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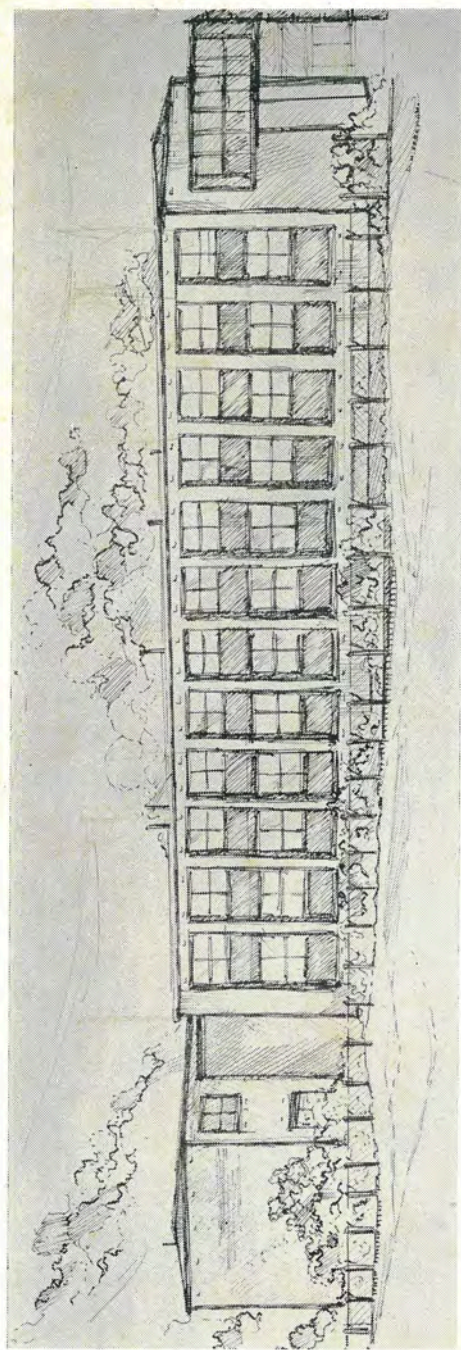
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THE KILLIP WING.

VIEW FROM MOORE PARK.

Drawn by D. H. Freeman, 4A.

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THE HEADMASTER

FAREWELL MESSAGE

In considering how to meet the Editor's request for a farewell message I found my thoughts ranging over the thirty-two years that separate my first year at High from my last. During this period I have seen much history in the making, and my association with G. C. Saxby, R. T. McKay, C. A. Fairland and others gave me some insight into the school's early years.

My strongest impression of Sydney High School is the powerful influence which history and tradition exert in the school. Not to be responsive to this, a pupil would need to be singularly insensitive.

What I should like to say to you is that such traditions as ours cannot be created by a few in a short time. They stem from the standards and achievements of the many and have their beginnings in the distant past. Famous men have set their standards in scholarship, sportsmanship and personal integrity—hundreds of famous men! And ordinary men, too, by the thousand!

It is for you to follow in their footsteps by giving of your best in work and play. It is for you to prove yourself worthy of your school by your conduct, achievements, and loyal service.

In striving to do this you may be sure of one thing: you need never fear that you will put more into your school than you will take out. On the contrary, the more you give, the richer you will be.

May I conclude by expressing the hope that you will come to feel, as I do now, that your life like mine has been enriched by association with Sydney High School.

K. J. ANDREWS,

Headmaster.

A MEMORABLE HEADMASTERSHIP

This year marks the ninth and final year of the headmastership of Mr. K. J. Andrews.

Having succeeded to this position in 1955, Mr. Andrews has consistently and successfully worked to maintain the high standards of service and scholarship that have been expected of pupils of this school ever since its foundation. He has given freely of his time, his energy and his undoubted ability to foster and strengthen all those activities which, over the years, have been added to the normal work of organising and supervising the class-room teaching of 850 boys.

During these nine years, hardly a week has gone by without at least one evening being taken up by a school meeting and frequently two, three or more evenings have been so occupied.

At the end of his final year as Headmaster, Mr. Andrews can look back with satisfaction and justifiable pride at the extent and range of his achievements. Some permanent features that will remain as monuments to his untiring efforts are the following: the establishment of a modern school canteen run by the Ladies' Auxiliary; the extensions and improvements to the McKay Sportsground and Pavilion; the improvements to the Rowing Shed and, greatest of all, the construction of the Killip Wing, which will mean so much to the teaching facilities available in the future.

None of these would have been possible without the Headmaster's ability to work in close harmony with the various bodies that support the school. Surely the vigorous assistance given to the school by the P. & C., the Ladies' Auxiliary and the O.B.U. over the last nine years is the finest tribute to Mr. Andrews' work.

All the boys in this school have good reason to regret the Head-



The Great Hall at the opening of the Killip Wing.



Mr. Andrews escorts Mr. and Mrs. Wetherell from the Great Hall
at the conclusion of the ceremony.

master's retirement. The senior boys know him as a firm and just administrator, giving praise where it was merited, encouragement where it would be helpful and worthwhile home truths where these were called for. There are not many headmasters who have such an intimate knowledge of the progress of each senior boy and who have made it their responsibility, as Mr. Andrews has done, to review their progress and discuss the future with each one individually. The junior boys have to thank the Headmaster for his anticipation and detailed knowledge of the six year course, and for setting them on the courses that First Formers for succeeding years are sure to follow. The staff are losing a man who has, at all times, been sympathetic to their point of view and in every way possible has sought to relieve them of those extra classroom duties, so that their main work of subject teaching could proceed with the least possible interruption.

While we all sincerely regret his departure, our feelings are happily coloured by the thoughts that Mr. Andrews leaves us in the best of health and strength to enjoy his years of retirement. To both Mr. and Mrs. Andrews we bid farewell, wishing you a happy and enjoyable tour of your home state. On your return we hope you will both find time to revisit the school that owes so much to a memorable headmastership.



Dr. Wyndham in conversation with Mr. Killip following the unveiling of Mr. Killip's portrait.

OPENING OF KILLIP WING

The Killip Wing was officially opened on Friday, 4th October, 1963, by the Hon. E. Wetherell, M.L.A., Minister for Education. The new building, is named after Mr. James H. Killip, Headmaster of S.H.S. from 1936 to 1951, who was himself present at the ceremony. This addition to the school which houses the library, science laboratories and demonstration rooms and other classrooms is expected to cost more than £120,000.

The Headmaster at the beginning of the ceremony welcomed the official guests, who included the Hon. E. Wetherell, M.L.A., Minister for Education; Mr. E. G. Whitlam, B.A., LL.B., M.H.R.; Dr. H. S. Wyndham, C.B.E., M.A., Dip.Ed., Director-General of Education; Mr. A. W. Stephens, M.A., Director of Secondary Education; the Right Hon. The Lord Mayor of Sydney, Ald. H. F. Jensen, and Mr. J. H. Killip, B.A.

Mr. Stephens, who acted as chairman for the occasion, paid tribute to Mr. Killip and recalled the years that he had served under him at Sydney High.

In addressing the gathering, the Lord Mayor, Ald. Jensen, pointed out that education is essential for the advancement of our nation and the world generally. Because of this each member of the community must remember the debt which he, as a one-time student, owes to his former teachers and instructors. The Lord Mayor concluded by extending his congratulations to the school for its magnificent record in the past and his good wishes for the future.

The Director-General of Education, Dr. Wyndham, first congratulated the school and Mr. Killip on their achievements. He stated that Mr. Killip had brought to the school a precise sense of scholarship and mental qualities, a devotion to the craft of teaching, and a very high personal standard, the extent of which was hard to assess. Because of this the Department was under a deep sense of obligation to Mr. Killip. Dr. Wyndham went on to say that of all the people he had worked under and who had influenced him, there was none so great as Mr. Killip. Dr. Wyndham then unveiled the portrait of Mr. Killip by the well known artist, Judy Cassab.

The Minister of Education, the Hon. E. Wetherell, M.L.A., in his address deplored the limelight and attention given to the school children who "get off the track". He said some people sometimes seemed to magnify the unfortunate fact that a few children brought disgrace to themselves, their parents and their schools. He told pupils, parents and ex-pupils attending the ceremony that few people today did not realise that Australia's stability and development depended on education. In fact, this country could not improve or even maintain its present position in the world without it. It was essential that our schools should produce men and women able to fit themselves for the highest standards of citizenship. Mr. Wetherell pointed out that the happiest days of a man's life are his school days; yet what he gains during this period plays an important part

in his attainment of happiness in the future, when the boy becomes the man. He reminded the gathering that in Sydney High School, which was founded in 1883, the people of Sydney have a great heritage. The Sydney High School has made many contributions to the industrial and cultural life of the nation. The Minister then stated that he was glad to be present to honour James Killip. He offered his congratulations to the school because of its sporting achievements; sport, he said is a vital part in the development of human character — it teaches tolerance and the ability to give as well as to take. Mr. Wetherell then declared the Killip Wing officially open and unveiled the memorial plaque. The school captain, Robert McKay, thanked the Minister and said that the students of Sydney High are mindful of their privilege in attending the school.

In his reply, Mr. James Killip said that he was very deeply sensitive of the honour done to him and very grateful for it. He thanked everyone sincerely for everything that had been said at the gathering.

Mr. W. J. McMurray, President of the S.H.S. Old Boys' Union and Mr. J. H. Levi, President of the S.H.S. P. & C. Association conveyed an expression of thanks to the speakers and other guests.

The official party then proceeded on an inspection of the Killip Wing after which they were entertained at a buffet luncheon in the Great Hall.

This impressive and memorable ceremony will always remain imprinted on the minds of the boys who were privileged to be present in the Great Hall on this occasion; for it is seldom that pupils are enabled to realise so clearly what the Sydney High School stands for in the history of Sydney and of N.S.W. This experience provided the opportunity for the present students to see their own place in the long and impressive panorama of the story of their school and of those who have been associated with it.

J. McL.

BOUND VOLUMES OF "THE RECORD" PRESENTED

Through the generosity of Mr. J. H. Killip the school recently acquired a complete set of editions of "The Record" from 1934 to 1962. The set consists of six volumes all handsomely bound in leather. This valuable gift is gratefully acknowledged and will be preserved in the Headmaster's Library.

THE YEARS AHEAD

There will be few readers of this 80th Anniversary issue of the "Record" who are not familiar, at least in broad outline, with the history of Sydney Boys' High.

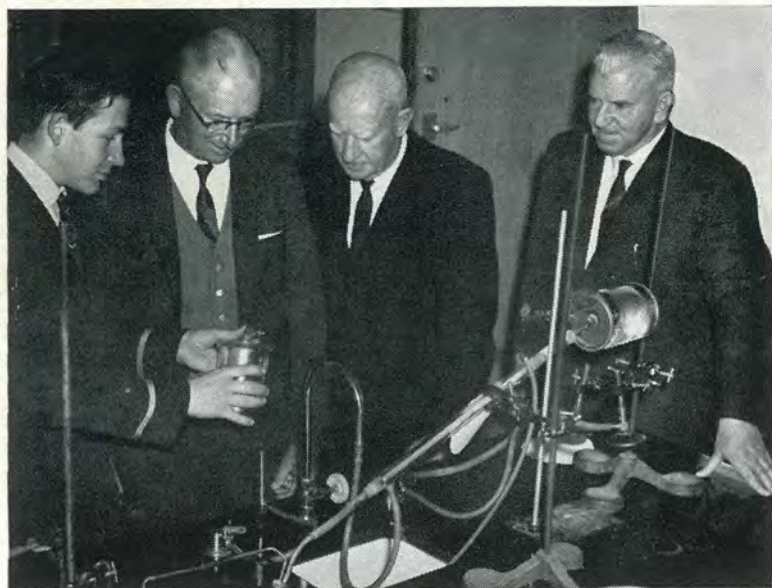
Its foundation in 1883 as the first boys' high school to function as a result of the N.S.W. Government's newly assumed responsibility for secondary education; its removal in 1891 from Elizabeth St. (where David Jones' store stands now) to Mary Ann St., Ultimo; its further transfer in 1928 to the present site in Moore Park to rejoin its sister school; each of these stages in the school's history is well-known.

Equally well-known is the contribution made by former pupils of the school in every sphere of public life—the members of government, military leaders, churchmen; the professional men—lawyers, doctors, engineers, architects, University and school teachers; the sportsmen of local, national and international repute; the businessmen in all spheres of the city's commercial life.

In the life of these, as of every one of the many thousands of men who have passed through the school, the years spent at High have been the formative ones, and each of these Old Boys shares in greater or smaller measure something of the character of the institution that is Sydney High.



School Captain, Bob McKay, presents Mr. Wetherell with a gift on behalf of the school.



Mr. Wetherell and Mr. Killip, accompanied by the Headmaster, inspect laboratory equipment recently installed in the Killip Wing.

However, it is not these who have gone before who determine the present character of the school; nor is it the Headmaster and staff alone who dictate its present role. High depends largely for its character upon the type of pupil it enrolls, and this enrolment is dictated by the policy of the State Education system.

Hitherto this policy has provided the school with its main strength, for it is the only one of the Great Public Schools that draws its pupils from such a variety of diversified environments—from families of widely differing interests, in all walks of life, of all nationalities and of all confessions. It is this same diversity that has provided the strength of the Parents and Citizens' Association, without whose strength the school could not continue to meet its commitments.

In the last decade, the territory from which High culls its pupils has been constantly narrowed, and this has changed the nature of its enrolments. In this period of change, the sons of former pupils have provided a constant in the school's population, who are conscious of the tradition that is so large a part of the heritage of the school.

N.S.W. Secondary Education is at present undergoing a greater revolution than ever before in its history, a revolution that cannot fail to bring ultimate benefit to the community at large.

The role of Sydney High in this metamorphosis is as yet not clearly defined; but it must be the fervent desire of every pupil present and past that changing conditions will continue to populate High with pupils of such a calibre that the academic, cultural, sporting and character-forming traditions of the school are preserved for future generations.

A.A.H.

EIGHTY YEARS

SOME LANDMARKS

On 1st October, 1883, the first scholars enrolled at the Sydney High Schools and one week later the late Sir Charles Badham delivered the inaugural oration at the official opening. Though sharing the one building, situated at the corner of Market and Elizabeth Streets, the Sydney Boys' and Girls' High Schools were separate institutions from the outset. First of the 46 "original" scholars to be placed on the roll was A. M. Eedy.

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Increased enrolments led to the transfer of the boys' school to Mary Ann St., Ultimo. This left the girls in full possession of the Market St. building until it was sold to David Jones Ltd. in 1920.

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In 1906 the Sydney High School was admitted to the Association of the Great Public Schools and began to participate in some of the sports competitions organized by that body. It was not until 1924, however, that the school was able to enter a crew in the G.P.S. Regatta. This association with the G.P.S. has provided the main incentive for the development of the fine playing fields and rowing facilities which pupils enjoy today.

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In the English tradition, the prefect system was introduced in 1910, prefects then being appointed by the Headmaster, Mr. J. Waterhouse. The first Senior Prefect (School Captain) was C. G. McDonald, now Sir Charles McDonald. In those days prefects wore a special hatband inscribed with the motto: VIRTUS ET PUDOR.

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In 1913 a group of metropolitan schools formed the C.H.S.A.A.A. for the purpose of organizing inter-school sports competitions. Sydney High School, a foundation member of this Association, has always played its full part in the C.H.S., despite its increasing commitments to the G.P.S.

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Impressed by the support given by Old Boys to the school, the then Minister for Education, The Hon. T. D. Mutch, decided to build a new school adjacent to Sydney Girls' High School, and promised that places in the school would be available for the sons and grandsons of Old Boys, a promise that has been honoured by the Education Department to this day. Responding to the challenge and determined to keep faith with Mr. Mutch, a group of prominent Old Boys set out to secure playing fields for the school, and ultimately secured the tenancy of an undeveloped area in Centennial Park.

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The new playing fields were named in honour of the late R. T. McKay, a distinguished Old Boy who was mainly instrumental in securing the area. Mr. McKay personally supervised the planning



The Deputy Headmaster and Mrs. Oslington, followed by the Lord Mayor, Alderman Jensen, Mrs. Gould and other members of the official party on the way to the Great Hall.

and engineering work. Since 1932 when the first matches were played there, the McKay Sports Ground has been developed into a very fine sports area. A pavilion, afterwards named The Fairland Pavilion in honour of the late C. A. Fairland, for many years secretary of the O.B.U., was completed in 1932. On at least three occasions since, extensive additions and improvements have been made to the pavilion at a total cost of approximately £9,000.

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Although participating in G.P.S. Rowing from 1924, the school carried on this sport under extreme difficulties. At last in 1952 a group of Old Boys led by Mr. James Budge (a former S.H.S. rower) and supported by the Parents and Citizens' Association, purchased Greens' Boatshed and established this as the headquarters of S.H.S. rowing.

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At about the same time the School Council came into being. Representative of the O.B.U., the Parents and Citizens' Association and the School Union, it is vested with the ownership and control of the school properties at Abbotsford and Centennial Park. It is also responsible for planning and financing developmental projects of major importance. The Headmaster is Chairman of the Council.

EIGHTY YEARS

EIGHTIETH ANNIVERSARY ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

This year marked the 80th Anniversary of Sydney High School, the first Public High School in N.S.W., which was established 1st August, 1883. The anniversary was commemorated by the holding of a special Athletics Carnival at the McKay Sportsground on the same day as the opening of the Killip Wing. The official party, including the Minister for Education and the Director-General, were conducted over the McKay Grounds by the Headmaster and inspected the grounds and the Fairland Pavilion.

Several other schools were invited to compete in the carnival. These were among the older schools which had been the main rivals of High in C.H.S. sporting competitions in the period before the present zoning arrangements came into effect. Schools invited and taking part were: Canterbury High School; Cleveland Street High School; Fort Street High School; North Sydney High School; Randwick High School; Sydney Technical High School.

The following Anniversary Medallions were awarded at the conclusion of the carnival:—

Open 100 Yards Championship: T. Lancaster, Sydney High.

16 Years 100 Yards Championship: J. Diamond, North Sydney High.

Open 220 Yards Championship: T. Lancaster, Sydney High.

16 Years 220 Yards Championship: K. Grover, Sydney High.

Open 440 Yards Championship: T. Lancaster, Sydney High.

16 Years 440 Yards Championship: K. Grover, Sydney High.

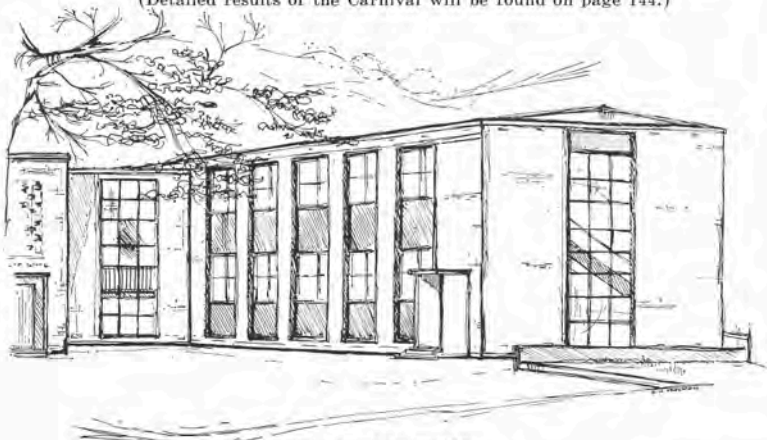
Open 880 Yards Championship: G. Hand, Randwick High.

16 Years 880 Yards Championship: A. Hall—Randwick High.

Open 4 x 110 Yards Invitation Relay: Sydney High.

16 Years 4 x 110 Yards Invitation Relay: Canterbury High.

(Detailed results of the Carnival will be found on page 144.)



THE KILLIP WING.
Impression from the Quadrangle.

Drawn by D. H. Freeman, 4A.



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 Second Back Row: G. R. Sims, C. R. Wegener, T. R. Bowen, J. C. Murphy, K. Cooper, R. G. Morphey, J. O. Rigby, G. Cooney, G. R. Ball, B. S. Rushall.
 Second Row: F. R. Fielding, Miss C. R. Cox, A. W. Mellor, H. C. Veitch, A. R. Mitchell, A. D. Duncan, M. E. Musleah, S. F. Jones, G. Hannan, A. F. O'Rourke.
 Front Row: A. A. Hodge, Mrs. A. Challis, M. J. Chalmers, C. J. Oslington, K. J. Andrews, F. J. Allsopp, J. W. Mumford, Mrs. D. M. Hornbrook, A. R. Jessep.
 Absent: J. Kable.

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Woodwork: A. Dyball.

Librarian: Mrs. D. M. Hornibrook, B.A., Dip.Ed.

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District Counsellor: J. A. Riley, B.A.

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Assistant Sportsmaster: A. F. O'Rourke, B.A.

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School Captain: R. McKay.
Vice-Captain: G. Miller.
Prefects: See page 35.

UNION COMMITTEE

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Vice-Presidents: The Deputy Headmaster;
Mr. A. F. O'Rourke.
Secretary: Mr. A. R. Jessep.
Assistant Secretary: V. Cooney.
Treasurer: Mr. J. Rigby.
Auditors: Mr. J. Murphy and Mr. K. V. Swinson.
O.B.U. Representative: R. McKay.

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Fourth Year: S. Motbey.
Third Year: A. Hoiles.
Second Year: T. Allen.
First Year: G. Souter.

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Union Representative: G. Lehrer.

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I.S.C.F.

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Master-in-Charge: J. O. Rigby.
Union Representative: P. Run.ord.

ROWING

Master-in-Charge: B. S. Rushall.
Union Representative: P. Goodsell.

FOOTBALL

Master-in-Charge: G. R. Ball.
Union Representative: K. Monson.

ATHLETICS

Master-in-Charge: A. W. Mellor.
Union Representative: T. Lancaster.

SWIMMING

Master-in-Charge: M. Chalmers.
Union Representative: R. Bensley.

WATER POLO

Master-in-Charge: C. R. Wegener.
Union Representative: F. Guilhaus.

BASKETBALL

Master-in-Charge: J. W. Mumford.
Union Representative: C. Hawkins.

TENNIS

Master-in-Charge: K. Cooper.
Union Representative: J. Crane.

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Union Representative: R. McKay.

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Master-in-Charge: A. A. Hodge.
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Fairland: B. S. Rushall.
McKay: G. Hannan.
Saxby: K. Cooper.

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Mr. F. J. ALLSOPP RETIRES

Mr. F. J. Allsopp retires this year and so brings to a close a most distinguished and conscientious forty-one years of service to the Education Department of N.S.W.

Beginning teaching in 1923 Mr. Allsopp served in several country High Schools, including a period of nine years at Newcastle Boys' High, before being appointed to Taree High School as Subject Master in 1941. He commenced duty as English/History Master at S.H.S. in 1945 and at this time of retirement will have completed nineteen years of service at this great school. He was Acting Deputy Headmaster for part of 1950 during the absence on leave of the then Headmaster, Mr. J. H. Killip.

In 1945 The Secondary Teachers' Association appointed Mr. Allsopp as its representative on the English Syllabus Committee and in length of service he is now the senior member of that Committee. For many years he has been a member of the History Syllabus Committee. Mr. Allsopp thus played an active part in drawing up the 1953 English and the 1960 History Syllabuses.



F. J. ALLSOPP.

More recently he has been a member of the English Syllabus Committee functioning under the Board of School Studies. Here again he participated in the work of drawing up the syllabuses for the new four-year course and last year was one of a sub-committee of two appointed to integrate the various parts of the syllabus. He lately acted as sole representative of State Secondary Schools on the English Area Committee set up to advise the Board of Higher School Studies on all matters pertaining to the examining of English for the Higher School Certificate.

But such a worthy career and distinctive achievements are not what Frank Allsopp's colleagues will remember him by. Rather they will recall his humanity, his innate decency, his unparalleled willingness to help and guide the members of his staff, his personal efficiency and his outstanding skill as a teacher. He excelled in the capacity to put into assimilative form information and knowledge only available from complex and often abstract sources — the gift of a truly great

teacher. So many who have worked under his direction will vouch for his great qualities and at the same time feel grateful for the experience of teaching with him. He will be remembered, too, by many ex-servicemen, teachers returning from the war and sent out to S.H.S. to rehabilitate themselves in the teaching profession. Frank Allsopp proved his great selflessness in making available to these visitors all the fruits of his many years' experience. The same treatment has been given those who have worked on his staff throughout the years.

His worth on a staff has been greatly increased by his long, loyal and devoted attention to the sporting life of the schools in which he served. Football, both Rugby League and Rugby Union, has been a life interest. His work with the senior teams at Sydney High School both in C.H.S. and G.P.S. competitions over a fourteen year period is gratefully remembered, coming as it did from the Master of a Department in the school and making great demands on both time and energy.

Such all-round competence backed by a great love of teaching and an uncommon conscientiousness made Frank Allsopp the complete teacher. S.H.S. and all his colleagues in the teaching profession trust that he will live long to enjoy a retirement that has never been more deserved.

F.O'R.

Mr. A. R. MITCHELL RETIRES

Another significant departure takes place at the end of this school year with the retirement of Mr. A. R. Mitchell who has given twenty years of valuable service to S.H.S. Mr. Mitchell has established something of a record in that he taught a L.C. class in English in each of these twenty years. His consistent efforts have won for him the esteem and gratitude of hundreds of boys who have passed through the school. Alick Mitchell's colleagues on the English staff will remember him for his shrewdly penetrating appraisals of literary works, his dryly humorous comments on people and things and his willingness

at all times to give to junior teachers the benefit of his wide experience. Both staff and pupils wish him joy in his well earned retirement.



A. R. MITCHELL.

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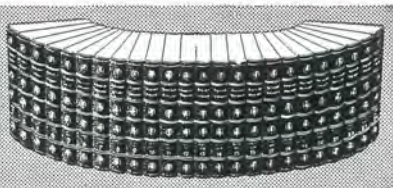


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STAFF CHANGES

Promotion claimed four of the staff of 1963: L. J. Bailey, Master of Commerce, South Sydney Boys' High; S. R. Frappell, Special Master, Birrong Boys' High School; J. T. Harrison, Master of Mathematics, Wellington High School; O. J. Horaceck, Master of Modern Languages, Caringbah. Mr. R. A. Bragg, a highly competent member of the Science staff, resigned, married and went to England to take up the teaching profession again. Transfers accounted for Messrs. H. D. Kelaher, R. M. Loudon, Miss S. D. Noonan and Mrs. I. Hughes.

Perhaps the most significant of these changes was Mr. S. R. Frappell. He was on the staff for twenty years and was the personification of willingness and quiet co-operation. The school misses his fine service. Mr. L. J. Bailey was another great loss not only for the quality of his work in the class-room, but also for the fact that he carried out his duties of Careers Adviser so efficiently. Mr. J. T. Harrison's departure was a blow to the school. His work both inside and outside the class-room was of high merit and will be greatly missed.

To all these past members of the staff, S.H.S. offers its goodwill and hopes that they will thrive and succeed in the new positions they now hold.

S.H.S. welcomes to the staff the following: Messrs. D. Salmon, B. J. Andrews, G. Sims, G. Cooney, J. Dekkers, H. C. Veitch and Mrs. A. M. Challis. The school is anxious that their sojourn will be pleasant, interesting and profitable.

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No record of Sydney High would be complete without reference to the invaluable work performed so readily and efficiently by our two Secretaries. Mrs. Byrne and Mrs. Braithwaite have identified themselves with the school and all its many activities, and have given service far beyond the call of duty. Their fine work is much appreciated by the Headmaster, the Staff and the boys, as well as by the P. & C. Association and kindred bodies.



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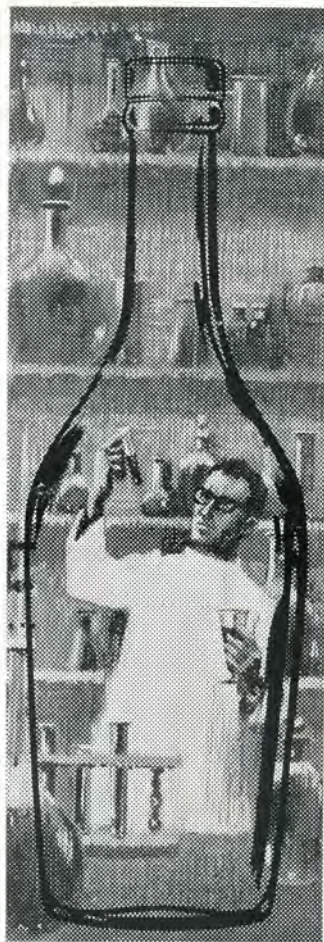
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The letters "H(1)" signify first-class honours; "H(2)" second-class honours; "A" first-class pass; "B" second-class pass. The sign "o" denotes those who have passed oral tests in French.

