23 points).

Goal Kickers—Morrison: Barnet, I. 4, Wood 1. Calvert: Fell-Smith 1, Duigan 1, Green, S. 1. Under 15: Morrison, 5.9 (39 points) defeated Calvert, 4.3 (27 points).

Goal Kickers—Morrison: Cook 2, Birks 1, Florence 1, Hood 1. Calvert: French 2, Troedel, J. 1, Lawler 1.

Open: McArthur, 4.9 (33 points) defeated Shannon, 2.5 (17 points).

Goal Kickers—McArthur: McQueen 2, Bromell 1, Bent 1. Shannon: Millikan 1, Young 1.

Under 15: McArthur, 7.6 (48 points) defeated Shannon, 3.6 (24 points).

Goal Kickers—McArthur: Andrews 4, Forbes 1, Robson 1, Gill 1. Shannon: Beilby 2, Cotton 1.

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3rd Round:

Open: Calvert, 107 (67 points) defeated Shannon, 4.5 (29 points).

Goal Kickers—Calvert: Davies 6, Irvine 2, Corr 1, Green, S. 1. Shannon: Hookings, 1, Young 1, Ekstedt 1, Knox 1.

Under 15: Calvert, 3.3 (21 points) defeated Shannon, 2.3 (15 points).

Goal Kickers—Calvert: Jones 2, French 1. Shannon: MacKinlay 1, Bielby 1.

Open: McArthur, 5.6 (36 points) defeated Morrison, 3.3 (21 points).

Goal Kickers—McArthur: McConaghy 2, Bromell 1, Bent 1, McQueen 1. Morrison: Hallebone 2, Lawson 1.

Under 15: Morrison, 8.8 (56 points) defeated McArthur, 5.5 (35 points).

Goal Kickers—Morrison: Balfour 2, Strahan 1, Russell 1, Leishman 1, Hood 2, Cook 1. McArthur: Johnston 2, Andrews 2, Gill 1.

Results.

Open: 1. McArthur Under 15: 1. Morrison

2. Morrison 2. McArthur 3. Calvert 3. Calvert

4. Shannon 4. Shannon

Cricket

PROSPECTS 1961.

In P.S. matches 1960, thirteen boys played at least one match and one boy was 12th man in two matches. Of these seven will be returning to school next year. Therefore it would appear that a backbone of experienced players will be available, a big factor in P.S. matches.

On paper, our draw for 1961 appears easier than for 1960. In 1960 we played Melbourne Grammar, Wesley, Scotch and Geelong Grammar. These were all very strong teams. Next year our games will be against St. Kevin's, Carey, Haileybury, and Geelong Grammar. It is hoped that the experience gained last season will be of great value to the team. A preview of each phase of our game is as follows:—

BATTING. Should be solid even through to the 11th man.

BOWLING. At present is our weakest point. Although we have a variety of bowlers, the attack lacks penetration and control. A hostile fast bowler is lacking. Also a leg spinner with control of length and direction.

FIELDING. Should be excellent in all departments, but another slips specialist would be desirable.

WICKET-KEEPING. Ian Hookings our keeper last season should improve and give good service next year.

Boys who played in P.S. matches last year and not returning are as follows: Peter Young (Capt.), Bruce Fell-Smith, Ken and Ian Barnet, Garry Fenton, Ewen Hazeldine and Dennis Ekstedt. These boys will be missed and we wish them every success in their future cricket.

Boys returning and most likely to gain places in the First XI are as follows:—

John Davies, 17, 10 P.S. games, R.H. batsmen and *leg* spin bowler. Vice-capt. last season.

Graham Hallebone, 16, 5 P.S. games, L.H. opening batsman and medium pace bowler.

Paul Sheahan, 14, 5 P.S. games, R.H. batsman and off-spin bowler.

Stewart Green, 16, 4 P.S. games, L.H. opening batsman.

Ing batsman.

Ian Hookings, 16, 5 P.S. games, R.H. batsman and W/Keeper.

Anthony Bickford, 16, 2 P.S. games, R.H.

medium pace. Bowls in-swingers.

Michael Gretton-Watson, 17, no P.S. games,
R.H. batsman and L.H. medium pace bowler.

R.H. batsman and L.H. medium pace bowler.
Michael Knox, 16, no P.S. games. R.H. batsman.

Bruce Mulligan, 16, no P.S. games, R.H. Batsman.

John Mansfield, 16, no P.S. games, R.H. medium pace bowler, mainly out-swingers.

Randall Bell, 16, no P.S. games, R.H. medium pace bowler, moves both ways.

Robert Russell, 15, no P.S. games, R.H. batsman and R.H. medium pace bowler.

Colin Blair, 14, no P.S. games, R.H. batsman.

Fixtures for 1961:—

Tuesday and Wednesday 7th/8th February, matches to be arranged against Old Collegians. Saturday 11th February, Practice match.

Friday and Saturday 17th/18th February, 1st P.S. Match, G.C. v. St. Kevin's (away).

Friday and Saturday 24th/25th February, G.C. bye.

Friday and Saturday 3rd/4th March, 2nd P.S. Match, G.C. v. G.G.S, (home).

Friday and Saturday 10th/11th March, 3rd P.S. Match, G.C. v. H.C. (home).

Friday and Saturday 17th/18th March, 4th P.S. Match, G.C. v. Carey (away).

Friday and Saturday 24th/25th March, Final Round (away).

E.B.D.

Athletics

This term we were hampered by an occurrence of bad weather which meant that training on the ovals was impossible for a short period of time. Most boys trained on roads and made

the best use of the gymnasium.

This year the General House Committee decided to award House Athletic Colours to a boy in the Open age group who gained nine standards of which at least seven must be high. Consequently training was well attended and the keener Athletes were able to follow a training schedule which was made out for all dis-We must thank Mr. Profitt, Mr. tances. Campbell, Mr. Davies and Mr. Rudolph Hochreiter and others who were concerned in arousing the necessary enthusiasm, for the advice they gave and for the great assistance, not only in our preparation for the competitive meeting, but also for running standards

Thanks to the efforts of the ground staff the school sports were held under excellent condiions, on October 14th. During the sports four records were broken and five relay records were

also broken.

RESULTS—HOUSE SPORTS.

1. Shannon Calvert

2. McArthur 4. Morrison CHAMPIONSHIP. OPEN

1, H. T. Bromell (The Geelong College Cup); 2, C. W. Fallaw (The Norman Morrison Cup);

3, D. Aiton and R. D. Howard.
The Nigel Boyes' Trophy, for Field Games—

H. T. Bromell.

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP.

1, S. T. Green and J. R. Irvine (The G. W. C. Ewan Cup); 3, I. W. Urquhart. UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIP.

1, A. P. Sheahan (The Athol J. Wilson Cup); 2, G. M. Cotton.

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP.

1, G. Andrews (The E. R. Sparrow Cup); 2, P. Roberts.

RELAYS.

OPEN (6 x 220 yards): 1, Calvert; 2, Morrison; 3, Shannon; 4, McArthur. Time 2 min.

27.2 secs. (Record).

UNDER 16 1320 yards (4 x 110, 2 x 220, 1 x 440): 1, Calvert; 2, Shannon; 3, Morrison; 4, McArthur. Time 2 min. 42 secs. (Record). UNDER 15 (6 x 110). 1, Shannon; 2, Calvert; 3, McArthur; 4, Morrison. Time 1 min. 19.5 secs. (Record).

UNDER 14 (4 x 110): 1, Shannon; 2, McArthur; 3, Calvert; 4, Morrison. Time 56.6 secs.

(Record).

MEDLEY (If miles): 1, Shannon; 2, Morrison; 3, Calvert; 4, McArthur. Time 7 min. 12.4 secs. (Record).

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS.

100 YARDS: 1, Howard, R. D. (M); 2, Mitchell, B. R. (C); 3, Fallaw, C. W. (S); 4, Davies, J. E. (C); 5, Weeks, S. E. (S). Time, 10 5 secs

220 YARDS: 1, Howard, R. D. (M); 2 Fal-

law, C. W. (S); 3, Mitchell, B. R. (C); 4, Davies, J. E. (C); 5, Weeks, S. F. (S). Time

440 YARDS: 1, Fallaw, C. W. (S); 2, Davies, J. E. (C), 3; Lehmann, W. L. (McA); 4, Strahan, A. G. (M); 5, Bromell, H. T. (McA).

Time, 53.9 secs.

880 YARDS: 1, Aiton, D. (M); 2, Young, P.
J. (S); 3, McLennan, P. M. (M); 4, Lehmann,
W. L. (McA); 5, Urquhart, I. W. (S). Time,

2 mins. 4.5 secs.

1 MILE: 1, Aiton, D. (M); 2, McLennan, P. M. (M); 3, Lehmann, W. L. (McA); 4, Dew, R. (C); 5, Young, P. J. (S). Time, 4 mins. 50.1 secs.

120 YARDS HURDLES: 1, Bromell, H. T. (McA); 2, Jamieson, G. J. (C); 3, Strahan, A. G. (M); 4, Davies, J. E. (C); 5, Hazeldine, E. J. (M). Time, 15.6 secs.

HIGH JUMP: 1, Bromell, H. T. (McA); 2, Davies, J. E. (C); 3, Robson, J. S. (S); 4, Hazeldine, E. J. (M); 5, Garrett, A. R. (S).

Height, 5 ft. 9 ins.

BROAD JUMP: 1, Fallaw, C. W. (S); 2, Davies, J. E. (C); 3, Weeks, S. F. (S); 4, Mc-Queen, D. (McA); 5, Strahan, A. G. (M). Dis-

tance, 21 ft. 7 ins.
WEIGHT PUTT: 1, Bromell, H. T. (McA): 2, Duigan, M. L. (C); 3, Davies, J. E. (C); 4, Fallaw, C. W. (S); 5, Weeks, S. F. (S). Dis-

tance, 42 ft. 7½ ins.

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS.

100 YARDS: 1, Irvine, J. R. (C); 2, Leach, K. F. (M); 3, Watson, V. R. (C); Patterson, A. J. (McA); 5, Batten, B. N. (S). Time, 11

220 YARDS: 1, Irvine, J. R. (C); 2, Leach, K. F. (M); 3, Watson, V. R. (C); 4, Batten, B. N. (S); 5, Smith, G. (McA). Time, 25 secs. 1320 YARDS: I, Urquhart, I. W. (S); 2, Mc-Keon, D. P. (M); 3, Birks, D. M. (M); 4, Smith, G. (McA); 5, Batten, B. N. (S). Time, 3 mins. 33.3 secs. (Record).

100 YARDS HURDLES: 1, Green, S. T. (C); 2, Patterson, A. J. (McA); 3, Geddes, A. C. (C): 4, Leach, K. F. (M); 5, Read, J. W. (M). Time, 13.7 sees. (Record).
HIGH JUMP: 1, Hinchliffe, J. R. (S); 2, Patterson, A. J. (McA); 3, Green, S. T. (C); 4, Strahan, H. P. (M); 5, Florence, M. R. (M).

Height, 5 ft. 4 ins.

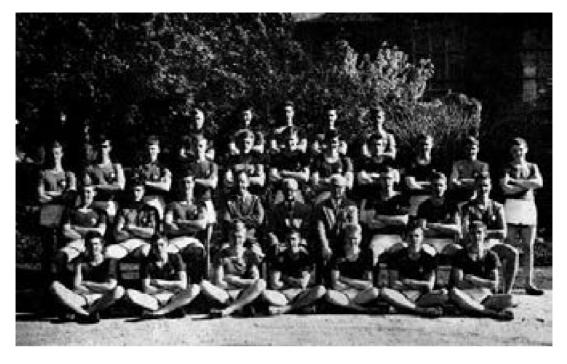
BROAD JUMP: 1, Green, S. T. (C); 2, Urquhart I. W. (S); 3, Irvine, J. R. (C); 4, Florence, M. R. (M); 5, Batten, B. N. (S). Distance, 18 ft. 71/4 ins.

WEIGHT PUTT: 1, Geddes, A. C. (C); 2, Holden, T. (C); 3, Balfour, D. (M); 4, Mc-Donald, A. D. (S); 5, Birks, D M. (M). Distance, 35 ft. 8½ ins.

UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS.

100 YARDS: 1, Cotton, G. M. (S); 2, Forbes, A. J. (McA); 3, Brown, G. K. (McA); 4, Mcleod, C. W. (S); 5, Bade, G. P. (C). Time, 11.2 secs.





ATHLETIC TEAM.

BACK ROW: W. L. Lehmann, S. F. Weeks, K. F. Leach, B. R. Mitchell, A. J. Paterson. STANDING: D. Aiton, J. I. Mactier, A. J. Forbes, V. F. Wood, A. J. E. Lawson, G. K. Brown, G. P. Hallebone, D. McQueen, J. S. McKenzie, R. D. Howard, J. R. Hinchliffe. SITTING: M. L. Duigan, J. R. Irvine, H. T. Bromell (Capt.), E. B. Davies, Esq., V. H. Profitt, Esq., J. H. Campbell, Esq., C. W. Fallaw (Vice-Capt), J. E. Davies, P. M. McLennan. FRONT ROW: P. J. Young, R. H. Beilby, I. W. Urquhart, G. M. Cotton, V. G. Watson, S. T. Green, R. A. Fraser.

220 YARDS: 1, Cotton, G. M. (S); 2, Brown, G. M. (McA); 3, Walter, R. W. (S); 4, Bade, G. P. (C); 5, Forbes, A. J. (McA). Time, 26

880 YARDS: 1, Sheahan, A. P. (S); 2, Robbins, G. A. (M); 3, Bade, G. P. (C); 4, Mcleod, C. W. (S); 5, Hood, S. T. (M). Time, 2 mins. 28.2 secs.

HIGH JUMP: 1, Sheahan, A. P. (S); 2, Brown, G. K. (McA); 3, Robson, R. M. (S); 4, Opperman, I. B. (McA); 5, Crawshay, R. B. (M). Height, 5 ft. Oi ins.

BROAD JUMP: 1, Hinchliffe, T. A. (S); 2, Walter, R. W. (S); 3, Forbes, A. J. (McA); 4, equal, Brown, G. K. (McA), Crawshay, R. B. (M). Distance, 17 ft. 10i ins.

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS.

100 YARDS: 1, Roberts, P. (McA); 2, Mc-Gregor, R. W. (S); 3, Ellerman, D. A. (S); 4, Grant, D. A. (C); 5, Koch, W. (McA). Time, 11.7 secs.

220 YARDS: 1, Roberts, P. (McA); 2, Andrews, G (McA); 3, McGregor, R. W. (S); 4, Ellerman, D. A. (S); 5, Grant, D. A. (C).

Time, 27 sees.

660 YARDS: 1, Goodall, R. H. (M); Andrews, G. (McA); 3, Roberts, P. (McA); 4, Urquhart, A. B. (S); 5, Ellerman, D. A. (S). Time, 1 min. 43.4 sees. (Record).

HIGH JUMP: 1, Andrews, G. (McA); 2, Roberts, P. (McA); 3, Ellerman, D. A. (S); 4, Marshall, P. (C); 5, equal, Cook, D. A. (M), McGregor, R. W. (S). Height, 4 ft. 11 ins.

BROAD JUMP: 1, Andrews, G. (McA); 2, Roberts, P. (McA); 3, McGregor, R. W. (S); 4, Ellerman, D. A. (S); 5, Cook, H. R. (M). Distance, 17 ft. 11J ins. (Record).

OLD COLLEGIANS CUP: 1, Fidge, J. E.; 2, Lester, W.; 3, McDonell, D.

The Triangular Sports were held at Geelong Grammar on Saturday, October 22nd. College team performed very well and won an unofficial aggregate competition. This meeting gave the team good competition and more experience for the Combined. At this meeting three College records were broken and a fourth was equalled. In the Open hurdles Hugh

Bromell clocked 15.5 secs to equal the College record. Garry Cotton won the Under 15 100 yards in the record time of 10.9 secs. Geoff. Brown raised our Under 15 high jump record to 5 feet 5 inches. In the Under 16 220 yards Ron Irvine ran 24.3, also a new record.

On Wednesday, 26th October, the heats for Combined Sports were run at Olympic Park. This year we were unfortunate in that our sprinters and relay teams qualified for only nine division 1 finals, this number being one less than last year.

In the Combined Sports which were held on October 29th, the opposition proved too good for us, but on the other hand we achieved some very good results considering the competition was so great. It was unfortunate that some competitors could not produce their previous best on the day, but on the other hand some did

rise to the occasion. Congratulations Melbourne Grammar on your well deserved win.

In the Combined Sports Hugh Bromell ran 15.4 seconds for the Open hurdles. This time exceeds the College record. Ron Irvine bettered his own Under 16 220 yards record of 24.3 seconds. The new record is 24.1 seconds.

RESULTS OF EVENTS.

OPEN.

100 YARDS: 1, L. P. Francis (M.G.S.), 10.1 secs.; 2, P. Nelson (X.C.), 10.2 sees.; 3, R. Coventry (C.G.S.), 10.3 secs.; 4, D. G. N. Craig (S.C.), 10.4 sees.

220 YARDS: 1, L. P. Francis (M.G.S.), 22.2 secs.; 2, R. Coventry (C.G.S.), 22.7 sees.; 3, K. Roche (X.C.), 22.8 sees.; 4, G. J. Mann (S.C.), 22.9 sees.

440 YARDS: 1, L. P. Francis (M.G.S.), 49.7 sees.; 2, W. Athorne (X.C.), 49.8 secs.; 3, R. Coventry (C.G.S.), 52.2 sees.; 4, J. E. Davies (G.C.) 52.6 sees.

880 YARDS: 1, P. Bruce (X.C), 1 min. 57.8 secs.; 2, R. G. Willesdorf (S.C.), 1 min. 59.8 secs.; 3, G. R. Teague (M.G.S), 2 mins. 0.5 secs.; 4, D. J. Christie (W.C.), 2 mins. 1.9 secs.

ONE MILE: 1, P. Bruce (X.C), 4 min. 30.8 sees.; 2, D. J. Christie (W.C.), 4 min. 31.1 secs.; 3, N. G. Elder (S.C.), 4 min. 32.9 sees.; 4, R. W Mattiske (M.G.S.), 4 min. 37.7 secs.

120 YARDS HURDLE: 1, K. Roche (X.C), 14.8 sees.; 2, T. L. Barnard (M.G.S.), 14.8 secs.; 3, H. T. Bromell (G.C), 15.4 sees.; 4, J. C Murphy (S.K.C), 15.7 secs.

HIGH JUMP: 1, W. Athorne (X.C), 6 ft. 4 ins.; 2, T. L. Barnard (M.G.S.), 6 ft. 4 ins.; 3, T. G. Anderson (S.C), 5 ft. 11 ins.; 4, D. T. Ripper (G.G.S.), 5 ft. 9 ins.

BROAD JUMP: 1, T. L. Barnard (M.G.S.), 21 ft. 4 ins.; 2, J. L- Newnham (Carey), 21 ft. 3½ ins.; 3, W. Athorne (X.C), 20 ft. 10 ins.; 4, D. P. Banks (S.C), 20 ft. 8½ ins.

SHOT PUTT: 1, R. W. Bett (W.C), 52 ft. 7 ins.; 2, W. R. Edgar (Carey), 48 ft. 10 ins.; 3, K. McC Branch (B.G.S.), 46 ft. 10f ins.; 4, R. Winton (G.G.S.), 44 ft. 0½ ins.

4 x 880 YARDS RELAY: 1, Xavier, 8 min. 8-2 secs.; 2, Scotch, 8 min. 21.9 secs.; 3, Melbourne Grammar, 8 min. 23.9 sees.; 4, Wesley, 8 min. 26.5 secs.

4 x 110 YARDS RELAY: 1, Xavier, 43.6 secs.; 2, Scotch, 44.4 secs.; 3, Melbourne Grammar, 45.0 secs.; 4, Geelong Grammar, 45.0 secs.

UNDER 17

100 YARDS: 1, W. R. Johnson (W.C), 10.2 secs.; 2, N. Bloom (B.G.S.), 10.3 secs.; 3, I. C Rehfisch (S.C), 10.4 secs.; 4, J. D. Uren (G.G.S.), 10.4 secs.

220 YARDS: 1, M. C Dentry (M.G.S.), 23.3 secs.: 2, J. D. Uren (G.G.S.), 23.4 sees.; 3, N. Bloom (B.G.S.), 23.5 secs: 4, I. C. Rehfisch (S.C), 23.6 secs.

440 YARDS: 1, R. S. Carlile (S.C), 52 secs.; 2, K. J. Rowe (W.C), 52.5 secs.; 3, M. Bowden (X.C), 52.8 secs.: 4, D. A. Duff (G.G.S.) 52.8 secs.

110 YARDS HURDLE: 1, B. Brushfield (X.C), 14.8 sees.; 2, A. G. Christie (S.C), 14.8 secs.; 3, W. R. Johnson (W.C), 15.6 secs.; 4, C H. Kruytbosch (H.C), 15.7 sees.

LONG JUMP: 1, R. W. Stark (Carey), 20 ft. 6 ins.; 2, R. J. Beaumont (W.C), 20 ft. 5i ins.; 3, R. C. Arnold (H.C), 20 ft. 5 ins.; 4, C. G. Clark (M.G.S.), 20 ft. 4i ins.

4 x 110 YARDS RELAY: 1, Melbourne Grammar, 45.2 secs.; 2, Scotch, 45.4 secs.; 3, Wesley, 45.8 sees.; 4, Geelong College, 46.0 secs.



UNDER 16.

100 YARDS: 1, M. D. H. Bridgland (C.G.S.), 10.3 sees.; 2, T. C. Bennett (M.G.S.), 10.5 sees.; 3, G. Richards (W.C.), 10.8 sees.; 4, J. R. Irvine (G.C.), 10.8 sees.

220 YARDS: 1, N. Kitchen (C.G.S.), 23.2 sees.; 2, T. C. Bennett (M.G.S.), 23.3 sees.; 3, J. R. Irvine (G.C.), 24.1 sees.; 4, A. J. Forsyth (S.C.), 24.1 sees.

100 YARDS HURDLES: 1, N. Kitchen (C.G.S.), 13.2 sees.; 2, D. E. Norton (H.C.), 13.8 sees.; 3, R. Frisby (X.C.), 14.2 sees.; 4, W. R. Macarthur-Onslow (G.G.S.), 14.3 sees.

HIGH JUMP: 1, P. O'Brien (X.C.), 5 ft. 8 ins.; 2, T. Hasker (M.G.S.), 5 ft. 7 ins.; 3, J. R. Hinchliffe (G.C.), 5 ft. 7 ins.; 4, W. R. Macarthur-Onslow (G.G.S.), 5 ft. 6 ins.

LONG JUMP: 1, R. J. Rolls (W.C.), 20 ft. 2 ins.; 2, H. W. Smith (M.G.S.), 20 ft. 2 ins.; 3, P. Pridgeon (X.C.), 19 ft. 4* ins.; 4, D. R. Mathews (H.C.), 18 ft. Hi ins.

4x 110 YARDS RELAY: 1, Melbourne Grammar, 45.6 sees.; 2, Caulfield Grammar, 45.8 sees.; 3, Haileybury College, 46.4 sees.; 4, Scotch College, 47.3 sees.

UNDER 15.

100 YARDS: 1, H. Frisby (X.C.), 10.5 sees.; 2, R. C. Webster (W.C.), 10.8 sees.; 3, G. J. Mennie (H.C.), 11.2 sees.; 4, D. L. Sheehan (Carey), H-3 sees.

220 YARDS: 1, H. Frisby (X.C.), 24.1 sees.; 2, R. C. Webster (W.C.), 24.2 sees.; 3, G. J. Mennie (H.C.), 24.8 sees.; 4, I. Findley (B.G.S.), 25 sees.

HIGH JUMP: 1, G. O. Urquhart (H.C.), 5 ft. 6 ins.; 2, G. K. Brown (G.C.), 5 ft. 3 ins.; 3, R. Farrance (Carey), 5 ft. 3 ins.; 4, E. Fleming (S.C.), 5 ft. 3 ins.

4 x 110 YARDS RELAY: 1, Haileybury, 47.9 sees.; 2, Melbourne Grammar, 48.6 sees.; 3, Carey, 49.2 sees.; 4, Geelong College, 49.2 sees.

COMBINED SPORTS College Results

Age	Event	Competitor	Position	College	Winner
Open	100 Yards	Howard, R. D.	7	10.4	10.1
Open	220 Yards	Howard, R. D.	5	23.1	22.2
Open	440 Yards	Davies. J. E.	4	52.6	49.7
Open	880 Yards	Aiton, D.	9	2-06.0	1-57.8
Open	One Mile	McLennan, P. M.	7	4-45.5	4-30.8
Open	Hurdles	Bromell, H. T.	3	15.4	14.8
Open	High Jump	Bromell, H. T.	5	5' 8"	6' 4
Open	Broad Jump	Fallaw, C. W.	5	20' 1½"	21' 11"
Open	Weight Putt	Duigan, M. L.	9	40' 51/4"	52' 7"
Open	4 x 110 Relay	(Howard, R. D. Davies, J. C.	i. 5	45.2	43.6
•	•	(Weekes, S. F. Fallaw, C.	W.		
Open	4 x 880 Relay	(Mactier, J. I. Young, P. J	. 6	8-34.1	8-8.2
•	•	(Wood, V. F. Aiton, D.			
U. 17	100 Yards	Mitchell, B. R.	9	10.8	10.2
U. 17	220 Yards	Mitchell, B. R.	7	23.7	23.3
U. 17	440 Yards	Lehmann, W. L.	7	54.4	52.0
U. 17	Hurdles	Hallebone, G. P.	11	16.0	14.8
U. 17	Broad Jump	McQueen, D.	11	18' 5¾"	20' 6"
U. 17	4 x 110 Relay	(Lawson, A. J. McKenzie, J.	I. W. 4	46.0	45.2
	·	(Mitchell, B. R. Fraser, R. L.			
U. 16	100 Yards	Irvine, J. R.	4	10.8	10.3
U. 16	220 Yards	Irvine, J. R.	3	24.1	23.2
U. 16	Broad Jump	Urquhart, I. W.	9	16' 11½"	20" 2'
U. 16	High Jump	Hinchliffe, J. R.	4	5' 6"	5' 8"
U. 16	Hurdles	Patterson, A. J.	8	13.7	
U. 16	4 x 110 Relay	(Irvine, J. R. Leach, K. F	. 6	52.0	45.6
	•	(Watson, V. R. Patterson, A	A. J.		
U. 15	100 Yards	Cotton, G. M.	6	11.4	10.5
U. 15	220 Yards	Cotton, G. M.	9	26.0	24.1
U. 15	High Jump	Brown, G. K.	2	5' 3"	5' 6"
U. 15	4 x 110 Relay	(Brown, G. K. Beilby, M.	4	49.2	47.9
	·	(Forbes, A. J. Cotton, G.	M.		

Gymnastics

The gymnastics this year has been up to the standard of previous years, and Mr. Davies has given extra help to some boys who show a little promise.

In term one the usual classes were held to develop correct posture, and greater strength and lessons were given in elementary gymnastics. The apparatus was used by most forms below the intermediate level.

During term two a vaulting box, spring board, and mats were purchased and the old spring-board repaired. Circuit training was introduced for the first XVIII and later for some junior XVIIFs. The boxing and extra gym. classes were held as usual with several of the advanced boys acting as instructors.

In term three the boxing and gym. classes were again held. A gymnastics and weight lifting competition was held.

Mr. Davies has again this year done a marvellous job in the gym. and coaching of teams. We extend to him our heartiest of thanks.

D.E.D.

WEIGHT LIFTING RESULTS.

Only two divisions were complete when this went to press.

Middle	Weight.	Under	165 lbs.	

	P.	S.	C. & J.	T.	Place
A. H. McA	rthur 145	130	175	450	1
M. R. Flore	ence 125	110	165	400	2
N. M. Both	n 115	115	135	365	3
D. Balfour	110	110	125	345	4
Light Weig	ht. Under	148 lbs	s .		
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D. C. Ekst M. D. Gree	tedt 110 ene* 85 son 90	105 90	135 125	300	2

^{*}Lighter man.

Boxing

This year, as has been usual for quite a while in the past, the coaching was undertaken by Mr. Leo. White ("Kid Young," retired undefeated Australian featherweight title holder 1941-45, and trainer of present Australian lightweight champion George Bracken).

Under Mr. White's strict supervision each boy has been taught the rudiments of self defence in regards to correct punching, balance and defence.

The "kit of punches" of each boy has been added to according to the capacity of each to learn the basic fundamentals.

The ages of the pupils vary from twelve to seventeen, but regardless of ages or size, all have improved immensely in all aspects of the training. This consists of punching the speed ball, the heavy bag and sparing with either Mr. White or their regular boxing partner.