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Adler, R. G., 1A 3A(o) 16A 17A 22H2 23H1.	Connors, R. W., 1B 3B(o) 16B 17B 22B 23B.
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Cachia, G., 1B 3B 13B 18A 22F 23F.	Fletcher, G., 1A 3A(o) 16A 17B 22B 23B.
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Chow, R. S. C., 1B 8A 16A 17A 22B 23B.	Gardiner, R. S., 1B 3B 16A 17A 22B 23B.
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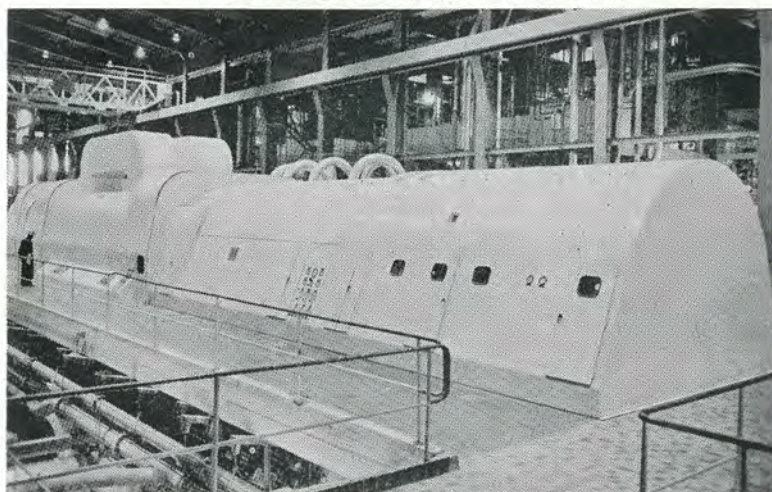
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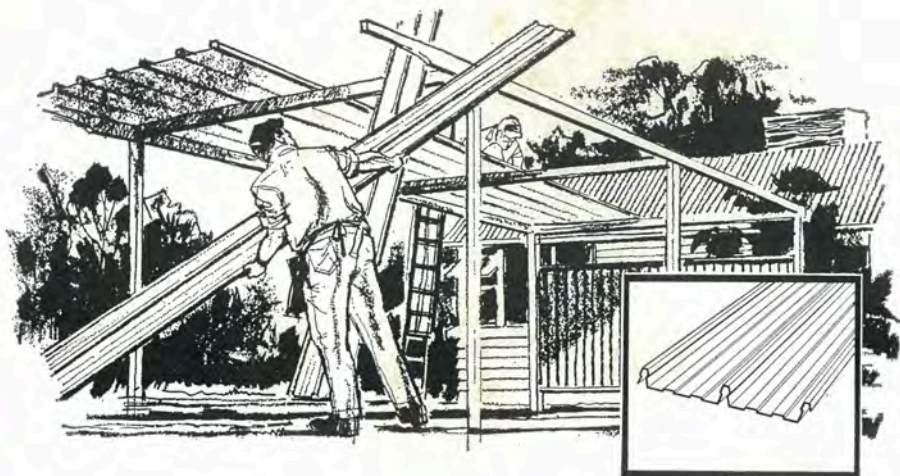


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The following boys passed the Alliance Francaise Examination this year:

Grade I: E. Ackman, C. Allsop, L. Bell, R. Beran, J. Bullock, R. Calnan, P. Camps, I. Coyle, W. Donaldson, G. Dunn, R. Evans, L. Fabre, D. Foster, J. Gilbert, W. Halliday, M. Hing, G. Hunter, G. Isaacs, C. Jackson, W. King, S. Lantos, K. Latona, S. Law, D. Low, P. Lumbewe, J. Newman, A. Nicholas, G. Nicholson, B. O'Meagher, J. Pike, J. Puckeridge, N. Sadler, W. Selby, T. Sharp, B. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Topping, T. Uren.

Grade III: M. Berghouse, D. Bloom, M. Brown, J. Ferry, D. Gee, D. Goldrick, R. Henning, A. Huxley, M. Jaku, A. Johnson, G. Lewis, L. Mangel, H. Merkur, N. Morgan, J. Murray, M. Neustein, P. Nosworthy, L. Oates, A. Quinlan, B. Sechos, S. Symonds, T. Tyson, I. Walsh, R. Warfield, D. White, K. Widdows, S. Wood.

Grade IV: V. Bird, P. Parry, L. Rivkin, N. Stammell.

Grade V: S. Dascalu, A. Duffy, R. Grant, R. Kusmirak, R. McCrossin, E. Savdie, D. Stefanovic.

D. J. DUFFY HONOURED.

The Headmaster has accepted the offer of Mr. A. Ferguson, former president of the O.B.U., to present a Sword of Honour to the School as an annual award for the outstanding cadet of the year.

Des Duffy has been an outstanding supporter of the School for many years. Having rowed in the School Eight in 1928 and 1929, he later coached High crews very successfully. After an interval he recently returned to School Rowing and is to coach the School's 1964 Eight.

A former president of the O.B.U. and a member of the Council for 30 years, Colonel Duffy has always had the interests of the School at heart and has been one of its most consistent supporters. Among his other interests in the High Club, which he was largely instrumental in founding and of which he is still President.

It is fitting that the trophy, to be known as the Colonel D. J. Duffy Sword of Honour, is for competition among the school cadets, for Des Duffy has taken a keen interest in the School Cadet Unit and has helped its development in many ways.

J. H. KILLIP PRIZE

The Headmaster recently announced the founding of a prize to be known as the J. H. Killip Prize. This prize will be awarded annually to the Dux of Form II and presented for the first time this year. It is highly appropriate that the name of former headmaster J. H. Killip be commemorated in the prize list as are those of Barr, Saxby and Waterhouse. The school is grateful for the co-operation of Mr. Killip and members of his family in this matter.

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PRIZE LIST, 1962

FIFTH YEAR

Dux (Frank Albert Cup and Headmaster's Prize): G. C. Saxby Prize for Mathematics: **M. Eggar.**
 A. B. Piddington Prize for English: Best Contribution to "The Record" (aeq.) (Fifth Year): **J. Hislop.**
 Dr. F. W. Doak Prize for Latin: **R. Speer.**
 Sir Earle Page Prize for French: **A. Cohen.**
 Sir Earle Page Prize for German: **M. Dorsen.**
 Greek: Mathematics III: **R. Stead.**
 Special Prize for Mathematics I: **A. Hung.**
 Alan C. Corner Prize for Physics: **D. Heron.**
 Henry F. Halloran Diamond Jubilee Prize for Chemistry: **J. Challen.**
 Clarrie Martin Memorial Prize for Modern History: **P. Conway, L. Rogovin** (aeq.).
 Paul Griffiths Memorial Prize for Economics: **J. Spigelman.**
 Geography: **R. Gillies.**
 General Proficiency: **P. Beeby, C. Mitchell, G. Rothman.**
 Oratory: **G. Lewkovitz.**
 Declaration: **D. Sharota.**
 Best Poetry in "The Record": **W. Silk.**
 Best Contribution to "The Record" (Fifth Year): **P. Cappe** (aeq.).

FOURTH YEAR

Dux (Keith C. Cameron Memorial Prize): Latin (aeq.): **I. Nicholls.**
 A. M. Eedy Prize for English: **J. Kempler.**
 Latin (aeq.): **H. Kay.**
 Greek: **J. McIntosh.**
 French: **E. Savdie.**
 German: **R. Martin.**
 Mathematics I: Oratory: **G. Lehrer.**
 Mathematics II: **P. Ritch.**
 Mathematics III: **P. Brandon.**
 K. Saxby Prize for Mathematics and Physics: **D. Joshua.**
 Special Prize for Physics: **R. Forrest.**
 Chemistry: **R. McCrossin.**
 Modern History: **G. Bellamy.**
 Geography: Economics: **F. Guilhaus.**
 General Proficiency: **R. Hamilton.**
 Declaration: **D. Hammer.**
 Best Contribution to "The Record" (Fourth Year): **P. May, G. Stewart** (aeq.).

THIRD YEAR

Dux (Sir Frederick Jordan Memorial Prize) (aeq.): **N. Avramidis.**
 Dux (Sir Frederick Jordan Memorial Prize) (aeq.): **E. Lee.**
 H. A. Cross Prize for English; Mathematics I: **M. Purins.**
 Latin; German; Science: **R. Zeltzer.**
 Greek: **I. Spence.**
 French: Best Contribution to "The Record": **B. Davies.**
 Mathematics II: **N. Stamell.**
 History: **C. Randall.**
 Geography: **W. Topchewski.**
 Business Principles: **C. McLoughlin.**
 General Proficiency: **D. Chrepacz.**
 Oratory: **D. Davenport.**
 Declaration: **J. Dwyer.**

SECOND YEAR

Dux, Latin (aeq.); German (aeq.): Mathematics I; Mathematics II: **G. Lewis.**
 A. M. Eedy Prize for English: **J. Ferry.**
 Latin (aeq.); German (aeq.); Science: **S. Symonds.**
 French; History: **G. Gillin.**
 Greek: **B. Sechos.**
 Geography: **G. Quick.**
 Business Principles: **C. Welch.**
 Philip Seymour Memorial Prize for General Proficiency: **D. White.**
 General Proficiency: **H. Merkur, I. Prince.**

Declaration: **J. Haynes.**

Oratory: Best Contribution to "The Record" (Second Year): **N. Morgan.**

FIRST FORM

Dux (O.B.U. Ladies' Auxiliary Gordon Barr Memorial Prize); Social Studies: **W. Donaldson.**
 English (Norman Save Memorial Prize); Music: **P. Lumbewe.**
 French; Mathematics; Oratory: **J. Isaacs.**
 Science; Best Contribution to "The Record" (First Form): **I. Hind.**
 Craft: **P. Morris.**
 General Proficiency: **G. Ireland.**
 Declaration: **G. Klye.**

SPECIAL PRIZES

Special P. and C. Association Prizes for General Proficiency:
 YEAR V: **D. Griffiths.**
 YEAR IV: **C. Smith.**
 YEAR III: **D. Hind.**
 YEAR II: **S. Wood.**
 FORM I: **R. Harper.**
 Rotary Prizes for Service: **R. Adler, R. Cope, G. Fairbairn, D. B. Miller, D. Millar, D. Pyett, G. Rothman, M. Taylor, C. Ward.**
 The Old Boys' Prize: **K. Monson.**
 The John Skyring Cross Memorial Cup: **J. Coleman.**
 The John Waterhouse Prize: **F. Connor.**
 The Oswald Chapman Memorial Prize: **P. Beeby, D. Griffiths** (aeq.).
 The J. W. Gibbes Memorial Prize: **R. Walsh.**
 The J. and E. Saxby Bequest: **M. Purins.**
 The John Francis Bush Memorial Prize: **P. Rufford.**
 The Lodge Sydney High School Prize: **J. Miller.**

SPORTS TROPHIES

Sydney Girls' High School Cup for Games and Sportsmanship: **J. Coleman.**
 A. C. McKibbin Cup for Cricket: **C. Sinclair.**
 Rugby Union Trophy: **K. Bull.**
 Senior Tennis Championship: **J. Crane.**
 Junior Tennis Championship: **D. Hind.**
 William Soothill Memorial Trophy for Basketball: **P. Zorbas.**
 Frank Albert Cup for Senior Athletics Championship: **S. Young.**
 A. M. Eedy Cup for 100 Yards Championship: **T. Lancaster.**
 Macarthur Memorial Cup for One Mile Championship: **J. Coleman.**
 Under 16 Years Athletics Championship: **E. Lee.**
 Under 15 Years Athletics Championship: **M. Brown.**
 Under 14 Years Athletics Championship: **M. Price.**
 Under 13 Years Athletics Championship: **R. Aroney.**
 W. W. Ivo Wyatt Memorial Trophy for Senior Swimming Championship: **N. Whitlam.**
 Claude Tressider Trophy for 100 Yards Breaststroke: **N. Whitlam.**
 Under 16 Years Swimming Championship: **R. Bensley.**
 Under 15 Years Swimming Championship: **P. Guilhaus.**
 Under 14 Years Swimming Championship: **K. Glover.**
 Under 13 Years Swimming Championship: **G. Dunn.**
 Trophy for Water Polo: **R. Vadas.**
 William Soothill Memorial Trophy for Basketball: **P. Zorbas.**
 Rifle Shooting Trophy: **W. Browning.**
 Stamina Trophy for Cross Country Running: **R. Whittle** (1E Class Captain).
 G. C. Saxby Shield for House Competition: **Eedy House.**



PREFECTS

Back Row: M. Jonson, P. Rufford, P. Goodsell, C. Levi, K. Monson.
 Third Row: R. Bensley, C. Sinclair, F. Guilhaus, P. Smith, D. Cullen, R. Grant.
 Second Row: J. Crane, P. Barrington, T. Lancaster, H. Ball, C. Ireland, T. Gervay, A. Cronos.
 Front Row: J. Miller, G. Miller, Mr. A. A. Hodge, R. McKay, Mr. K. J. Andrews, P. May, I. Nicholls.

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SPEECH NIGHT, 1962

The seventy-ninth Annual Speech Night of Sydney High School was held on 11th December, 1962. An interesting and informative address was delivered by Sir Alan Watt, Kt., C.B.E., B.A. Prizes and trophies were presented by Sir Alan and Lady Watt. Colonel D. J. Duffy, M.C., E.D., p.s.c., was in the chair.

The Headmaster, in his annual report, first gave a brief account of important happenings in the history of the school which have led up to the forthcoming occupation of the J. H. Killip Wing. He pointed out that although the building of the new wing enabled S.H.S. to meet the requirements of the six-year system, there would still be many difficulties in the full implementation of the Wyndham Plan. These would be due mainly to staffing problems. The Headmaster then drew attention to the fact that entrance to the universities is becoming increasingly difficult under the new policy of restricted enrolment. He said that on the whole, however, our senior students have responded well to this challenge. Mr. Andrews concluded his address after drawing attention to various achievements of the school in sport and other activities.

The choir under the baton of Mr. R. G. Morphew, and the Orchestra and Brass Ensemble under those of Miss C. Cox and Mr. C. Goodchild respectively, contributed to a very pleasant programme.

J. McI.

SCHOOL CAPTAIN

In the past it has been a tradition that the calibre of the School Captain should equal that of his predecessors. In this Bob McKay has not failed. Few have held the office in the quiet and modest manner as he has this year. A son of well-known old boy Laurie McKay, he has given consistent loyalty and service to Sydney High and has served as a fine example to his fellows.

Bob has just completed a noteworthy career in the Cadet Corps. In his fourth year he attained the rank of C.U.O. and in this, his final year, he led the Unit as Adjutant. "Slasher" McKay has been active in many sports since he first came to the school in 1959. He is an outstanding swimmer who has represented the school for five years in this sport, a sturdy and sporting footballer, a representative of the school in the shot-put and javelin events in both G.P.S. and C.H.S. athletics. Bob has also figured as a batsman in the 1st XI for two years. Moreover, he has maintained a consistently high academic standard.

When Bob leaves the school there will remain the honourable memory to us all of a conscientious captain, a proficient sportsman, an industrious scholar and a tireless worker in the interest of the school.

PREFECTS, 1963

Robert McKay (Captain), George Miller (Vice-Captain), Harvey Ball, Paul Barrington, Robert Bensley, John Crane, Angelo Crones, Derick Cullen, Thomas Gervay, Philip Goodsell, Roger Grant, Fred



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ANZAC DAY COMMEMORATION

The annual Anzac Day commemoration service was held at S.H.S. in the Great Hall on Friday, 26th April. The Guest of Honour for this occasion was Brigadier Cox, D.S.O., M.C., E.D., M.L.A.

Before the commencement of the ceremony, Brigadier Cox inspected a Guard of Honour commanded by C.U.O. Bensley and provided by members of the Sydney High School Cadet Unit.

After an introductory speech by the Headmaster, Brigadier Cox addressed the assembled school. The Brigadier drew our attention to the solemnity of the occasion; as our own future was uncertain, we should be prepared, if the call ever came, to give our own lives as the Anzacs had done, so that our way of life should be preserved as we know it. The significance of Anzac Day is not that we glory in war, but that men sacrificed their lives in order that their country and ours might remain free. It was because of this that Australia enjoys the wealth and industrial might she now possesses. To keep up the tradition for which they died we must be prepared to follow their example.

At the conclusion of Brigadier Cox's address, the School Captain, accompanied by the Vice-Captain and the C.U.O. commanding the Guard, laid a wreath on the Honour Roll, and the school stood in silence as the "Last Post" and the "Reveille" were sounded.

J.McI.

FOOTBALL LUNCHEON

Official guests were Mr. A. W. Stephens, Director of Secondary Education; Mr. J. Bilbe, Assistant Director of Secondary Education; Mr. E. H. Travers, Headmaster of S.C.E.G.S.

Mr. Stephens congratulated the school on an excellent year of football and presented each member of the First XV with a mounted alarm clock with a football motif as a memento of their G.P.S. premiership win.

Mr. Travers was guest speaker and, after passing on the congratulation of Shore School on our premiership win, he gave a very interesting talk on his football experience all over the world. A surprise presentation was made to the Headmaster, Mr. K. J. Andrews, of a similar clock to that given to the boys.

Approximately 375 boys attended luncheon, which they appeared to enjoy thoroughly. A vote of thanks to the Ladies' Auxiliary was proposed by Bob Westcott and supported by Phil Smith. The latter thanked the coaches for their assistance throughout the year for coaching of the teams.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Social Committee was formed to arrange the various details connected with the organisation of the end of term dances. In order to do this they collaborated with a similar committee from the Girls'

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School. As the usual band of John McGrath was unavailable for the dances, the committee decided on "The Resonets", a band which had previously been hired for P. & C. dances.

The first end-of-term dance was on the last Wednesday of the first term. This dance was a success both as a social event and financially. The band lived up to the committee's expectations and proved itself extremely popular. Doubtless this was helped by our M.C., Mike Brownlee, who worked in close co-operation with the band.

The Second Term dance was even more successful, as was evident by the large attendance of over 270 pupils. "The Resonets" were again extremely popular, as indeed they have been at all the P. & C. dances this year. The committee again appointed a 5th year boy as M.C.—this time Garry Jones.

However, the dances would not have been successful without the co-operation of the P. & C., and especially Mr. Huxham and Mr. Brown. The committee would like to thank all those parents who attended and helped organise the dances.

The following represent our school on the committee: M. Brownlee; G. Hatfield, G. Jones, J. Kempler, R. Lawrence, A. Paul, P. Rufford. G.J.

"THE RECORD"

A staff of more than twenty boys from each of the three senior years has been responsible for this year's "Record". Appointed from last year's editorial committee, the Student Editors got busy early in the first term. Each of the committees has worked steadily since,



RECORD STAFF

Back Row: A. Moldovan, J. Glass, D. Freeman, P. Prentice, I. Cullen, R. Henderson, G. McIvor, J. Wood, P. McCouat.
Second Row: S. Kritzler, R. Cunningham, C. Ashcroft, D. Ringham, P. Day, R. Dalziel, W. Long, J. Dwyer, M. Purins, D. O'Neill.
Front Row: H. Ball, D. Cullen, M. Meadows, G. Jones, Mr. M. Musleah, J. McIntosh, B. Mitchell, T. Ash, J. Banks.
Ground: P. Parry, B. Halligan.

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seeing each section of the journal through the different stages. Once again the spreading of responsibility over a large number of boys has lightened the load on each.

Our successful venture in 1962 into managing our own advertising was followed this year by a still more pleasing result, so that this edition, with 192 pages and a very much larger coverage of photographs, has meant little additional financial burden to the School Union. For this we are indebted first and foremost to our advertisers who deserve the support of all Old Boys and well-wishers of the school. More particularly among them we thank Col. D. Duffy, Mr. R. C. Crebbin and Mr. C. Pickford, themselves Old Boys, who once again responded to our requests for support.

The assistance rendered and initiative shown throughout the year by the following boys and their ready response to any call was most significant: G. Jones, J. McIntosh, J. Banks, D. Freeman, R. Cunningham, T. Ash, J. Dwyer, R. Dalziel, D. Ringham, P. Day.

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Sport: D. Cullen, M. Meadows (Student Editors), T. Ash, I. Cullen, R. Dalziel, J. Dwyer, J. Glass, S. Kritzler, W. Long, A. Moldovan, R. Stevenson.

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The actual move was practically painless and only took one and a half days, owing to the indefatigable industry of the librarians and the efficient organization of Colin Ward and Graham Fairbairn, who, most nobly, gave their time to us, even though they had left school and were well entitled to a rest before University started.

We have been very fortunate this year to have Mark Taylor with us. He is repeating Fifth Year to gain a better pass and he is a very experienced librarian, especially in the organization of staff. With Mark in charge of personnel and Don Edmunds on the typewriter and Brian Davies in charge of the Archives, we have had a very successful year. A sum of £1,120 has been spent since last August and 1,200 books have been added to the Library.

The Wyndham Plan calls for the establishment of a separate Senior Library and we are hoping to use the Library Annexe for this purpose. This will enable senior pupils to study without disturbance from the classes that are in the Library at the time, and yet the facilities of the Library will all be available to them.

Now we have a separate Reading Room, we have expanded the list of periodicals to which we already subscribe. The new periodicals are:—

Unesco Courier (German Edit.)	Unesco Courier (French Edit.)
History Today	Popular Mechanics
The Australian Geographer	The Times Literary Supplement
Economic Geography	The Surfer
Radio & Television Hobbies	R.A.A.F. Flying Review
La France	Walkabout

Since the beginning of the year the School Archives and Book Stack have been installed in their own room. In the old library these occupied several presses and cupboards and were for the most part inaccessible. The Archives contain letters, photographs, docu-



SENIOR LIBRARY.

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ments, etc., connected with the history of the school as well as bound volumes of "The Record" and "The History of Sydney High School". There are even some old "Chronicles" and early Athletic Carnival Programmes. In the Book Stack there are numerous rare and irreplaceable volumes, including a Bible printed in 1606, the Holterman Collection, a Robinson Crusoe one hundred years old, and keen interest in music and singing will be glad to join the choir and develop the little used talent that has been given to each one of us.

M.W.

BRASS ENSEMBLE

Back Row: Mr. C. Goodchild, R. Evans, G. Walker, A. Isaacs, G. McIvor,
B. Smith, G. Adams, M. Georgouras, C. Alcock.
Second Row: G. Hunter, J. Pike, W. Beard, J. Taylor, K. Kinstler, W. Selby,
J. Hill, D. Gerber.
Front Row: K. Latona, D. Wonder, P. Ellis, J. Gilbert, P. Kelly, P. Anderson,
D. MacDonald.



ORCHESTRA

Back Row: D. O'Neill, D. Bloom, M. Morozov, L. Mangel, D. Gee, J. Gilbert,
P. Anderson, D. MacDonald, P. Kelly, I. Walsh, H. Ball.
Second Row: Mr. R. G. Morphew, M. Jaku, K. Widdows, J. Brown, J. Bullock,
G. Adams, R. Evans, G. Walker, W. Selby, W. Beard.
Front Row: L. Falson, C. Johns, A. Erikson, C. Welch, R. Drysdale, M. Cook,
P. Quittner, B. Mitchell, M. Brownlee, Miss C. Cox.

and many other treasures which are of great use to Honours students and are available by application to the Librarian or the Archivist, Brian Davies.

Great interest has been taken in the Ethel Killip Memorial Collection of Australian Paintings and in our collection of Australian Pottery. We even had an account of our Pottery Collection in "Pottery Today", May issue.

We are hoping to have lighting in the Library very soon, and we are also anxiously awaiting new shelving. If these arrive we won't know what to complain about.

THE SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

The School Orchestra of 1963 has been a little disappointing when compared with the groups of past years. The enthusiasm seems to be lacking in some of the more senior members. However, this has not stopped the orchestra from taking part in some of the school activities. In July, at the Evening of Music, the orchestra played two items from "Flying Dutchman" by Wagner. At present the orchestra is preparing a programme for Speech Night.

The number of instruments which the school now owns has increased since last year. The Music Branch of the Department of Education has made available several new instruments and the P. and C. purchased several brass instruments. Members of the orchestra would like to take the opportunity to thank Miss Cox for her effort in training and conducting the orchestra. R.G.M.

THE CHOIR

This year the choir has given few performances. However, this does not mean that there has been no activity on our part.

The different sections of the choir have worked hard for the "Evening of Music," which was held in the Great Hall on Friday, 19th July. We are pleased to report that this was a highly successful night. We are deeply indebted to Pamela Todd, Judy Morris and Erica Farmer, Brent Rushall and Paul Whiting, Mr. L. Fulson and his son, Ian. We are also grateful to Miss O. Bobroff, and the girls of the Sydney Girls' High School Choral Group for contributing their share to the success of the evening.

The senior boys of the Choir were selected to sing at the Combined Secondary Schools' Choral Concert held in the Sydney Town Hall. The programme consisted of excerpts from Mozart's "The Magic Flute" and Vaughan Williams' "In Windsor Forest". At the time of writing, we have been asked to sing at the Old Boys' Service to be held at St. James' Church of England in October. The contribution of the choir to the Annual Speech Night has now become a regular feature of the programme.

Thanks and appreciation must be given to Mr. Morphew for the patient and devoted attention that he has given to the choir this year. It has been through his earnestness that we have been able to achieve anything.

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SENIOR DEBATING

M. Brownlee, Mr. M. J. Jenkin, G. Lehrer, G. Jones, J. S. Rytmeister, D. Hammer.

DEBATING

This has not been a very successful year for our senior team, as in the C.H.S. competition they lost the zone, defeating only South Sydney High. In the G.P.S. competition they defeated The King's School and St. Joseph's College, but went down narrowly to St. Ignatius in an extremely close debate at home. The team was G. Lehrer, G. Jones, D. Hammer in G.P.S. debates and M. Brownlee in C.H.S. debates. Although as a team they were not successful, as individuals Gus Lehrer came third in the Lawrence Campbell competition for oratory and Garry Jones was selected as second speaker in the combined G.P.S. team for the annual debate against the C.H.S., which the G.P.S. team won—both high honours.

The team would like to thank Mr. Jenkin, who, as secretary of the C.H.S. Debating Society, devoted so much time to this activity and also J. Rytmeister, who assisted in the preparation of C.H.S. debates and gave our speakers valuable support on every occasion. Greater support from the school could very well make a difference to the teams that represent us.

The Junior team improved considerably during the season. As is traditional they lost the annual pre-season debate against Sydney Girls' High. They also lost to Vaucluse, Randwick and South Sydney, but won against Maroubra Bay. Unfortunately, they were not successful in any of the unofficial G.P.S. debates. The team comprised of T. Ash, P. Kampfner, G. Clark, and J. de Leon, reserve. However, they were quite successful in the Eisteddfod at the end of the season, reaching the semi-finals in the debates, while P. Kampfner and G. Clark reached the finals of the impromptu speech section. A second Junior team, comprising S. Kritzler, J. Glass, C. Joyce and R. Hausego, reserve, also reached the semi-



JUNIOR DEBATING—"A" TEAM

T. Ash, G. Clark, P. Kampfner, J. DeLeon.

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finals of the debates in the Eisteddfod. These boys gave valuable encouragement to the other Junior team throughout the season. Again the Juniors would like to thank Mr. Jenkin for his valuable assistance.

GYMNASTIC CLUB

Although the club has only been in existence for several months, the membership stands at about fifteen. We meet on Thursday afternoons at the school gymnasium. Mostly first and second form boys have enrolled, but a few senior boys also attend. Any new boys would be extremely welcome.

The apparatus used is generally the vaulting box, parallel bars, springboard, and the tumbling mats which are used as safety precautions, as well as for tumbling and balancing.

Many of the younger boys have fine prospects of becoming fine acrobats on the parallel bars and vaulting box.

The club would like to express thanks to Mr. Hodge for his time and valuable hints, and also to Mr. Fielding for the use of the gymnasium and the apparatus available. I.K.

INTER-SCHOOL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

I.S.C.F. is a Christian movement which exists in most secondary schools. Its aims are to provide fellowship for students who are already Christians, and to bring others to the knowledge of Christ and the Christian way of life.

Our meetings are held every lunchtime on Fridays in room 6, and our prayer and discussion group meets on Mondays.

The Friday meetings have been conducted in a variety of ways: Talks have been given by visiting ministers, by our counsellor Mr. Kable, by Mr. Cooney and by various members of the committee. Besides, there have been Bible quizzes, question times, slides of missionary work and youth camps, accompanied each time by commentary on tape. Hikes held in the school holidays proved to be enjoyable occasions of Christian fellowship.

The I.S.C.F. this year held its first house-party. On the last weekend in April, twenty-nine officers and students spent a most enjoyable and spiritually profitable time at "The Grange", Mt. Victoria. Under the guidance of Mr. Kable, we spent the time in a combination of Bible study and discussion on the life of Joseph and various Christian activities.

Generally, the I.S.C.F. has functioned well this year. Enthusiasm in the first term made up for the lack of experience on the part of the committee, and as the year progressed we gradually grew more competent in the organisation of the meetings.

Our grateful thanks go to Mr. Kable for his advice and guidance, to Mr. Cooney for the help he has rendered us and to those who have contributed to the working of the I.S.C.F. C.W.

CHESS CLUB.

This has been quite a good year for the Chess Club. The membership has increased slightly; and this year there have been more junior members than at any previous time: this augurs well for the

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future of the club.

In inter-school competition the club has been reasonably successful. The "A" Grade team gained third place in the Zone competition; John Isaacs in particular did very well, and came through the season undefeated. The "C" Grade was less successful, and filled fifth place in the Zone. The "D" Grade did very well and was placed third in the Inter-Zone competition. The boys in this team were, with the exception of Richard Loon, the captain, all First Formers, and we hope they will progress in higher Grades with equal success.

This year, thanks to the enthusiasm and organisation of Michael Trevers, the captain of the Chess Club, two internal competitions were held. The Beginner's Cup, donated by the captain, for which only First Form players were eligible to compete, was won by Garry Rodd of 1B. There remains at the moment of writing one game to be played in the senior division: the opponents are Serge Rubinrant and John Isaacs.

The thanks of the club are due to the School Union which has again been very generous. Six new large wooden sets have been added to the club equipment, and the "Gambit" sets, of which we now have five, have been stored for use in school competitions.

CAMERA CLUB

Committee: D. Sharp, L. Luxford, A. Wright and C. Welch.

This year has been quite a successful one for the Camera Club. Early in the year the Committee planned activities several months ahead, including a large number of illustrated talks and demonstrations by members of the Committee and senior boys. The Committee wishes to thank Fifth Years, P. Sarlos, D. Pynt, P. Slezak and T. Moulton, for their co-operation.

While the programme this year was meant to cater primarily for First and Second Forms and attracted a large number of these boys, a pleasing aspect of our meetings was the number of Third and Fourth Year boys in attendance.

Aided by a grant from the School Union, the Club was able to run competitions, in both First and Second Terms. Prizes were won by the following:

First Term: C. Jackson, J. Nicholas, J. Pretty and R. McMahon.

Second Term: J. Pretty, R. McMahon, M. Stang and A. White.

We take this opportunity to congratulate Peter Sarlos, who successfully obtained a large selection of photos at the official opening of the Killip Wing. These will make a permanent pictorial record of this historic occasion and will be preserved in the School Archives; and also Les Luxford, whose studies of the Wing were used for this year's "Record".