All this, together with "handy hints" and many interesting boxing stories makes the Monday night lesson a much appreciative time for all.



B.G.F-S.



Original Contributions

"BOMB" HAPPY

A 1936 Pontiac, a few paddocks, and a little luck, seemed the only requirements for a perfect holiday. As tse motor burst into life (with a deafening roar) they were fulfilled.

This took place during my last Christmas holidays when I was staying at the home of a friend at Mt. Macedon. For weeks we had been dwelling on the moment when the big, old car would start. It was, however, without a starter-motor, and it was only by continuous cranking that it could be coaxed to start. There were a few other minor faults; the radiator leaked so profusely that it had to be filled every ten or so minutes; the tyres were far from air-tight; the steering was rather supple; it was not very economical (two miles to a gallon); and the brakes—well, at least there was a pedal. Nevertheless it provided us with a great deal of fun.

For two days it was running well, but, on the third, it just would not start and we regretfully abandoned it. The next day was New Year's Day and a party, including several young people, was coming up. We desperately needed the car then and so we set about cleaning spark plugs and so on in a vain endeavour to make it mobile. By now, the Pontiac had been ditched at the bottom of the drive and when the guests arrived it was eagerly explored They decided to ignore our assurances that it would not start and to try for themselves. It was rather a blow to our personal prestige when the Pontiac started almost immediately. This was soon forgotten in the excitement and ecstasy of the afternoon. I never saw the Pontiac give off so much steam and boiling water as at that time. The amusing incidents are too numerous to mention, but it seems a great wonder to me now that no gate-posts were collected by the learner-drivers. that episode, the Pontiac heaved a sigh of relief that lasted for about three days, and no efforts could bring it out of its inertia. It was through the kindness of an obliging coal merchant that it was finally coaxed to start. He towed it with his big Ford truck and after some time it again sprang into life. Rut we found that it was not in prime condition; it was firing on about two cylinders and consequently had

no power; flames issued from the carburettor where there should have been an air-filter; and it back-fired almost continuously.

With great sorrow we declared it "unfit for human habitation" and it was put to rest in a paddock. This year we learnt that the source of some of the happiest days of our lives had been unmercifully scrapped.

R. A. Baker.

OUR DESTINATION, THE MOON.

For many years, scientists, all over our planet, have been experimenting with rockets., special metals, and delicate but essential equipment, in order that one day, probably in the near future, Alan will stand on the moon.

The moon is a desolate planet, having no vegetation or water, as far as scientists know. As there is no oxygen on the moon, an oxygen supply will have to be carried. Water, food and oxygen are vital, if the spaceman is to live, and only a limited supply of these can be carried in a spaceship. Pressurized suits, able to repel harmful ultra-violet and cosmic rays will protect the spaceman; also his boots will be specially designed to counteract the weak gravitational pull on the moon.

All this equipment is useless until men are able to reach the moon; so powerful rocket ships are being designed. These rockets must be capable of withstanding intense heat and cold, and differences in atmospheric pressure. The rockets have to be precision-made and mechanically perfect.

The first men on the moon will have to be very fit physically, and mentally relaxed, as many ordeals will be experienced.

Even after all these problems have been solved, a great deal of responsibility will rest on the shoulders of the men. They will have to face loneliness and fatigue.

What, do you think, will be their attitude during the final countdown. Will they be thinking of victory at last, or will they be frightened of what may be ahead of them?

All these questions can only be answered by the courageous men, who will eventually, in the not far distant future, be confronted with them.

OPERATION PHOENIX.

A VICTORIAN RAILWAYS 10 YEAR REHABILITATION SCHEME.

Operation Phoenix was the brain-child of Mr. N. C. Harris after whom the electric suburban "Harris trains" were named. The scheme which was originally planned to take place over a period of ten years will, when completed, have cost over eighty million pounds. It began in 1950 and was scheduled to reach completion this year. However labour and money problems have determined that it will probably continue during another period of ten years.

Among other things Operation Phoenix has been responsible for the purchase of modern steam diesel-electric, diesel-hydraulic and electric locomotives and the duplication and electrification of the Gippsland line as far as Traralgon.

When this costly rehabilitation scheme began, the railway system was in a state of decay. Without very heavy expenditure train services would have had to be slowed, re-routed, or curtailed altogether. Track was beyond repair and rolling stock, particularly locomotives, was obsolete. The great strides towards efficent train services which have been made by the Victorian Railways are illustrated by the locomotive and railmotor figures in 1950. At that time locomotives consited of 95 per cent, obsolete steam locomotives, 4 per cent, reasonably modern steam locomotives and 1 per cent, of outdated and, in fact, almost unserviceable rail-motors. There was a total of over six hundred and fifty locomotives. Today the number of locomotives has decreased but the time of locomotive availability has increased. Locomotives consist of 17 per cent, diesel-electrics, 6 per cent, diesel-hydraulics, 7 per cent, electric and 70 per cent, steam. Although the steam figures look impressive, the diesel-electrics run up a considerably larger mileage per annum than the steam.

Since the inception of this scheme the number of carriages, wagons and vans available to customers has jumped to twenty-five thousand.

Today the expanding fleet of modern and comfortable rail-motors caters for 40 per cent, of the country passenger services. Of the remaining traffic, diesel electrics operate 80 per cent, on the main lines.

Operation Phoenix has provided for the building of many modern, air-conditioned, all-steel passenger cars. Because of more powerful engines the average rate of goods trains movement is 10 per cent, higher than in 1950. To attract freight on more important lines carriage rates have been reduced and faster trains with pilfer-proof steel containers have been provided. This and the high availability of the diesel and electric locomotives has resulted in a large saving in time and money. Since their introduction in 1951 the diesels have saved over £3,000,000.

Sixty new suburban "Harris trains" have been constructed and renovations or scrapping of old trains as their condition warrants is going ahead. Thousands of wagons have been repaired and hundreds of modern specialized vehicles have been built. For instance, a special train has been constructed to convey fruit from the North of Victoria to the Melbourne markets. Named the "Fruit Flyer" it runs at passenger train speed all the way. In addition large numbers of bulk cement vehicles have been put into service for transport of cement from Fyansford to Many more vans to benefit the Melbourne. customer and induce him to use his railway system have been introduced. Among these are buffet services and air-conditioned carriages on nearly all long distance country trains.

The Gippsland line has been duplicated and electrified. It is the longest electrified line in Australia and brings the produce of Gippsland to Melbourne markets. Modern diesel and electric locomotives run on this line almost exclusively.

Old permanent ways are being repaired and reconstructed and many stations have been constructed. Partial duplication of the Geelong line has commenced and will go ahead in stages. Power signalling is becoming universal and electric traction is operating on 50 cycles instead of 25.

Mechanization, through Operations Phoenix, in the fields of handling and track-building is increasing. Automatic machinery is used for all accounting work at the Head Office in Spencer Street. Scheduled new works are:—

New locomotive depot—South Kensington.
Modern hump shunting yard for Melbourne.
Power signalling throughout the system.
More track duplication etc, on important lines.
Underground railway.

New lines to growing areas.

Re-arrangement of Morwell station yard. Conversion to 5 ft. 3 in. gauge and electrification of Upper Ferntree Gully-Belgrave line.

Duplication Newport-Geelong.

J.McK.M.



"THE LEADERS OF TOMORROW."

A small red faced youth huddles in the corne/ of an upstairs classroom discussing critical problems 'with another youth, who is curly haired and looks the more intelligent of the two. They are discussing the cost of living in Russia as compared with that of Australia. youth says that the Russian standard of living is at the right level. Shouts of "Commo!" issue forth from the interested onlookers. Undaunted he carries on his argument. He goes right back to the Russian Revolution showing how the standard of living in Russia has risen enough to give the Russian people comfort, but not so much as to cause inflation. (More cries of "Commo!") To support his case he quotes figures accurate to ten places of decimals. He says he could give them to fourteen if given a few minutes to check his books (Cries of Bookworm!") It would seem his argument is watertight.

Not so to our curly haired friend, his opponent. He looks arrogant and you have only to listen to him for a few words to realise that looks are sometimes more than skin deep. He tears apart the small youth's argument, or thinks he does. Certain onlookers remind him at times that he is irrevelant. After being corrected often he gets on top of the hecklers and continues. Some onlookers claim he is winning the argument convincingly; others are not so sure. There is no doubt in the opinion of our curly haired friend. He is so modest, he says so in the next statement 'when he claims that one day he will rule the Southern Hemisphere. Even his most ardent supporters are alarmed at his modesty: he is usually going to rule the world. He continues that when that day comes, a few Russian peasants will not know what hit them. He would give them three times the wage they are getting now. When asked how, he replies that it is just a matter of minting three times the amount of money. His supporters nod in agreement. But, there is one heckler -who is obviously out to prove him wrong. He is always one to disagree, but he is silenced by the mention of a certain brand of matches, which are wavered in the air. Somehow this innocent gesture strikes the heckler as being funny so while he is laughing Curly-hair continues. The new man of the scene retires still chuckling over the rather hidden joke.

The small red faced youth begins a counter attack. He does not get far before he is howled

down by some and applauded by others. An argument breaks out amongst the onlookers. It becomes quite heated. The red faced youth and Curly depart to continue their discussion elsewhere and leave their supporters to fight it out amongst themselves.

A.D.McD.

A TRIP TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

A letter from dad during 3rd term last year, brought the news of a trip to W.A. planned for the Christmas holidays provided the w^rool sold well.

Wool prices were good, and so on the day of our break-up, I went with dad to Dalgety and Company's Travel Agency in Geelong. In a few minutes we had all the information which was required. Our seats were booked for Sunday, 10th January, on an Electra Mark II—leaving Essendon at 6.15 p.m. and flying direct to Perth

We proposed to return by sea, but we thought it too uncertain and so booked our passage for return by rail.

Preparations for the trip consisted in the main, of the consideration of the Perth climate in January.

The day we left home (10th January) was a beautiful one. We motored to Melbourne and be ked our luggage in at Ansett-A.N.A. city tet minal, then drove out to Essendon Airport (having a friend to drive our car home) Essendon airport was very busy—planes big and small seemed to be coming in to land or taking off every few minutes, many travellers as well as sightseers went to make up quite a large crowd.

At 6.10 our flight (210) was called on the public address system. We were all, indeed happy now, and full of enthusiasm as we walked out onto the tarmac and entered our plane, the Electra. The Electra Mark II is made by the Lockheed Aircraft Corp. at Burnbank, California, U.S.A. It is powered by 4 Allison 501-D13 prop jet engines totalling 15,000 horsepower. It has a cruising speed of 380 m.p.h. with a normal range of 2,400 miles.

Our flight was a good one and the plane having few passengers there was plenty of room to move about. The hostesses were wonderful, and the captain of the crew was Captain Davies whose picture is on the Ansett-A.N.A. timetable. Later, the captain of the crew invited us up into the cockpit to see the fascinating controls which

drove the mighty machine. This was most interesting although I, personally did not like the feeling very much. The landing was perfect and in a few minutes we had come to a screaming halt on the runway in Perth. It seemed like a miracle to me.

A few minutes after some refreshments we were on our Ansett-A.N.A. bus heading towards the city. At last we reached the terminal in Perth and took a taxi from there to the Hotel Adelphi where we were going to stay for the next exciting ten days of holidays. The flight took exactly 5 hours and we were glad to get to our inviting beds.

During our stay we went to dozens of interesting places and here are the names of a few:

Sterling Gardens,, Supreme Court Gardens, Zoological Gardens, Queens Gardens, Hyde Park (a few miles out of Perth) and the mighty King's Park of 2,000 acres.

There was never a dull moment; we were on the go every day (in a hired taxi costing 1/- a mile). Here are some of the sports grounds that we saw. East Perth, West Perth, Subiaco (which is pronounced Sue-bee-acco) and lots of racecourses and trotting tracks.

We swam in the beautiful Swan River at Crawley Bay and in the Indian Ocean at Cottesloe; Scarborough was the best beach with the best surf—but it is not regarded as being safe for children.

Another very interesting place that we visited was Rottnest Island. This small island is twelve miles from Perth (out to sea) and can be visited by ferry. The trip took 2\ hours each way and was very educational. On it, is a small rat like animal about one foot high called a "Quagga." It is quite friendly and will eat food from your hand, sitting on its back legs.

W.A. produces wheat, timber, wool and very few cattle. No super wools are produced, as heat and dust prevent this. We saw large quantities of beautiful stately timber in the south and millions of bags of wheat in the Pithara-Wongan Hills area.

Mt. Barker land was the best agricultural land we saw. There is a whaling station at Albany and a wonderful natural harbour.

Perth is very well laid out, with straight streets though a few are too narrow and have one way traffic. Old buildings are being pulled down and bigger and better ones being built. One thing which the city has not and must get is an Olympic swimming pool, especially with the Empire Games being in Perth next year.

The approaches to the town are very nice, with excellent roads and bridges over the Swan River

On the 21st, at 6.55 p.m. we boarded the Westland for Kalgoolie on our trip home. The first night is spent on this train and next morning at Kalgoolie, 380 miles out. Here all passengers change into the Trans-Australian air-conditioned train. This train is world standard. It takes you from Kalgoolie (the famous gold mining town) to Port Pirie Junction in S.A. right across the Nullabor Plain. At Adelaide we changed again into the "Overland" Express for Melbourne arriving at 9 a.m. next morning at Spencer Street Station—2,105 miles by rail from Perth.

R. D. Cumming, 2A.

FRENCH ISLAND.

How surprised I was when I discovered Dad had bought some land on French Island. I imagined French Island to be as the photos one sees of "Alcatraz"—a prison for desperate criminals.

Impatiently, I waited for the first glimpse of our holiday-home, expecting some ultra-modern buildings with all the mod-cons of a city home. On the following Sunday we travelled to French Island by the ferry. From the jetty we travelled eight miles to our "imaginary ultra-modern holiday-home" in an A model Ford (which might have been modern forty years ago).

The home itself was far from modern, instead of brick or weatherboard the walls were made of wattle and daub, instead of concrete or wood trie floors were dry dusty earth. In fact, there was no electricity, no water supply, no stove, not even a . . . , and, as if things weren't bad enough already, a swarm of bees decided to make their hive in our roof

The land itself is completely undeveloped. The countryside is covered with ti-tree and dense scrub. There are no fences and few dams. Natural game thrives in abundance. Koalas, deer, duck and quail frequent the island, while in the sea around the island many different species of edible fish are to be caught.

But French Island has great possibilities for the future as it is only fifty miles from Melbourne and is still comparatively undeveloped. A causeway, which will greatly accelerate the development of civilization is now being planned.