As in past years, we must pay tribute to the Kodak Company and their two representatives, Mr. Richardson and Mr. Chapman. Our thanks are also due to Mr. M. Musleah, the Club Patron, without whose direction the work of the group would not have been possible.

D.S.



CADETS

Back Row: I. Kennedy, L./Cpl.; S. Skipper, L./Cpl.; C. Wiggins, L./Cpl.; P. Hawker, L./Cpl.;
P. Bell, Cpl.; A. Wright, Cpl.; R. Duncan, L./Cpl.; J. Hamilton, Cpl.; R. Lawrence, Cpl.; Sgt.;
Second Row: M. Surplice, Sgt.; R. Bell, S./Sgt.; H. Ball, Sgt.; R. Dalziel, Sgt.; G. Andrews, Sgt.;
D. Stefanovic, Sgt.; R. Sheehan, Sgt.; T. Ash, Sgt.
Front Row: R. Henry, C.U.O.; T. Gervay, C.U.O.; Mr. G. Sims, Lieutenant; Mr. G. Hannan, Captain;
R. I. McKay, C.U.O.; R. H. Bensley, C.U.O.; H. J. Watkins, C.U.O.

CADET UNIT

CADET SERVICE

One of the most comical sights to be seen is the spectacle of recruits being outfitted at the battalion Q store. A new recruit in a pair of huge black boots surmounted by a fur-felt dome of immense proportions with a shapeless expanse of khaki in between; the whole ungainly edifice clumps along uncertainly, and seems threatened with imminent collapse.

I remembered this spectacle when I watched the same recruits on parade recently. They had changed remarkably. Now they moved with a manly bearing, briskly and purposefully. They operated efficiently as a team and carried out individual practices confidently. In just a few months these lads had not only acquired a large number of skills but had also learned mental and physical control so that they could carry out any task required of them with maximum efficiency. The outward show is an indication of inward change, and few would deny that cadet service can assist greatly in character-development. I am quite sure that no boy ever lost by joining the cadets; I am equally sure that any boy who joins will gain a lot.

NEW 2 I.C.

Lt. G. Sims, our new second-in-command, is a most welcome addition to the personnel of the unit. Mr. Sims is keen and thorough, and the unit has made a substantial gain in acquiring his services.

PASSING OUT PARADE

A cadet unit really functions through its C.U.O.'s and senior N.C.O.'s; in fact, a unit is only as good as these senior members make it. The high standard of the unit at present is a tribute to these seniors. At the Passing Out Parade we said goodbye to the Fifth Year cadets with regret and with gratitude for the services they have given.

CAPT. G. HANNAN.

OFFICERS AND N.C.O.'s OF S.H.S.C.U.

HEADQUARTERS:

Capt. Hannan (O.C. Unit); Lt. G. Sims (2 I.C.); W.O. Wagner, C.S.M.; S./Sgt. Bell, C.Q.M.S.

STORE STAFF: Cpl. Wright, L/Cpl. Nathan.

1 PLATOON:

C.U.O. Henry; Sgts. Andrews and Stefanovic; Cpl. Hamilton; L./Cpls. Abolafia and Hawker; 12 Cadets.

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2 PLATOON:

C.U.O. Bensley; Sgts. Sheehan and Tam; Cpl. Waldstein; L./Cpls. Grant, Duncan and Bell; 12 Cadets.

3 PLATOON:

C.U.O. Gervay; Sgt. Ash; Cpls. Lawrence and Sarlos; L./Cpls. Skipper and Fortey; 15 Cadets.

4 PLATOON:

C.U.O. Watkins; Sgt. Dalziel; Cpl. Surplice; L./Cpls. Ringham, Kennedy and Wiggins; 23 Cadets.

BAND:

D./Mjr. Martinovic; Sgt. Ball.

THE Q STORE

Besides a slight mishap at the Annual Camp in December of last year when Cpl. Wright had his arm badly broken in a scuffle, and frequent changes in the junior personnel, the Q Store has functioned quite efficiently. Some may think that being in the Q Store is an easy job; well, think again! How would you like to prepare for two bivouacs and each time, after putting in hours of



Left: Correcting aim on 3" mortar.

Below: The Vickers ready to fire.



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The Q Store Staff.

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preparation, be told to unpack as it had been cancelled? Then there was the matter of the Rifle Shoot, for which approximately 80 rifles, each weighing about 12 pounds, had to be prepared. No mean task by any means.

As you can see, the life in the Q Store is not easy; to work here one has to be an accountant, a detective and con-man, all in one. Perhaps a tribute to the efficiency of the Q Store is the fact that losses for the last year are less than half that of the preceding year. The store-keepers of the unit are looking forward to the Annual Camp, where we may relax and work only a leisurely twenty-four hours each day, the rewards of our office.

CPL. WRIGHT.

ONE PLATOON

As usual, 1 Platoon is the advanced infantry platoon of the unit, and contains only senior cadets. It is commanded by C.U.O. Henry with Sgt. Andrews, Sgt. Stefanovic, L./Cpl. Abolafia and L./Cpl. Hawker as its N.C.O.'s.

The platoon specialises in advanced infantry training. To facilitate this training, the platoon is divided into two sections, each under a L./Cpl. and a platoon headquarters comprising the C.U.O. and the two Sgts.

Its training includes handling the rifle, the Bren gun and the Owen gun, as well as the Vickers medium machine-gun and the two-inch and three-inch mortars. It also learns how to set up and operate the A 510 wireless. The platoon also learns fieldcraft, tactics, map-reading and field hygiene.

All members of the platoon specialise in these fields so that the platoon is completely self-contained. On reaching the high standards set in all these fields a cadet is entitled to wear his hat badge on a ground of green felt.

Training exercises this year have included the bush-walk and annual camp, where the platoon went on exercise "Contact" against other schools. We had, in addition, our own unit's "Contact" exercise.

The platoon would like to extend its thanks to Capt. Hannan and Lt. Sims for the time and trouble they have taken on the unit's training.

SGT. G. ANDREWS.

TWO PLATOON

M.M.G. Section:

This year the M.M.G. section has been trained to a high standard under the supervision of Cpl. Waldstein.

The section looks forward to the completion of its training at camp with the annual Vickers shoot.

Cadet Power came twelfth in the May specialist course this year after only two months' training.

SGT. TAM.

Signals Section:

Under the leadership of Sgt. Tam, we have much the same section as last year. We have completed the necessary training and

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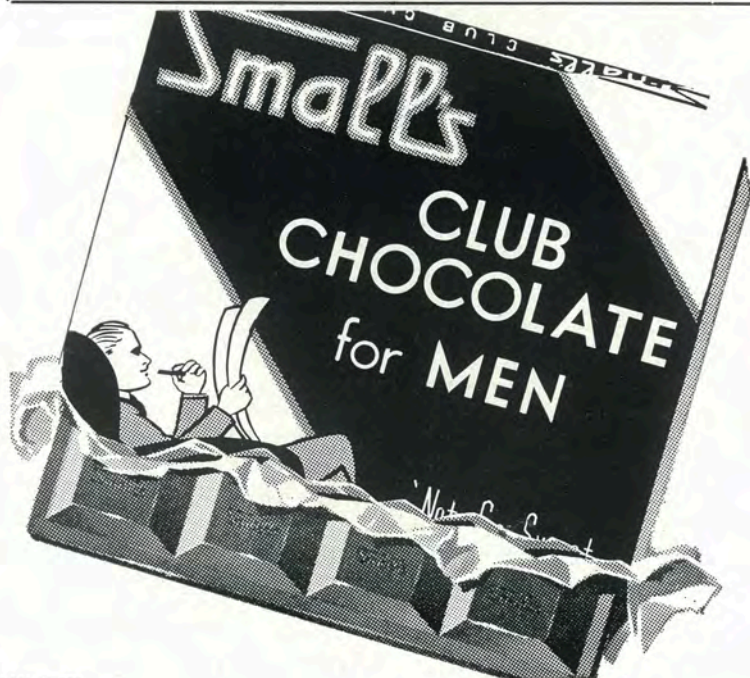
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the section is operated efficiently. Unfortunately our equipment has been withdrawn and until it is replaced we have none. At the annual camp the signals personnel will have the opportunity of exercising the skills they have acquired during the year when they accompany the patrols on exercise "Contact".

L./CPL. P. BELL.

Note by O.C.:

L./Cpl. Bell will shortly be promoted to sergeant because of his outstanding work in the section and because of his fine pass in the Specialist Course in May.

MORTAR SECTION.

Personnel:

Sgt. Sheehan: a capable leader, who actually knows how to aim a mortar.

L./Cpl. Duncan: has never been the same since they gave him that stripe.

Specialist Crute: what did they learn on that specialist course?

Cdt. Sebastian: will probably go a long way before he is court-martialled.

Cdt. Sharland: has progressed well since Sgt. Sheehan painted "THIS SIDE UP" on the mortar.

Equipment:

Mortars, complete, 2.

Mortar barrel, practice, 1. It practises every week in the corner of the Q Store.

Bombs, drill, dummy, 6. Only a dummy would use them.

CDT. SHARLAND.

Additional Note by O.C.:

Cdt. Sharland does not, of course, mean a word of this; at least he had better not.

THREE PLATOON

The platoon started out with a basic strength of 26, and after the elimination of the less interested cadets, the platoon settled down to become a small but efficient unit. Training was carried out in three sections under the command of the corporals and lance corporals. The platoon has been trained in the use of the rifle, Bren L.M.G., as well as in drill, map reading and signalling. Great promise has been shown by the cadets, and it is obvious from their performances that they are all trying for promotion to higher ranks. The discipline maintained and the examples set by C.U.O. Gervay and Sgt. Ash have been prominent factors in the development of this smart junior platoon.

CPL. SARLOS.

FOUR PLATOON

At the commencement of the cadet year, 4 Platoon was divided into four sections of approximately eight men each. This was done with the idea of reducing the size of instruction squads and so making it easier for N.C.O.'s to become more conversant with the

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ability of their sections. Lessons were thus taught efficiently in the limited time available after company parade. It is also hoped that with four sections the platoon will become extremely flexible, fast-moving and tactically aggressive during manoeuvres at the annual camp.

Although not perfect, the drill of the platoon is progressing at a pleasing rate under the watchful eye and constant reprimand of lofty Sgt. Dalziel and sometimes frightening Cpl. Surplice. The platoon's lack of attention at lectures leaves much to be desired.

With Cpl. Ringham (who replaces Cpl. Wallis) and such N.C.O.'s as L./Cpl. Kennedy and L./Cpl. Wiggins, the platoon seems to have a promising camp in store, free from those administrative difficulties that can sometimes detract from a section's general well-being.

I hope that all the recruits of 4 Platoon have enjoyed their introductory year with the cadets, and that they will continue next year in the senior platoons. The assistance which I have received from the N.C.O.'s this year has been invaluable, and I wish them luck in further courses they may undertake.

Good luck also to all recruits who are selected to attend the Junior N.C.O. Course. I hope the results show that they have given a great deal of application to their work.

C.U.O. H. WATKINS.

ARMY DEMONSTRATION DAY

After a wet walk to Victoria Barracks, L./Cpl. Kennedy, Cdts. Burt, Chapman, Osmond and myself sat down to watch TV and wait for the truck which was to take us to Green Hills. After "flying" there, we were unloaded and marched to the Demonstration Area, where the Press, Regular Army soldiers, Officer Cadets from Portsea and other personnel had assembled, and we awaited the arrival of the "Top Brass". Finally they arrived and the show got under way. The first item was a soldier dressed in the uniform of World War I, who, after firing 12 shots from his old rifle and getting about 4-5 on, rode off. Next there was a display of some of the tactics used in the first World War, followed by the weapons, uniforms and materials used in the second. After this loud demonstration was completed, the modern Army took over. First they described the modern "digger's" clothing and then demonstrated their skill in camouflage: a number of soldiers sprang up directly in front of us; they had remained concealed during the whole of the preceding activities. Then the modern weapons were shown, the L2A2 automatic rifle, the M60 machine gun, the three-inch mortar, anti-tank guns, flame-throwers, grenades, etc. The demonstration was concluded by two soldiers firing the now obsolete Vickers machine gun at a target and cleverly playing a tune with the gun as they fired. This brought an end to the demonstrations.

CPL. WRIGHT.

BUSHWALK AND RANGE PRACTICE

Because the annual bivouac, which has in recent years been

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conducted in the Lucas Heights area, was washed out, the school unit has conducted two outings to compensate.

The first was a hike, for any who were interested, from Mt. Kuringai to Bobbin Head and back. For those who participated it was a very enjoyable experience, with a rewarding and satisfying lunch at the half-way mark.

There was to be a tactical exercise, but we found we were short of time and set off home. Capt. Hannan, however, was not to be beaten; he was determined to do something. He led us up the higher road and gave us the task of climbing down an almost sheer wall to the apparent safety of the road below. After this harassing but exhilarating adventure we set off home, thoroughly satisfied with the hike.

The second outing was a full day's (school day too!) practice at Long Bay Rifle Range for the whole company. This was mainly to introduce the juniors to the actual firing of the rifle.

This turned out to be very exciting and, even, amazing. Some of the first year cadets recorded fine scores. But the best of all undoubtedly came from a certain C.U.O., who is considered a fair shot, scoring a remarkable "O" "O" "O", whereas another C.U.O. somehow scored 10/5, 5/5, 9/10, a total of 24/20. With these results, who can say it wasn't a surprising day's work?

Although these exercises didn't give the benefits of a weekend bivouac in actual conditions, they were very enjoyable, and credit must go to Capt. Hannan and Lt. Sims for arranging them.

C.U.O. BENSLEY.

ANNUAL CAMP

On the 29th August, 62 cadets and officers left the drizzle and bleakness of Sydney behind and disembarked at Singleton Army Camp at 1530 hours. The rest of the day was mainly administrative, but training commenced that night with a very necessary and sufficiently vivid film on safety precautions.

Real camp life, however, started the next morning. After the inevitable restlessness of the first night, particularly amongst the first year cadets, everyone was on parade "bright" and early at 6 o'clock. This was followed by an exhaustive inspection, which in the days to follow became accepted as one of the necessary evils, along with rifle and personal kit cleaning. Thus established, extensive training was undertaken in as many different phases of military activity as was possible.

The Senior Cadets were divided into two Platoons. These boys completed their basic training last year, and have chosen to specialise in a particular type of military activity.

One Platoon, the advanced infantry, as the name suggests, practised widely in infantry tactics; for example, camouflage, stalking, fire and movement. This was in preparation for the coming exercises in which they would have to comprise the main assault body.

Two Platoon contained the three specialist sections, the Three



Brig. F. G. Galleghan taking the salute at the Passing Out Parade,
21st October, 1963.

(Photo: D. Ringham.)

Inch Mortar, the Medium Machine Gun, and the Signals. These sections worked hard to reach the standards of efficiency set by the A.R.A., to allow them to participate actively in the coming exercises. Their climax of training was on Sunday, 2nd September, when the Mortar and M.M.G. had their annual shoot.

On Saturday afternoon all senior cadets were taken to the Field Firing Range. This Range is specially made to simulate firing under actual battle conditions. This tests a cadet's reflexes, ability to shoot quickly, but accurately, coolness under pressure, and to act instantly on commands.

On Monday morning the senior cadets left the camp area for "Operation Contact". This attempts to give cadets experience in moving and fighting under battle conditions. Our boys were divided into two groups, a fighting patrol, and an overlay patrol, who acted as guerilla troops. In all eight schools took part. The night passed quietly—to Mr. Sims' relief.

The "Seniors" were back at camp Wednesday afternoon, and left again with the rest of the school next morning for the bivouac. This was the climax of the camp. Exercises were held against St. Mary's C.U., which resulted in the gaining of much experience, a lot of fun, and the almost total annihilation of St. Aloysius during the night.

Special note must be made of the S.H.S. field firing squad. This consisted of three sections, of nine riflemen, one Bren gunner, and a fire controller.



Col. Duffy presents the D. J. Duffy Memorial Sword of Honour to C.U.O. R. McKay at the Passing Out Parade.

(Courtesy: Sun Herald.)

The first section was only one hit behind the highest individual total of any school for the camp (28 hits from 110 shots), while the total aggregate was the highest gained at camp. An A.R.A. Major said that, in all phases, S.H.S.C.U. was the best conducted school he had had on the range, and also Cpl. Walstein was the best schoolboy bren gunner he had seen. Congratulations, Wal!

Camp was for most of the junior cadets their first experience at roughing it, and on a whole they responded well. It is quite difficult to adjust to sleeping on straw, floor-boards, or earth, and keeping everything in one small kit bag. But as camp progressed their standard of personal dress and tidiness of kits and tents rose, as also did their attitude to work. In fact, at the completion of

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training we felt they were not only better cadets, but better boys.

Extensive revision on Rifle and Bren was carried out, these weapons having been taught at school, before starting the main training on field craft and map reading. All this had been aimed at reaching all round proficiency for practical application on the school bivouac. On Sunday, 3 and 4 Platoons shot at the Mini 50 Yard Range. There was a noted improvement in marksmanship over the first shoot held at Long Bay Range earlier this year. The day before the bivouac, the annual recruit examination was held. The results were of a high standard, with Cdt. J. Isaacs topping the list with 127 points out of a possible 150. The climax of training came with the School Bivouac, where all lessons were combined in practical application; these included patrolling, a jungle fighting course, camouflage and concealment, moving by night, and movement under simulated battle conditions. To their credit, they successfully ambushed and defeated their own senior cadets. Well done!

On the domestic side, camping and field cooking were practised. It was a new experience for them to eat (*ugh!*) their own creations. There is very good officer material amongst these boys, and we hope they will all remain with the unit.

On Thursday afternoon we arrived back at camp, dropped the tents, planning to sleep the night in huts. What a night! On Friday morning we were up at five, making preparations to break camp. At last at 0900 hours, the train left Whittingham Station, leaving Singleton behind for another year.

It is hoped all enjoyed the camp and went home fitter in body and mind from what proved a most successful and constructive ten days.

REFLECTION AND CHALLENGE

Although camp was very successful, we could have done with 100 more cadets. In all, only 70 cadets attended camp, which, disregarding last year's circumstances, is an all-time low, and for a leading school, with some 850 pupils, a pathetic effort. Our cadet service has always been voluntary and this, we believe, has been responsible for the very high standard set. We want to maintain our standards and reputation, but to do so our numbers must increase. Surely, in first and second form, there are more than 30 boys with the spirit, courage and manliness to take on Cadets. Cadets is fun. We combine basic military training with the development of discipline, self-dependence and reliance, a chance to lead and take responsibility, and, above all, a mateship that cannot be found in any other school activity. Think about it and *join* next year.

SGT. ASH.

G.P.S. PREMIERS, 1963.



FIRST XV

Back Row: C. Hawkins, J. Miller, N. Stamell, C. Levi,
 Second Row: A. Gaffney, J. Claringbold, C. Lewis, M. Seonee, D. Reilly, C. Sinclair,
 Front Row: K. Monson, V. Cooney, Mr. K. J. Andrews, P. Smith, Mr. G. R. Ball, W. Hatfield, J. Brass.

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ATHLETICS:

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D. CULLEN
A. MORGAN
T. LANCASTER
M. TUTE

CRICKET:

J. BRASS
P. BARRINGTON
P. RUFFORD
C. SINCLAIR

TENNIS:

J. CRANE

WATER POLO:

R. BENSLEY
F. GUILHAUS
J. MOSCOW

FOOTBALL:

J. BRASS
J. CLARINGBOLD
V. COONEY
W. HATFIELD
C. HAWKINS
A. GAFFNEY
C. LEWIS
C. LEVI
J. MILLER
K. MONSON
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M. SCONCE
P. SMITH
N. STAMELL

RIFLE SHOOTING:

H. WATKINS

FOOTBALL

In the last issue of the weekly football programme for 1961 there was an underlined heading which read "Don't despair! G.P.S. Competition can be won!" It went on to point out that Mr. O'Rourke's 1st XV of 1946 shared the premiership with St. Joseph's, and that a year later Mr. Allsopp's 2nd XV followed suit by being co-premiers with Shore. The same programme also emphasised that the competition could be won only if the whole team had the "will to win" and sufficient confidence in themselves.

Fortunately this year, thanks to a great fund of natural ability,

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an undeniable will to win, and a magnificent run of good luck in the form of an injury-free season and fine weather, Sydney High was able to win the G.P.S. competition outright for the first time. It was also the first time that S.H.S. was able to beat St. Joseph's in this competition. In the C.H.S. competition, the team shared the zone premiership with Randwick High after pulling out at the conclusion of the second round in order to concentrate on the G.P.S. Our lower grades won enough games in this competition to enable us to share the premiership.

The 1st XV, although very proud of their record, are only prepared to accept a portion of the credit. the rest must go to the coach, Mr. G. Ball, and to the school. It was no coincidence that the 1st XV reached their peak when only their very best would result in victory, or that the team played fast open football, thus using the natural ability of their backs to the fullest. These were a result of the combination of knowledge, indefatigable energy, and unselfishness of our coach, Mr. Ball.

Whereas it is easy to mention individuals, the team as a whole tried to play a pleasing brand of football. The forwards, capably led by vice-captain Warren Hatfield, were relentless in their pursuit to satisfy their "ball-hunger". Unselfishly they fed the backs on many occasions when they themselves could quite possibly have scored themselves. Full credit must go to them for the way they wore down their opponents who were on most occasions heavier and taller. Most pleasing were their efforts against the giant Shore pack and the heavy, tigerish, St. Joseph's pack. Their spirit led Mr. Travers, headmaster and coach of Shore to describe them as "giant killers."

This year's backline proved to be the best set in G.P.S. Although endowed with some natural ability it was their teamwork that gained them their reputation. Backing up, stonewall defence and cover defence were noticeable in every game. These qualities, together with sure handling and accurate kicking enabled them to score 102 points in G.P.S.

The team extends congratulations to those boys selected in the Combined G.P.S. teams, especially to Phil Smith who captained the Combined G.P.S. 1st XV. The others were John Brass 1st XV, Warren Hatfield 1st XV, Van Cooney, 1st XV, Ken Monson 2nd XV and Denis Reilly (reserve).

The team would like to thank the mothers who provided that much welcomed afternoon tea, after every home match. We sincerely appreciate their efforts, as much as we did their food. The team also thanks the many supporters who readily voiced their appreciation, when appreciation was deserved; thus rewarding our efforts.

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Finally, I offer a challenge to all future 1st XV's. The 1963 team have finally captured that long sought premiership; but we were not undefeated. We went down to Newington 12-9. As old boys we will be eagerly awaiting the day when a S.H.S. 1st XV is G.P.S. undefeated premiers.

K. MONSON.



Brass sets up winger Monson in Shore match.

(Photo: F. Hunt.)

FIRST XV

Team: P. Smith (capt.), W. Hatfield (vice-capt.), J. Brass, J. Claringbold, V. Cooney, A. Gaffney, C. Hawkins, C. Levi, C. Lewis, J. Miller, K. Monson, D. Rielly, M. Sconce, C. Sinclair, N. Stamell.

Coach: Mr. G. Ball.

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius' College. 22/6/63.

In the opening match of the 1963 G.P.S. season High met Riverview in an exciting struggle at McKay Oval.

The match began with Riverview exploiting bustling tactics, and fullback Alan Gaffney was often called upon to relieve for High. After 7 minutes, Riverview winger Delaney crossed and High were down 0-3. After Brass goaled with a penalty (3-3), a battle for supremacy ensued. In the 26th minute a penalty goal by Delaney from 15 yards out made the score 3-6.

Play opened brightly in the second half with Brass and Smith breaking through the vigorous stand-up defence. Winger Ken Monson was twice checked in promising movements after gathering the ball from kicks ahead.

After 16 minutes, second-rower Lewis broke through from the

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front of a line-out but was forced into touch short of the corner. In the 20th minute Brass goaled from a penalty to even the score 6-6.

The game ended with High checked in an indecisive ruck on the Riverview line. High's pack outplayed the highly-rated Riverview eight, both in tight and loose play, winning a larger share of possession from both scrums and line-outs.

Riverview 6; Sydney High 6.



AGAINST ST. JOSEPH'S

Top: Levi clears from scrum base.

Bottom: Lewis goes up in lineout.

(Photos: F. Hunt.)

S.H.S. v. The Scots College. 29/6/63.

In the second match of the G.P.S. competition High met Scots in a fast, exciting contest at McKay Oval.

After the kick-off, High's backline immediately began to function. From inside half-way, the ball moved along the backline to Gaffney, who, brushing off a defender, passed to Smith, who handled to Gaffney backing up and then on to Cooney. Cooney showed amazing acceleration to skirt the Scots' defence and score under the posts. Brass converted; (5-0). Brass increased High's lead with a great penalty to make the score 8-0. At the break the score was 8-6 as the result of a penalty goal and a sensational 45 yard field goal by Scots' fullback, Borthwick.

Within minutes of the break Monson scored in the corner after smart backline play in which Reilly, Brass and Smith handled. Brass converted; (13-6). Left winger Van Cooney added two more unconverted tries and High ran out winners by 19-6. John Miller stood out in the heavy forward play while Van Cooney's three tries were an outstanding achievement in speed and skill.

The Scots College 6; Sydney High 19.

S.H.S. v. King's at Parramatta Oval. 6/7/63.

In a gruelling encounter at Parramatta Oval, High overwhelmed the King's School by 18-0.

John Brass landed two difficult penalty goals in the first 15 minutes for High to lead 6-0. After 20 minutes play Hatfield broke through and passed to winger Monson who crossed in the corner. (9-0).

The final 15 minutes after the resumption saw High outclass their rivals. Centre Phil Smith dived over for a try and then Monson scored his second try. In the final minutes Brass passed to Cooney who outpaced the cover defence to cross for High's fourth try, to make the final score 18-0.

Brass and Smith were again outstanding, while wingers Monson and Cooney realised their opportunities. King's could not match the cohesion and determination of the High pack, despite a big weight advantage. Breakaways Hawkins and Stamell stifled the King's halves with punishing tackles.

The King's School 0; Sydney High 18.

S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's College. 13/7/63.

S.H.S. made G.P.S. Rugby Union history at McKay Oval by defeating St. Joseph's College for the first time in the official competition, which High first entered in 1904.

In the opening minutes of the game St. Joseph's pressed the High defence, Hynes kicking two fine penalties, for St. Joseph's to lead 6-0 after 5 minutes play.

With eight minutes play gone, High's backline made the over-

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lap, winger Van Cooney outpacing the opposition to score in the corner. (3-6).

With 15 minutes of the first half gone, centre Phil Smith broke through the St. Joseph's defence to score wide out. Brass converted. (8-6).

After 10 minutes in the second half Cooney scored another fine try, after Levi, Gaffney and Brass had split the defence. (11-6).

In the 26th minute of the second half Levi kicked ahead for John Brass to score next to the posts. Col Sinclair converted. (16-6).



Monson almost misses opposing winger, Renshaw, against St. Joseph's.

(Courtesy: Telegraph.)

High's teamwork was outstanding, the forwards holding the heavy weight of the St. Joseph's pack. The High backline again exhibited brilliant penetrative ability, scoring four tries against a robust defence.

St. Joseph's College 6; Sydney High 16.

S.H.S. v. S.C.E.G.S. 20/7/63.

High, with a superb exhibition of teamwork and skill, inflicted a 22-6 defeat on Shore at Northbridge. This victory gave High a commanding lead in the 1963 G.P.S. Premiership.

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AGAINST SHORE

Top Left: Sinclair puts one over.
 Top Right: Cooney fends.
 Centre: Hooker Hatfield cover defends.
 Bottom Left: S.H.S. lineout supremacy.
 Bottom Right: Smith's spectacular save.

(Courtesy: Telegraph.)

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Shore, playing with a strong wind at their backs, were soon bustling the High team, but a magnificent penalty goal gave High a 3-0 lead. A forty yard run by right-winger Ken Monson ended in a fine try, which was converted, to give High an 8-0 lead. A penalty goal gave Shore its first points and at half-time High led 8-3.

In the second half High repeatedly attacked the Shore line. A penalty goal each, and the score stood at 11-6 mid-way through the second half. Then within a period of ten minutes High scored three tries, of which one was converted. With an unassailable 22-6 lead High ran out clear winners.

The smaller but more mobile High pack dumfounded the spectators by beating the huge Shore pack for possession. This, coupled with an outstanding offensive backline, resulted in a great team victory.

S.C.E.G.S. 6; Sydney High 22.

S.H.S. v. Sydney Grammar School. 27/7/63.

High defeated Grammar 12-3 in a ragged match at Weigall Oval to clinch the 1963 G.P.S. Premiership.

From the outset Grammar's bustling tactics harassed the High team. Defence was superior to attack and at half-time the score stood at 3-3, resulting from a penalty goal on each side.

In the opening minutes of the second half High quickly added another six points from a penalty goal and a try. This was the only try in the match: Phil Smith broke from a ruck, passed infield to hooker Warren Hatfield who was backing up and who in turn sent John Brass racing around the opposition to cross wide out.

High, with impregnable defence, prevented Grammar from scoring and minutes from the final bell High clinched victory with another long penalty goal by Col Sinclair.

Sydney Grammar School 3; Sydney High 12.

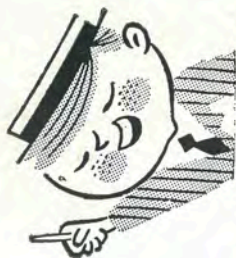
S.H.S. v. Newington College. 3/8/63.

Weakened by the loss of two of their backline the 1st XV were narrowly beaten 12-9 by Newington in the last match of the G.P.S. Competition. This was High's only defeat of the season.

Newington took the lead after only three minutes with an easy penalty goal and were never headed. At the interval Newington led 6-0.

Newington's forwards dominated play, with their back-row forwards causing havoc among High's replacements. High ended the game playing strongly but could not finish off many promising movements. The score of 12-9 stood until the final whistle, the G.P.S. season ending on a somewhat low note for the High supporters. Only Sinclair's outstanding goal kicking kept the score a reasonable one for the premiers.

Newington College 12; Sydney High 9.



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SECOND XV

Team: R. Westcott (capt.), P. May, B. Anderson, G. Clark, D. Cullen, G. Dare, P. Enge, P. Goodsell, M. Jonson, T. Lancaster, R. McKay, J. Miller, J. Moscow, I. Nichols, D. Rowley.

Coach: Mr. D. McGrath.

An experienced team took the field this year intent on matching 1st Grade's expected performances.

The first game was against St. Ignatius, and after a hard struggle High lost 6-9 to a determined side. After this loss Seconds went onto the field intent on beating their rivals, Scots. However, the latter put up a good fight and the game ended in a 3-3 draw. The next game was at Parramatta, where after a struggle, High went down 8-13 to a strong King's team. The babies of the team, Greg Dare, Geoff Clark and Dave Rowley proved their worth in this game and should do well in the coming season. In the first few games the team was obviously lacking something in the backline, probably due to the unfortunate loss of captain and centre, Peter Rufford, in a pre-competition match. The two fowards who played in the centres, Phil May and Geoff Clark, continued to improve and the game against St. Joseph's resulted in a good win.

A dry ground at Northbridge was the scene for the Shore game



SECOND XV

Back Row: G. Miller, R. McKay, G. Dare, P. Rufford.
Second Row: J. Moscow, P. Goodsell, G. Clark, T. Lancaster, D. Cullen, I. Nicholls.
Front Row: B. Anderson, P. May, R. Westcott, Mr. D. M. McGrath, M. Jonson, B. Enge, D. Rowley.

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which High lost, showing no sign of their true form. Grammar, the team leading the competition at this stage, looked like being a tough proposition; however Seconds played like champions to win 11-9 at Weigall.

The last game against Newington was all important to them, as the premiership depended on a victory. Consequently Newington played hard attacking football and beat High. Congratulations Newington!

Although the season was not a particularly successful one, it was enjoyable and the players wish to extend their thanks to their coach, Mr. McGrath, for the time and effort given in coaching the team.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 6-9.

S.H.S. v. Scots: drew 3-3.

S.H.S. v. King's: lost 8-13.

S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: won 6-3.

S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 6-9.

S.H.S. v. Grammar: won 11-9.

S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 6-12.

THIRD XV

Team: R. Lawrence (capt.), R. Bell, R. Bensley, A. Crones, I. Cullen, J. Curran, D. Edmunds, R. Fielder, P. Gilles, P. Gray, J. Hartwell, G. Kinsella, T. Moulton, P. Prentice, R. Stevenson, I. Smith, M. Tuite.

Coach: Mr. G. Cooney.

The 3rd XV this year had mixed results, rising to great heights at times and at other times giving away very mediocre displays.

The team was runners-up in the C.H.S. Zone Competition, losing by one point to Randwick. During the season the team was able to win the majority of matches. The competition hinged on the last match against Randwick, but after a closely fought game, Randwick was able to run out winners 6-3.

In the G.P.S. competition the team was on the whole much more impressive. After a disastrous start against Riverview, the team was able to defeat Scots and Shore and lose by one point after the bell against St. Joseph's. Matches were not played against Grammar and Newington, but a match against S.H.S. 4th Grade resulted in a 3-3 draw with our highly rated opponents.

Perhaps the 3rd's best display was against Fort St. 1st XV. Owing to the withdrawal of the 1st and 2nd XV's from the C.H.S. competition the 3rd XV was placed against this 1st grade side. After a rugged match characterised by some hard tackling and fierce rucking by the S.H.S. side, we were able to gain a well deserved 11-0 victory.

Although the 3rd XV's season cannot be described as spectacular,

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it was enjoyed by all those who took part. The boys would like to thank Mr. Cooney for his interest and enthusiasm shown throughout the season.



THIRD XV

Back Row: G. Kinsella, P. Gray, I. Cullen, P. Gillies.
Second Row: R. Fielder, P. Prentice, T. Moulton, I. Smith, D. Edmunds.
Front Row: R. Stevenson, J. Hartwell, R. Lawrence, Mr. G. Cooney, R. Bensley,
A. Crones, R. Bell.
Ground: M. Tuite.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 0-19.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 10-6.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 9-20.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 13-14.
S.H.S. v. Shore: won 10-8.
S.H.S. v. S.H.S. 4th XV:
drew 3-3.

C.H.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. Randwick: lost 0-3.
S.H.S. v. Cleveland St.: won 11-6.
S.H.S. v. Fort St.: won 22-0.
S.H.S. v. Enmore: won 11-0.
S.H.S. v. Randwick: won 19-5.
S.H.S. v. Fort St.: won 6-0.
S.H.S. v. Enmore: lost 3-6.
S.H.S. v. Fort St.: won 11-0.
S.H.S. v. Enmore: won 37-0.

FOURTH XV

Team: G. Hatfield (capt.), John Dwyer (vice-capt.), P. Anderson, T. Ash, K. Brooks, M. Cooper, R. Dalziel, J. Dunn, Jeff Dwyer, K. Grover, J. Harris, A. Hoiles, E. Lee, W. Long, J. McLachlan, D. Morgan, G. Quick, W. Widin.

Coach: W. Hatfield.

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FOURTH XV

Back Row: J. Dunn, E. Lee, T. Ash, M. Cooper, D. Morgan.
 Second Row: A. Hoiles, G. Quick, K. Grover, W. Widin, Jeff Dwyer, J. McLachlan.
 Front Row: W. Long, P. Anderson, G. Hatfield, W. Hatfield, John Dwyer,
 R. Dalziel, J. Harris.

experience for the competitive grades next year, in that it took over the first grade C.H.S. competition while the 1st XV were concentrating entirely on the G.P.S. competition.

Fourth grade started the season with comfortable wins over Scots and St. Ignatius' Colleges. The next two matches were lost to King's and St. Joseph's by relatively small margins. Following these defeats the team returned to form to record comfortable wins over Shore and Grammar. In the last match of the season we drew 3-3 with S.H.S. 3rd XV owing to forfeits by both Newington teams.

We thank the coach, W. Hatfield, for his interest and time spent with the team.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 14-3.
 S.H.S. v. Scots: won 17-5.
 S.H.S. v. King's: lost 0-12.
 S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-6.
 S.H.S. v. Shore: won 14-3.
 S.H.S. v. Grammar: won 18-6.
 S.H.S. v. Newington: won (forf.)
 S.H.S. v S.H.S. 3rd XV:
 drew 3-3.



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FIFTH XV

Team: D. Hofbauer (capt.), W. Parsons (vice-capt.), N. Avromidis, K. Brooks, A. Docker, B. Halligan, B. Halls, R. Housego, I. Frith, G. McIvor, T. Laverack, S. Kritzler, M. Kossard, M. Ritchie, W. Stevenson, C. Wolf, D. Ringham.

Coach: W. Hatfield.

The team had little success in G.P.S. fixtures, drawing only two of the matches. The failure of the side to record a win resulted from the constant reshuffling of players. This was because of the large number of injuries in the team itself.

Although not coached till the latter part of the season, the team was always trying hard and finished the season with a well deserved draw with the premiers of the competition.

The team wishes to thank W. Hatfield for his interest and time spent in coaching us.

G.P.S. scores:

- S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 3-8.
- S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 0-3.
- S.H.S. v. King's: lost 0-26.
- S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 6-14.
- S.H.S. v. Shore: drew 8-8.
- S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 6-14.
- S.H.S. v. Newington: drew 3-3.

SIXTH XV

Team: A. Magnus (capt.), H. Abolafia, C. Aird, K. Austin, R. Coombs, J. De Leon, B. Duckworth, R. Duncan, N. Feller, A. Giles, J. Glass, B. Halls, R. Henderson, A. Huxtable, C. Joyce, D. McDonald, G. McIvor, C. Randall, B. Sheehan, W. Stevenson.

Coaches: P. Brandon, M. Meadows.

Sixth grade had a most unlucky season this year losing all G.P.S. games. Considering that many of the players had never played Rugby before, the team played fairly well. Many players were lost to higher grades and several were injured.

P. Brandon and M. Meadows deserved more success than we earned for their efforts. Our thanks go to them and to our regular supporters.

G.P.S. scores:

- S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 3-27.
- S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 3-15.
- S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 3-44.
- S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-15.
- S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 6-22.
- S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 6-16.

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THE GENTLEMEN'S XV

Team: H. B. Ball (capt.), P. Harding-Irmer (vice-capt.), P. R. Abbott, G. A. Andrews, D. W. Barnes, M. H. Brownlee, J. E. Curran, R. W. Gould, R. J. Horton, C. N. Lyon, K. T. Schienwald, A. R. Thompson, F. C. Wagner, H. J. Watkins, J. J. Willcox, D. W. Wilson.

Once again the "Gentlemen" of fifth year combined to form yet another team of high renown which, according to tradition, did not indulge in the vulgarity of training. To make such a combination possible, this year's team was carefully selected by the manager from the most celebrated senior hecklers, extroverts, introverts and clowns, and as well as a very few competent footballers.

Though the "Gentlemen" played merely for the enjoyment of the games and as an outlet for the players' pugnacious inclinations, it attained frequent successes despite many hindrances common to such teams. Those concerned would like to thank Mr. Fielding for making the arrangements necessary for our games.

It is hoped that next year the fine tradition of Gentlemen's football will continue to be gloriously upheld.

Scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 3-10.	S.H.S. v. Shore: won 22-3.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 11-0.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: drew 0-0.
S.H.S. v. King's: won 27-3.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 34-0.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 3-6.	

15A XV

Team: J. Murray (capt.), R. Furness (vice-capt.), T. Allen, F. Barbuto, R. Bush, A. Dale, P. Dawson, C. Faulks, I. Ford, K. Green, C. Joyce, N. Morgan, T. Morgan, S. Rubinrout, E. Smith, P. Snelling, P. Walker, A. Wilson.

Coach: Mr. J. Dekkers.

The 15A team, with nearly the same players as last year's successful 14A's, was harassed by injuries, but had a strong determination and came out champions and undefeated premiers in the G.P.S. competition. The team played a total of 25 games of which 23 were won and 2 drawn. The backline had an ample share of the ball being well served by the hooker, props and half-back. Others of the pack excelled in loose forward play. The backline defence stood up to severe attack, often turning play to our advantage. The team scored a total of 444 points to 59 points, truly a remarkable effort.

The team wishes to thank Mr. Dekkers for his capable coaching and also Mr. Ball and Mr. Fielding for managing the team in Mr. Dekker's absence. Their efforts were greatly appreciated by the players.

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15A XV C.H.S. ZONE PREMIERS

Back Row: N. Morgan, S. Rubinraut, P. Dawson, T. Barbuto, A. Dale.
 Second Row: P. Walker, A. Wilson, P. Snelling, A. Morgan, T. Allen, C. Joyce.
 Front Row: K. Green, C. Faulks, J. Murray, Mr. J. Dekkers, R. Furness, R. Bush,
 E. Smith.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 8-0.	S.H.S. v. Shore: won 9-0.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 9-0.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: won 14-5.
S.H.S. v. King's: won 11-9.	S.H.S. v. Newington: drew 3-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: drew 0-0.	

C.H.S. scores:

	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
S.H.S. v. Randwick:	won 22-0	won 22-0	won 17-0
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street:	won 18-0	won 52-0	won (for.)
S.H.S. v. Fort Street:	won 24-8	won 25-10	won 9-6
S.H.S. v. Enmore:	won 23-0	won 45-3	won 54-0
S.H.S. v. Ibrox Park:	won 25-0	won 6-3	won 15-6

15B XV

Team: K. King (capt.), F. Barbuto, P. Bell, C. Bird, V. Bird, P. Bouris, D. Corrick, S. Fortey, S. Gerovich, K. Glover, A. Hely, A. Johnston, R. Medhurst, L. Oats, D. Pitt, E. Szetu, G. Travers, P. Whyte.

Coaches: Mr. R. Clark and Geoff Clark.

This year's 15B's has done exceptionally well, winning both C.H.S. and G.P.S. competitions undefeated. The main factor in this

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15B XV C.H.S. ZONE PREMIERS (2nd Div.)

Back Row: P. Bouris, C. Bird, P. Whyte, S. Fortey, R. Medhurst.
 Second Row: G. Travers, A. Hely, S. Gerovich, K. Glover, E. Szetu, D. Pitt.
 Front Row: P. Bell, V. Bird, D. Corrick, K. King, G. Clark, F. Barbuto, L. Oates.
 Ground: A. Johnston.



15C XV

Back Row: M. Wheatley, D. McGill, R. Weiner, J. Brown.
 Second Row: J. Anderson, L. Mangel, T. Blewitt, P. Badham, M. Lennox.
 Front Row: A. Lathouris, M. Morozov, P. Parry, G. Quick, I. Kennedy, M. Brown,
 B. Davies.

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fine performance has been the excellent team spirit that was in evidence throughout the season.

The forwards were a big but surprisingly fast pack, which more than held its own against the opposition packs. The backline performed excellently throughout the year showing a great deal of speed and their defence was exemplary.

Our many thanks go to our coaches, Geoff Clark and his father, who gave up much of their time and are largely responsible for our success.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 11-0.	S.H.S. v. Shore: won 16-6.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 9-3.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: won 6-3.
S.H.S. v. King's: won 9-3.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 16-0.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: won 6-0.	

C.H.S. scores:

	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
S.H.S. v. Randwick:	won 27-0	won 25-6	won 10-3
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street:	won 27-3	won (for.)	won (for.)
S.H.S. v. Fort Street:	won 21-0	won 8-0	won 18-0
S.H.S. v. S.H.S. "15C":	(w. out)	won 14-9	won 29-3
S.H.S. v. Ibrox Park:	won 29-3	(w. out)	won 19-3

15C XV

Team: S. Fortey (capt.), B. Davies (vice-capt.), J. Anderson, P. Badham, T. Blewitt, J. Brown, R. Hayes, M. Jackson, I. Kennedy, A. Lathouris, M. Lennox, D. McGill, L. Mangel, M. Morosov, P. Parry, M. Russo, J. Rumsey, M. Wheatley.

Coach: G. Quick.

This year the 15C team fared well in the C.H.S. competition being second to S.H.S. 15B's. We did not do so well in the G.P.S. matches for, although we won our first game against St. Ignatius, the team suddenly began a losing run and it was only at the end of the season that we won again against Newington.

The team was constantly changing as several of its better players were promoted to higher teams. This may account for its mediocre results. Our thanks to our coach, Gary Quick, for the advice and interest given and also for a most enjoyable season.

Scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 6-3.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-15.
S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 3-9.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 9-17.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 3-20.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 9-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 9-25.	

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14A XV

Back Row: C. Wood, S. Hamilton, B. Smith, H. Sacks.
 Second Row: D. White, R. Palmisano, R. Whittle, P. Buckley, W. Donaldson.
 Front Row: J. Sacker, A. Nicholas, I. Meech, Mr. K. Swinson, J. Williams,
 C. Allsop, M. Price.



14B XV

Back Row: I. Hind, P. Wills, S. Law, J. Barry, D. Sinclair, C. Brown.
 Second Row: N. Baldwin, N. Lum, P. McGuinness, A. Karipis, A. Wilmot,
 P. Tyson, J. Isaacs.
 Front Row: R. Withers, J. Taylor, P. Nosworthy, A. Duffy, I. Coyle, P. Morris,
 P. Paling.

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15D XV

Team: R. Rohr (capt.), D. Bloom (vice-capt.), T. Ackman, M. Brown, T. Brown, K. Bushby, D. Goldrick, J. Malis, B. McDowell, N. Napier, I. Prince, R. Radley, M. Russo, J. Vidal, S. Wood.

Coach: H. Ball.

The 15D team commenced the season well by winning the first two matches in the G.P.S. competition. Unfortunately this form did not continue. When confronted by the competition leaders, we played our best game of the season but, unfortunately, were narrowly defeated 0-3.

Although over all we only gained two victories, each member of the team gained valuable football experience which he will be able to use for many years.

Our sincere thanks go to Harvey Ball for his services as our coach throughout the season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 8-6.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-12.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 9-8.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 0-3.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 3-15.	S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 6-9.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-14.	

14A XV

Team: I Meech (capt.), J. Williams (vice-capt.), C. Allsop, R. Buckley, W. Donaldson, S. Hamilton, A. Nicholas, R. Palmisano, M. Price, J. Sackar, B. Sailes, H. Sacks, B. Smith, D. White, R. Whittle, C. Wood.

Coach: Mr. K. Swinson.

This year's 14A's faired fairly well in the C.H.S. competition, being placed second to Randwick. However, in G.P.S. the team was unlucky in having three draws. The heavy pack of forwards gave a great share of the ball to the backs, who generally combined well. Some outstanding players were R. Palmisano, an excellent tackler, and C. Wood, despite his lack of size, did a mighty job as half. Our two wingers, D. White and J. Sackar, often made penetrating runs. S. Hamilton, fullback, repeatedly got the side out of trouble.

Our sincere thanks go to Mr. Swinson who devoted such a lot of time in coaching the team in the finer points of the game.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: drew 0-0.	S.H.S. v. Shore: drew 3-3.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 11-0.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: drew 3-3.
S.H.S. v. King's: won 8-0.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 16-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-12.	

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14C XV

Back Row: L. Bear, P. Lewis, P. Tremont, K. Berg, R. Harper, D. Briggs.
 Second Row: G. Lewis, W. Griffiths, J. Brooks, M. Walsh, A. Brown, A. Betts,
 R. Walburn.
 Front Row: M. Berger, R. Peterson, I. Kennedy, J. Mock, Mr. J. Hardy,
 A. McIvor, K. Latona.



13A XV
 C.H.S. ZONE CO-PREMIERS

Back Row: K. Reeves, R. Aroney, W. Bertram, J. Brand, M. Wheeler, P. Bull,
 N. Polling.
 Front Row: G. Whitehouse, M. Smith, R. Miller, Mr. F. R. Fielding, M. Kirk,
 P. Davies, S. Denny.
 Ground: R. Gilbert, G. Burns.

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<i>C.H.S. scores:</i>	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
S.H.S. v. Randwick:	won 21-10	lost 6-12	lost 3-8
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street:	lost 6-8	drew 11-11	won 3-0
S.H.S. v. Fort Street:	won 16-3	won 19-0	drew 5-5
S.H.S. v. Enmore:	won 58-0	won 25-0	won 25-5
S.H.S. v. Ibrox Park:	won 14-8	won 6-3	drew 5-5

14B XV

Team: P. Nosworthy (capt.), N. Baldwin, J. Barry, C. Brown, I. Coyle, R. Henning, I. Hind, J. Isaacs, S. Law, N. Lum, P. McGuinness, P. Morris, P. Paling, D. Sinclair, J. Taylor, P. Tyson, A. Willmott, P. Wills, R. Withers.

Coach: A. Duffy.

The team after the early matches of the season showed that they could become a strong combination. However, as the season progressed they had less and less determination and finished second in C.H.S. Of the backs, J. Barry performed well, while R. Henning proved a rugged and tough forward.

The team would like to thank our coach, A. Duffy, for the time he devoted to the team.

G.P.S. Results:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 10-3.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 3-18.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 8-3.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 0-38.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 3-18.	S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 3-8.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 6-18.	

14C XV

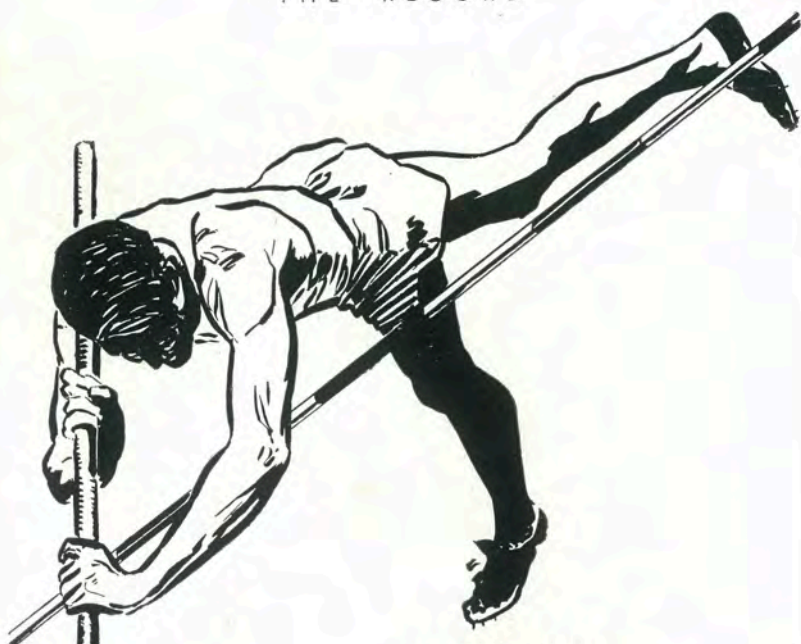
Team: J. Mock (capt.), M. Walsh (vice-capt.), L. Bear, K. Berg, M. Berger, A. Betts, D. Briggs, J. Brooks, A. Brown, W. Griffiths, R. Harper, K. Letona, G. Lewis, P. Lewis, A. McIvor, R. Peterson, P. Tremant, R. Walburn.

Coaches: J. Hardy and I. Kennedy.

Although light and outclassed in most G.P.S. games we maintained our team spirit and did our best no matter what the odds. This spirit can be shown by our rather surprising win over our own "B" team.

Even though winning only one G.P.S. game, against Newington, the team did not lack talent. The nucleus of the backline was M. Walsh, who was ably helped by P. Lewis and winger G. Lewis. The best forwards were A. Brown, M. Berger and D. Briggs, who won the Coaches' Award. It is noteworthy that M. Berger, our amazing goal-kicker scored all of the team's points in G.P.S. A very commendable effort indeed!

Finally we wish to thank J. Hardy and I. Kennedy, who did so much in training us.



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G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 3-6.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-14.
S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 6-21.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 0-37.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 3-18.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 8-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 3-31.	

14D XV

Team: R. Way (capt.), T. Uren (vice-capt.), G. Adams, P. Calwell, C. Crossingham, W. Duffy, I. Falson, J. Gilbert, W. King, C. Little, R. O'Brien, R. Osmond, J. Puckeridge, P. Samios, T. Sharpe, B. Tope, D. Wills, R. Wood.

Coach: B. O'Meagher.

The season was enjoyed by all boys, who gained much valuable experience from it. Our thanks go to B. O'Meagher, who coached us with patience and encouragement throughout this season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 0-18.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-14.
S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 0-9.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 0-32.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 0-49.	S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 3-20.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-30.	

13A XV

Team: R. Miller (capt.), M. Kirk (vice-capt.), R. Aroney, W. Bertram, H. Bollings, J. Brand, P. Bull, G. Burns, P. Davies, S. Denny, I. Gilbert, S. Moyes, K. Reeves, M. Smith, M. Wheeler, G. Whitehouse.

Coach: Mr. F. Fielding.

In the C.H.S. zone competition, the 13A's were co-premiers with Cleveland Street High.

Ross Miller captained the team intelligently and as a result of excellent team work, passing and backing up by the whole team, the centres and wingers notched up 54 tries.

In G.P.S. social matches, the team won five of their seven games.

We are grateful for the time, coaching and patient encouragement of Mr. Fielding throughout the season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: won 11-6.	S.H.S. v. Shore: won 22-0.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 28-0.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: won 11-3.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 0-6.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 19-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 3-14.	

C.H.S. scores:

	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
S.H.S. v. Randwick:	won 25-0	won 34-0	won 28-3
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street:	drew 8-8	won 15-6	lost 3-9
S.H.S. v. Fort Street:	won 11-8	won 23-0	won 14-3
S.H.S. v. Enmore:	won 20-0	won 17-3	won 24-0
S.H.S. v. Ibrox Park:	won 18-0	won 14-0	won 31-0

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13B XV

Back Row: P. Cullen, D. Hope, J. Elliott, G. Glover, P. Cahill.
 Second Row: M. Chapman, M. McCann, S. Reid, P. Fatouros, K. Hewett,
 I. Buchanan.
 Front Row: C. McMurray, D. Whyte, A. Docker, S. Clarke, S. Marks, M. Pokorny.



13C XV

Back Row: J. Hill, I. Dickings, D. Mitchell, B. Murray, M. Georgouras.
 Second Row: D. Luxford, R. Dodgson, D. Lyon, J. Barrett, L. Dunn, J. Firbank.
 Front Row: D. Oxborrow, J. Mock, W. Beard, L. Eizenberg, R. Tregidgo.
 Ground: D. Cooney.

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13B XV

Team: D. Whyte (capt.), S. Clarke (vice-capt.), R. Buchanan, P. Cahill, M. Chapman, P. Cullen, J. Elliott, P. Fatouros, G. Glover, K. Hewett, D. Hope, S. Marks, M. McCann, C. McMurray, M. Pokorny, S. Reid.

Coach: A. Docker.

Although the team was equal to most of the G.P.S. sides in size and strength, it failed to score a win, generally through lack of team work in attack and ability to finish movements.

However, we concluded the season as runners up to the very strong Randwick side in the C.H.S. competition.

We would like to thank our coach A. Docker, for his advice and support during the season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 0-5.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-10.
S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 3-9.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 3-12.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 3-15.	S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 0-9.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-24.	

C.H.S. scores:

	Round 1	Round 2
S.H.S. v Randwick:	lost 0-13	lost 10-13
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street:	lost 3-5	won 6-3
S.H.S. v. Fort Street:	won 14-0	won 6-3
S.H.S. v. S.H.S. 13C:	drew 3-3	won 11-0
S.H.S. v. Ibrox Park:	won 24-0	won 19-0

13C XV

Team: W. Beard (capt.), R. Tregidgo (vice-capt.), S. Barrett, D. Cooney, I. Dickings, R. Dodgson, L. Dunn, J. Furbank, M. Georgouras, L. Hill, D. Luxford, D. Lyon, D. Mitchell, B. Murray, D. Oxborrow.

Coaches: J. Mock and L. Eizenburg.

The 13C's was quite successful, finishing third in the C.H.S. competition after being beaten in only three matches. The team won two G.P.S. matches, but were narrowly defeated in the other games.

Our sincere thanks go to J. Mock and L. Eizenburg for their patient coaching and support throughout the season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: drew 0-0.	S.H.S. v. Shore: lost 0-13.
S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 0-6.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: won 15-10.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 0-9.	S.H.S. v. Newington: won 6-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-3.	

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<i>C.H.S. scores:</i>	Round 1	Round 2
S.H.S. v. Randwick:	lost 0-8	(washed out)
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street:	won 8-5	won 6-3
S.H.S. v. Fort Street:	won on forfeit	won 8-0
S.H.S. v. S.H.S. 13B:	drew 3-3	lost 0-11
S.H.S. v. Ibrox Park:	won 18-0	(washed out)

13D XV

Team: J. McIntosh (capt.), W. Selby (vice-capt.), C. Alcock, B. Andrews, A. Austin, I. Broad, R. Davenport, I. Harper, D. Higgins, G. Ireland, R. Keyes, N. Killion, D. Low, J. Mitchell, I. Morris, R. Walker.

Coaches: P. du Rhone and T. Laverack.

Despite the team's lack of success in the G.P.S. competition, the boys lacked neither enthusiasm nor spirit. The backline was given plenty of the ball through the fine hooking of J. McIntosh with D. Higgins playing a good forward game. The backs, with some strong tackling, especially from W. Selby and B. Andrews, defended keenly.

The team would like to thank their two coaches P. du Rhone and T. Laverack, for their patience and encouragement throughout the season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 3-6.	S.H.S. v. Shore: drew 5-5.
S.H.S. v. Scots: lost 3-15.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 3-18.
S.H.S. v. King's: lost 5-11.	S.H.S. v. Newington: lost 0-5.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 0-24.	

12A XV

Team: S. Spencer (capt.), J. Arrowsmith, P. Bentivoglio, G. Cheers, G. Clark, B. Denning, W. Evans, S. Hamilton, R. Hick, P. Martich, K. McKenzie, M. Middleton, G. Mercer, P. O'Hara, G. Wairn, I. Walker.

Coach: A. Lee.

In all, the team had a reasonable season; of the seven matches played, we won three, lost three and drew one. Although very young, some potential is already evident, particularly in the backs, where C. Spencer, P. Bentivoglio and S. Hamilton were outstanding, while in the forwards, G. Clark was tireless.

The team would like to thank our coach, A. Lee, for his support and advice throughout the season.

G.P.S. scores:

S.H.S. v. St. Ignatius: lost 11-15.	S.H.S. v. Shore: won 11-3.
S.H.S. v. Scots: won 5-3.	S.H.S. v. Grammar: lost 5-6.
S.H.S. v. King's: won 13-8.	S.H.S. v. Newington: drew 3-3.
S.H.S. v. St. Joseph's: lost 3-18.	

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Thirty boys, the nucleus of 1st and 2nd grades, were fortunate enough to go on tour through Canberra, Wagga and Melbourne, during the May vacation—a tour which has proved in matches since to have been of great benefit to our football. All the credit for the planning of the tour belongs to Mr. Ball, who was coach-manager, ball boy, and ambulanceman, and whose brainchild the tour was. All the funds were raised by the boys and their parents, with the full assistance of the school.

In all, the tour lasted five days. Setting out on Sunday morning by Pioneer coach, we arrived at Canberra that afternoon and stayed at the Wellington Hotel, playing Canberra High the next day. Only the 1st XV played and they turned in a fine performance, winning 17-3. Unfortunately Paul Barrington, fullback, injured his knee, the only serious casualty on the tour. That night, as on every night, the tourists split up into small groups and went their own ways, in order to have a better look at Canberra.

The next day we moved to Wagga where we stayed at two separate hotels. A tour over Wagga Air Base proved of great interest. After enjoying the hospitality provided by the Air Force cooks, we went straight to the Wagga High fields, where the 2nd XV were beaten 5-3 by Wagga High. The Firsts, however, convincingly defeated the Air Force Reserve "A", by 38-5. That night was spent quietly, recovering from indigestion and bruises.

The next evening, after about a 400 mile floor show, we arrived at the Y.M.C.A., Melbourne, moved into our rooms and went out on the town. The next morning was spent sight-seeing, but about 1.00 p.m. saw us all at the Scotch College grounds, where the 2nd XV played Victoria C.H.S. 1sts, winning 17-8. The Firsts then played Melbourne Universities Under 19's, whom they defeated 29-0.