Yes-French Island has a future.



"THE SNAKE CHARMERS."

Exerpt from Geelong Advertiser-

A three-foot tiger snake, and a three-foot six inch brown snake, were killed by a party of Geelong College students yesterday afternoon, near Barwon Bridge.

The boys, who were riding horses along the river bank, killed the snakes with sticks.

They were Ken Andrews, Greg Jones, Andrew Urquhart, Brian Singer and Hugh Seward.

A party from "College" was riding along
By the banks of the Barwon that flows through
Geelong.

When suddenly out of the depths of the reeds Danger confronted both horsemen and steeds. A sight to give most a fit of the shakes—
A duo of wriggling and venomous snakes.
Overcoming the shock! of their early start,
And having the welfare of Geelong at heart,
Hugh Seward cried loudly, Let's get the vipers!
Grab yourselves weapons all you mighty swipers."

A second voice echoed: "Come lads, let's not shirk it."

It came from the mouth of one light Andrew Urquhart.

Their approach to the task might some people amuse—

Especially the antics of young Ken Andrews. They proceeded to pound them and break all their bones.

Being ably assisted by Gregory Jones.

The consensus of opinion was—may all saints preserve us—

They'd rendered the city a right noble service. Now there sits by a bedside a reptile w^rell pickled

But the mother of this youth is not very tickled. "Don't open that bottle at all, Brian Singer,

I'm sure it contains a potential humdinger."

B.M.S. (Vm)

ADELAIDE.

During our last vacation I visited Adelaide, the captital of South Australia, a city noted for its fine buildings and spacious gardens and with a population of over 555,000. This artistic city is well planned and the majority of its streets are quite wide and free from traffic congestion. However, the main street, Rundle Street, was rather a disappointment to me for it is the sole city street which is narrow and almost impossible to drive through. This street is virtually Adelaide's shopping centre, and one can imagine

what confusion there is where people flock and jostle down narrow Rundle Street, while impatient drivers hoot their horns in a vain attempt to hasten the crawling traffic. But, even with these extremely undesirable defects, Rundle Street is a marvellous shopping centre, with every type of shop, emporium, or office one could wish for.

The North Terrace, with its wide pavements shaded by trees, is renowned the world over, and is said to equal any promenade in the world. Lined with beautiful stately buildings., including Parliament House, Government House, the Museum, the National Art Gallery, and many others, North Terrace is an example of the beauty and extent of Australian town planning.

Originality and great sculptural achievement are both displayed in the city's numerous statues of famous Statesmen and public figures, but perhaps the greatest skill is shown in the city's beautiful war memorial, a wonderful tribute to the men who gave their lives for the Commonwealth for Australia, and, above all, for freedom

From Outer Harbour to Seacliff, a distance oi over twenty miles, is a continuous line of slightly shelving beaches which vary considerably in their beauty and public amenities. During our stay the northern beaches of Largs and Semaphore presented a revolting spectacle, with dilapidated bathing booths, and sand entirely covered with evil-smelling and rotting seaweed. But, as one moved south along the coastline, the beaches improved both in cleanliness and beauty. Although it was a blustery, stormy day when we visited the southern beaches, one could still see a marked similarity between Glenelg beach and that of St. Kilda in Melbourne.

Adelaide public transport is by autobus or trolley bus, but there is one tram which runs from Adelaide city to Glenelg, an exclusive suburb with old and modern mansions and a remarkably fine shopping centre.

Observation Point, on the road to National Park, is high above the city, and from here can be gained a wonderful view of the surrounding terrain. At night, a maze of lights lies apparently at the observer's feet, and, owing to the peculiar atmospheric conditions and the fact that the city is built on a plain, these myriad lights actually twinkle. Adelaide, a city sparkling like a million jewels and breathtakingly beautiful in its scope and its magnificence, must be seen to be beleived.

EXAM. DAY.

T'was early in the morning, At last the day had dawned I lay there sadly yawning Those happy days I mourned.

For weeks we'd been preparing For weeks we'd worked and slaved We'd felt quite strong and daring, With all our knowledge saved.

But as I neared the portal, My knees began to shake. Was this that brave young mortal? Why, all he did was quake.

Then everyone was working "The answers they all know!" But in my mind was lurking, A thought of dread and woe.

And I read each question through, But feared I must be frank. Each one to me was quite new, My mind, alas, was blank.

D. McNeill.

DANGER IS MY BUSINESS.

One of the gamest men I've met was a pilot employed by an aerial super-spreading and spraying Company.

His name was Tom McKillop, and he and his fellow pilots had a rather dangerous and exciting time with the super-spreading crowd.

Tom himself was a born practical joker and a rather dangerous character, on the ground or in the air. He always drove his car as if it was an aeroplane and had a collection of speeding tickets acquired from just about every policeman in the district.

Needless to say Tom disliked motor cars. They were not nearly fast enough for him and he was never really happy until he was guiding a plane.

I may add that he was perhaps the only one who was happy when he flew: the rest of us looked on fearfully and the Boss, never able to get used to Tom, reckoned he had nightmares every night about Tom and the planes he crashed.

Tom flew like a skilled lunatic. He could easily outdo the other pilots in skill, and most certainly in aerobatics. But oh! the risks he took!

Up until the time I met him, Tom had had four crashes. He walked away from each one unscathed, his plane in each case a complete wreck. Perhaps this was another reason for the Boss's nightmares. He had also a very high score of near misses which he laughed off and never worried about. These facts didn't even slow him down or alter his odd sense of humour.

Tom spent a lot of time terrifying us on the ground. He would dive at us, zoom straight at trees and at the last moment "peel off;" he would fly straight at the men on the truck until they dived for cover, then he would swerve off, turn round, and grin at the men on the ground. Once while he was looking behind him he tore the wheels off on a power line. This did not appear to affect him as it affected us and he landed almost as well without them as he would have landed with them.

I think the best story I ever heard about Tom was one told to me by the boss of the Super-Spreading Company.

Tom had finished "supering" a spread not far from home and was flying peacefully homeward at about four o'clock in the afternoon.

As he was flying over the weir, Tom noticed a boat belonging to some of his friends and he decided to stir them up a bit. He began a steep dive, straight at the unfortunate duckshooters who, seeing the plane headed straight down at them decided it was time to "abandon ship." At the last moment Tom pulled out of the dive and zoomed away, waving to the fist-shaking and spluttering figures in the water.

Tom made a turn and came in at water level, straight at the boat and at full speed. The occupants once more took to the water as the crazy aviator somehow missed the boat and zoomed up into the air. Tom was enjoying this. On the next run he came in as if to land right on the boat. He cut the engine back and glided towards the swearing shooters. He noticed that all but one of his victims was still in the water; the other had ventured into the boat and picked up his gun. As the plane flew gently overhead about six feet above the boat, the irate "friend" fired five shots into the wing of Tom's plane.

Tom felt the shock of the shots and saw the small round holes dot the wing. His grin changed to a frown as the wing fabric slowly tore into long ribbons, and blew away in the slipstream.



The boot was now on the other foot. Tom raced flat out for the shore. Chortling with glee the fisherman followed to make sure he reached it

They arrived ashore in time to rescue Tom from a furious farmer who wanted to "sool the dogs on him." For Tom had landed in the best spot for an emergency—the middle of the farmer's wheat crop.

The wing fabric had to be completely replaced on the plane and four fences had to be cut after the harvesting of the wheat had been finished before Tom could fly the plane oft again.

This little stunt backfired, but it didn't deter Tom. In the very next week he was criticised for hunting the local mailman off the road by flying straight along the road at him and causing the mailman to swerve off the road and hit a tree.

Tom had his reputation to keep up.

S. F. Paton.

A DAY IN A VILLAGE STREET.

I drove into the main street of the village before sunrise, one fresh Spring morning. With
the sun rising over the mountains in the background, the street was pleasant and peaceful,
with only the sun's rays, bright and warm, to
herald the new day. The only signs of life at
this early time, are the distant call of the dairy
farmer to his cows and the sparrows flitting
about in the gutters, and trees. The peaceful
doves on the roofs and verandahs are cooing
and lovemaking, and beneath them a stray dog
hungrily roams the street for a picking.

Gradually the town wakes up. Trainers appear, exercising their racehorses, and shop doors are opened by sleepy-eyed proprietors, to catch the early customers.

The smell of fresh-baked bread signifies that the baker has been awake earlier, hard at work behind his shop, to have fresh bread on the counter when the shops open.

Before long, the town abounds with life. Farmers arrive with their wives and children, for supplies and clothes, and groups of people are everywhere discussing and adding to the local gossip. The menfolk meet in the hotels, the women in the shops and public centres, while the children gather in the streets and parks.

About ten o'clock the population tends to move toward the station from the shopping area, to await the train, and receive letters and parcels, or to greet friends.

In the street now, a drover drives in with his dray and his dogs. He buys his few needs with some of his earnings, then makes his way to the hotel to spend the rest. Lunchtime approaches, and the street gradually clears, leaving a dusty haze hanging over the town. The afternoon is very quiet, as most people have finished their shopping and gone home, or have moved to the recreation areas to relax.

The afternoon wears on, with the drover and some of his mates steadily becoming drunk. Soon there is a brawl between them in the street, which draws a big audience of men and children.

Dusk falls quickly and the street becomes deserted once more, apart from a few teenagers, and some travellers dining in the cafe. The atmosphere is still as the dust slowly settles over the village, which seems tired and expended.

From the hotel balcony, as I look down the street after supper, I see that the dust has cleared away and the air seems fresh again. Lighted by the moon and two dull street lamps, the village sleeps as it awaits the new day.

Anon.



A SCHOOL-DAY IN THE YEAR 3,000___

At nine o'clock on Wednesday morning I received the electric shock which woke me up. I jumped out of bed, took my breakfast pills and dressed. In spite of all the weekend I still hadn't done my Greek, Lithuanian, German and Communist homework and, so I fed it into the translator and it was done in a few seconds.

I stepped into my sub-car, drove to my parents' bedroom to say goodbye, and sped to my helicopter waiting on the roof. I flew to school, landed on the air-field and hailed a jet-car to take me to Room Fifty.

We worked steadily throughout the morning under the supervision of robot-masters and had our lunch pills at three o'clock. The lights flashed, and I dashed out of the room in order to be first to catch a jet-car, and flew home.

On leaving my helicopter, I climbed into the sub-car, sped to my room, and gave my homework to a robot who had it done in no time. I spent the rest of the evening watching my telesmellevision receiver, and went to bed at ten o'clock after taking my t-pills.

THE JOYS OF CAMPING.

Driving rain outside. Drip, drip, drip inside the tent

"Blast!" and someone tosses in his sleepingbag. An icy blast sweeps through at ground level, and the campers wriggle down deeper to keep warm. Thud, thud, crash! An inquisitive wallaby does the rounds of the camp. It gets caught in the tent ropes. Chaos!

Struggling forms under the canvas, a badly frightened wallaby and the clatter and crash of camp utensils add to the confusion. The wallaby fights itself free and flees into the bush, aided by the language from under the wrecked tent. The rain pours down. Mud and slush everywhere. Two shadowy forms, covered with mud, crawl out. Their tent is ruined, their gear useless, and their food a terrible mess. They light a fire and huddle together for warmth. Smoke everywhere. Two lonely campers, wet to the skin, cold and miserable, choked by the acrid smoke. The joys of camping. Bah!

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REAR-ENGINED CARS.

There are many types of cars including racing cars, sports cars, touring cars, and the ordinary family saloon. All these types have an effect on each other with regard to advances in engineering and safety. In the 1930's, sports cars were the first with such things as independent 4-wheel suspension and overhead valve engine. However, nowadays it is often the saloon car which sets the pace. Pneumatic suspension and disc brakes were first seen on saloon cars (Citreon and Crossley). But, for once, the racing car field may make an impression on motor car design.

Years ago, rear-engined cars were considered inferior, mainly because before the Second World War, the Mercedes Benz racing cars finally eclipsed the rear-engined Alfa-Romeos. It is only in the last couple of years that rear-engined racing cars have returned to the track. The success of the Coopers has turned even Ferrari to the manufacture of rear-engined racing cars.

In the family car field., the Volkswagen has proved its readability since 1940. The shape of things to come may be seen in the fact that one of Chrysler's new American compact cars is rear-engined.

The main argument against rear-engined cars is that it usually oversteers, i.e. in a tight corner, the back wheels begin to slide before the front. This fact sometimes makes the car harder to manage, especially on a damp road with an inexperienced driver. However, the handling of the Coopers has successfully silenced this criticism. The other main drawback, especially in family cars, is the noise level inside the car. Volkswagen have reduced this annoyance by what seems to be the only solution, padding between the engine and the back seat. Another criticism, in the case of Volkswagen, is the lack of luggage space, but this is easily overcome by differently designing the body.

In my opinion, rear-engined cars will become more popular in the future, especially in the sports car and saloon car field, as the success of Porsche and Volkswagen shows.

V.R.W.

THE GUY FAWKES.

Here am I,
A poor old guy.
Legs in a bonfire
Head in the sky.
Soon I'll be burnt
Then there'll be none
But what does that matter?
You'll still have fun.

J. P. Simpson.

ORIENTAL SHOP.

Almond eyes and slanted face Always indicate their race: Treading soft on slippered feet Down the dingy, squalid street. Shops that hold romantic stock Like ginger in an earthen crock; Silken lamps, green tea in bricks Rice bowls red and thin chopsticks. Paper dragons, fine reed mats Camphor boxes, woven hats; Silk pyjamas, ivory monks, Wooden sampans; lacquered junks. Several piles on floor and shelves Tell us to explore, ourselves, All the Oriental stock In a Chinese merchant's shop.



HOW INTUITION WORKS.

An intuitive decision is preceded, as a rule, byintense thought. That is to say that it is the
result of prolonged concentration about the problem in hand. The intuitive decisions of a successful person arise from accumulated experiences, which were studied with exhausting reason. The more thoroughly the person has
grasped the connective link between the past
and the present, the better he apprehends that
which should follow.

We all have, at some time or other, had the experience of grappling unsuccessfully with a problem for some time, then without warning, having the answer pop into our minds while we are preoccupied with something entirely different. The answer to a question we perhaps dwelt on for some time, but never quite understood, may come to us on the spur of the moment without warning or thought. We students especially, know to our great disappointment that the right answer to an awkward examination question has the habit of appearing long after the agony has been forgotten.