Taking leave of "Eca" Grieve, our coach driver, as well as our firm supporter and friend, we left Melbourne at 8.30. The A.N.A. Viscount, however, was 2 hours behind schedule, and we landed in Sydney, after an unforgettable tour, at 10.30 p.m. on Friday, 17th.

Thus ended an historic and memorable tour—the first, we hope, of many in the future.

Results:

1st XV:	S.H.S. v. Canberra High: won 17-3. S.H.S. v. R.A.A.F. Wagga: won 38-5. S.H.S. v. Melbourne University: won 29-0.
2nd XV:	S.H.S. v. Wagga High: lost 3-5. S.H.S. v. Victoria C.H.S.: won 17-8.

CRICKET

This year has been an outstanding one for High in sport, and cricket has been no exception. First and Second grades have reached their highest standard for many years and are at present placed second and third respectively.

But how was this achieved? It is to be noted that both these teams have come from combinations which have remained basically unchanged since First Year. Remember, then, the nucleus for the 1967 First Grade is being moulded in this year's thirteens. Therefore, if you want to win your "cap" for cricket, attend to your coaches, practise diligently and strive for perfection in the fundamentals. Finally, always play the game to the best of your ability and in the true sense of sportsmanship. T.A.



FIRST XI
C.H.S. ZONE CO-PREMIERS

Back Row: J. Brass, R. McKay, P. Barrington, D. Reilly, R. Wilson, C. Levi, A. Gilbert.
Front Row: P. Smith, M. Jones, Mr. G. Hannan, P. Rufford, Mr. J. Rigby, C. Sinclair, C. Ireland.
Ground: J. Mock.

FIRST XI

Team: P. Rufford (capt.), C. Sinclair (vice-capt.), P. Barrington, J. Brass, C. Ireland, M. Jones, C. Levi, R. McKay, J. Mock, D. Reilly, P. Smith, R. Wilson.

Coaches: Messrs. J. Rigby and G. Hannan.

During the second half of the 1962 season, High defeated St. Ignatius outright and lost outright to Newington and The King's School. St. Ignatius scored 300 and 104, while High replied with 252 and 5-153 in a very high scoring match. In St. Ignatius first innings, C. Sinclair captured 5 wickets for 72 and in the second

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J. Mock secured 4 wickets for 10 and P. Rufford 4 for 32. P. Rufford scored 71, C. Sinclair 51 and H. Englander 33 in High's first innings and P. Smith produced a match-winning effort of 73 in the second.

In the following match, High (116 and 104) was beaten outright by Newington (178 and 3-44). P. Rufford scored 65 in the first innings, while P. Frederick scored 30 in the second innings. The wickets were divided between M. Jones, 3 for 45, and C. Sinclair, 3 for 25.

In the last match of the season, The King's School (301 and 0-22) convincingly beat High (114 and 207) outright. P. Rufford took 5 for 60, while J. Brass scored 37 and P. Frederick 27 n.o. In the second innings, C. Levi (66), C. Sinclair (48) and J. Brass (42) batted well against an attack from this team that includes a few G.P.S. bowlers.

Our congratulations to Colin Sinclair, who was selected in the 1962 G.P.S. Second XI.

High commenced the 1963 season with a good win over Newington College. Newington batted first on a wet wicket and were dismissed for 135, P. Rufford taking 4-34. The following week P. Rufford (52) and C. Sinclair (47) helped High to score 176. In Newington's second innings, they declared at 116 for 8. P. Barrington, taking 3 for 28, was backed up well by Chris Ireland and M. Jones. Left with 75 runs to get in just over an hour, High collapsed, but were able to hold out and finish the day with 7 for 27.

High were again victorious against St. Ignatius, winning on the first innings. Rain prevented play on the first day, but on the second day St. Ignatius were dismissed for 81, thanks to some fine bowling by P. Barrington, 3 for 8 from 8 overs; C. Ireland, 2 for 12, and P. Rufford, 3-11. C. Sinclair then scored a solid 24 not out in a race against time, and helped High to a score 4 for 85 at the end of the day.

The next match against King's was washed out.

The last match of the season against Scots resulted in another first innings win for High. High batted first and declared at 228 for 9, after a very bright innings of 59 from C. Sinclair, which included 4 sixes and 3 fours. D. Reilly also batted well to score 50, and J. Brass backed them up with 44. Scots were dismissed for 121 against solid bowling by C. Ireland, M. Jones and P. Barrington. Scots in the last hour of play scored 4 for 59, M. Jones taking 4 for 23.

At present, High are second in the G.P.S. Competition with 24 points, behind Grammar with 27 points, while Shore is third with 19 points.

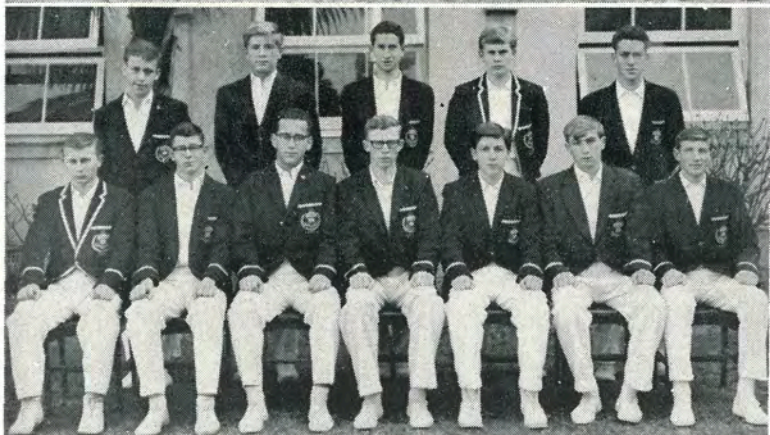
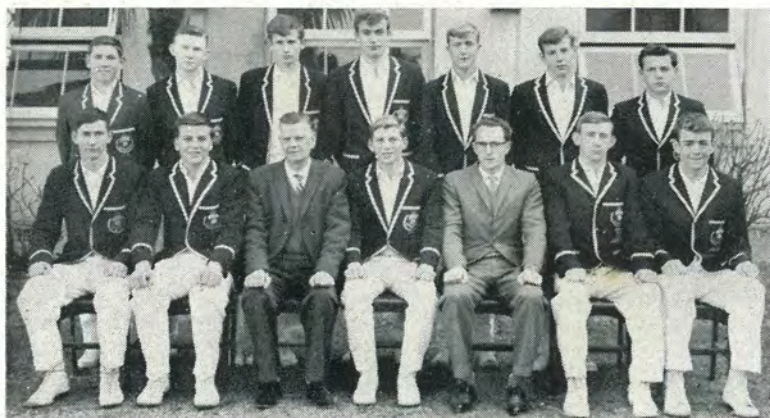
C.H.S. Competition

At the end of last season, High were co-premiers in the C.H.S. Competition. This year High has fared well and is leading the Zone Competition.

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SECOND XI

Back Row: K. King, T. Ash, K. Grover, M. Sconce, J. Dwyer, G. Hatfield, D. Wick.
Front Row: I. Titterton, G. Clark, Mr. F. Jones, A. Hoiles, Mr. J. Kable,
W. Hatfield, A. Gaffney.



THIRD XI

Back Row: J. Hartwell, G. Shipley, P. Brandon, H. Watkins, I. Smith.
Front Row: S. Martinovic, K. Rosenberg, M. Green, A. Paillas, P. Gray, R. Gould,
D. Morgan.

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High defeated Cleveland Street on the first innings, where R. Wilson, R. McKay and P. Smith batted well, while J. Mock had the remarkable figures of 7 for 2. In the next match, High defeated Randwick on the first innings. J. Mock (3-1) and M. Jones bowled well, while P. Smith and C. Sinclair scored runs. The last two matches were interrupted by rain, and High had draws against Fort Street and Enmore.

Special praise goes to Jack Mock, the leg-spinner in our team, who has to his credit 7-2 against Cleveland Street, 5-7 against Jervis Bay and 3-1 against Randwick.

Much of the team's success and bright play was due to the fine coaching of Messrs. Rigby and Hannan and the keen interest they have taken in us. We also express our thanks to the Sydney High mothers for providing such excellent lunches and afternoon teas.

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 176 and 7-27 defeated Newington 135 and 8-116 (decl.).

S.H.S. 4-85 defeated St. Ignatius 81.

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. 9-228 (decl.) defeated Scots 121 and 4-59.

SECOND XI

Team: A. Hoiles (capt.), T. Ash, G. Clark, J. Dwyer, A. Gaffney, K. Grover, G. Hatfield, W. Hatfield, K. King, M. Sconce, I. Titterton, D. Wick.

Couches: Messrs. J. Kable (C.H.S.), S. F. Jones (G.P.S.).

In the C.H.S. games, our team had much success in winning two matches and drawing one, owing to rain. In the G.P.S. Competition, High met stronger competition; nevertheless, playing hard, the team won two games and lost one.

In the first match of the season against Cleveland Street, High easily won outright. Outstanding players of the day were A. Gaffney, scoring 49, and I. Titterton, taking 4-18. In the second match, against Randwick, High gave an excellent batting performance, scoring 210 runs in 190 minutes. In this match, A. Gaffney again scored 49 and took 4 for 10. In the match against Fort Street, High batted well to score 3-64 in reply to their 119 just before the game was washed out. Best performances were by J. Dwyer scoring 23 and K. King taking 2-7.

The game against Enmore was completely washed out.

We had a bad start in the G.P.S. Competition, being beaten by Newington on the first innings. In the next game against St. Ignatius, the team gained its first G.P.S. points. With a last minute effort, High scored 98 runs for the loss of 6 wickets in reply to St. Ignatius total of 96. The game against King's was completely washed out. The last game of the season was very close, with High just running out the victors over Scots. The scores were very low, but neverthe-

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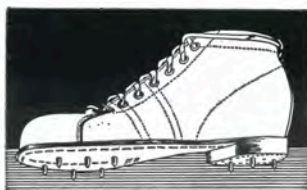
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less the game was very exciting. Full honours go to our bowlers, A. Gaffney (6-10), K. Grover (4-6), and to M. Sconce, who took 5-22 in the second innings.

Our sincere thanks to our two coaches, Messrs. J. Kable and S. Jones, who spent much time and effort in the grooming of our team. We would also like to thank those mothers who provided afternoon tea.

C.H.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 4-126 (decl.) defeated Cleveland Street 39 and 45 outright.

S.H.S. 7-210 (decl.) defeated Randwick 81 and 3-61.

S.H.S. 3-64 drew with Fort Street 119 (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Enmore (match abandoned owing to rain).

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 78 and 9-23 lost to Newington 150 and 7-65 (decl.).

S.H.S. 6-98 defeated St. Ignatius 96.

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. 33 defeated Scots 32 and 67.

THIRD XI

Team: A. Paillas (capt.), P. Brandon, R. Gould, P. Gray, M. Green, J. Hartwell, S. Martinovic, D. Morgan, K. Rosenberg, G. Shipley, I. Smith, H. Watkins.

C.H.S. Competition

Third Grade did not play in the C.H.S. Competition this year, owing to the fact that some of the other schools did not have a third grade. The two matches against the C.H.S. schools were played by a combined house team.

G.P.S. Competition

The 1963 G.P.S. Competition was rather disappointing from two aspects. First, wet weather was responsible for limiting the match against Riverview to one day and for permitting no play at all against King's.

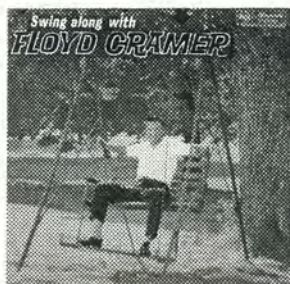
Secondly, the difficulty of fielding a full team on Saturdays was very vexing. However, I am grateful to those boys listed above who played in the team and, although it did not enjoy any success, I am sure the boys enjoyed their cricket.

The first match against Newington was played on a saturated wicket and, after Newington batted, High were dismissed twice to record an outright defeat. The next game against Riverview was only a one-day match; and after dismissing Riverview quite cheaply, thanks to a fine bowling performance by S. Martinovic, High batted and forced a draw. The King's match was completely washed out and our last match, against Scots, was also limited to one day. High batted first and was bowled out quite cheaply; then Scots batted and easily gained a first innings win.

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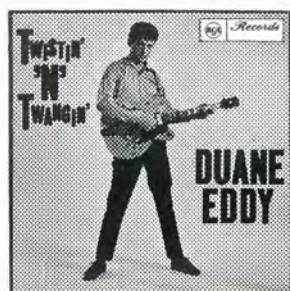
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Bowling was the strong point of the side, with quite a good opening pair in R. Gould and K. Rosenberg, well supported by I. Smith, S. Martinovic and D. Morgan. G. Shipley kept wickets quite well and the standard of fielding was good. Our batting, however, needs a lot of practice, and with any improvement we are hoping for a more successful second half of the season.

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 54 and 62 lost to Newington 141, outright.

S.H.S. 5-37 drew with Riverview 108.

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. 68 lost to Scots 135.

15 YEARS

Team: D. Brandon (capt.), D. White (vice-capt.), M. Berger, K. Bushby, T. Dunlop, P. Ferguson, S. Gerovich, K. Green, T. Hely, M. Jackson, I. Kennedy, T. Osborne, E. Smith, S. Symonds.

Coach: Mr. R. Morphew.

The team experienced mixed fortunes at the commencement of the C.H.S. Competition. After inflicting an outright defeat on Cleveland Street, we lost a closely contested match against Randwick. Our next two games against Fort Street and Enmore were washed out.

Our two G.P.S. games against Newington and Riverview both ended in wins for our opponents.

The team would like to thank our coach, Mr. Morphew, for his able coaching and for the time he devoted to us.

C.H.S. Scores:

S.H.S. defeated Cleveland Street outright.

S.H.S. lost to Randwick.

S.H.S. drew with Fort Street (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Enmore (match abandoned owing to rain).

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. lost to Newington.

S.H.S. lost to St. Ignatius.

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Scots (match abandoned owing to rain).

14 YEARS

Team: I. Meech (capt.), A. Betts, W. Donaldson, G. Ireland, J. Isaacs, P. McGuiness, J. Mock, M. Reid, B. Sailes, T. Sharp, P. Tyson, A. Wilmot, R. Withers.

Coach: Mr. A. Hodge.

In spite of having an unsuccessful season, the team had willingness and spirit. The batting throughout the season was disappointing, except for B. Sailes (31 and 21), R. Withers (20) and A. Betts (28). The team proved to be a better bowling side. The best performances were A. Betts, 4-11 and 4-18; J. Mock, 2-1; B. Sailes, 5-29, and I. Meech, 5-18 and 4-16. J. Isaacs and W. Donaldson were



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exceptionally good, while on the whole the team fielded well. Our wicketkeeper, R. Withers, also excelled throughout the season.

We give our sincere thanks to Mr. Hodge for his patience and time he devoted throughout the season to the coaching of our team.

C.H.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 60 and 8-96 defeated Cleveland Street 50.

S.H.S. 43 lost to Randwick 82.

S.H.S. drew with Fort Street (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Enmore (match abandoned owing to rain).

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 43 and 9-45 lost to Newington 105 and 5-25 (decl.).

S.H.S. 5-70 drew with St. Ignatius (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Scots (match abandoned owing to rain).

13 YEARS (A)

Team: W. Bertram (capt.), J. Brand, P. Bull, S. Denny, W. Evans, K. Hewett, R. Hick, D. Mitchell, J. Mitchell, P. Peyser, W. Selby, R. Smith, R. Walker.

Coach: Mr. G. Simms.

Although the team did not enjoy a good season, its members were very enthusiastic. Throughout the season several changes in the team were necessary. It was not until the end of the season, however, that the team attained anything like a respectable standard.

We are grateful to Mr. Simms, our coach, for the time he spent with us during the season.

C.H.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 15 and 32, lost outright to Cleveland Street, 7-48 (decl.).

S.H.S. 66, lost to Randwick, 95 and 4-70.

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 93, lost to Newington, 6-101 and 7-46.

S.H.S. 17 and 70, lost outright to St. Ignatius, 5-260.

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. 37, lost to Scots, 7-38.

13 YEARS (B)

Team: C. Spencer (capt.), G. Whitehouse (vice-capt.), W. Andrews, J. Arrowsmith, H. Bolling, H. Cohen, G. Glover, D. Luxford, D. Lyons, G. Odze, R. Sleeman, N. Yee.

Coach: Mr. Andrews.

The team played consistently well throughout the season. We won every game, except one, which was drawn owing to rain. We scored outright wins over Cleveland Street, St. Ignatius College and Newington College and had a first innings win over Randwick. The drawn game was against Fort Street. The most outstanding batsmen were G. Whitehouse, C. Spencer, H. Bolling and W. Andrews. The



ROWING CAMP

Back Row: P. J. Goodsell, C. R. Lewis, I. R. Nicholls, R. J. Bush, Mr. G. C. Pilger,
Mr. J. D. Donoghue, R. L. Grant, J. G. Miller, T. S. Gavay, G. A. Andrews.
3rd Row: P. R. Abbott, B. G. Anderson, D. O. Hirsch, P. E. May, Col. D. J. Duffy, Mr. A. L. May,
G. J. Faulks, C. N. Lyon, T. F. Sanford, J. E. Curran.
2nd Row: F. C. Wagner, J. R. Harris, R. R. Dalziel, N. H. Nicholson, Mr. A. E. Tucker,
Mr. G. R. Abbott, W. J. Widin, R. F. Wall, D. J. Rowley, T. P. Morgan.
Front Row: R. D. Henning, R. F. Little, M. A. Jonson, P. W. Nosworthy, M. R. Wheatley.

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two best individual scores were G. Whitehouse's 50 against St. Ignatius and C. Spencer's 48 n.o. against Cleveland Street. The bowling was handled by H. Cohen, J. Glover, G. Whitehouse and C. Spencer, with assistance from J. Arrowsmith.

We are grateful for the patient coaching of Mr. Andrews throughout the season.

C.H.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 8-103 (decl.) defeated Cleveland Street 28 and 43, outright.

S.H.S. 5-81 (decl.) defeated Randwick 45 and 4-44.

S.H.S. 1-45 drew with Fort Street 110 (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Enmore (match abandoned owing to rain).

G.P.S. Scores:

S.H.S. 35 and 8-96 (decl.) defeated Newington 56 and 50, outright.

S.H.S. 123 and 4-55 defeated St. Ignatius 104 and 71 outright.

S.H.S. drew with King's (match abandoned owing to rain).

S.H.S. drew with Scots (match abandoned owing to rain).

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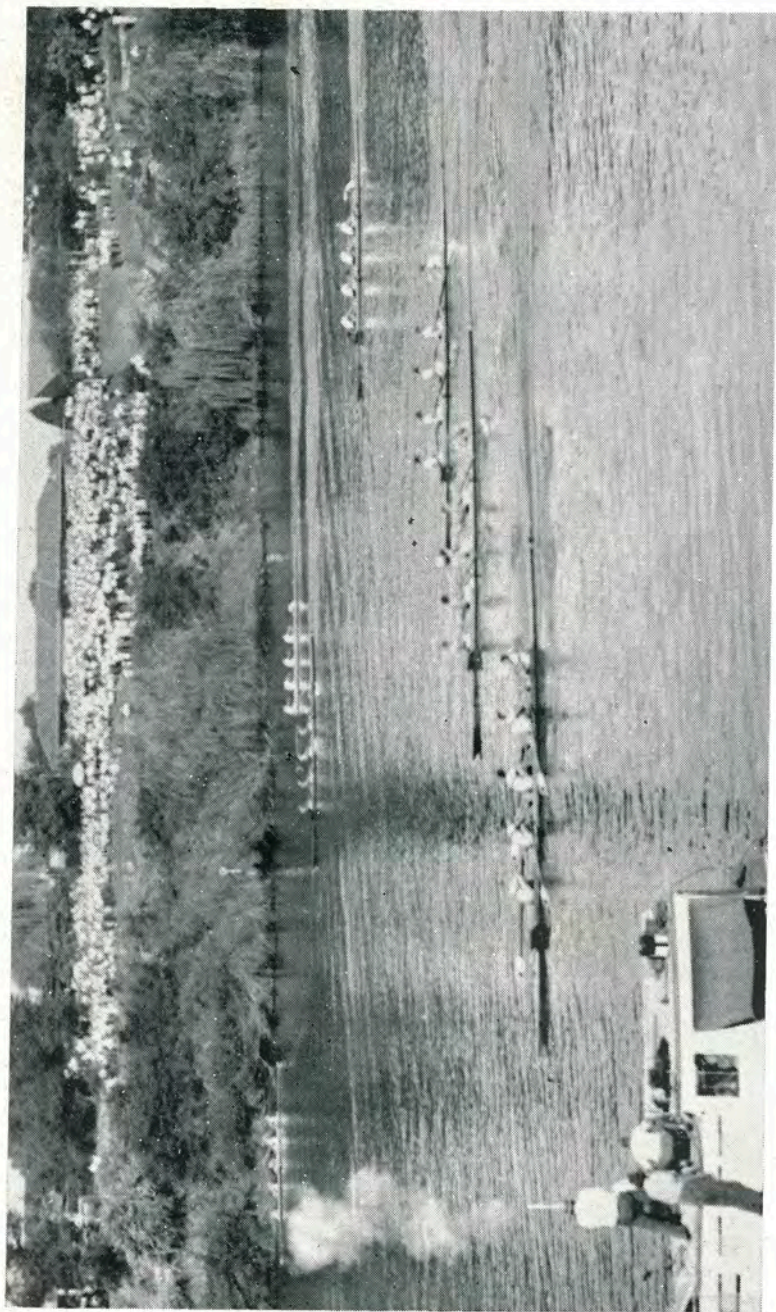
For the senior oarsmen the rowing season began very early. On Sundays, last winter, the Senior Eight Squad were to be seen at the sheds, there to "keep in touch" with rowing, despite the discomfort caused by the previous day's football match.

Finally, after football, the call went out for all boys interested in rowing, and the usual throng gathered at the sheds on the appointed day. It is necessary to say that the attendance was not as satisfying as it might have been, considering that rowing is the major sport in the G.P.S.A.A.A.

However, all crews were finally selected and the Penrith crews moved into camp at the beginning of the school year.

Open Day soon came and the Boat Club was very proud to christen a new regulation four, purchased from the rowing appeal funds. This new four was named the "Richard White" and was christened by Dick's charming wife. Dick White has been very prominent in rowing circles, coaching several of the School's crews with great success. He introduced "Canadian Style" into schoolboy rowing and, after retiring as a coach, took up rowing with a Sydney club and, with another Old Boy, earned himself a trip to Henley in 1961. The new four, extremely modern in design, must be one of the fastest in Sydney and seems assured of success at Penrith before very long. After the christening a mass row-past of all the crews took place. The pleasure of the day was increased by the excellent afternoon tea provided by the ladies.

On the whole the camp proved to be a great success. On Wednesday, 17th April, all Penrith crews moved to the Nepean and the comforts of the "Log Cabin" Hotel. This stay was enjoyed by all, and the Friday night celebrations, chaired by Mr. Alan



The Second IV wins the G.P.S. Regatta by $\frac{1}{4}$ length as a climax to a successful season.

Callaway, were an outstanding success. George Miller, a very unlucky boy, who has been twice selected in the Senior Eight but through illness has never rowed at Penrith, was given a special award for his services to rowing. Richard Bush, the "kid" of the Eight, was given an award for the most improved rower, while John Harris of the 3rd IV was also given one for his improved rowing. These presentations were well deserved and we extend our congratulations to George, Dick and John.

There were a number of changes in coaching this season. The Senior VIII was coached by two very fine gentlemen, Graham Pilger and Doug Donoghue. Graham coached the VIII in 1961-2 and has had great success with the fours in previous years. It is unfortunate that this was his last year and he has now retired. Doug has never coached a school VIII but has had great success in fours and in coaching some of Queensland's state crews. The 1st IV was coached by Colonel D. J. Duffy, who has been closely connected with the traditions of rowing at S.H.S. for many years, and who has had very great success in coaching. The 2nd IV was coached by Alan May, the 3rd IV by Ernie Tucker and the 4th IV by Ross Abbott. The Junior VIII was coached by Peter Wagner, the 5th IV by Bob Adler, the 6th IV by Andre Cohen and the 7th and 8th IVs by students Ron Lyons and George Miller. The School owes a great deal to all the foregoing Old Boys for their efforts and devotion; the rowers appreciate their efforts and the enthusiasm they brought to their coaching.

Thanks must also go to Dr. L. Adler, who offered his medical services; Mrs. Nelson, the camp cook, for her varied and delightful menus, and the mothers who helped with the meals; the rowing committee for their efforts and general assistance, without which the School would find it very difficult to continue rowing; the Old Boys who visited the sheds: and finally our Rowing Master, Mr. Brent Rushall, who undertook the responsibility of this position and attended to the many and varied tasks which are inevitable in the successful running of the camp.

SENIOR VIII

G. A. Andrews (Bow), T. S. Gervay (2), R. J. Bush (3), R. L. Grant (4), J. G. Miller (5), I. R. Nicholls (6), C. R. Lewis (7), P. J. Goodsell (Stroke), M. A. Jonson (Cox).

Coaches: Mr. J. D. Donoghue and Mr. G. C. Pilger.

The season began quite early for the VIII, and they commenced training in earnest. Long Saturday rows followed and by the end of 1962 the crew had progressed to quite a satisfactory standard. Just before Christmas they performed creditably in a regatta, coming third. After the Christmas break the VIII resumed rowing but found that its No. 2 man, George Miller, could not row owing to illness. A change was made and the VIII soon recovered. The middle of the season passed as usual. The work became harder but the VIII faced

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this with determination and eagerness. During this period the VIII had several races and produced some moderate successes. As the Head of the River drew nearer, the VIII went through two gruelling weeks. During these weeks they rowed with the State VIII and learned a great deal from this very polished crew—a marvellous experience. After this, the VIII had a well earned forty-eight-hour rest and, following this, found they had improved considerably. Confidence and enthusiasm were built up after several very fine rows following this rest.

At the Head of the River the VIII approached the starting line with confidence and the knowledge of firm foundations constructed by their coaches, Doug Donoghue and Graham Pilger. Although this race proved disappointing, the VIII had a very enjoyable season. The coaches proved their worth not only in moulding the crew but also in helping to form the character of the boys, and the School will greatly miss them from the coaching forces next season.

The VIII would also like to congratulate Newington College on an extremely well-judged and well-rowed race.

G.P.S. Regatta: Newington, 1st; St. Joseph's, 2nd; King's, 3rd.

FIRST IV

P. R. Abbott (Bow), D. O. Hirsch (2), P. E. May (3), B. G. Anderson (Stroke), R. D. Henning (Cox).

Coach: Colonel D. J. Duffy.

The return of Col. Duffy to the coaching ranks was very welcome, as he has had a lot of experience with S.H.S. rowing. His crew this year worked extremely hard, covering well over 500 miles in training in three months.

In the past, Col. Duffy has been extremely successful and he brought great determination into the training. Under him, the crew worked enthusiastically.

Although they got under way rather late they were soon brought up to a satisfactory standard. Their efforts in training proved worthwhile in the regattas and as the season progressed they were moulded into a fine crew under his expert eye.

When they got into the new boat, the "Richard White", the 1st IV truly looked a magnificent crew and seemed likely to uphold their coach's reputation. However, just before Penrith a change was made in the crew and the 1st IV worked even harder than ever and with more determination in order to achieve their goal. They rowed well on the day but were unable to match the efforts of the other crews.

Racing Record of the First Four:

Leichhardt Regatta: Maiden Fours, 2nd in Heat.

Metropolitan Regatta: School Regulation Fours (I), 3rd.

St. Ignatius Regatta: G.P.S. First Fours, 3rd.

University Regatta: Maiden Fours, 3rd.

G.P.S. Regatta: Grammar, 1st; King's, 2nd; Newington, 3rd.

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SENIOR VIII.

G. Andrews (bow), T. Gervay (2), J. Miller (3), R. Grant (4), R. Bush (5),
I. Nicholls (6), C. Lewis (7), P. Goodsell (stroke). M. Jonson (cox).

FIRST IV.

P. Abbott (bow), D. Hirsch (2) P. May (3), B. Anderson (stroke).
R. Henning (cox).



SECOND IV.

J. Curran (bow), T. Sanford (2), C. Lyon (3), C. Faulks (stroke).
M. Wheatley (cox).

THIRD IV.

N. Nicholson (bow), R. Dalziel (2), J. Harris (3), F. Wagner (stroke).
R. Little (cox).

SECOND IV

J. E. Curran (Bow), T. F. Sanford (2), C. N. Lyon (3), C. J. Faulks (Stroke), M. R. Wheatley (Cox).

Coach: Mr. A. L. May.

The 2nd IV was formed immediately after the finalisation of the 1st IV. After this selection the crew moved into camp, and under the young but wise Alan May it soon became evident that this crew would be hard to beat at Penrith. They were a heavy crew and soon developed a powerful action. The old dormitory particularly felt their presence.

Their racing record was very good and this crew notched up several wins against other schools' 2nd IVs and even beat some 1st IVs in their efforts. At St. Ignatius College's Regatta on the 6th April, two weeks before Penrith, they performed splendidly, winning both heat and final.

When they moved to Penrith the 2nd IV found the dead conditions suited them perfectly and they went to the starting line that Saturday full of confidence. They rowed a well-judged race and by the $\frac{3}{4}$ -mile mark it was obvious that the race was within their grasp. In the last $\frac{1}{4}$ mile their superiority asserted itself, and they pulled away to win by $\frac{1}{4}$ length.

We offer our congratulations to you, 2nd IV, on a very fine row.

Racing Record of the Second Four:

Balmain Regatta: School Regulation Fours (I), 2nd.

Leichhardt Regatta: School Regulation Fours (I), 1st.

St. Ignatius Regatta: G.P.S. Second Fours, 1st.

University Regatta: Maiden Fours, 2nd.