Likewise, a reply to a teasing or insulting remark, the correct line of argument! in a debate, the way out of a quandary, the correct word to express an idea, a fill-in in a crossword puzzle, the name of a person or place we visited long ago, all these and many others may not reveal themselves even after prolonged concentration, but may appear after we are no longer consciously occupied with them.

What is sometimes overlooked by many people is that the raw materials of intuition are every bit as important as any data that can be fed into a computer. The accumulated observations, experiences, knowledge, and beliefs of the person may not be available in well-ordered form, but their presence in the conscious mind forms a storehouse of important and meaningful information. This is the matter of which intuitions are made.

All this indicates that an unconscious thinking goes on below the threshold of conscious awareness and often presents us with a solution or judgment in the form of a sudden intuitive "hunch."



PREPARATORY SCHOOL

The first year in the new school has been filled with diligent and enjoyable activity. Constantly before us has been the challenge to match the lovely surroundings with the finest possible standard of achievement in the classrooms and on the playing fields. Naturally we expected some difficulties to face us at first, at the new site. We knew the

Naturally we expected some difficulties to face us at first, at the new site. We knew the sports ovals had yet to be prepared: there were no dressing rooms nor shower facilities: there was nowhere for day boys to eat their lunches: there was no House of Guilds for handwork and no House of Music for musical activities.

What we never expected was the sudden and critical illness that befell our beloved Headmaster, Mr. L. J. Campbell, and the lesser illnesses that troubled other members of staff. However we are happy to report that Mr. Campbell has just returned to our midst and that other young and capable men have already joined our staff for next year.

SPEECH DAY REPORT, 1960

Presented by the Second Master.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen, I would like to preface this report with a sincere welcome to Mr. Thwaites, to this, his first Speech Day with us. Already we have learned to appreciate his leadership, and we confidently look forward to many years of happy association. The members of staff and the boys would also like me to express a very cordial welcome to our esteemed guest of honour, Mr. E. W. McCann.

The first year spent in our new school has been of course unusual: It has been exciting, demanding — at times exasperating — but withall rewarding.

From the point of view of lovely classrooms, set in beautiful grounds on such a site overlooking a prosperous city — why the picture **should** be exciting. Added to this, we have the enthusiasm and strong financial support of a very large band of Old Collegians, Parents and Friends, together with an excellent plan for future development.

Not much more than a year has passed since we gathered here to watch the Governor

General, Sir William Slim lay the Foundation Stone. You may remember his words, as he said:—

"A Church school must lead not only in the spiritual values and character that it teaches, but it must be at least the equal of any other school in the standard of its education, the qualifications of its Staff, their devotion, and in its equipment. Having built the school, we are by no means at the end of the road."

Constantly before the Staff and our 244 boys, has been the challenge to match these lovely surroundings and pleasant conditions, with the finest possible standard of achievement in the classroom and on the playing fields. Only up to a point have we been successful, for our diligence and patience and high aim have been difficult to maintain through the unfortunate illness of staff members. Before the end of First Term, we had said goodbye to two of our most experienced staff members in Mr. Hearn and Mr. MacLeod, who had accepted positions of increased responsibility in Tasmania and in Western Australia. And then at the very beginning of Second Term our beloved Headmaster, Mr. L. J. Campbell, had a very sudden and critical illness. Even after that we experienced further illness amongst other members of staff. And yet through difficulty and travail much of worth is fashioned. The boys almost without exception, rallied to the challenge and acquitted themselves with great credit. They have been a strength to me and at times an inspiration. Several men and women have come to our help during this period. To each of them I would say a sincere 'thank you' for their fine service to the school. The outlook for next year is very much brighter. Already we have found men of character and of professional Staff — indeed two of them have already spent some time with us. We are confident we will soon have banded together a team of devoted and capable men, determined to see that this Junior School is the best of its kind anywhere: to critically examine its course of study, its methods and technique, its work

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and its play, its equipment and its text books, and above all, its relationship to the home and to the Church.

One of the very pleasent outdoor activities of our new site has been the clearing away of rubbish, the preparing of the soil for lawns and playing fields, and the planting of shrubs and trees.

What a fine thing it is for a young lad in the one hundredth year of Geelong College, to be privileged to plant a tree in these grounds, his own gift to his school, knowing that it will grow into a thing of beauty and usefulness for future generations.

As I have watched and assisted at these tree planting ceremonies, I have often pondered the main aim of this school — to develop full spiritual and mental and physical growth, according to the pattern laid down for us by our Great Master, Jesus Christ.

His explanation of life is not analytical—it is synthetical. He does not take it to pieces and explain its parts. He shows us life as a whole, a harmony, a happy unity. There is a direct relationship between the bending of the stalk of a flower and the swing of a planet. Nature is one great unity. Every leaf upon a tree sends its tiny thread of woody matter down through the twig, into the branches and the trunk itself, and even into the root.

The growth of a tree is not upward only, the thickening comes down also from above: every leaf is not stuck on to the tree, but is part of the one-ness of the tree, and the artist who would paint a tree truly must discern that. Throughout the year we have attempted to bring this happy unity, this one-ness into the lives of our boys and assist them to grow in grace and in knowledge. We have been singularly fortunate in having the School Chaplain so near, so willing and so able to assist us in recognising the Kingdom of God, here in our midst. We have also appreciated the great benefit we derive in the Junior School, from having the Headmaster share in our Scripture lessons and Morning Prayers, and by his word and by his example giving us a balanced view of true Christian Growth - Education for Complete living.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS

Just 10 months ago, when delivering the address at the official opening of this school on this very spot, Sir Arthur Coles said, "This new school is built to provide the working tools and the opportunities for young minds to be exposed to proper influences at an early age." The Staff and boys would like me to express our pleasure in working in such well equipped and pleasant classrooms. I think if you will but examine the school carefully, you will agree that the boys have looked after their school very well. They have shown in their work and in their play, and in their attitude to school life generally, a deep appreciation of all that is beautiful about them. Here I would add a word of appreciation of the fine work done by those responsible for the care and cleaning of the buildings, and the development and upkeep of the grounds, as well as for the excellent office staff.

SPORT

Although these grounds for most of the year have been denied us for sport, we have maintained reasonably well our normal sports activities, using the Old Prep. Oval as our main arena. It has been somewhat difficult for many day-boys to find their way to and from sport, but there has been little complaint. The dividing of our Athletic Sports into two meetings appeared a good move, since it meant that more boys could be seen in action. The Combined Sports meeting at Geelong Grammar, saw both our Senior and Junior divisions running out winners.

Despite the fact that I w⁷as advised to forego football altogether with the Third and Fourth forms this year, I was pleased to find a reasonably well drained area in these grounds, and our chief groundsman soon transformed it into a very acceptable oval for the younger lads. Again I must thank the Mothers of these younger boys for their forbearance over muddy knees, and for allowing us to maintain football activities without any dressing room and shower facilities.

Another feature of the football season that warmed my heart, was the way Mr. Birk Thacker came twice a week, voluntarily, to assist with coaching our main teams, and travelled as far afield as Ballarat and Melbourne to show these teams his interest and pride in the College. It seems only like yesterday that he and Mr. Roland were small boys starring in our Under Age Prep. Teams, and it is encouraging to have their skill and energy still at our disposal. We wish Mr. Roland continued success as he furthers his studies abroad next year, and then a safe return home.

THE JUNIOR BOARDING HOUSE

When Mr. Campbell was so suddenly called from our midst, it befell my lot to occupy his bed and assume his responsibilities for the time being, in Rolland House. I may as well admit that I immediately fell in love with the forty-four boys, who live and work and play together there in pleasant harmony. In the main, the boys come from various parts of Victoria, although there are representatives from Tasmania, New South Wales, Malaya and the Pacific. We also have at the Junior School seven boarders from Mackie House, whose Housemaster, Mr. Carrington, has been most helpful throughout the year.

You who enjoy happy home life, would, like myself, have been most impressed with the excellent tone and efficiency of Rolland House. Geelong College has been most fortunate in having such a man as Mr. L. J. Campbell as Guide, Philosopher and Friend for so many years in charge of the Boarding House. This year the boys have sorely missed his presence. I would like to here thank Miss Fraser and Miss Grenfell for their excellent management of the House, Mrs. Cloke and the Refectory Staff for their splendid meals, and Sister Mayne and her Staff for their care. In a year of more than usual Staff illness, the boys' health has never been better.



PREPARATORY SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL.

BACK ROW: J. C. McKeon, M. E. Thomas, R. F. P. Just, W. A. Balfour, R. R. Pigdon, C. S. Russell, R. L. Spokes, I. D. Bishop.

FRONT ROW: G. I. Watson, D. G. Henton, Mr. I. R. Watson (Second Master), A. D. Bell A. C. Walter.

CLASS WORK

Despite difficulties the class work has gone along fairly well. The eighty-six boys of our Seventh Form who move into Senior School next year — "The end product" of our school, appear both willing and able to give a good account of themselves. At the other end of our school (at the kindergarten, which is by the way, not a kindergarten at all, but the first three forms of our Junior Department), we continue to maintain an excellent standard of work. May I impress upon all day-boy parents, the great advantage of having boys enter the school at this level. There appears to be a growing tendency for day-boys to be enrolled at too late a stage in their primary school training. This is the main reason why so many boys are turned away each year, for it is most difficult to gain entry into our school after Grade 5 level. And of course it gives us a much greater opportunity to help fashion the lives of your boys if we are given them as early as possible.

SOCIAL STUDIES

The work in Social Studies, supported by broadcast lessons and telecasts, has continued at a high level. Great enthusiasm is still shown in project work and dramatization. The short plays produced by Fifth Form concerning Aus-

tralian exploration, "Children of Many Lands" enacted by Third Form, and the varied activities of United Nations Day organised by Miss McDonald, have all made a fine impact on the boys.

SOCIAL SERVICE

Contributions have reached an all time record this year. More than £150 has been distributed in small amounts to various appeals. £50 was raised for the Refugee Appeal and £26 for the Save the Children Fund, Rice Bowl Appeal.

VISITORS

We have been very fortunate in the number of notable visitors who have come during this year, to speak at our Morning Assembly—such as the Reverend F. McKay, Superintendent of the Australian Inland Mission.

Several of the Senior Masters from Senior School have come to speak to us in this way, and this has helped us to strengthen the bonds of fellowship, and remind us that we are important partners in the one great school.

REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

The senior forms of our Prep. School have this year chosen a representative council which regularly meets with myself, to discuss matter PEGASUS,

of school routine. I have found this very useful and the boys have quietly and effectively accepted various responsibilities. Regular Staff meetings have also proved beneficial.

THE LIBRARY

The attractive 'Helen Mackie' Library, efficiently administered by Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Burrell, and characterised by the abounding enthusiasm of its large committee of boys, has added great strength to our school. Library week culminating in an Open Day for Parents and Friends was both profitable and enjoyable.

MUSIC

This is the first year we have had our own Director of Music, and the success and sheer pleasure evidenced in the production of the Operetta "The Bachelor Mouse" by the Junior Choir members augurs well for the future.

Now let me express my own sincere appreciation to each member of the Staff and to the boys for their assistance throughout the

May I thank you Parents for your patience and your confidence, and for so kindly lending us your boys for the year now ended.

It has been a great joy to welcome Mr. Campbell back into our midst for brief periods, recently. I know you all would like me to express your deep affection and gratitude to the man I represent here today. We honour him for all he has accomplished down through the years and for the fine qualities he represents., We all sincerely wish Mr. Campbell a full measure of recovery and many more happy years of service.

We finish this year grateful for all its opportunities, and we salute the future in good heart, believing that under the blessing of God a great school is here taking shape.

SOCIAL SERVICE NOTES.

Social Service activities have continued at an excellent level. Already more than £150 has been distributed in small amounts to various appeals — a new record for our Junior School.

During the latter half of the year we have had several visitors to speak to us, and we express thanks to Mr. Gordon Murray (Geelong Community Chest), Mr. Brewer (British and Foreign Bible Society). Mrs. Henry Jacobs (Save the Children Fund), the Reverend F. McKay (Australian Inland Mission), and Mr. Hudson (Food for Peace), for their interesting

talks at our Morning Assembly.

Besides the usual contributions of money the boys have raised several pounds by their collection of milk bottle tops. On United Nations Day U.N. Christmas Cards were sold to help the United Nations Children's Fund. Tea for pensioners was bought in bulk then packed into half pound bags and distributed by the boys themselves.

During the year payments were follows:—	mad	e	as
Red Cross Appeal Gramophone records for Crippled	£16	0	0
Adults	£5	5	0
Crippled Child sent to a special			
camp. Refugee Appeal (penny drive)	£50	0	Õ
Herald Blanket Fund	£15	Õ	Õ
Herald Blanket Fund Foy Lee Appeal (to help rehabili-		•	•
tate a Chinese gardener whose			
home was destroyed by fire)	£5	5	0
Tea for needy Geelong Pensioners			
British and Foreign Bible Society			
Guide dogs for the Blind			
Geelong Community Chest			
Save the Children Fund (Rice Bowl		_	_
		0	0
Appeal) Australian Inland Mission	£6	ŏ	ŏ
Food for Peace	£6	6	ŏ
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To date	£157	13	0

Contributions during the final three weeks will go to the World Council of Churches Christmas Rice Bowl Appeal.

THE "HELEN MACKIE" LIBRARY

Keen interest and enthusiasm still characterise all the activities of the library. A very energetic library committee meets every Friday afternoon to discuss with the librarian, Mrs. P. Wood, ways and means of stimulating-interest. In this way special displays and lectures have become a weekly feature, and rapt attention has been given to such speakers as Mr. E. B. Lester who spoke concerning stamps, and to Mr. K. Clayton who spoke about sea shells.

United Nations Week was well featured in the library but probably the highlight of this year's activities was Library Week in second term. A book display was arranged together with a special book review' project incorpora-ting the work of every form. On the afternoon of July 14th, many parents and friends availed themselves of this opportunity of not only inspecting the work displayed in the library but of also seeing the school in normal classroom activity and meeting the teaching staff. More than eighty books were added to the library as a result and Mr. Bickford, Senior English Master, came across from Senior School to address the full assembly on "The Treasure in Good Books". From the large library committee C. M. Malkin and D. L. Whitcroft were appointed joint librarians for 1960.

FOOTBALL

The football season was quite a successful one despite the fact that the new ovals were not yet ready for use. Fifth form boys used Elderslie Reserve by kind permission of the Newtown City Council, the lower forms used a fairly well drained corner of the new site and the senior forms journeyed to the old Prep, oval for training.

The house matches were very exciting this year with Pegasus House the eventual winner. In inter-school competition the under 12 team



PREPARATORY SCHOOL ATHLETIC TEAM. BACK ROW: R J. Kelly, L. R. Thomson, R. R. Pigdon, I. M. Prenter, V. L. Saxton W A p u M T t , H o u ' , T A ^ £ e g h' ^ - E Thomson, R. L. Spokes, J. R. Dennis, A. D. Bell.' CENTRE ROW: P. S. Rowe G. I. Watson, D. J. Barling, D. S. Barkley, Mr. M. J. H. Roland, PROMT ROW: L. R. McLean, M. J. Betts, J. D. S. Nail, B. F. J. Watson, P. Matchan C. F. Carew, S. R. Jaques, R. J. Perry, D. J. Watson.

again went through the season undefeated and the other teams all gave a good account of themselves. The senior team had convincing wins against Scotch College, Melbourne, against Ballarat College and against the Geelong schools. It was coached by Mr. Roland and Mr. Thacker.

ATHLETICS

This year we held two very pleasant sports meetings instead of one. The first was at the New School and consisted of the novelty events. The second was on Senior Oval and consisted of the Championship events. The Combined Sports at Geelong Grammar School proved a fitting climax to the season when the Senior and Junior Teams both ran out winners. These teams were under the direction of Mr. Roland.

UNITED NATIONS DAY

Miss McDonald arranged a very successful United Nations celebration. Each boy was provided with a well produced brochure and an opportunity to enter into a United Nations Project. Mr. Quick acted as judge of the project work and spoke highly of the enthusiasm displayed.

At the special service in the Assembly Room, Alistair McArthur, a prefect from Senior School spoke on "Why we celebrate United Nations Day." Two visiting students from

the Gordon Technical College — Razman the Gordon Technical College — Razman Haskin from Malaya and Joel Vasenwala from Indonesia gave excellent speeches concerning their homelands. Third Form boys gave an enjoyable rendition of the play — "Children of Other Lands" — and Sixth Form contributed "Clip go the Shears." There were interesting stamp, coin, flag and poster displays and even a short film session in the various classrooms.

THE BACHELOR MOUSE

The boys of the Junior Choir very creditably staged the Operetta "The Bachelor Mouse," for the benefit of the boys of the Kindergarten and the Preparatory School.

A final performance was given to allow the parents of the boys concerned to enjoy the experience. This production, under the guidance of the Music Master, Mr. Hulme, augurs well for the future.

KINDERGARTEN NOTES.

Our Christmas Party on December 5th brought our school year to a happy conclusion. For our Speech Day we were very pleased to welcome the Mayoress of Geelong, Mrs. V. Andrews, who kindly made the presentations to the boys. Many lovely gifts were hung on the Christmas Tree by the boys and these gifts were later distributed to the children at Kardinia Home.

Under 5½: Michael Jacques, 1; Gavin Mc-

Our enrolment numbers are down slightly this year and we finished with a total of 52 pupils, 17 of whom will be promoted to the Preparatory School. At the beginning of term 1 we welcomed Mrs. Oxley who came to take charge of the Kindergarten Room and we hope she will be very happy during her stay with us. Form II remains in the very capable hands of Mrs. Wilson.

We were all very sad to hear of Mr. Campbell's illness and we sincerely hope it will not be too long before he is able to come back

and see us at the Kindergarten.

The Parents' Association has had another successful year under the able guidance of Mrs. Hamilton and on behalf of the school I would like to sincerely thank her and the committee for their generous help and co-operation during the year.

The new committee is as follows. President: Mrs. G. Knight
Vice-President: Mrs. T. Collins
Secretary: Mrs. T. Dickson
Treasurer: Mrs. R. Henderson
Mesdames Young, Winkler, Salaviejus,
A. Knight and Hamilton.

In contrast to other years we were more fortunate with the weather for our Sports which were thoroughly enjoyed both by the boys and parents. We are indebted to Mr. Watson, Mr. Roland and their Preparatory School boys for the smooth running of all events. The "Fathers' Race" was most success-

KINDERGARTEN ANNUAL SPORTS

50 yards, over 7½: Ian Simpson, 1; Jay Van Gronigen, 2;Simon Hyett, 3; under 7½: Jamie Ford, 1; Glenn Hunter, 2; Duncan Collins, 3. Under 7, heat 1: J. Van Gronigen, 1; Peter Rosson, 2; John Adams, 3; heat 2: Justin Cook, 1; Graeme Wood, 2; Kent Henderson, 3; finals: John Van Gronigen, 1; Justin Cook, 2; Peter Rosson, 3. Under 6: Tom Dickson, 1; Michael Winkler, 2; Jamie Wishart, 3. 35 yards, under 5½: Gavin McKay and Bill Van Gronigen, equal 1; Michael Jaques, 3. Sack races: Over 71%, 50; yards, Longthon Day, 1; Juny Van Coort equal 1; Michael Jaques, 3. Sack races: Over 7½, 50 yards: Jonathon Day, 1; Jay Van Gronigen, 2; Hugh Todd, 3. Under 7½, 50 yards: Glenn Hunter, 1; Myles Gavin, 2; Duncan Collins, 3. Under 7, 50 yards, heat 1: Justin Cook, 1: John Van Gronigen, 2; Mark Donald, 3; heat 2: Tim Williams, 1: Peter Salaveijus, 2; Christopher Fleming, 3; final: Justin Cook, 1; Mark Donald, 2; John Van Gronigen, 3. Under 6, 35 yards: Michael Winkler, 1; Daryl Williams, 2; Stephen Young, 3. Under 5½ 35 yards: Gavin McKay, 1; Bill Van Gronigen, 3.

Egg and Spoon races: Over 7½, 50 yards: Anthony Hodges, 1; Jonathon Day, 2; Ian Simpson, 3. Under 7½, 35 yards: James Knight, 1; Glen Hunter, 2; Trevor Williams,

Under 7, 35 yards, heat 1: Justin Cook, 1; John Adams, 2; Richard Wardman, 3; heat 2: Graeme Wood, 1; Andrew Webb, 2; Peter Salaviejus, 3; final: Andrew Webb, 1: Graeme Wood, 2; Justin Cook. 3. Under 6, 35 yards: Jamie Wishart, 1; Roderick Taylor, 2; Stephen Young, 3.

Conde 372: Michael Jacques, 1; Gavin Mc-Kay, 2; Andrew Wood, 3.

Potato races, over 7½ Anthony Hodges, 1; Simon Hyett, 2; Ian Simpson, 3; Under 7½: Jamie Ford, 1; Duncan Collins, 2; Jamie Knight, 3. Under 7, heat 1:John Van Gronigen 1; Pater Posson, 2: Grange West 2. Rnight, 3. Under 7, heat 1:John van Gronigen, 1; Peter Rosson, 2; Graeme Wood, 3; heat 2: Justin Cook, 1; Lester Barkley, 2; Kent Henderson, 3; final: John Van Gronigen, 1; Justin Cook, 2; Peter Rosson, 3. Under 6: Jamie Wishart, 1; Jan Stirzaker, 2; Stephen Young, 3. Under 5½: Gavin McKay, 1; Bill Van Gronigen, 2: Mishel Jacques, 3

Van Gronigen, 2; Michel Jaques, 3.

Manx race: H. Tood and J. Van Gronigen, 1; Ian Simpson and J. Ford, 2; A. Hodges and

N. Russel, 3.

Novelty race: J. Van Gronigen and D. Collins, 1; P. Salaviejus and K. Henderson, 2; G. Hall and P. Rosson, 3.

Flag race: Green, 1; Blue, 2.

Fathers' race, first division: Mr. Wishart, 1; Mr. Hyett, 2; Mr. Ford, 3; second division: Mr. Hall, 1; Mr. McKay, 2; Mr. Russell, 3.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL SPORTS

A very enjoyable sports meeting was held on Senior Oval, Geolong College, under ideal conditions. Watched by many interested parents and friends, the boys performed very ably, with Pegasus House winning the house competition.

R. Carstairs equalled the under 12 100 yards record (12.8 secs.) and set a new under 12 75 yards record (9.5 secs). B. Watson equalled the under 10 75 yards record (10.5 secs.) and set a new under 10 100 yards record (13.9

Pegasus House won the open relay in a new record time of 1 min. 26 secs., and won the under 12 relay in 1 min. 30.8 secs., equal-

ling the previous record.
Final results: Pegasus House, 117 points;
Bellerophon House, 98 points; Helicon House,

71 points.

Open championship: T. Leigh, 1; W. Balfour, 2; V. Saxton, 3.

Under 13 championship: G. Watson, 1; R. Kelly and R. McTavish, equal 2.

Under 12 championship: R. Carstairs, 1; N. Kidd, 2; P. Rowe, 3.

Under 11 championship: D. Barkley, 1; D.

Barling, 2; R. Perry, 3. Under 10 championship: B. Watson, 1; P.

Matchan, 2; C. Carew, 3. Under 9 championship: J. Nail, 1; M. Betts,

2; J. Van Groningen, 3.

Detailed results: 100 yards, under 12 handicap.—First heat: P. Paech, 1; C. Beckett, 2; R. Barr, 3; Second heat: P. Timms, 1; R. G. Campbell, 2; Jones, 3; Third heat: Parker, 1; Peardon, 2; Rule, 3. Final: Paech, 1; Beckett, 2; Timms, 3.

100 yards, under 13 handicap.—First heat: R. Just, 1; Forsyth, 2; Spinks, 3; Second heat: Spiers, 1; Thomson, 2; Jenkins, 3; Third heat: D. G. Schofield, 1; R. Green, 2; Fletcher, 3; Fourth heat: D. Libby, 1; Henderson, 2; F. Campbell, 3. Final: Schofield, 1; Green, 2;

Just. 3. 100 yards open handicap: M. Owens, 1; P. List, 2; C. King, 3. Time: 11.7. 100 yards under



CAST OF THE BACHELOR MOUSE.

STANDING: W. R. Wright, M. J. Peck, M, J. Anderson, P. G. Piddington, A. G. Davey, J. E. Coope, T. P. Thwaites, P. L. Betts, D. J. Burger, M. C. L. Chappell.

SEATED: B. F. J. Watson, D. J. Watson, M. P. Wilson, R. J. Mathews, G. A. Roydhouse, H. Seward, R. J. C. Anderson, C. F. Carew.

10 championship: B. Watson, 1; P. Matchan (B), 2; C. Carew (H), 3. Time: 13.9, record. 100 yards under 11 championship: D. Barkley (B), 1; D. Barling (P), 2; D. Watson (B), 3; Casboult (B), 4. Time 13.8. 100 yards under 12 championship: R. Carstairs (H), 1; N. Kidd (P), 2; Dennis (H), 3; Rowe (P), 4. Time: 12.8 equals record. 100 yards under 13 championship: R. Kelly (B), 1; G. Watson (B), 2: R. McTavish (P), 3; N. Campbell (H), 4. Time: 12.9. 100 yards open championship. Leigh (P), 1; W. Balfour (H) and V. Saxton (B), equal 2; I. Prenter (B). 4. Time. 12.1. Under 10 house relay (8 x 50 yards): Bellerophon, 1; Helicon, 2. Time: 1 min. 5.6 secs.

phon, 1; Helicon, 2. Time: 1 min. 5.6 secs.
50 yards under 9 championship: R. Lewis, 1;
S. Walters, 2; E. Collins, 3. 50 Yards under 9 championship: J. Nail (H), 1; M. Betts (B),
2; J. Van Groningen (H), 3; T. Thwaites (P),
4. Time: 7.7 Open house relay (6 x 110 yards):
Pegasus, 1; Bellerophon, 2. Time: 1.26, record.
75 yards under 10 handicap: A. Flanders, 1;
G. Donald, 2; R. Ingpen, 3. 75 yards under 11 handicap.—First heat: D. Wardle, 1; P. Fairman, 2; I. Bonney, 3; Second heat: H. Cook,
1; M. Newberry, 2; A. Gordon, 3. 75 yards under 9 championship: J. Nail (H), 1; L.
McLean (B) and M. Betts (H), equal 2; J.
Van Groningen (H), 3. Time: 11.3 secs. 75

yards under 11 handicap final: D. Wardle, 1; H. Fairman, 2; H. Cook, 3. 75 yards under 10 championship: B. Watson (B), 1; P. Matchan (P), 2; C. Carew (H), 3; M. J. Peck (P), 4. Time: 10.5. 75 yards under 11 championship: D. Barkley (B), 1; R. Perry (B), 2; D. Barling (P), 3; R. Morton (P), 4. Time. 10.4. 75 yards under 12 championship: R. Carstairs (H), 1; N. Kidd (P), 2; P. Rowe (P), 3; J. Dennis (H), 4. Time: 9.5, record. 75 yards under 13 championship: G. Watson (B), 1; R. McTavish (P), 2; R. Kelly (B), 3; D. Manning (P), 4 Time: 10 secs. Under 12 house relay (6 x 110 yards): Pegasus, 1; Helicon, 2. Time 1 min. 30.8 secs, record. Under 13 440 yards championship: G. Watson (B), 1. H. Steele (P), 2; B. Knight (B), 3; P. Lyon (H), 4. Time: 1 min. 8.4 sec. Open 660 yards championship: T. Leigh (P), 1; V. Saxton (B), 2; W. Balfour (H), 3; M. Thomas (P), 4. Time: 1 min. 49.6 secs.

Old boys' race, 120 yards.—First heat: P. Mayne, 1; M. Knox, 2; V. Watson, 3; Second heat: B. Fell-Smith, 1; K. Leach, 2; J. Mc-Kenzie, 3; Third heat: H. Bromell, 1; R. J. Bade, 2; R. Baker. 3; Final: P. Mayne, 1; H. Bromell, 2: K. Leach, 3.

House points: Pagesus, 117; Bellerophone

House points: Pegasus 117; Bellerophon 97½; Helicon 70i

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ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

MACHINES.

At the start of second term, 6H organized a wonderful pageant of all Land, Air and Sea machines.

In the Land section was arranged the very first of all cars, rare and fascinating, then the cars of today, followed by the super cars of the future. Also in the land section were the trains. These small identities of the large locomotives were worked by a Casey Jones team of Bishop I.D., Penrose and Simpson. The trains were worked from a control box, which meant they could stop, start, speed and slow for stations.

In the Sea section 6H had vessels displayed from a hollowed log to the latest atomic powered submarine, while in the Air Section there were models ranging from the very first air vessel — the gas balloon — to the latest rockets and satellites. The various stands were staffed by Army, Navy and Air Force experts — Private Ian Harvey, Commander Jeremy Bowler and Sergeant Garth Craig (injured with a sore toe). Specially imported from Outer Space, Ford Strachan gave a talk on the latest space craft.