G.P.S. Regatta: High, 1st; St. Ignatius, 2nd; Shore, 3rd.

Margin: $\frac{1}{4}$ length. Time: 5 min. 48.6 secs.

THIRD IV

N. H. Nicholson (Bow), R. R. Dalziel (2), J. R. Harris (3), F. C. Wagner (Stroke), R. F. Little (Cox).

Coach: Mr. A. E. Tucker.

The 3rd IV was rather an inexperienced crew this year. However, due to the fine coaching efforts of Ernie Tucker, they soon developed into quite a good combination. In training rows they produced some very fine times but could never reproduce their form in the club regattas. This was attributed to lack of experience, and it was felt that this crew would improve considerably later in the season when they gained the necessary experience. At the University Regatta, a week before Penrith, the 3rd IV had a brilliant 2nd in their race and it seemed likely they would go well at Penrith. However, luck was not with the 3rd IV on the day, and they came home sixth in the race.

Racing Record of the Third Four:

University Regatta: School Regulation Fours (2), 2nd.

G.P.S. Regatta: Shore, 1st; Newington, 2nd; St. Ignatius, 3rd.

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FOURTH IV

W. J. Widin (Bow), R. F. Wall (2), D. J. Rowley (3), T. P. Morgan (Stroke), P. W. Nosworthy (Cox).

Coach: Mr. G. R. Abbott.

The 4th IV this year was very young, having two boys from third year and two from fourth year. Despite this, however, they soon developed into a strong, tough crew. Their coach, Ross Abbott, provided them with a solid background in training so that they could manage the short but vigorous $\frac{3}{4}$ -mile race. During the season they had a great deal of success in club regattas. At Penrith they led early in their race, but were unable to maintain their position and finished fifth.

Racing Record of the Fourth Four:

Glebe Regatta: School Regulation Fours (2), 3rd.

Balmain Regatta: School Regulation Fours (2), 2nd.

G.P.S. Regatta: St. Joseph's, 1st; Shore, 2nd; King's and St. Ignatius, 3rd.

JUNIOR VIII

P. J. Prentice (Bow), R. W. Henderson (2), A. M. Bolton (3), R. P. Powell (4), G. L. Dare (5), R. J. Stevenson (6), C. Randall (7), N. J. Morgan (Stroke), W. B. Nathan (Cox).

Coach: Mr. P. D. Wagner.

Although formed late, the Junior VIII managed to put in a lot of hard training under the guidance of their coach, Peter Wagner. At club regattas they won several heats, but were unable to come home first in a final. In some of their races they were robbed of success when in a good position through sheer misfortune. At the main race of the season, the St. Ignatius College Regatta, they won their heat convincingly, but, in the final, were unable to overcome strong opposition from Cranbrook and King's and gained third place.

Racing Record of the Junior Eight:

Leichhardt Regatta: School Junior Eights, 2nd.

St. Ignatius Regatta: School Junior Eights, 3rd.

University Regatta: School Junior Eights, 2nd.

FIFTH IV

D. McGill (Bow), J. Dunn (2), K. Brooks (3), I. Cullen (Stroke), C. Little (Cox).

Coach: Mr. R. G. Adler.

The 5th IV was a very successful crew this year. They trained hard under their coach, Bob Adler, and, although rowing out of their class in some of the club regattas, performed creditably. At the St. Ignatius Regatta they won their heat in splendid style, and in the final put up a very gallant effort to come second, beaten by only two feet, by Newington.

Racing Record of the Fifth Four:

King's-Newington Regatta: Fifth Fours, 2nd.

Leichhardt Regatta: School Tub Fours, 1st.

THE RECORD

St. Ignatius Regatta: Fifth Fours, 2nd.
University Regatta: School Tub Fours, 1st.

SIXTH IV

D. Hofbauer (Bow), B. Duckworth (2), R. Palmisano (3),
G. Quick (Stroke), W. Pryor (Cox).

Coach: Mr. A. M. Cohen.

The 6th IV did a lot of training with the 5th IV, and together they had some very good rows. They were formed rather late in the season, but under their coach, Andre Cohen, soon developed into a fine crew. At St. Ignatius Regatta they won their heat well, and also rowed well in the final to come third.

Racing Record of the Sixth Four:

St. Ignatius Regatta: Sixth Fours, 3rd.

SEVENTH IV

R. Whittle (Bow), E. Ackman (2), C. Allsop (3), A. Nicholas (Stroke).

EIGHTH IV

J. Puckeridge (Bow), W. Duffy (2), I. Coyle (3), B. O'Meagher (Stroke).

Coaches: R. E. Lyons and G. Miller.

This was the first year the School has had an 8th IV. All the boys in these two crews were only in second form, which means that they will, by the termination of their school career, have had five years of competitive rowing. To these boys I say: Persevere with your rowing! I feel that the only way we can win the Head of the River is by a "build up" system. The foresight shown by our students, George Miller and Ron Lyons, is worthy of the highest praise; for it was they who recruited the necessary potential, took the boys to the sheds and trained these crews.

To win the Major Rennie Trophy is a very difficult thing. But it is a challenge; and, testing yourself against that challenge, you will learn something that will benefit you for the rest of your life.

I sincerely hope that you boys will continue rowing in the effort to meet that challenge; for, if you do, I can safely predict that among you are some boys who will win the Head of the River for Sydney High School.

PHIL GOODSSELL, Captain of Boats.

TENNIS

First Grade: J. Crane (capt.), D. Barnes, D. Hind, H. McKeand.

Second Grade: G. Henderson (capt.), M. Moore, R. Forrest, A. Huxtable.

Master-in-charge: Mr. K. Cooper.

Owing to an extraordinarily wet season, the competition this year was rather disappointing as only nine matches were played out of the fifteen set down. The change originally intended was that there should be three rounds instead of two as heretofore.

THE RECORD

In the matches played, First Grade, on the whole, found the opposition to be too strong, particularly that of Randwick and Enmore. However, they played well against the latter (the eventual winners) in the last round and the match ended in an interesting draw. First Grade won three matches, drew one and lost five.

Second Grade, fielding an experienced team, fared better. After leading at one stage of the competition, they finished a close third to Randwick and Enmore. They had a good win over Randwick in the first round. They won five matches and lost four.

Earlier in the year, in February, a team captained by A. Paillas, spent a pleasant week-end at Jervis Bay where they played a team from the Naval College. This has now become an annual fixture and one to which the players look forward each year.

Finally, on behalf of all the players, I would like to extend my thanks to Mr. Cooper for his help and interest throughout the year.

JOHN CRANE.

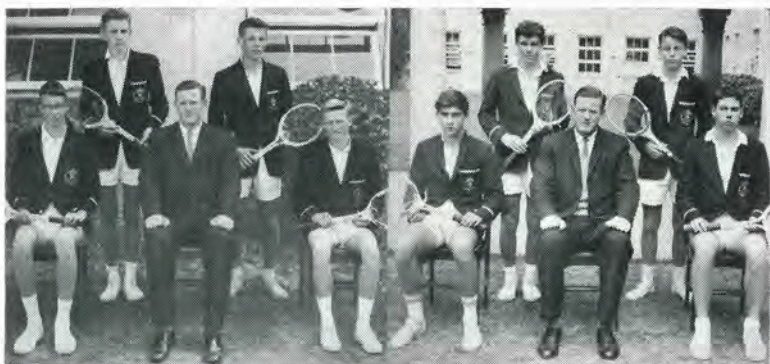
Third Grade: P. Spira (capt.), R. Grayson, R. Beattie, G. McCue, W. Pryor.

Fourth Grade: W. Clayton (capt.), A. Boorer, G. Odze, S. Simmons, R. Beran (reserve).

Third Grade played consistently throughout the season, but were unfortunate to be beaten narrowly by both Randwick High and Enmore. Due to rain, many drawn matches resulted, and consequently both third and fourth grade were unable to improve their position. Fourth grade were clearly outclassed by Randwick High but they improved their form and overwhelmed Ibrox Park.

Finally, on behalf of third and fourth grades, I would like to thank Mr. Cooper for all his help throughout the year.

PETER SPIRA.



FIRST GRADE TENNIS

Back Row: N. McKeand, D. Hind.
Front Row: M. Moore, Mr. K. Cooper,
G. Henderson.

SECOND GRADE TENNIS

Back Row: A. Huxtable, R. Forrest.
Front Row: D. Barnes, Mr. K. Cooper,
J. Crane.

THE RECORD

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SWIMMING

This year has been a successful and most promising year for the school. The school carnival was held at North Sydney Olympic Pool, and, despite the fact that it was confined to one afternoon, it was quite enjoyable and the results were in keeping with our past records.

With the loss of Bensley, Guilhaus, Crane and McKay next year, our swimming, in the senior ranks, will be in the capable hands of Huxtable and Fortey, who, if given support, should constitute a reliable team. In the junior ranks we have two boys, Graham Dunn and Peter Bentivoglio, who have already shown themselves promising swimmers. In the finals of the C.H.S. Championships this year, Dunn broke three records and Bentivoglio set two records in the new 12 years' events. These two will form the basis of a strong senior team in the years to come.

The best way for the average swimmer to improve his swimming is to join one of the many clubs in Sydney, and to take part in its many activities. Boys who do this will be able to take an active part in the swimming carnivals of the future.

R. McKAY, Captain.

SCHOOL CARNIVAL RESULTS

Senior Division:

110 Yards Backstroke: 1, R. Bensley; 2, I. Nicholls; 3, C. Roby.
Time: 1 min. 25.4 secs.

110 Yards Breaststroke: 1, F. Guilhaus; 2, R. Bensley; 3, D. Wilson. Time: 1 min. 29.7 secs.

110 Yards Butterfly: 1, R. Bensley; 2, C. Hawkins; 3, D. Wilson.
Time: 1 min. 21.5 secs.

110 Yards Freestyle: 1, R. McKay; 2, R. Bensley; 3, I. Nicholls.
Time: 1 min. 6.0 secs.

220 Yards Freestyle: 1, R. Bensley; 2, R. McKay; 3, G. Pender.
Time: 2 min. 35.0 secs.

440 Yards Freestyle: 1, R. Bensley; 2, R. McKay; 3, C. Roby.
Time: 5 min. 24.5 secs.

880 Yards Freestyle: 1, R. Bensley; 2, G. Dunn; 3, C. Roby.
Time: 11 min. 2.0 secs.

House Relay: 1, McKay; 2, Eedy; 3, Fairland. Time: 2 min. 6.0 secs.

Senior Dive: 1, K. Monson; 2, P. May; 3, A. Gaffney, P. Goodsell.

440 Yards Individual Medley: 1, R. Bensley; 2, R. McKay; 3, G. Pender. Time: 6 min. 5.6 secs.

16 Years Division:

110 Yards Backstroke: 1, F. Guilhaus; 2, J. Crane; 3, A. Huxtable. Time: 1 min. 33.5 secs.



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- 110 Yards Breaststroke: 1, I. Cullen; 2, D. Hirsch; 3, J. Dwyer.
Time: 1 min. 40.3 secs.
- 110 Yards Butterfly: 1, F. Guilhaus; 2, J. Crane. Time: 1 min. 45.0 secs.
- 110 Yards Freestyle: 1, A. Huxtable; 2, J. Crane; 3, W. Parsons.
Time: 1 min. 16.8 secs.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: 1, A. Huxtable; 2, J. Crane; 3, W. Parsons.
Time: 2 min. 46 secs.
- 440 Yards Freestyle: 1, G. Dunn; 2, A. Huxtable; 3, F. Guilhaus.
Time: 5 min. 26.0 secs. **Record.**
- House Relay: 1, Fairland; 2, Eedy; 3, McKay. Time: 2 min. 17.3 secs.
- 16 Years Dive: 1, N. Ellard; 2, A. Docker; 2, F. Guilhaus.
- 15 Years Division:**
- 55 Yards Backstroke: 1, J. Murray; 2, D. Davenport; 3, I. Frith.
Time: 43.2 secs.
- 55 Yards Breaststroke: 1, K. Glover; 2, F. Barbuto; 3, A. Sebestyen. Time: 45.5 secs.
- 55 Yards Butterfly: 1, K. Glover; 2, D. Davenport; 3, J. Murray.
Time: 43.0 secs.
- 110 Yards Freestyle: 1, S. Fortey; 2, K. Glover; 3, M. Thackray.
Time: 1 min. 16.5 secs.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: 1, K. Glover; 2, S. Fortey; 3, C. Bird.
Time: 3 min. 5.1 secs.
- House Relay: 1, Fairland; 2, McKay; 2, Eedy. Time: 2 min. 21.3 secs.
- 15 Years Dive: 1, C. Bird; 2, C. McGill; 3, G. McKenna.
- 14 Years Division:**
- 55 Yards Backstroke: 1, C. Allsop; 2, M. Kirk; 3, R. Way.
Time: 42.9 secs.
- 55 Yards Breaststroke: 1, H. Merkur; 2, R. Way; 3, C. Allsop.
Time: 49.2 secs.
- 55 Yards Butterfly: 1, R. Way; 2, A. Brown; 3, J. Isaacs.
Time: 44.5 secs.
- 110 Yards Freestyle: 1, H. Merkur; 2, M. Kirk; 3, R. Way.
Time: 1 min. 14.5 secs.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: 1, H. Merkur; 2, R. Way; 3, M. Kirk.
Time: 2 min. 54.0 secs.
- House Relay: 1, Eedy; 2, Saxby; 3, McKay. Time: 2 min. 37.5 secs.
- 14 Years Dive: 1, J. Gilbert; 2, P. Wills; 3, W. Ayton.
- 13 Years Division:**
- 55 Yards Backstroke: 1, G. Dunn; 2, D. Sinclair; 3, B. Murray.
Time: 37.1 secs. **Record.**
- 55 Yards Breaststroke: 1, D. Sinclair; 2, G. Dunn; 3, W. Turtle.
Time: 45.0 secs. **Record.**

THE RECORD

55 Yards Butterfly: 1, G. Dunn; 2, J. Bullock; 3, D. Sinclair.
Time: 34.0 secs. **Record.**

110 Yards Freestyle: 1, G. Dunn; 2, R. Buchanan; 3, J. Turtle.
Time: 1 min. 10.6 secs. **Record.**

220 Yards Freestyle: 1, G. Dunn; 2, J. Bullock; 3, K. Hewett.
time: 2 min. 35.0 secs. **Record.**

House Relay: 1, Eedy; 2, Saxby; 3, McKay. Time: 2 min. 34.7 secs.

13 Years Dive: 1, J. Bullock; 2, P. Cahill.

12 Years Division:

55 Yards Backstroke: 1, P. Bentivoglio; 2, E. Joseph; 3, J. Wallis.
Time: 40.6 secs.

55 Yards Breaststroke: P. Bentivoglio; 2, A. Parker; 3, G. Foux.
Time: 49.2 secs.

55 Yards Butterfly: 1, P. Bentivoglio; 2, E. Joseph; 3, G. Foux.
Time: 38.1 secs.

110 Yards Freestyle: 1, P. Bentivoglio; 2, E. Joseph; 3, C. Spencer. Time: 1 min. 18.5 secs.

220 Yards Freestyle: 1, P. Bentivoglio; 2, E. Joseph; 3, G. Foux.
Time: 3 min. 2.0 secs.

House Relay: 1, McKay; 2, Fairland; 3, Saxby. Time: 2 min. 51.0 secs.

12 Years Dive: 1, S. Hamilton; 2, L. Clark; 3, J. Hill.



C.H.S. SWIMMING

Back Row: R. Way, D. Sinclair, J. Bullock, J. Isaacs, A. Parker, J. Turtle,
R. Buchanan, G. Dunn.

Third Row: H. Merkur, A. Brown, M. Thackray, F. Barbuto, J. Murray, D. Wilson,
C. Roby, M. Kirk.

Second Row: F. Guilhaus, I. Cullen, G. Pender, K. Glover, W. Parsons, W. Widin,
J. Bentivoglio, S. Fortey.

Front Row: P. Bell, C. Allsop, T. Gervay, R. Bensley, Mr. F. Fielding, R. McKay,
P. May, J. Crane, A. Huxtable.

Ground: P. Bentivoglio, E. Joseph.

THE RECORD

C.H.S. ZONE SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Open Division:

- 55 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—3, R. McKay.
Div. 2—3, R. Bensley.
- 110 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—4, R. McKay.
Div. 2—2, R. Bensley.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—5, R. McKay.
Div. 2—5, G. Pender.
- 440 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—3, R. Bensley.
Div. 2—3, R. McKay.
- 880 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—4, R. Bensley.
- 110 Yards Breaststroke: Div. 1—4, D. Wilson.
- 110 Yards Backstroke: Div. 1—3, C. Roby.
Div. 2—3, J. Bentivoglio.
- 440 Yards Medley: Div. 1—3, R. Bensley.
Div. 2—3, F. Guilhaus.
- 4 x 110 Yards Relay: 4, Sydney High.

16 Years Division:

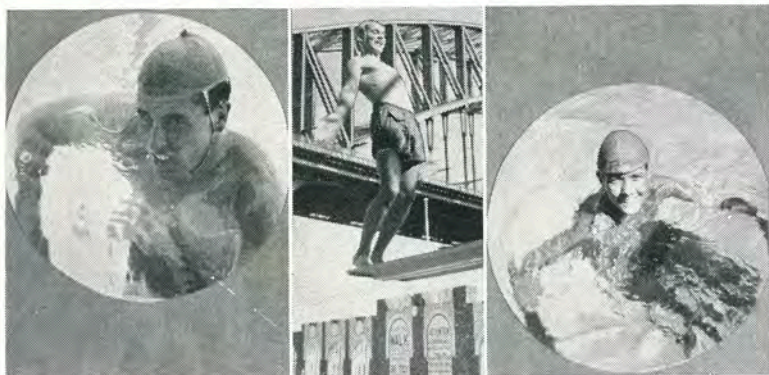
- 55 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—5, W. Widin.
Div. 2—3, J. Crane.
- 110 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—5, A. Huxtable.
Div. 2—5, W. Widin.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—5, A. Huxtable.
- 440 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—4, A. Huxtable.
- 110 Yards Breaststroke: Div. 1—3, F. Guilhaus.
Div. 2—3, I. Cullen.
- 110 Yards Backstroke: Div. 1—3, J. Crane.
Div. 2—2, F. Guilhaus.
- 110 Yards Butterfly: Div. 2—4, J. Crane.
- 4 x 55 Yards Relay: 4, Sydney High.

15 Years Division:

- 110 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—4, S. Fortey.
Div. 2—5, K. Glover.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—4, K. Glover.
Div. 2—4, S. Fortey.
- 55 Yards Breaststroke: Div. 1—5, K. Glover.
- 55 Yards Backstroke: Div. 1—3, J. Murray.
Div. 2—2, D. Davenport.
- 55 Yards Butterfly: Div. 1—5, K. Glover.

14 Years Division:

- 55 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—3, H. Merkur.
Div. 2—4, M. Kirk.
- 110 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—2, H. Merkur.
Div. 2—3, R. Way.
- 220 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—4, H. Merkur.
Div. 2—3, R. Way.
- 55 Yards Breaststroke: Div. 1—4, H. Merkur.
Div. 2—2, R. Way.



C.H.S. SWIMMING CARNIVAL.

Left: School Captain, Bob McKay, finishes a gruelling race.

Right: S. Fortey gives us the victory smile.

Centre: A. Morgan over-balances and !

55 Yards Backstroke: Div. 1—4, C. Allsop.

Div. 2—2, M. Kirk.

Relay: 2, Sydney High.

13 Years Division:

55 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—1, G. Dunn. Time: 31.0 secs. **(Record)**.

Div. 2—1, R. Buchanan. Time: 34.3 secs.

110 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—1, G. Dunn. Time: 1 min. 8.2 secs. **(Record)**.

Div. 2—2, R. Buchanan.

220 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—2, G. Dunn.

Div. 2—3, J. Bullock.

55 Yards Breaststroke: Div. 1—2, D. Sinclair.

Div. 2—1, T. Turtle. Time: 48.7 secs.

55 Yards Backstroke: Div. 1—1, G. Dunn. Time: 34.9 secs. **(Record)**.

Div. 2—4, D. Sinclair.

55 Yards Butterfly: Div. 1—1, G. Dunn. Time: 33.3 secs. **(Record)**.

Div. 2—1, J. Bullock. Time: 44.8 secs.

4 x 55 Yards Relay: 1, Sydney High.

12 Years Division:

55 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 32.8 secs. **(Record)**.

Div. 2—3, E. Joseph.

110 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 1 min. 20.3 secs. **(Record)**.

Div. 2—3, E. Joseph.

220 Yards Freestyle: Div. 1—3, E. Joseph.

55 Yards Breaststroke: Div. 1—1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 48.0 secs. **(Record)**.

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55 Yards Backstroke: Div. 1—1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 41.2 secs. **(Record).**

55 Yards Butterfly: Div. 1—1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 37.6 secs. **(Record).**

Div. 2—1, E. Joseph. Time: 44.4 secs.

C.H.S. FINALS

13 Years:

220 Yards Freestyle: 4, G. Dunn.

110 Yards Freestyle: 1, G. Dunn. Time: 1 min. 6.8 secs. **Record.**

55 Yards Backstroke: 1, G. Dunn. Time: 34.8 secs. **Record.**

55 Yards Butterfly: 1, G. Dunn. Time: 31.8 secs. **Record.**

12 Years:

55 Yards Breaststroke: 4, P. Bentivoglio.

55 Yards Backstroke: 1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 39.1 secs. **Record.**

55 Yards Butterfly: 1, P. Bentivoglio. Time: 36.8 secs. **Record.**

WATER POLO

FIRST GRADE

Team: J. Moscow (Captain), H. Ball, R. Bell, R. Bensley, G. Bentivoglio, F. Guilhaus, J. McLachlan, K. Monson, C. Roby.

Coach: Mr. C. R. Wegener.

This year began rather badly for the team: the first four matches were played against Randwick, the eventual winner of the Inter-Zone Knock-Out competition held later in the year, and Cleveland St., last year's runners-up in this Zone; both teams were virtually unaltered this year. After this team showed a considerable improvement; although they lost one match against Fort St., they won the other as also both games against Enmore.

The team played in an Inter-Zone School Knock-out competition on 13th April and came third of fifteen teams, being eliminated only in the finals. Their last match against Vacluse, was extremely hard fought, and only deliberate delaying tactics by Vacluse prevented the goal which would have made the scores equal.

By the end of the season the team was functioning very well. John Moscow did a fine job as captain, and left winger. Fred Guilhaus and Bob Bensley, the centre who secured a position in the C.H.S., completed the forward line. The backs, "Tub" Bentivoglio and Ken Monson, who suffered badly from sinus trouble, and had to drop out after the first matches; Jeff McLachlan, and Cliff Roby, a new comer, assisted by great speed but handicapped by his light weight, became an efficient unit also. Robert (Ding Dong) Bell and Harvey Ball were goalies for the year, and, both performed very creditably. Harvey, playing for the first time, found his great size an assistance, since he could reach the top and sides of the goal without having to shoot himself out of the water.



FIRST GRADE WATER
POLO.

Back Row: J. Bentivoglio, R. Bensley, Mr. C. Wegener, H. Ball, M. Bell.

Front Row: C. Roby, J. McLachlan, J. Moscow, F. Guilhaus, K. Monson.



THIRD GRADE WATER POLO

Back Row: R. Rogers, C. Bird, S. Skipper, Mr. C. Wegener.
Front Row: M. Smith, H. Merkur, J. Murray, C. Joyce, G. Dunn.



SECOND GRADE WATER
POLO.

Back Row: F. Barbuto, R. Spaven, D. Morgan, A. Thompson, K. Schweinwald, Mr. C. Wegener.

Front Row: J. DeLeon, G. Henderson, P. Bell, F. Anderson, I. Frith, J. Giles.

THE RECORD

Scores:

- S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street: lost 1-10.
- S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street: lost 1-5.
- S.H.S. v. Randwick: lost 1-12.
- S.H.S. v. Randwick: lost 1-5.
- S.H.S. v. Fort Street: lost 5-11.
- S.H.S. v. Fort Street: won 9-1.
- S.H.S. v. Enmore: won 11-1.

SECOND GRADE

Team: P. Bell (Captain), P. Anderson, H. Ball, F. Barbuto, J. deLeon, S. Kritzler, R. Fielder, J. Giles, G. Henderson, D. Morgan, K. Scheinwald, A. Thompson.

Coach: Mr. C. R. Wegener.

This has been an unsuccessful year for the Second Grade team. It is unfortunate that the first four matches were played against Randwick and Cleveland Street, both schools which are very strong in Water Polo; it is difficult for a team to recover after four defeats.

Despite the scores against it, the team had a number of promising players: in particular John deLeon, who should do well next season. Dennis Morgan, Steve Kritzler and Peter Anderson also seem likely to do well. John Giles made great efforts to increase his pace, and improved greatly during the season. Paul Bell, the Captain, who, for the good of the team left the goal for the field during the season, when Harvey Ball, who later played for First Grade, was "discovered", did very well in a novel and difficult position.

Scores:

- S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street: lost 0-6.
- S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street: lost 2-4.
- S.H.S. v. Randwick: lost 2-7.
- S.H.S. v. Randwick: lost 1-11.
- S.H.S. v. Fort Street: won 5-3.
- S.H.S. v. Fort Street: won 9-3.
- S.H.S. v. Enmore: lost 1-8.

15 YEARS TEAM

Team: J. Murray (Captain), C. Bird, G. Dunn, C. Joyce, H. Merkur, J. Rodgers, S. Skipper, R. Smith, G. Bentivoglio.

Coach: Mr. C. R. Wegener.

This team has not suffered a defeat during the course of the season, and seems likely to win the Zone championship this year.

John Murray, Captain of the team, has done a fine job leading it, and shows great ability as a winger, and, on occasion, as centre forward.

Dunn, a new-comer to the sport, aided by his speed, did very well; usually swam for the ball; frequently won it for High; and then moved into the back line.

Messrs. Joyce, Merkur and Rodgers, all of whom played last

year, formed a powerful combination, with Murray, their skipper. Merkur, in particular, did a fine job as centre back, in which position his strong swimming and accurate passing often turned defence into attack.

Skipper and Smith, both new-comers to the sport, did very well. Skipper in the goal and Smith on the field, where his long and accurate passing made itself felt, despite his handicap of size.

Last but not least, except in displacement, comes Bentivoglio, who is still in First Form, and finds his diminutive size a handicap. He is a very fast swimmer however, and his handling of the ball is already good. It seems likely that he will become a "star" in later years.

Scores:

S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street: won 12-0.

S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street: won 5-1.

S.H.S. v. Randwick: won 5-2.

S.H.S. v. Randwick: won 5-1.

S.H.S. v. Fort Street: won 5-1.

S.H.S. v. Fort Street: won 9-1.

S.H.S. v. Enmore: won 9-2.

C.R.W.

BASKETBALL

The selection of grade teams for basketball was not easy. The best athletic talents in the school were drawn to the other "glamour sports", with the result that even the first and second grade basketball teams had to be filled up with novices in the game. There were only a couple of six-footers and barely a handful of players with any worthwhile experience. The teams were fortunate, however, in that Barry Olbourne, remembering the days when he played basketball with the school team successfully, volunteered to coach the senior teams. His vigorous attitude towards the game soon raised the morale of the teams, and in the space of a couple of weeks he moulded the grade "basketballers" who were to represent the school in the competition.

The teams started in high spirits but, before long, lack of experience started to tell in the senior teams, and although they fought desperately they were not destined to succeed. On many occasions, however, they proved glorious in defeat. The first and second grade teams played Randwick and Cleveland, whose players included members of the state teams, to close decisions, and they beat Fort Street and Enmore once each through gameness.

Among the outstanding players in the first team were Chris Hawkins, Van Cooney, Ron Furness and Bill Hauer. Ron Furness, in particular, displayed plenty of promise. The highest scorers were Ron Furness and Chris Hawkins.

The second team met with even less success. They won only one match against Fort Street. Although there were no brilliant

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players in this group, the team-work displayed was good.

In contrast, the third and fourth grade teams performed magnificently. They scored brilliant wins and have the third grade basketball pennant almost in their keeping. Mr. Mumford, the Science Master, "chaperoned" the junior teams to success with the help of some of the members of the first grade team, namely, Furness and Rivkin. J. Williams and the Dawson twins, Chris and Paul, proved the backbone of the third team. Stephen Woods and Medhurst also played splendidly throughout the series.

There are still a few matches to go before this year's basketball competition ends. While only the third grade team met with brilliant success, all the teams played their best and acquitted themselves well as athletes and sportsmen.

C. M. PALAJI.



FIRST GRADE BASKETBALL.

Back Row: E. Lee, T. Lancaster, P. Henke, R. Furness.
Front Row: W. Hauer, C. Hawkins, V. Cooney.

SECOND GRADE BASKETBALL.

Back Row: N. Stamell, P. Snelling, D. Cullen, J. Crane, M. Greenbaum.
Front Row: D. Joshua, P. Lum, T. Leung.

FIRST GRADE

Team: C. Hawkins (capt.), V. Cooney, R. Furness, T. Lancaster, B. Hauer, E. Lee.

Coach: Mr. C. M. Palaje, Mr. B. Olbourne.

Scores:

	Home	Away
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street	Lost	Lost
S.H.S. v. Fort St.	Won	Lost
S.H.S. v. Enmore	Won	Lost
S.H.S. v. Randwick	Lost	Lost

SECOND GRADE

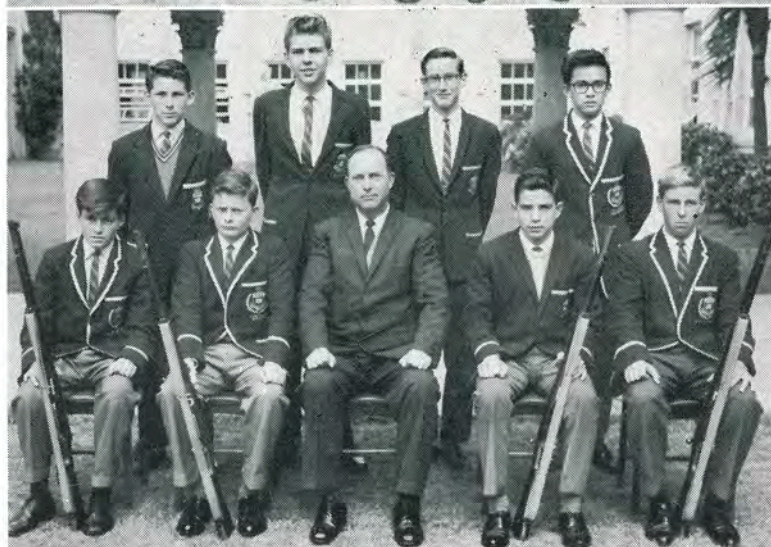
Team: P. Lum (capt.), A. Moldovan, P. Snelling, L. Rivkin, D. Joshua, J. Leung, N. Stamell, D. Cullen, M. Greenbaum, P. Gillies, J. Claringbold, J. Crane.

Coach: Mr. C. M. Palaje, Mr. B. Olbourne.

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FIRST GRADE RIFLE SHOOTING

Back Row: J. Hamilton, E. Waldstein, N. Nicholson, J. Cairns.
Front Row: M. Surpliee, H. Watkins, Mr. A. D. Duncan, T. Sanford, H. Ball.



SECOND GRADE RIFLE SHOOTING

Back Row: C. Welch, D. Stefanovic, R. Crute, P. Tam.
Front Row: I. McCrossin, R. Wright, Mr. A. D. Duncan, A. Sebestyen, S. Skipper.

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<i>Scores:</i>	Home	Away
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street	Lost	Lost
S.H.S. v. Randwick	Lost	Lost
S.H.S. v. Fort Street	Won	Lost
S.H.S. v. Enmore	Lost	Lost

THIRD GRADE

Team: P. Dawson (capt.), C. Dawson (vice-capt.), A. Lathuris, G. Williams, S. Woods, L. Mangel, A. Wilson, R. Medhurst, I. Ford, R. Grayson.

Coach: Mr. J. Mumford.

<i>Scores:</i>	Home	Away
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street	Lost	Won
S.H.S. v. Randwick	Won	Won
S.H.S. v. Fort Street	Won	Won
S.H.S. v. Enmore	Draw	Won

FOURTH GRADE

Team: G. McKenna (capt.), G. Theodore, S. Law, J. Adrian, D. Cooney, P. Karasavas, N. Low, C. Lewis.

Coach: Mr. J. Mumford.

<i>Scores:</i>	Home	Away
S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street	Lost	Lost
S.H.S. v. Randwick	Lost	Lost
S.H.S. v. Fort Street	Won	Lost
S.H.S. v. Enmore	Lost	Lost

THE RIFLE CLUB

The Rifle Club this year has been under the direction of the Captain, H. Watkins, and Committee Members, H. Ball, T. Sanford, M. Surplice, P. Tam, and Master-in-Charge, Mr. A. D. Duncan.

At the commencement of the Shooting Season we used the School Range and .22 ammunition, later going to the miniature range at Long Bay where individual rifles were zeroed using .303 ammunition at 25 yards. From there we went to the open range with a maximum of 500 yards.

To gain more practice a shoot was arranged for two days during the August holidays. Most members availed themselves of this opportunity and much valuable experience was obtained, particularly by new members.

The photographs show the members of the 1st and 2nd Grade teams who participated in the G.P.S. Shoot this year. On the results of this shoot H. Watkins was top of our 1st Grade team gaining 49 out of 50 points in the N.R.A. Shield section, with J. Hamilton second. S. Skipper was top of our 2nd Grade team gaining 34 out of 35 points at 400 yards with C. Welch second. J. Hamilton was our best "Snap" shooter and H. Watkins our best "rapid" shooter.

Our thanks are due to the Ladies' Auxiliary for providing lunch at the G.P.S. Shoot and to Mrs. A. Ball who brought it to the range and set it out so attractively for us.

DEPARTMENT OF MAIN ROADS, N.S.W.

CAREERS FOR BOYS

IN

PROFESSIONAL AND CLERICAL POSITIONS

Vacancies exist in the Department of Main Roads, N.S.W., for boys leaving school who desire employment in the following positions:—

Junior Clerks:

Leaving Certificate: £592 per annum.

Junior Draftsmen (Engineering and Land Survey):

Commencing Salary: Leaving Certificate, £593 per annum.

Junior Testing Operators:

Commencing Salary: Intermediate Certificate, £465 per annum;
Leaving Certificate, £592 per annum.

Engineering Trainees:

Leaving Certificate (to study full-time Degree Course in Civil Engineering at The University of Sydney or The University of New South Wales)—fees paid by Department in addition to a living allowance plus an allowance towards cost of books and equipment.

Surveying Trainees:

Leaving Certificate [to study full time Degree Course in Surveying at The University of New South Wales and in addition satisfy the requirements of Surveyors' Board of N.S.W. for registration as a Land Surveyor under Surveyors' Act 1929 (as amended)]—fees paid by Department in addition to a living allowance plus an allowance towards the cost of books and equipment.

Conditions of employment include Annual, Sick and Long Service Leave and Superannuation Benefits. Boys and parents who are interested in these careers are invited to call and discuss with the Staff Officer—telephone 2-0933, the opportunities that exist, salary range and the prospects of further advancement in the service of this Department. Employment at the abovementioned rates will be considered prior to examination results.

Application forms will be forwarded on request.

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SYDNEY.

W. W. WEIR,
Secretary.

ATHLETICS

This year the school's athletic teams had a very busy but, nevertheless, a reasonably successful season. The seniors worked very hard in training but, because of insufficient all-round quality, the G.P.S. Championship eluded us. High had to be content to run a creditable third. Congratulations to "Joeys" on a very fine and comfortable win.

Earlier in the season we repeated last year's success as C.H.S. Zone Premiers with a clear win over Randwick High School. From this carnival we secured a large representation in the City of Sydney Zone at the State C.H.S. meeting.

The Senior team retained the Woolworth Trophy for Field Games and the Bank of N.S.W. Shield for Senior Point Score at the Eastern Suburbs Schoolboys' Carnival held at Scots College in September. Many juniors also performed creditably at this meeting.

The outstanding athlete of the year at High was Terry Lancaster, who set a new C.H.S. record of 21.6 secs. for 220 yards, equalled the existing C.H.S. record of 9.7 secs. for 100 yards, and completed the treble by taking the 440 yards title. Further successes in these three events at G.P.S. crowned his efforts. Congratulations, Terry.

The winning of the G.P.S. Open Relay this year in the very good time of 43.3 secs. was particularly gratifying as success in this event has eluded us for quite a few years. Full credit must be given to D. Cullen, M. Tuite and V. Cooney for their part in a fine team effort, in which Lancaster again starred. Worthy of special mention, too, is Tony Morgan's Under 17 Mile success—probably the most exciting finish at G.P.S. this year. Very good performances were also recorded by M. Brown, T. Allen, C. Bird, N. Stamell and L. Forrest—all promising Juniors.

Our thanks must go to the special coaches, Messrs. Rushall and Webb, who devoted a great deal of time, thought and energy in assisting us. Thanks also to our Athletics Master, Mr. Mellor, for the time-consuming tasks of organising carnivals and arranging and managing teams, in addition to coaching the Juniors and Relay Teams, and to Mr. Fielding, who gave much valuable and practical assistance.

R. DALZIEL, W. LONG.

78th ATHLETICS CARNIVAL RESULTS

Open Division.

100 Yards: T. Lancaster 1; D. Cullen 2; V. Cooney 3. (9.9 secs.)

220 Yards: T. Lancaster 1; D. Cullen 2; R. Lawrence 3. (21.9 sec.)

440 Yards: T. Lancaster 1; V. Cooney 2; C. Ireland 3. (53.3 secs.)

880 Yards: P. May 1; C. Ireland 2; B. Anderson 3. (2 mins. 17.7 secs.)

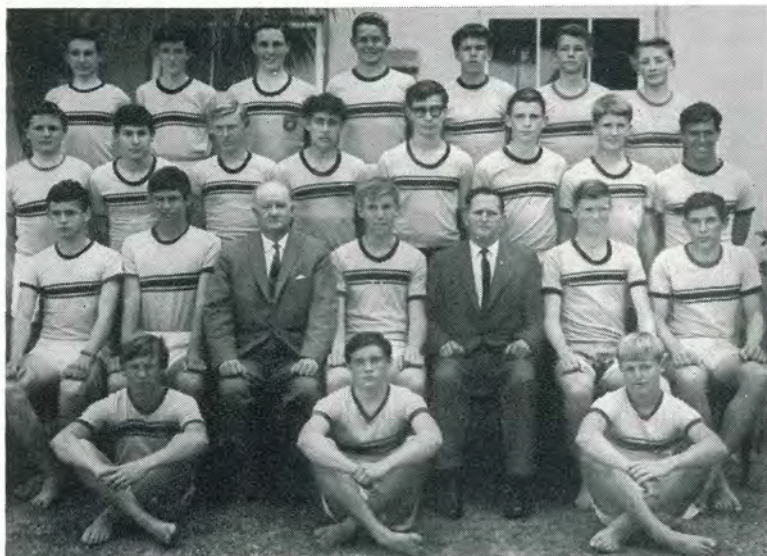
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JUNIOR ATHLETICS

Back Row: A. Dale, G. Lane, D. McGill, J. Murray, J. Williams, C. Bird, D. White.

Second Row: M. Price, J. Sackar, I. Meech, G. Theodore, M. Brown, R. Peterson,
G. Travers, T. Allen.

Front Row: T. Morgan, G. Moore, Mr. A. W. Mellor, C. Faulks, Mr. F. R. Fielding,
P. Snelling, N. Stamell, A. Johnston, N. Morgan, J. Adrian.



JUVENILE ATHLETICS

Back Row: G. Nairn, M. Georgouras, P. Cullen, C. Allsop, R. Miller, A. Baines,
L. Forrest.

Front Row: C. Spencer, Mr. A. W. Mellor, R. Aroney, Mr. F. R. Fielding,
D. Taylor.

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1 Mile: B. Anderson 1; M. Jones 2; R. Henry 3. (5 mins. 25 secs.)

120 Yards Hurdles: T. Lancaster 1; D. Cullen 2; R. Wright 3. (17.7 secs.)

High Jump: V. Cooney 1; P. Smith 2; R. Wright 3. (5 ft. 2 ins.)

Broad Jump: V. Cooney 1; P. Smith 2; P. Harding-Irmer 3. (20 ft. 3 ins.)

Triple Jump: V. Cooney 1; P. Smith 2; P. Harding-Irmer 3. (40 ft. 10 ins.)

Shot Put: R. Bell 1; T. Gervay 2; P. May 3. (32 ft. 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ ins.)

Discus: P. Enge 1; T. Gervay 2; C. Lyon 3. (79 ft. 11 ins.)

Javelin: P. Smith 1; J. Miller 2; P. Harding-Irmer 3. (117 ft. 8 ins.)

Relay: McKay 1; Saxby 2; Eedy 3. (47.6 secs.)

Under 17 Years Division.

100 Yards: M. Tuite 1; K. Grover 2; A. Paul 3. (10.6 secs.)

220 Yards: K. Grover 1; I. Titterton 2; A. Paul 3. (24.1 secs.)

440 Yards: K. Grover 1; A. Gaffney 2; N. Sharland 3. (56.4 secs.)

880 Yards: A. Gaffney 1; W. Stevenson 2; N. Sharland 3. (2 mins. 15.1 secs.)

1 Mile: A. Gaffney 1; W. Stevenson 2; M. Surplice 3. (5 mins. 7.4 secs.)

120 Yards Hurdles: W. Long 1; A. Gaffney 2; M. Surplice 3. (17.7 secs.)

High Jump: I. Titterton 1; A. Gaffney 2; W. Long—J. Crane 3. (5 ft. 1 in.)

Broad Jump: I. Titterton 1; J. Crane 2; F. Guilhaus 3. (19 ft. 9 ins.)

Triple Jump: I. Titterton 1; F. Guilhaus 2; W. Long 3. (41 ft.)

Shot Put: P. Enge 1; R. Bensley 2; R. McKay 3.

Discus: P. Enge 1; R. Bensley 2; R. McKay 3. (94 ft. 3 ins.)

Javelin: G. Dare 1; R. Bensley 2; R. McKay 3. (139 ft. 9 ins.)

Under 16 Years Division.

100 Yards: M. Brown 1; N. Morgan 2; G. Moore 3. (11.0 secs.)

220 Yards: M. Brown 1; G. Moore 2; N. Morgan 3. (24.3 secs.)

440 Yards: P. Snelling 1; M. Brown 2; A. Morgan 3. (57.2 secs.)

880 Yards: P. Snelling 1; A. Morgan 2; A. Johnson 3. (2 mins. 16.1 secs.)

1 Mile: A. Morgan 1; A. Johnson 2; K. Green 3. (5 mins. 7 secs.)

90 Yards Hurdles: N. Stamell 1; M. Brown 2; A. Morgan 3. (12.5 secs.)

High Jump: N. Ellard 1; N. Stamell 2; C. Trist 3. (5 ft.)

Broad Jump: P. Snelling 1; J. Murray 2; R. Powell 3. (18 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in.)

Triple Jump: P. Snelling 1; R. Powell 2; C. Faulks 3. (38 ft. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins.)

Discus: J. Giles 1; C. Faulks 2; R. Palmisano 3. (97 ft. 8 ins.)

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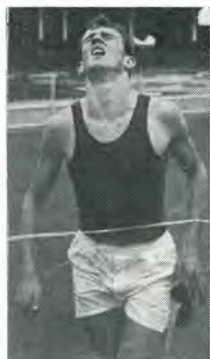
Javelin: C. Bird 1; C. Faulks 2; R. Hayes 3. (127 ft. 3 ins.)
 Shot Put: C. Faulks 1; D. McGill 2; L. Oates 3. (47 ft. 4 ins.)
 Relay: McKay 1; Eedy 2; Saxby 3. (51.4 secs.)

Under 15 Years Division.

100 Yards: J. Sackar 1; T. Allen 2; D. White 3. (11.0 secs.)
 220 Yards: T. Allen 1; D. White 2; J. Sackar 3. (25.3 secs.)
 440 Yards: G. Lane 1; J. Williams 2; H. Merkur 3. (62.4 secs.)
 880 Yards: I. Meech 1; D. White 2; J. Williams 3. (2 mins. 19.5 secs.)
 1 Mile: W. Pryor 1; H. Sacks 2; R. Walburn 3. (5 mins.)
 90 Yards Hurdles: C. Bird 1; J. Adrian 2; M. Price 3. (13.1 secs.)
 High Jump: C. Bird 1; R. Peterson 2; A. Boorer 3. (4 ft. 11 ins.)
 Broad Jump: C. Bird 1; A. Huxley 2; M. Price 3. (16 ft. 9 ins.)
 Shot Put: M. Price 1; G. Theodore 2; A. Nicholas 3. (36 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in.)
 Relay: Saxby 1; Eedy 2; McKay 3. (52.6 secs.)

Under 14 Years Division.

100 Yards: R. Aroney 1; C. Allsop 2; D. Taylor 3. (11.7 secs.)
 220 Yards: R. Aroney 1; D. Taylor 2; C. Allsop 3. (26.5 secs.)
 880 Yards: M. Kirk 1; A. Brown 2; R. Aroney 3. (2 min. 25.2 sec.)
 Junior Mile: (U. 13 and U. 14): M. Kirk 1; A. Brown 2; J. Dickings 3. (5 mins. 24.1 secs.)
 60 Yards Hurdles: C. Allsop 1; R. Aroney 2; S. McKell 3. (9 secs.)
 High Jump: P. Cullen 1; S. McKell 2; D. Low 3. (4 ft. 4 ins.)



Right:
 Van Cooney tries
 hard in the Open
 Broad Jump.
 (Courtesy:
 Sun-Herald.)

Above:
 Barry Anderson
 wins the Open Mile
 at the School
 Carnival.

(Photo:
 L. Luxford.)



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Broad Jump: R. Aroney 1; R. Fairbairn 2; C. McMurray 3.
(16 ft. 8 ins.)

Shot Put: C. Allsop 1; K. Latona 2; S. Hamilton 3. (34 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in.)

Relay: Eedy 1; Fairland 2; Saxby 3. (54.4 secs.)

Under 13 Years Division.

100 Yards: L. Forrest 1; G. Nairn 2; A. Baines 3. (12.5 secs.)

220 Yards: L. Forrest 1; G. Nairn 2; C. Spencer 3. (28.8 secs.)

880 Yards: L. Hill 1; J. Turtle 2; G. Burns 3. (2 mins. 40 secs.)

60 Yards Hurdles: L. Forrest 1; C. Spencer 2; W. Andrews 3.
(9.6 secs.)

High Jump: M. Georgouras 1; A. Baines 2; W. Andrews 3.
(4 ft. 4 ins.)

Broad Jump: C. Spencer 1; L. Forrest 2; P. Bentivoglio 3.
(15 ft. 3 ins.)

Shot Put: M. Wheeler 1; D. Lyon 2; K. Mackenzie 3. (26 ft. $4\frac{3}{4}$ ins.)

Relay: Fairland 1; Eedy 2; Saxby 3.

Age Champions.

Open Division: T. Lancaster.

Under 17 Years: A. Gaffney.

Under 16 Years: P. Snelling.

Under 15 Years: C. Bird.

Under 14 Years: R. Aroney.

Under 13 Years: L. Forrest.

House Points Score.

Eedy, 1st. 708 points.

McKay, 2nd. 533 points.

Fairland, 3rd. 478 points.

Saxby, 4th. 473 points.

CITY OF SYDNEY ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Open.

100 Yards:

Div. 1: T. Lancaster 1.
(9.8 sec.)

Div. 2: D. Cullen 1.
(10 secs.)

220 Yards:

Div. 1: T. Lancaster 1.
(21.9 secs.)

Div. 2: D. Cullen 1.
(22.9 secs.)

440 Yards:

Div. 1: T. Lancaster 1.
(52.9 secs.)

Div. 2: A. Gaffney 2.

880 Yards:

Div. 1: A. Gaffney 3.
Div. 2: P. May 2.

1 Mile:

A. Gaffney 2.
B. Anderson 3.

120 Yards Hurdles:

Div. 1: W. Long 2.

Div. 2: R. Wright 2.

High Jump:

V. Cooney 1.
(5 ft. $8\frac{1}{2}$ ins.)

Broad Jump:

V. Cooney 1.
(20 ft. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins.)
P. Smith 2.

Hop, Step and Jump:

V. Cooney 3.

Discus:

R. Bensley 1.
(98 ft. 8 ins.)
J. Miller 4.

Javelin:

R. McKay 5.

Relay: High 1. (47.6 secs.)

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16 Years.

- 100 Yards:
 Div. 1: M. Tuite 2.
 Div. 2: K. Grover 1.
 (10.5 secs.)
- 220 Yards:
 Div. 1: K. Grover 2.
 Div. 2: M. Werry 3.
- 440 Yards:
 Div. 1: K. Grover 2.
 N. Sharland 3.
- 880 Yards:
 Div. 1: W. Stevenson 4.
 Div. 2: N. Ellard 3.
- 1 Mile:
 Div. 1: W. Stevenson 2.
- 90 Yards Hurdles:
 Div. 1: N. Stamell 2.
 Div. 2: A. Morgan.
 (13 secs.)
- High Jump:
 N. Ellard 5.
 I. Titterton 2.
- Broad Jump:
 I. Titterton 1.
 (20 ft. 1¼ ins.)
- Hop, Step and Jump:
 I. Titterton 2.
- Shot Put:
 P. Enge 2.
- Discus:
 J. Giles 3.
- Javelin:
 C. Faulks 4.
- Relay: High 1. (48.7 secs.)

15 Years.

- 100 Yards:
 Div. 1: M. Brown 2.
 Div. 2: T. Allen 1.
 (10.5 secs.)
- 220 Yards:
 Div. 1: M. Brown 2.
 Div. 2: G. Moore 1.
 (26.1 secs.)
- 440 Yards:
 Div. 1: P. Snelling 2.
 Div. 2: M. Brown 1.
 (58.6 secs.)

880 Yards:

- Div. 1: P. Snelling 2.
 Div. 2: A. Morgan 1.
 (2 mins. 17 secs.)

1 Mile:

- Div. 1: A. Morgan 1.
 (5 mins. 19.2 secs.)
 A. Johnston 3.

90 Yards Hurdles:

- Div. 1: C. Bird 1.
 (12.8 secs.)
 Div. 2: M. Brown 1.
 (12.7 secs.)

High Jump:

- C. Bird 1. (5 ft.)

Broad Jump:

- P. Snelling 3.

Shot Put:

- C. Faulks 2.

Relay: High 1. (55.5 secs.)

14 Years.

100 Yards:

- Div. 1: J. Sackar 1.
 (Record). (10.8 secs.)
 Div. 2: D. White 1.
 (11 secs.)

220 Yards:

- Div. 2: D. White 1.
 (25 secs.)

880 Yards:

- Div. 1: I. Meech 2.
 Div. 2: J. Williams 1.
 (2 mins. 25 secs.)

90 Yards Hurdles:

- Div. 2: J. Adrian 3.
 Div. 2: C. Allsop 1.

High Jump:

- A. Boorer 2.
 M. Peterson 3.

Broad Jump:

- M. Price 3.

Relay: High 2.

13 Years.

100 Yards:

- Div. 1: R. Aroney 3.
 Div. 2: D. Taylor 2.

220 Yards:

- Div. 1: R. Aroney 3.

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Div. 2: D. Taylor 1.
880 Yards:
M. Kirk 1.
(2 mins. 25 secs.)
L. Hill.

60 Yards Hurdles:
Div. 1: R. Aroney 2.
Div. 2: R. Miller 2.

Broad Jump:
R. Aroney 1. (16 ft. 1 in.)
High Jump: S. McKell 4.
Relay: High 2.

12 Years.
100 Yards:

Div. 1: L. Forrest 1.
(11.9 secs.)
Div. 2: G. Nairn 1.
(12 secs.)

220 Yards:
Div. 1: L. Forrest 1.
(28.6 secs.)
Div. 2: G. Nairn.

880 Yards:
Div. 1: J. Turtle 4.
Div. 2: A. Baines 4.
High Jump: S. Spencer 1.
Relay: High 1. (61.4)

POINTS SCORE

1. Sydney High. 2. Randwick. 3. Cleveland Street.



SENIOR ATHLETICS

Back Row: A. Paul, R. Stevenson, J. Giles, N. Ellard, I. Titterton, R. Bensley,
F. Guilhaus, R. McKay.
Second Row: D. Cullen, R. Bell, G. Dare, J. Crane, R. Wright, B. G. Anderson,
P. V. Smith, K. Grover, W. W. Long.
Front Row: A. Gaffney, V. Cooney, Mr. A. W. Mellor, T. Lancaster,
Mr. F. R. Fielding, P. May, T. Gervay.
Ground: E. Lee, M. Werry, M. Tuite, R. Lawrence.

C.H.S. CARNIVAL

Open:
100 Yards: T. Lancaster, 1.
(9.7 sec., equals record.)
D. Cullen, 3.
220 Yards: T. Lancaster, 1.
(21.6 sec.) Record.

D. Cullen, 2.
440 Yards: T. Lancaster, 1.
(50.0 sec.)
Long Jump: V. Cooney, 3.
Relay: City of Sydney Zone,
1. (44.2 sec.) Equals record.

16 Years:

220 Yards: K. Grover, 3.
Relay: City of Sydney, 1.
(45.4 sec.)

15 Years:

440 Yards: P. Snelling, 3.
1 Mile: A. Morgan, 1.
(4 min. 42.5 sec.) Record.

Open:

100 Yards: T. Lancaster, 1.
(10.2 secs.)
220 Yards: T. Lancaster, 1.
(21.6 secs.)
440 Yards: T. Lancaster, 1.
(50.1 secs.)
High Jump: V. Cooney, 4.
Broad Jump: V. Cooney, 5.
Relay: 4 x 110 Yards:
High, 1.

Under 17:

220 Yards: K. Grover, 5.
880 Yards: A. Gaffney, 5.
Mile: A. Morgan, 1.
(4 min. 38.2 secs.)
High Jump: I. Titterton, 4.
Broad Jump: I. Titterton: 5.

Under 16:

100 Yards: M. Brown, 1.
(10.3 secs.)
220 Yards: M. Brown, 1.
(23.3 secs.)
90 Yards Hurdles:
N. Stamell, 2.
Shot Put: C. Faulks, 4.

Under 15:

100 Yards: J. Sackar, 3.
100 Yards, Division:
T. Allen, 2.
220 Yards: T. Allen, 1.
(23.9 secs.)
880 Yards: I. Meech, 3.
90 Yards Hurdles:
C. Bird, 4.
4 x 110 Yards Relay:
High, 2.

Under 14:

100 Yards, Division:
M. Taylor, 3.

Under 13:

100 Yards: L. Forrest 2.

14 Years:

Relay: City of Sydney, 1.
(47.7 sec.)

12 Years:

100 Yards: L. Forrest, 3.
60 Yards Hurdles:
L. Forrest, 2.
Relay: City of Sydney, 2.

G.P.S. CARNIVAL

100 Yards Division:

G. Nairn, 5.

60 Yards Hurdles:

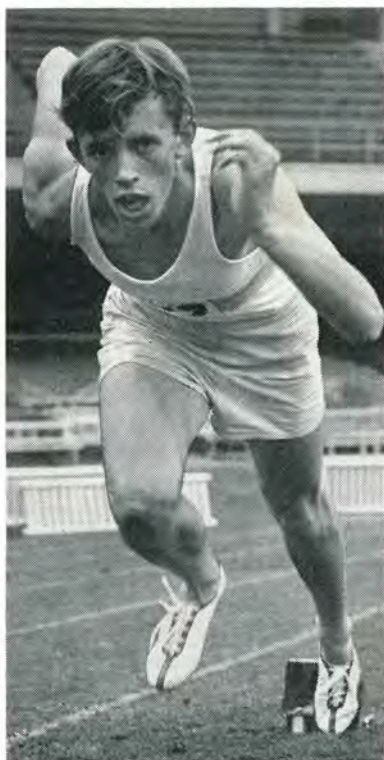
L. Forrest, 2.

4 x 110 Yards Relay:

High, 4.

Senior Points Score:

1, St. Joseph's College: 159.
2, The King's School: 86.
3, Sydney High School: 74.



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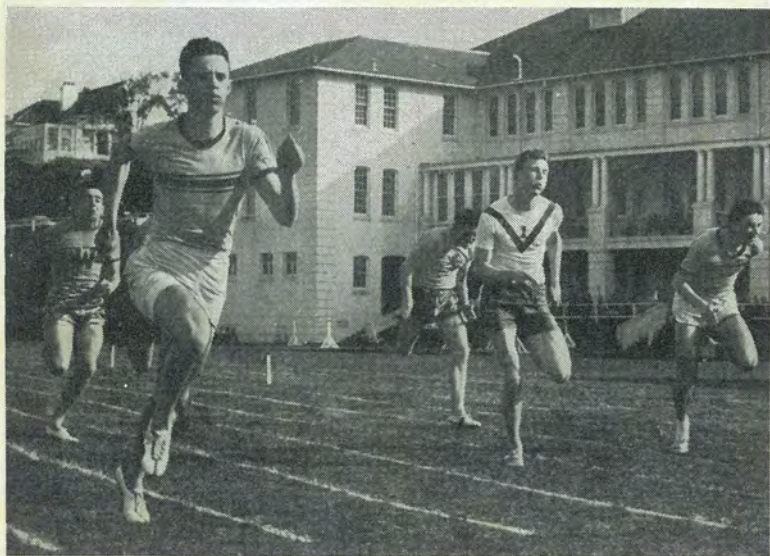
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Literary

THE DAY THE LIBRARY SECEDED

As I look back on my old college days, one of my most lasting memories is of the day the library seceded. This was a crowning achievement of that isolated and hitherto downtrodden minority of the campus, the petty bureaucrats of the library and their demagogic leader.

It all started when the new wing, the pride and joy of Abbotsford College, was completed. This was the Philip Wing, a stately erection which peeped out at the world from behind a thin veneer of cement rendering. Part of this was designated as the new abode of the library.

Unfortunately, after this move, all did not go well. The totalitarian element in the librarians ran rife. Timid complaints were voiced by the student body about disturbances. It was not the clattering of crockery (during frequent coffee breaks) or the rarer tapping of typewriters that distressed the students, but the groans of junior librarians undergoing punishment. These perfidious reprobates were meted out their just reward for such heinous crimes as lending books and thus disturbing more senior librarians, quietly chatting behind the lending and receiving counter.

The head librarian was aware of this discontent and was duly horrified at the hypocrisy of the students when he overheard two students speaking in the library. After a moment's shocked inactivity, he delivered a lengthy and boisterous harangue on "silence in the library". Whereupon all students were expelled from the library; that revolutionary cry, "The Library for the Librarians" was raised; and a Declaration of Independence was drawn up. The library had formally seceded.

The independent state of "Libraria", while it existed, had an Attic or ancient Athenian form of government. The head of state was a "tyrant" (used in the original Greek sense).

A flag was designed but never flown. Its design was an open book on an "imperial" purple backing. The main industry was reading the catalogue. A small police force was established to keep out foreigners and intruders. All intruders who unsuspectingly entered the state were invariably expelled through a door marked "emergency exit only".

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The next day, at a summit meeting between the Principal of the College and the head librarian, a compromise was reached, agreeable to all but the students. This was set forth in a series of new rules:

Firstly, the Senior Librarians, "the Prefects of the Library", would be elected by the senior Years, and also nominated by the head librarian. They would henceforth wear a badge of office. (No results of these elections have ever been published, however.) Secondly, every second week the library will be closed to enable the catalogue to be read. Finally, any student caught speaking in the library will be liable to the following penalties: A fine of 1/- or suspension from the library for a week for the first offence. For the second offence, a fine of 10/- and suspension for a month. For the third offence, a fine of £1 and suspension for six months.