Constable Renfrey gave an informative talk on Road Safety.

FRIENDS AND FOES OF SHEEP

The worst native animal is the Australian dingo, who can kill a sheep with one snap of his powerful jaws. It is about the size of a collie dog, standing about two feet high and measuring five feet from the nose to the tip of his tail.

The dingo varies from light reddish brown to black.

The South Australian government has offered rewards for killing these pests. They have also erected dog proof fences to keep the dingo out. Sometimes dingoes hunt in packs, but they usually hunt alone or in pairs. The fox is also a great pest. He is not an Australian animal, but an English one. He is a very cunning fellow and likes to raid poultry yards. When lambs are small he often attacks and kills them. There is a price on his head also. He does some good by killing rabbits.

Rabbits eat the grass that the farmer wants for his sheep. The real rabbit menace began in 1859 when a ship arrived with 24 w^rild European rabbits for Thomas Austin. Austin turned thirteen rabbits 1 ose and within six years, he estimated that he and others had

killed 20,000 rabbits and that there were still 10,000 left.

A man in 1861 was fined £10 because he shot one rabbit. Scientists have developed a special virus, which causes a disease among rabbits. Myxomatosis is spread mainly by mosquitoes and has killed millions of rabbits.

-by David Ross

TERSE VERSE

Some masters are the lenient types, And some are rather tough, In any case by end of term We all have had enough.

-Written by an appreciative student.

A COLOURFUL CRYPTOGRAM

Our first is in courage and also in cheer,
The next is in honour but not in fear
The third is in loyalty, to cherish and hold,
The fourth is for leadership — aim of the bold,
Efficiency holds the next letter we seek
The sixth is in guidance we gain week by week,
The last is in "etude", the French w ord for
study

Which we do at our school, be it dry, be it muddy.

For the whole — to yourself make this little test.

At work or in play "Which school is the besi?"

Adaoted from a Doem by W. Farrow

THE BACHELOR MOUSE

Libretto by Nancy Bush Music by Michael Head

This term Mr. Hulme and Miss MacDonald trained the boys of the choir for an operetta. "The Bachelor Mouse". The scene is Henry mouse's new house. A fairy comes and Henry allows her to stay as her wing is broken. However she causes him quite a bit of trouble because she gives away his slippers and invites field mice in to play. It gradually draws to a climax at Henry's party as a large and very wicked looking weasel endeavours to eat them all up. However, the fairy is asked to dance by the weasel and during this dance she bewitches him. The party now ends happily and the fairy, her wing healed returns to fairyland. So the operetta is drawn to a close.

GUESS WHAT!

As midnight struck I became aware of a strange noise on the roof.

"What could it be?" I said to myself.

"I don't think there is such a thing as a ghost!"

"I think I'll go and see if I can find anything!"

As I crept down stairs I could hear my heart beating like lightning in the stillness of the dark night.

All of a sudden "BANG"!! Looking up I saw a tiny little trapdoor open. And, out came a cloud of steam.

"What could it mean"? "Was it a geeni"? "Who, just who could answer my questions"?

"Here I was, shivering with fright, and no one to help me".

The cloud began to follow me down the stairs, farther and farther, 'till I couldn't stand it any more. I rushed up to the lounge, got the telephone, but the wire was cut in two.

By this time I was in tears.

"Oh, just what could I do"?

It was bright moonlight outside so I went over to see if my pet monkey was alright. He was gone! I rushed out through the door-way, turned and looked at the house.

To my amazement, the naughty monkey was on the roof washing the chimney pots with boiling water. The tile he was standing on was loose and all the steam was rushing through.

I had solved the mystery. I was so happy that it wasn't a geeni, that I gave myself and "monk" a party.

-Michael Bauer.

INVISIBILITY

One day as I was doing nothing in particular, I went down to my den. Now my den is the second room in our cellar, and it is loaded with .303 bullets, bomb casings and such. As I was fiddling with one of the bomb casings it knocked the wall and down fell a loose brick. I put the brick back, and was about to pick the rubbish that had fallen with it, up, when I saw a piece of parchment on the floor. I read it with the help of a Latin-English dictionary. It said 'one quart of rebbur pint of Kni'.

I. discovered later, after much thought that it was ink and rubber spelt backwards. I mixed these two things together when suddenly there appeared a piece of paper. This bit of paper said 'repeat the word three times and you will be invisible'. So I tried it,

and lo and behold I was invisible. But, how was I to become visible again. If this was a serial they would say "listen in next week and hear the exciting finish of this story", but it is not, so I will tell you.

Now all I had to do was say the magic word backward and I would be visible. So I learnt the magic word and burnt the parchment so that no one else would be able to become invisible.

Well, I'm invisible now, but I am the only person that can see myself. The first thing next morning off I went to school. On the way to school I muttered the magic words and people were screaming, yelling and fainting all over the place. One person called the police but I just dropped my bike and ran as quickly as I could. Soon I forgot the magic words and was pleased I did because being invisible is no good for anyone, not even you.

—Bruce Hambling.

THE WORLD'S END

I am a scientist, the year is 2043.

Other scientists think my ideas are impossible, so I have set myself apart from the rest of the world at the South Pole.

At the moment the world is in a turmoil. The World War III is here!

The United Nations are frantically trying to bring world peace, but is only making a mess of things. Yesterday they turned Russia into powder with the disintegrator ray.

America, now the worlds strongest nation has gone mad for power and now controls all Europe.

I, after many years have at last succeeded in inventing a transport atomiser, which when you press a button takes you to wherever you want to go in the world in a second.

The fatal day has come, watching my televiewer I see a United Nations plane drop a Uraloid Bomb on America. Five seconds before the world blows up I press my transport atomiser and am on my way to Mars.

On the way I pick up pieces of ice left over from the explosion of the world.

On landing on Mars, my first concern is oxygen, quickly I cut the hydrogen away from the oxygen. Then I take out my enlarging gun and enlarge all the oxygen until Mars is filled with air. The next day I explored Mars and find that the air has killed all animal and plant life, which is just as well.

Mars was just a vast, bare, land with lakes before I came. After studying the earth of

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Mars I decide it needs three things (1) water, (2) fertiliser, (3) plants.

Soon this is accomplished, and, after many adventures I settled down in Mars to enjoy the fruits of my work.

The End.

-G. B. Wettenhall.

AUSTRALIAN BIRDS

All birds are hot blooded as you already know. The birds I am going to mention are the Kookaburra, Lyre bird and Emu. Firstly the Kookaburra:

The Kookaburra has a variety of names the Great Brown Kookaburra, the Laughing Jackass, and the Bushman's clock. It lives in a widely spread area of East Australia, Australia, West South Australia Tasmania. Its size is about 17.5 inches long. The colours are very widely ranged. The upper line from the bill past the eye is brown, the side of the head and underneath is part whitish; the wing is blue with white spots; the tail is barred brown and black and tipped with white. It takes up to a day to swallow a good sized snake. The diet is of lizards, insects and snakes, a reasonably wide range. The nest consists of a few rotten sticks in the hollow of a tree. The eggs 2-4 are pure white.

Lyre bird: The Lyre bird lives in South eastern Queensland, eastern New South Wales, and eastern Victoria. It has a beautiful lyre tail. Its colour is sooty brown and all the tail feathers fully webbed. Its diet consists of insects, centipedes and snails. Its nest is very bulky with a roofed side entrance, usually near the ground. Eggs are light grey to dark brown, very spotted and blotched. And last but not least the Emu.

The Emu is the second largest bird in the world. It feeds on fruits, grasses and almost anything you give him. His nest is made up of trampled grass and leaves on the ground. It lays 8 to 16 eggs, and sometimes more. The eggs are very dark green in colour and rough. The power needed to manoeuvre an Emu into the air, like an eagle, would require wing muscles greater than the total weight of the bird. Different to some other birds, the mother Emu lays the eggs and the father sits on them.

The Emu has very strong muscles in his legs for running and scratching hard ground. It can reach speeds of up to 40 mph. In the plains where it lives it can hide very easily for it is the same colour as the grass.

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ANNUAL REUNION.

Following a well attended Annual Meeting in the Morrison Hall, the Annual Reunion Dinner was held at Sladen House, Pakington Street, Geelong on Saturday, 23rd July, 1960.

The guest speaker at this function-which was the best attended for some years—was the Principal of the Geelong Grammar School, Dr. J. R. Darling, who spoke on "The Church School."

During the dinner, Mr. B. R. Keith handed over to Mr. H. C. Fallaw as the President of the O.G.C.A. Mr. Fallaw responded, and introduced Mr. D. G. Neilson, who proposed the toast of "The Geelong College." The Principal of the College, Mr. P. N. Thwaites, responded to the toast, telling of his first impressions of the school and his plans for the future.

Ticket secretaries B. Roydhouse, D. Taylor, R. May and G. Stevens, and the Social Committee headed by B. Solomon, worked hard to ensure the success of the Reunion.

HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS.

At the Annual Meeting, Dr. M. A. Buntine and Mr. G. Logie Smith were elected Honorary Life Members of the Association. This honour was bestowed for outstanding service to the College.

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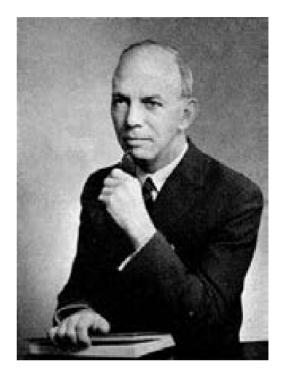
An alteration to the Rules was agreed to by the Annual Meeting, by which the formation and conduct of branches and their representation on the Committee were given official sanction.

MELBOURNE BALL.

George Ewan and his committee of Melbourne Old Collegians were responsible for the second Melbourne Cabaret Ball, held at Nine Darling Street, on Friday, 8th July, 1960.

The Ball was well patronised, and the tasteful decorations-prepared partly with the help of the House of Guilds-helped the dancers to remember their schooldays and revive youthful exuberance.

A small profit was earned for the Centenary Building Fund.



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COMMITTEE.

Owing to his moving to Stawell, Hugh Stewart resigned from the Committee in October. Hugh had been an active member of the Committee, taking a particular interest in the production of a finer wool tie than that used for some years. Such a tie became available early in 1960.

The Committee resolved during November to appoint Bill. Wishart to fill the vacancy. Bill, was the chief ticket secretary for the most successful 1960 Boat Race Ball and the leader of a very diligent team of visitors in the Centenary Building Fund appeal.

LONDON REUNION.

On the occasion of a visit from Sir Francis and Lady Rolland, Sir William Leggatt arranged a reunion of Old Collegians in Kingston House, London, on Friday, 2nd September, 1960.

Thirty-four Old Collegians and wives and parents were present at this happy function, including Sir Arthur and Lady Coles.

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WIMMERA BRANCH.

The newly formed Wimmera Branch of the O.G.C.A. held its inaugral dinner at the Locarno Hotel, Horsham, on Saturdray, 20th August. The Branch President, Mr. George Walter, of Noradjuha, presided over some forty Old Boys, many of whom had travelled considerable distances to be present. Official guests who attended were the Principal, Mr. P. N. Thwaites, the Vice-Principal, Mr. D. D. Davey, and the President of the O.G.C.A., Mr. Harry Fallaw.

Mr. A. J. H. Gray, of Glenorchy, spoke on the toast to the School and Principal responded. Mr. David Gregory, of Dooen, proposed the toast of the O.G.C.A. and the President replied. The Vice-Principal was also prevailed upon to contribute an interesting and inspiring talk.

It was a very happy gathering and all concerned with its organisation have cause to be gratified with the result. The Secreary is Mr. David Waler, of Horsham.

HAMILTON BRANCH.

An unusually large number met at Hamilton on Saturday, 1st October, for the annual dinner of the Hamilton Branch of the O.G.C.A. under the presidency of Mr. J. H. Bromell.

The toast of the College and its new Principal was proposed by Mr. D. M. McKenzie. The Principal, in reply, gave a considered survey of the present problems of the school and his hopes and plans for the future.

Many representatives of other schools were present and these were honoured with a toast proposed by Mr. J. S. Bromell.

Mr. K. W. Nicholson had accompanied the Principal on the journey from Geelonv for the occasion, and he told of interesting features in his recent tour abroad with a public schools' cricket team.

LIFE MEMBERS.

New Life Members of the Association since the last "Pegasus" are:—

T. F. Spinks (1929); J. S. Pigdon ('53); R. D. Crawford, I. Preston ('56); W. J. Davies, A. G. S. Kidd ('57); S. J. K. Gibson, D. C. Wright ('58).

P. A. Bain, D. J. Braden, J. D. Brian, M. A. Brian, P. A. S. Buchan, R. M. Fiddian, J. W. Gillespie, E. R. H. Gibson, P. J. Heard, M. S. Mitchelhill, B. D. Morphy, D. Neely, N. A. Peck, D. A. Pyke, G. R. Serjeant, T. W. Sproat, A. G. Stewart, R. J. Varlev, J. McL. Wager, D. D. Wright ('59).

EDITORIAL.

The Geelong College has experienced an exciting year; a year in which its supporters have expressed their loyalty by promising over £154,000 for the completion of the new Preparatory School; a year in which a new Principal has brought freshness and vigour with his entry into College life.

Certainly not less exciting, and surely more momentous, will be the College's Centenary Year—1961.

Preparations have been in hand for many months for a comprehensive programme of celebrations worthy of the event. The interest of Old Collegians and friends of the school is undoubted: Letters from overseas have already been received asking for details of the functions.

A tentative list of functions for the year is published later in this section of "The Pegasus."

Achievement of the past, and achievement in the future: These are the themes of the year, which will be one of enthusiasm and confidence, following as it does such an exciting year as this.

D.G.N.

CENTENARY HISTORY.

The publication of the Centenary History of the Geelong College is expected to take place early in 1961. The text of the book, written by Mr. G. C. Notman and Mr. B. R. Keith, is in the hands of the printer, and the designing is being undertaken by Mr. R. Ingpen.

More details of the publication and ordering has been sent to Old Collegians with the brochure of the Centenary programme of events.

VISITORS BOOK.

The following Old Collegians' names have been entered in the Visitors' Book since the last issue:—

Graeme Gough (1956), R. G. Walker ('43), Norman J. Young ('46), Frank U. Pam ('53), J. Michael Randell ('44), J. McRae (1895), T. W. Sproat (1959), D. R. Adam ('32), J, R. Adam ('28), Philip Stretton ('36), Malcolm Lyon ('48), David M. Peck ('51), Robert R. Ingpen ('54), Trevor J. Mitchell ('55), Arthur W. Martin ('32), James A. Lowson ('49), Donald H. Walpole ('50), Roy Walpole ('41), J. H. Bowie ('27), Ian H. Silke (38), John C. Walter ('52), Brian R. Goodman ('56), R. H. Kendell ('56), Kerry McKenzie ('56), R. L. Ford ('56), Geoffrey Cannon ('56), John F. Ewart ('41), Neville Kirwin ('52), John G. Cameron ('43), Donald W. Mackay ('44), J. R. Cooper ('39), Michael Dennis ('51), R. L. Moorfoot ('31), J. Strickland ('41), D. G. Rumpf ('56), John Myers ('48).

CENTENARY.

The following list of events in the Centenary Year, with additional information, has been sent in the form of a brochure to all Old Collegians whose addresses are known to the Association. If you have not received the brochure, please write to the Hon. Secretary of the Association for one.

Wednesday, 8th February. Garden Party at the College.

Friday, 17th March. Barbecue-Dance at "Highview," Highton, Geelong.

Saturday, 8th April. Cricket match, Old Collegians v. 1st XL

Friday, 14th April. Boat-Race Ball at Palais, Geelong.

Friday, 7th July. Official Opening of Centenary Week at the College.

Saturday, 8th July. O.G.C.A. Annual Meeting and Dinner.

Sunday, 9th July. Centenary Thanksgiving Service at St. Georges Church, Geelong, at 3 p.m.

Monday, 10th July to Friday, 14th July. Open Week at the College.

Friday, 14th July to Sunday, 16th July. Boarding-In Weekend for Old Collegians at the College.

Thursday, 27th July. Centenary Ball at Palais, St. Kilda.

Friday, 11th August. Football Match, Old Collegians v. 1st XVIII.

Thursday, 7th December. Special Speech Day.

Other functions have been arranged to which it will not be possible to invite all Old Collegians, and these are detailed in the brochure.

CENTENARY BUILDING FUND.

A "Follow-On Committee" comprising volunteers from amongst the teams of visitors who worked during the intensive phase of the Building Fund campaign has met on a number of occasions since the final visitors' meeting, and has endeavoured to complete the approach to "prospects" and to organise the collection of promised donations.

Ably led by Geoff. Betts, this Committee has held most of its meetings at the new Preparatory School, and has heard excellent addresses from Mr. Thwaites, Mr. Davey and the Rev. E. C. McLean.

As a result of the Committee's work, the promised amount has been increased to more than £154,000.

IN SPORT.

The annual Golf Day arranged for Old Victorian Public School Boys in Western Australia was held at Royal Perth Course on 21st July. The College was represented by Sir John Dwyer (who presented the trophies), W. K. Peacock, D. G. Sander, J. H. Hill and A. G. Sloane

D. R. Messenger, R. B. Negri and B. H. Stott were amongst those awarded half-blues for rowing by the University of Melbourne, and R. Howden received a half-blue for athletics.

In winning the Victor Ludorum Challenge Cup at the Annual Royal Agricultural College Sports at Cirencester, England, W. H. S. ("Bill.") Dennis equalled the record of winning five events.

The Old Collegians' Race at the Annual Sports was won by JIM. FIDGE ('57), with BILL. LESTER ('58) second and DUNCAN McDONELL ('58) third.

About 27 Old Collegians enjoyed a perfect day's golf, but without outstanding success, at the Annual Public School Old Boy's Golf Day. Again, "OSSIE" L. BATTEN (1880) did sterling work in organising Old Collegian representation. The two official Association representatives are now BEN DAVIS ('44) and JOHN G. MITCHELHILL ('44).

BIRTHS.

Fred. Dearnaley, daughter—July 8. Graham Johns, daughter—July 14. Daryl Bell, daughter—July 17. Bob Hazeldine, daughter—July 18.
Geoff. Elshaugh, son—July 19.
Lance Laidlaw, daughter—July 23.
D. C. ("Tiger") D'Helin, daughter—July 24.
Peter Negri, daughter—July 25. Brian Timms, daughter-Aug. 3. Gerald Baker, daughter-Aug. 11. Graham Tyler, daughter—Aug. 13. Kenneth Gilbert, son-Aug. 20. Bob. George, son-Sept. 6. Roger Trotter, daughter—Sept. 10. Ronald G. Webster, son—Sept. 16. David Gault, daughter—Sept. 23. Malcolm Brown, son-Sept. 26. Brian Timms, daughter—Sept. Jack Newland, son—Oct. 4. Ian Hocking, son-Oct. 6. John Pigdon, daughter—Oct. 6. Max. McConachy, son—Oct. 9. Ian Larcombe, son-Oct. 10. Max. Winstanley, daughter—Oct. 11. John Wiggins, daughter—Oct. 13. John L. Campbell, son—Oct. 17. Gordon Murray, daughter-Oct. 28. Moray Douglas, son—Nov. 1. Niel Davidson, daughter—Nov. 8. Ronald Edgar, son—Nov. 13.



SIR FRANK MACFARLANE BURNET.



Sir Frank Macfarlane Burnet, whose receipt of the Order of Merit was applauded by Old Collegians not so long ago, was again honoured by an outstanding award on 20th October when it was announced that he had won the 1960 Nobel Prize for Medicine jointly with a British medical scientist.

Sir Macfarlane's work in viruses is well known throughout the world, but the Prize was awarded particularly for the discovery of acquired immunological tolerance.

As the first resident Australian to win this highest of all scientific honours, Sir Frank has been deservedly recognised for his outstanding service to medical science.

ADDRESSES

Mail is constantly being returned from the Post Office in the case of members of the Association who have failed to notify a change in their address.

The Committee are anxious to be able to keep in contact with all members, and to be able to send the "Pegasus" and Association notices.

If you change your address, please notify the Hon. Secretary immediately.

SPORT TODAY.

When I was young, in every sport The key word was Fair Play. I grieve to state that's not the sort Of thing one sees today.

If anybody used a trick
The slighest bit illicit,
He would be told off pretty quick;
"By gad, sir, that's not cricket."

Alas! Today they look at things From quite a different angle. From marbles to the sport of kings, It's just Win, Tie, or Wrangle.

The flanneled fools of Kipling's day Are quite the worst offenders; They want to have things all their way, From openers to "tailenders." "Owzzat," we hear the 'keeper shout To claim a catch "behind;" The batsman yells "I was not out; The umpire's deaf and blind."

The bowler sends a fast one down, We see the wicket fall.
"By Jove," McGuinness is a clown,
That chappie "jerked" the ball.

If tennis stars in matches great Should "tempremental" be And one would rate their mental state, Transpose the "r" and "e."

Now sportsmen all, pull up your socks; Don't try and shunt the blame. Stick to the rules and take the knocks; But always play the game.

OBITUARY.

KEITH CAMPBELL died at Southport, Queensland, where he was holidaying, on July 3. A member of a well-known Birregurra district pastoral family, Mr. Campbell was very active in public activities, being a member of the Winchelsea Council for many years and Shire President on three occasions. He was a soldier in the First World War, and took a keen interest in R.S.L. affairs. Mr. Campbell left the College in 1908.

DOUGLAS GEORGE EVANS, who left the College in 1957, died in an accident while serving with the R.A.A.F. on July 30. He had formerly been employed with the Commonwealth Bank in Geelong.

Dr. HERBERT F. H. ELVINS died on August 29. After leaving the College in 1890, he entered upon a career in medicine, and practised for many years in Geelong, where he joined in a number of phases of public life. He was a leading member of St. Giles Presbyterian Church, and served on the Morongo Council for many years. His son, Weston, also an Old Collegian, is the Presbyterian minister at Myrtleford.

JAMES WALLACE HOPE died at Portland, where he owned a property, on October 21. After serving in the air force in the First World War, Mr. Hope became a rubber planter in Malaya, where he was a member of the resistance force during the Japanese invasion in the Second World War. He was seriously wounded and put into the Changi prison camp. Mr. Hope left the College in 1917.

HARRY LYON MOSS who died at the age of 86 in July, was a member of the College 1st XI and 1st XVIII in 1892. Of his estate, composed of properties and industrial securities, an amount of £1 million was left to the Royal Children's Hospital, Melbourne, in the form of a trust fund. Mr. Moss had lived in Elwood for many years.

Dr. J. V. PEARCE died in June. He had a notable part in the College sporting life in his last year at school (1908), being bow of the 1st VIII and a member of the 1st XVIII and 1st XL He was also a Prefect in that year. At the time of his death, Dr. Pearce was living in Echuca.

Dr. ALBERT E. PILLOW, who died on August 29, was a very well known Old Collegian, having been President of the O.G.C.A. and a member of the College Council. In 1903. he was Dux of the College. He was a member of the College rifle teams which won the Sargood Shield and the Cumming Cup, and his interest in shooting was later maintained in big game hunting expeditions in Africa. Obtaining his Doctorate of Philosophy at the Berlin LTniversity in 1908, Dr. Pillow then qualified as a mining engineer at the Mining Academy, Freiberg, Saxony and followed a career in mining in the Congo, South Africa and Rhodesia before accepting a position with the Australian Cement Limited's Fyansford works in 1924. Dr. Pillow was General Manager of the Company at the time of his death. His two sons, Dr. Fenton Pillow and Harry Pillow, are both Old Collegians.

SPEAKING PERSONALLY_

Servicemen's names to be added to the Second World War tablets in the War Memorial porchway are those of A. E. FORSTER ('30), A. W. J. GIDDINGS ('24) and J. H. GOUGH ('30).

On long service leave from the State Savings Bank, Geelong West, HAYDEN BIRRELL ('38) spent a most interesting holiday in India, visiting some of the former students at the Gordon Institute who had boarded at Hayden's home.

At the I960 conferring of associateships and diplomas by the Gordon Institute of Technology in Geelong, the following Old Collegians were amongst the successful students: Jon G. Myers (Applied Chemistry), Brian L. Head, Edward G. Renton and Anthony O. Whiteside (Civil Engineering), Donald J. Quick (Mechanical Engineering), and Greville Gowty (Architecture).

JOHN (HAROLD) DAVIDSON ('12) and H. T. ("BERT.") WRIGHT ('16) retired from the Engineering Department of the P.M.G.'s Department, both after long careers. At his retirement, Mr. Davidson had risen after 46 years to the position of Assistant Director (Engineering), and Mr. Wright, after 43 years was Superintending Engineer (Metropolitan Branch).



Dr. DONALD M. McEEAN ('43) is now at the Hospital for Sick Children at Toronto, Ontario, after a trip to Britain where he presented papers on virology and visited the virology departments of several universities. He is busy preparing a paper on diseases in nature communicable to man for the Royal College of Physicians in Canada, writing editorial comment on Measles Vaccine for the Canadian Medical Association's Journal, and helping to plan for the International Microbiological Association conference.

K. J. Ackland, a Geelong public Accountant, has admitted DOUGLAS L. CAMERON ('53) as a partner. The firm will practise in future under the name of K. J. Ackland & Co.

GRAEME W. JOHNS ('49) has been admitted as a partner of the Geelong firm of Chartered Accountants, David, David & Day.

PETER CORSTORPHAN (('56) was dux of his class in the six-week course conducted by the Better Furnishing Bureau.

JOHN F. NEW ('53), who has been awarded a two-year post-graduate scholarship by the Canadian Government, will study history at the University of Toronto.

Dr. PETER E. CAMPBELL ('47), who has been studying Pathology at the Royal Melbourne, Royal Womens', Royal Childrens', Prince Henry and Geelong Hospitals for the last five years, has recently been successful in obtaining his membership of the College of Pathologists of Australia (M.C.P.A.).

W. H. S. ("Bill") DENNIS ('56) has been awarded a National Travelling Scholarship to U.S.A., sponsored by the Rotary Club of Princetown University, Kentucky.

FRANK PAM ('53) whose absence overseas on a scholarship was reported earlier, writes that he visited Switzerland and Austria during the year, and attended the Salzburg Festival in August. Frank enjoyed the Austrian countryside in the summer, but commented that there seemed to be more tourists than Austrians.

JOHN M. DAVIDSON ('44) who won the 1959 £1,000 Sisalcraft architectural travelling scholarship, has left Australia on a tour which will include visits to two new capital cities of particular interest to architects—Brasilia in Brazil and Chandigarh in India.

J. F. ("JIM") NIMMO ('29) has been appointed senior first assistant secretary of the Prime Minister's Department. Previously, he

had been in charge of the banking, trade and industry branch of the Treasury.

Dr. J. D. LEGGE ('39) has been made Professor of History at the new Monash University, after holding the position of Reader in History at the University of Western Australia. Dr. Legge is regarded as a scholar of great distinction in Asian and Pacific History.

JOHN D. ROGERS ('13) has been elected a Director to represent preference shareholders on the Board of David Syme & Co. Ltd.

R. L. UREN ('37) is now sub-manager of the A.N.Z. Bank's branch at 75 Collins Street, Melbourne.

CLIFFORD S. PEEL ('53) has left 2QN, Deniliquin, to take up a position of copywriting, news compilation and announcing with 4VL, Charleville, Queensland.

RICHARD HOWELL and twin brother DAVID ('18) returned from the Congo last year, after having worked as missionaries there since 1929. Richard has now settled in Burwood, N.S.W., and David in Wellington, New Zealand.

R. A. ("BOB.") LEGGATT ('47), having gained his F.R.C.S. degree at Edinburgh, plans to seek a year's experience in England before returning to Australia. His first position was at the Edgware General Hospital.

Dr. G. F. RUSSELL COLE ('35) has recently undertaken the Honorary Secretaryship of the American Dental Society in England. He has been in private dental practice in Harley Street, London, for eight years, having previously been in practice in Burnie, Tasmania, and worked as Lecturer in Dentistry at the University of Malaya. At present, he is a part-time lecturer in Conservative Dentistry at the London Hospital.

IAIN PATTISON ('33), residing in Berkshire, England, recently travelled to Iceland to investigate a sheep disease which resembles the human disease, disseminated sclerosis. He was impressed by the high standard of pathology research in progress at Reykjavik, but even more impressed by the aerial views of glaciers, volcanoes, lava fields, lakes and rivers.

F. EWART MORETON ('11) has been appointed an associate director and general manager of the Australian Cement Ltd.

At the Kindergarten Sports, the outstanding performer was BILL. WISHART ('31), who won in fine style from BRUCE FORD ('28) and BRUCE HYETT ('41) in the fathers' race.