After I left College I heard that various attempts to alleviate the plight of the students had been made, but to no avail. The library is still ruled with a clenched fist. That is, two fists, clenched tightly around a volume of the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

JACK HORNER, 5C.

LA BETE BLANCHE

Moving:

. . . yes, over there, pecking carefree,
feathers flashing among the ferns.

Above, the old flame-tree's talons crave
the sky, which, looming low, seems to hold
the sound around: the trills, the warbles, shrieks and
the sighs of clouds brushing together in their haste.

Quietly the dull barrel swings unerringly and . . .
Oblivion.

Breathless:

I rush to the bush where, inert,
It
lies.

Lies so still, head folded grotesquely,
beak open wide in astonishment.
Most curious . . . my hand fondles the feathers . . .

Oh! so still!

So warm, so delicate, so perfectly beautiful . . .
Ugh!

the blood on the beak revolted me and
slowly I let slip my deed from my fist.

Later, remorsefully,
I filled in the hole, down there,
below the brow of the hill
where no one would see; and
bitter tears fell.

B. MITCHELL, 5D.

THE POET AND THE BIRD

He wore no shirt because of necessity, not choice. He picked up scraps because of necessity, not choice. But he wrote by choice. His writings were tolerably good, but he was still to be discovered. He wandered amidst the concrete and glass lined streets, he wandered along the red tile and grass lined avenues from morning to night. He wandered.

He could not afford to rest in the one place. His creditors might catch him. His only refuge was the country where peace was for the offering, and inspiration. The sunset, foliage, streams moved him to thought and he wrote:

Corridors of trees,
Alleys of shrubs,
Streets of rivers.

Conglomerate country . . .

Then, abruptly, he stopped and his pen hastily scratched out what it had written. It smelt of the city, of conformity. His stomach ached. The taste of uncooked vegetables was revived inside him but for once he resisted spewing forth his feelings. He tried again:

Rush of birds and animals,
Speed of leaves from trees,
Melee of dust in storm . . .

"No!" he cried. Again the stagnant city odour was overpowering. He rested his head and let his mind wander. A soft call disturbed his ears and he listened; a bird warbled gaily, its spirit jumping lightly from note to note. The poet felt the beauty, the controlled grandeur.

Then the bird suddenly stopped and darted downwards, picked up a protesting worm and carried it to its nest, snugly cradled by a forked branch. It deposited the morsel and darted down for another worm . . . and another. Then it sang peacefully for a time, in the golden glow of the last rays of the sun. Now it stopped to eat, and ate heartily till it was too full to sing.

But time digested the food and the bird sang again, more fully and beautifully than before. The poet was amazed. The bird seemed to have no aim, no destination; yet it did have food and shelter, and could make its own poetry at peace.

For the first time the poet thought clearly. Of course he had to write; but he had to live — and he could not live from his poetry. He returned to the city. There he worked five days a week without poetry, and he stored his impressions. Then for two entire days he was free to devote himself, body and soul, to his writings. His livelihood provided for, he had no more worries.

Now he went to the country and wrote. He smiled at the bird and wrote of it. The thoughts came effortlessly: stanza after stanza flowed from his pen. He stopped and took in what he had written, and saw the warmth and reality his poetry had been lacking and recognised its quality.

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Soon his work was accepted, its sincerity without melodrama; its pathos without grief. The poet is content. He has learnt to live and collect his impressions for the future, so he will always be provided for; but the most precious thing he has preserved is the memory of the bird.

P. MAY, 5B.

EPILOGUE

The banshee wail of screaming shells
That pierce the tortured air,
Provide a ceaseless theme of forewarned
Death, and sludgy ice claws muddily
At plodding boots sloshing their way
Across shell-pocked fields, bestrewed with criss-crossed
Wires, with crumpled shells of trackless, sightless tanks
And death lying face down in the mud.

Boys,
Beardless boys whose thin, white faces peep out
From under helmets, incongruous with size;
They fix the hill with fear-dilated eyes,
But when the order's cried, they're up and out,
Doubling across the slimy sea of ooze,
Dodging through the stark, stunted skeletons
Of trees that thrust gaunt, crooked fingers at
The noise-filled sky.

From up among the rocks a rattling chatter
Tears the mud to flying tatters
All about the line of crouching troops,
And three go down in nerveless
Lifeless crumples.

One screamed before he died.

Three bundles lying half-buried in the mud.
The comrades of these that once were
Pass on desperately, scrambling through the rocks
To take the hill.

And all around, the world is rent with fire and noise
The unseen screaming demons of the air and the dull
Concussions of those demons come to earth,
But here in the centre all is still, and time stands stopped
Breathless and waiting—but those for whom it waits
N'er stir, immobile as the rocks.

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Three bundles,
These lived and loved and thought
Of all the pain-sweet thoughts one
Thinks when one is young.

Three bundles—
Yet twice of sixty seconds since
These same dull eyes burned with the glow of life,
These mud-filled mouths drew laboured breaths
To move these hands that still warm
The pitiless mud. This face, and this
Somewhere hold some affection dear,
Some anxious girl, some parent
Waiting with the fear of helpless dread
Unknowing that the one for whom they wait is dead,
Dead: what word is that?
Is death the opposite to life?
Are these poor scraps then, in some
Other place, some Avalon where there's
No world of war, where fields are spread
With meadows lush and green
Instead of trampled mud,
Where skies curve like the inside
Of an huge balloon, stretched tight and thin
And filmed with flawless blue,
The peace and still unbroken
Save by the carollings of tiny birds?

Is this then what they gained?
Or is it all a loss,
Is death a cease of life,
Simply a choking off of breath
And an end to consciousness and "being"?

And what of those who wait behind
Fearful and tremulous, waiting, waiting
For the postman's stop—and when it comes,
and when it comes, what then?

Out on a barren hillside three faceless, nameless
Unimportant bundles lie, their final peace surrounded
By the thundering, the cries—
Their lives and deaths are scarcely ripples on the face
Of the stormy sea of life.

Three bundles died today.

GRAHAM L. STEWART, 5C.

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BUY AUSTRALIAN

—AND YOUR MONEY COMES BACK TO YOU.

(Written by one who spends and waits.)

I don't think it's funny,
But when I spend some money,
However hard I try,
And whatever I buy,
My money doesn't return.
So what I have to learn
Is: If this is true,
When does your money come back to you?
It may sound rather funny,
But, I'm still waiting for my money.

J. LEWIS, 1A.

MONDAY

Monday-itis, what a threat,
Every week this same old debt.
Up in the morning with sleep in my eyes,
Thinking of Saturday—those seven tries!
Into the shower, what a flood!
The dirt comes off, it turns to mud.
Getting dressed is a problem too,
Can't find my shirt, my tie or that shoe.
But mum comes in, without delay,
"Don't get dressed, it's a holiday."
"A holiday, that's fine!
I'm back to bed till after nine."

J. MITCHELL, 1A.

THE UNIVERSE

*(Any resemblance to any work of Lord Byron
is purely coincidental.)*

Beam on, thou bright red radar screen, beam on!
Ten thousand aliens sweep over thee in vain;
Man marks the universe with radiation—his control
Stops only with time; upon the icy galaxies,
The comets are all thy deed, nor doth remain
A particle of man's collisions, save around Mars,
When, for a light flash, like a dropping meteor,
He sinks into thy crater with momentous vibration,
Without a vault, inactive, ineffective and unmourned.

S. SYMONDS, 3A.

THE EARTH WAS PARCHED

Many months had passed since rain had fallen. So many, that rain seemed to be just a dim recollection of the past. At the billabongs and streams the cattle, skin and bone mostly, were too exhausted to follow the well worn tracks leading to the cool of the mountains. The watering places themselves held almost nothing. Only maddening thirst could make drinkable such water as there was. Little brown wisps of what had once been luscious, green grass, along with a little hay, comprised the cattle's feed. Almost half of the herd had died, slowly and painfully; their bones, stripped clean of all flesh by hawks and crows, lay glistening in the sun just a few feet from the waterhole.

The grazier had more troubles than those of his cattle. His wife was desperately ill. His crops had withered and died. His water tanks were almost empty, all five of them. Ruin faced him and unless it rained soon he would have to leave all and go. He prayed for rain.

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A peal of thunder crackled across the sky. The rising wind whipped up spiralling clouds of brick-red dust. The sun was only a pale yellow ball, emitting just the barest possible light through a wall of wind-swept dust.

The wind dropped. Sinister black clouds appeared on the horizon as the dust settled. Closer came the storm, a writhing mass of wrath, grumbling and growling its displeasure. The air grew tense and still. A bolt of lightning played across the sky. Thunder roared. The frightened cattle bellowed for the first time in weeks. Lightning flashed again. Thunder crackled across the sky.

It rained.

G. IRELAND, 2A.

SPLIT PERSONALITY

Cool still water, flippers, goggles, snorkel,
 Perfect combination for a hot sunny day;
 Warm, soft sand welcomes me after the swim,
 A satisfying relaxation that begs me to stay.

Cold, grim books, desk, pen, ruler,
 My necessary studies have dragged me away;
 Caesar, Shakespeare welcome me after the swim,
 The impending exam that draws me from play.

J. FALK, 3A.

MY HOME TOWN

My home town is situated in the western districts of New South Wales about 650 miles north-west of Sydney. The town is the terminating point of the North-western railway line and is therefore a centre through which nearly all goods going either inland or to the coast must pass. The town's population fluctuates with the time of year, it being about 500 in the off season, and as high as 1,000 when the picnic races are held. These races are conducted when the shearing and mustering are finished.

Winnemincka, as the town is called, is situated in the middle of some of the best sheep country in Australia. The surrounding countryside includes some of the oldest stations in our land, many of them still owned by descendants of the families who settled there generations ago. In some ways this country is crudely picturesque, with mile after mile of uninviting spinifex grass, an occasional clump of mulga, and some gums growing around an isolated billabong. Around such billabongs are likely to be found many kinds of animals and birds.

The town itself consists of one street, with a "pub", the bank and wool broker's office, and a couple of stores. At one end is the railway station and wool store with the police station and telegraph office situated on a rise, about a quarter of a mile away, as if a little aloof from the rest of the town. The majority of the people who could be called townspeople are scattered within a circle of four miles radius, with a few somewhat further out.

To a traveller the "pub" seems to be the liveliest and most popular place in town, with most of the men gathering there during the evening to yarn about the day's events over a glass of beer. As a matter of passing interest the hotel happens to be the oldest licensed inn in Australia, having been built in 1845. At the end of the shearing and mustering season the event of the year takes place — the picnic races are held and people come from near and far to attend the two day meeting with a dance on the second night. The stockmen bring in the station's best horses with the idea of trying to take out the gold cup of the meeting and some friendly rivalry is indulged in. The meeting ends with everybody happy and declaring that they would not have missed it for anything.

But I get one of my greatest pleasures just sitting on our front verandah and looking towards the station and watching the townsfolk and outback travellers going by. After watching these people for a while one can not help but notice how friendly they are, always ready with a happy greeting and a smiling face. Above all, no-one in Winnemincka is ever hurrying, for this is the land of plenty of time, with tomorrow always another day.

S. WOOD, 3A.

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SUN, SURF AND SAND

The dawn throws up its roof of steely blue
Over the empty socket of the night,
The earth wakes up bedecked with sequined dew
And the ocean's split with a brilliant swathe of light.

The sand is cool beneath our thrusting toes
We drop our towels and race for the breakers' roar,
Out on the ocean a mound of water grows
And hurtling in, it tumbles on the shore.

A shock of bracing cold and the bubbling foam all 'round
Then cool, clear water tugging at our waists,
The cry of gulls and the breakers' rhythmic pound
The smell of sand and the salt sea's bitter taste.

Spent, we fling us on the gentle sand
And listen to the dull surf's muffled boom;
Our limbs are warmed by the sun's hot hand
And prostrate, we listen to the sea wind's croon.

GRAHAM L. STEWART, 5C.

THE MATCH

I strode to the pitch like a top class bat,
Took block from the ump. and tilted me cap,
And gingerly looked at the pavilion clock,
Oh Heavens, what a shock!
Ten minutes to play, twenty runs in arrears,
Back came rushing all the old fears,
Me average was none, and try as I would,
For one blimin' run, I just couldn't good.

In tore the bowler, a great lanky thing,
Over it came with a menacing ping,
It was curving in and right on a length.
I put me foot forward and with all me strength
I had one, mighty, desperate flay,
(It's not in the text books exactly that way).
The ball roared high into the air,
And cleared the white fence with a full yard to spare!

Again came the bowler, his face was all red,
Down roared a bumper, straight at me head,
I ducked, it just missed me upper lip,
But hit the bat and flew to first slip.
He'd missed it, no he'd caught it: a miraculous catch,
But despite me fine innings, we'd lost the match.

D. WHITE, 3A.

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CITY NOISES

I.

There is no noise in the city — all is silent. In its turmoil and chaos, everything moves in quietness. The laughter, the bubbling conversation, the clanging and crashing of construction, the sound of motion, the gasping for breath itself is no longer. All is mute.

They are all around me; they open their mouths but no sound is emitted. I strain to hear them. I listen with intensity but they do not speak. Their feet touch the ground but there is no sound from each footfall. The whole multitude wanders through the city and I follow, desperately wanting to detect even the slightest noise. I have the feeling of an outcast.

Giant cranes swivel, rebuilding and newly constructing. They push loads of cement and other materials. Some workers battle with vibrators corrugating the hard surfaces while others are busy clearing away. All work like automats in the stillness.

They glide along effortlessly in their vehicles. With ease and silence they halt and then slowly move off again. They endure injuries with no apparent physical distress. In what would seem a disastrous collision there is no clash of impact and any cry of agony is blanketed.

The grey buildings soak up all the sound. They are overpoweringly tall. The awful silence of the restless city brings the terror of desolate loneliness to my heart. Because I miss the city noises, this existence of mine is hollow and decayed.

This city is no strange phenomenon; it is identical with one thousand others. Its inhabitants are not robots but normal people. It has the noises common to all bustling centres, but like all others, is mute to some ears; my ears — ears which cannot hear.

H. BALL, 5C.

CITY NOISES

II.

Today a city is run by a society of bosses and executives, each with his own characteristics; but all have one thing in common; they are all looked upon by their inferiors as "the big noises of the city".

The 'noises' today come, like everything else, in two brands. We have the traditional boss with his high chair, tweed double-breasted suit, bushy eyebrows; a face that says "strictly business" and a habit of calling you "son", no matter what your age. He has been the boss of your father and still remains today: a thunder cloud to be contended with, especially in Commerce or in the Government Circle. The difference between them? — the latter irritatingly breaks Government Supply pencils while the other puffs the economy size Cuban cigars: "the Russian cigar for bosses with beards".

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The other 'noise' started as a chirp but grew wings until today it is a sophisticated roar — and gets paid for it. The executive is calm, friendly, mature; has a likeable face, shoes always shining, wears a suit of latest cut and lunches at home with his wife while his employees eat "the executive's luncheon". He is the new-brand boss with built-in vigor, a new hidden ingredient — youth; and from his clothes it can be seen he comes in a shining new packet.

Tests have proved that both these "noises" work for you. These are the men who control the boards, the chairman of directors' meetings; they are also hosts of most social parties. The city's "noises" are the men who shape and mould it. Whether they whisper or roar, their commands are carried out; and the echoes reverberate far and wide, well beyond the city.

M. BROWNLEE, 5C.

TO THE MOON

The subject of Man's awed observings since antiquity,
The serene monarch of the dark, the light of night,
A small, far, fabled orb of hard white light.
Your muted beams, a silver mist of tranquillity
Caress the quiet countryside; sometimes I see
You smiling quietly like a floating globe of white
In the hollow hole of sky; or then again, perhaps a bright
Phosphorent patch of blue-grey on a cloudy sea.
At times you hang, a bloated yellow disc low in the sky
And seem to be suspended just over the next hill—
At other times, detached and way up high,
Dodging through the ragged wraiths of clouds that fill
The tumultuous heavens; driven by the night wind's restless sigh—
Yet when the wind and clouds blow no more, you'll shine on still.

GRAHAM L. STEWART, 5C.

ADS.

On TV and at the movies,
From 2UE or when drinking Toohey's,
We're sure to be struck with an ad.

At cricket games, football alike,
Someone of fame, p'haps someone we like
Is sure to broadcast an ad.

So don't try to run from this perilous fate,
Of seeing or bearing those ads that we hate
Take it bravely whate'er it may be,
Shelley's or Scotties or Kinkara Tea.

G. MINUCOS, 1A.

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WHY?

Have you ever stopped to think why anything exists? Can you imagine nothing? And by "nothing" I do not mean just empty space as we think of it. In my imagination even space does not exist. There is nothing!

Even to think of this conception staggers the mind. I find it impossible to comprehend, even more impossible than to conceive of a never-ending universe.

Scientists say that the earth is a piece of the sun, ejected into space billions of years ago. The earth cooled from molten gas to the solid state. The perfect conditions for life were present, and life began. What scientists do not know is where the sun came from. Perhaps from a body larger than itself. Perhaps from ——— ah, but when we talk of the beginning of matter, everything is "perhaps". It is this thought which intrigues and puzzles me. It has baffled science for hundreds of years, and may continue to do so forever.

What I wonder about is why all this exists: the universe, the earth, the sun, and all living things from the majestic lion to the humblest little bug? Is there need for it, or a reason, far beyond our understanding?

Nobody has yet been able to answer these questions satisfactorily. I will leave you to ponder.

J. K. BANKS, 4A.

PEARL DIVERS

Twenty fathoms deep, in the shadowless blue of the lagoon floor, is a wonderful panorama of colours — reds, pinks, yellows and bottle blues reflected from the shimmering coral, but Hittii, a Polynesian pearl diver takes little notice of this as he swims through the spectacle, wrenching pearl shells free. He must move quickly, swooping down on the shell and twisting it off, for the muscular oyster inside can tighten his hold on the coral head, making it very hard work. Hittii seizes several and deposits them in a woven basket. He works in a hurry for he uses no breathing device. Even so he can stay submerged for ninety seconds to two minutes. He now rises like a cork to his catamaran, and, after hauling up the basket, he dives again.

This underwater routine, a daily task in the lives of pearl shell divers of the South Pacific, not only brings them money, but also possible death. Sharks are the chief menace; there is also the moray eel, which, if it can clamp its jaws round a man's wrist, will inflict a dangerous wound. Some of these divers also develop an illness when they approach the age of sixty, which can leave them blind.

Very few women, when adorning themselves with beautiful pearl necklaces, think of the dangers the daring divers must risk to bring them their pearls.

M. MOROZOV, 3A.

THE RECORD

THE END OF A SMOKER

I went up to the Haberdashery Counter in one of those new aluminium and glass supermarkets.

"Yes, sir."

"I'd like a packet of cigarettes."

"What brand, sir?"

"Any brand."

"Tens or twenties?"

"Twenties."

"King or Regular?"

"Kingsize."

"Plain, filter or cork-tips?"

"Filter."

"Menthol or mild?"

"Menthol."

"Fliptop or soft packet?"

"Soft."

The assistant disappeared behind the counter. He reappeared after thirty seconds.

"Sorry, sir, we've sold out of that brand."

M. TAYLOR, 5C.

DECIMAL CURRENCY

It was around the period of the French Revolution that the first significant advance was made in the field of a rationalised currency system. It was then that a great impetus was given to the reform and standardisation of weights, measures and currency. Hence the emergence of the metric unit, a system by which mathematical operations revolve around the number *ten* and its multiples, possibly the least complex of all such operations.

This system has made such a striking impact on society that altogether thirty-eight nations, some eighty per cent. of the world's population, have adopted its use. Even more striking is the fact that since its introduction in the United States in 1792, the monetary counterpart of the metric system, "decimal" currency, has been adopted by more than nine out of every ten civilised countries. Included in this group are thirty of the forty-eight present or former members of the British Commonwealth. Those which have not made the change have for the most part carried out investigations as to the possibility of conversion.

It was against this background that, in August, 1960, the Federal House of Representatives received a report tabled by a special government committee, recommending that the Commonwealth should adopt a decimal system of currency. Nor was this the first such recommendation; in 1926, and again in 1932, proposals had been tabled to this effect.

Now that this recommendation has been accepted, the Federal Treasury has estimated that the changeover could not come into effect before 1966-7. The intervening period will provide enough time to surmount the tremendous obstacles which inevitably arise in such a process. The problems extend from the conversion of monetary machines (that is to say, cash registers, petrol pumps, adding and calculating machines and the like), to a vast revision of printed matter which is connected either directly or indirectly with currency scales. Such material as Arithmetic books throughout the school system, vast reams of government statistics, wage scales and prices must all be formulated and re-written. Owing to the advanced state of the Australian economy the conversion becomes quite a complex proceeding. Changes in documents and records dealing with banking, insurance, hire purchase and other commercial transactions only add to the complexity of the operation. It has been estimated that the conversion of calculating machines alone will cost the public an estimated three pounds per head, as compared with a total of fifteen shillings in South Africa for a similar conversion in 1961.

However the advantages of decimal currency are numerous. They mainly centre around the aspects of speed and accuracy. In a modern economy, for example, where the recording of vast and complex amounts plays such an important role, a great deal must be sacrificed for efficiency. Multiplication, an operation so important in accounting, undergoes vital time-saving reforms. In this country tests have been carried out, actually proving that the decimal is superior to the "£:s:d" system. This is illustrated by a reliable calculation that a saving of 43% may be made in multiplication alone. Advantages of this nature are particularly noteworthy considering that over 8% of the nation's work force is engaged in working with monetary machines.

Although the cost and inconvenience of conversion to decimal currency present themselves as burdensome, the long term advantages seem to outweigh the preliminary and certainly onerous cost. The change must be effected and some authoritative body must co-ordinate a simultaneous conversion throughout the continent. Australia will then be in line with those nations which have had the foresight and courage to invest both trouble and cost in the new system which will repay itself many times over in generations to come.

D. H. FREEMAN, 4A.

DARKNESS

The great red orb sets slowly in the West
 And darkness envelops the world as best
 It can. But no. The lights begin to cast
 Their glow across the city through that great vast
 Expanse of glass and mighty shafts of super steel.

THE RECORD

These lights that glitter so clear, so bright;
That warm tone and soft hue that cannot feel,
But can be felt by all those with clear sight.
Yet is there sight for those who cannot see
Though they have eyes? Who cannot feel
Though they have touch. For they are not let free

To see the light and feel the warmth, but reel
In the darkness of a huge abyss where they
Make the steel that binds them so they cannot pray.
P. PHILIPPSOHN, 5A.

THE ENEMY

In the distance
I see the enemy massing
From headquarters far underground.

They have no song,
They have no leader,
What kind of foe are they?

Blindly they march
Along, in single file,
Their twisting winding trail.

They are all identical,
Each with his own black uniform
Glistening as newly laid tar.

But look!
They are approaching,
Nothing stops them in their way.

Over bumps,
Onwards, ever onwards,
Nought deters them, big or small.

Up our man-made mountain
Stealthily they climb;
Up and up they go.

Nearer they come
To their important goal,
I utter a piercing cry.

Too late! I'm attacked!
All about me now,
The ants swarm round my plate.

S. SYMONDS, 3A.

THE RECORD

A GAME OF TENNIS

It really was an extremely good idea. After all, didn't sporting accidents happen quite often? Not accidents in the acknowledged dangerous sports, but those queer little quirks of fate which one met with in half an inch of newspaper column. Only the other day he had noted that a golfer had drowned in a water hazard after attempting to play a shot from a crumbling bank and over-balancing.

Yes, the idea was indeed foolproof. Harrington had every reason to feel pleased with himself. Actually, it was Smith's own fault for standing in Harrington's way, and once Smith was got rid of there would be no one between himself and production management. The £500 increase in salary entirely justified the murder in Harrington's eyes.

His thoughts quickly reverted to the game of tennis in hand, as another set had just been lost. He had been an excellent player, but now his age was beginning to show. He shouldn't really be playing tennis with his heart trouble, but it wouldn't be for long. He just needed one shot to bounce correctly, and it would all be over. He ought to have challenged Smith to a game of singles, but it was a bit late to alter that now. Pity though, Smith had chosen his, Harrington's, best friend, Art Brennan, as his partner. Art was a nice person and it would be a pity to lose his friendship. But then, if everything went according to plan, Art, and everyone else for that matter, would never suspect murder. And everything *would* go as planned. It was perfect. Although Harrington was not as agile as he used to be, he could still place a good shot anywhere on the court that he desired. Also, he was conserving his strength for one tremendous smash. So, when, the time came, he would direct the smash straight at Smith's temple—with this specially hardened ball. That would finish Smith. Now he only had to wait for a good shot.

He was beginning to worry that he would never receive his shot. If he didn't get one soon he could never muster the strength to kill Smith. His heart seemed to be playing little tricks. Or perhaps it was just imagination. Then the perfect opportunity presented itself. From the moment it left the racquet, Harrington knew this was the fatal shot. He followed the ball with his eyes as it came across the net, drew his arm back in a tremendous arc, and launched himself into the stroke.

The ball skied into the air. The racquet slipped from grasping fingers and streaked across the court. Too late Brennan tried to duck. There was a snap as the racquet struck his throat, breaking his neck. But Harrington showed no remorse at having killed his best friend; for the strain of tennis had proved too much for his heart. He was dead.

T. HUXLEY, 3A.

THE RECORD

THE DRUNK

A sacrifice to Bacchus he lies,
Shunned.
A tribute to man's conflict,
Inner turmoil, turbulence.
Where once there was a man, is now
An empty shell.
Sapped of thought, mind,
Devoid of the lowest quality of existence;
The deadly juice has worked well.
For yet another spirit is
Enslaved.

Like fawning dog,
To a mad master.

T. HUXLEY, 3A.

TROUBLED

Biography, geography, it's all the same to me
I suppose there is a difference,
With which I must agree.
Biology, geology, what on earth are they?
I think they deal with numbers,
But I cannot really say.
I must be inattentive, for I dream of outer-space,
And somehow find myself "downstairs"
Reddening in the face.
"If that work's not finished, Jack,
It will soon be doubled."
So I can say quite plainly now,
——— I am really troubled.

R. BUCHANAN, 1A.

ON LIFE

The philosophy of life:
Obscure, yet so tantalizingly near.
To be enjoyed by all,
And rejoiced in
When Found.
But when Found?
It cannot be said, for though near,
It is far to the eyes of Them who do not See.
And They are many.
Whilst We are few,
We who grasp for it,
Search.
Yet are eluded.
It is not for Our comprehension.
But O! So near!

T. HUXLEY, 3A.

THE RECORD

THE RISK AND THE GAME

Some months ago, a short-lived but rather interesting controversy was sparked off by the death of a high school boy from injuries received in an inter-school football match. For the space of about a week argument concerning this unfortunate incident raged in the daily press; then, as other topics claimed the attention of the public, the affair petered out and by now, with the approach of summer, would appear to be dead and buried, or at any rate hibernating.

None the less, the incident has probably not been completely forgotten, and, when the controversy is ignited afresh by another incident of the sort, it will no doubt be resuscitated and used again as ammunition against the sport in question; for the matter of accidental injury while participating in a sport is one which brings itself to the public attention fairly regularly.

Inevitably, when such an occurrence next makes news, the "Letters to the Editor" pages will once again be inundated with letters expressing either wonder that such perilous activities should be allowed to continue, or astonishment that people should have the audacity to complain about such an essential part of modern life. One rather suspects that the former are written by anxious mothers, and the latter by proud fathers who were probably once sports champions themselves. The comments of both sides seldom fail to make interesting reading.

The bulk of this correspondence may be easily divided into two categories of sport and anti-sport; it being, by the way, a law of nature that people who indulge in such correspondence always have violently extreme views on their subject. Letters by the followers of anti-sport tend to dwell extravagantly on the dangers of the sport in question, generally football, and to persistently beat home their argument by means of a stream of anecdote of a more or less gory nature; one is led to believe that the casualty list from a game of Rugby football generally rivals that of Roman gladiatorial display. They usually end with a plea to "do something" about this "shameful state of affairs".

In reply, the defenders of the beleaguered sport, after a brief expression of astonishment that anyone could hold any opinion differing so radically from their own, seem to consider that their arguments may be most suitably upheld by an excursion into reminiscences of their own boyhood triumphs, with overtones of "vitai lampada". We are reminded that love of sport is an essential part of Australian life, that it builds character and provides good training for the young in facing the buffetings of the adult world.

In all the furore of broken arms and "play up and play the game", however, one aspect is almost entirely ignored by both sides. There can be little doubt that a large majority play football primarily because they enjoy it, without any thought of character-building or the Australian way of life. And a mere sadistic wish to inflict damage on the opposition cannot explain this; there has also to be a

willingness to receive punishment. In a game as highly organised as football, even at school level, is, regimentation tends to obscure the fact that, by and large, the sport was originally intended as an amusement, for players as much as spectators.

After all, in the final analysis it is above all the degree to which a game can be enjoyed which counts most, and this holds true for any pastime. It must be extremely doubtful that any game can dispense with the elements of risk and the unexpected and still give any degree of pleasure to the player. Without sufficient opportunity for chance and the exercise of skill to overcome it any pastime becomes mere routine, and instead of relieving boredom, as most activities of the sort are meant to do, rather tends to induce it.

Actually the whole question seems to hinge, as indeed do most matters of the sort, on the degree to which the factors of chance and mishap are taken. To my mind this should be left to the individual, to allow him to make his own choice of activities which he considers to be consonant with a proper degree of safety without being hampered by the well meant blunderings of outsiders. Thus the prime arbiter of the whole matter ultimately becomes personal taste.

G. BEWLEY, 5A.

WHO BEN FOR DER ROYAL?

Who ben forfighten der Royal?

"Meinselfer", King Ming ben gesingen.

"Mit honour most likelischer bringen,

Ich ben forfighten der "Royal".

Who ben promoten der Dollar?

"Meinselfer", ein Yankee ben drawlen,

"Mit interest in business forcrawling,

Ich ben promoten der Dollar".

Who ben supporten den Austral?

"Meinselfer", Herr Holt ben gecroaken,

"Mit goot for mein nas'lischer spoken,

Ich ben supporten den Austral".

Who ben upstanden der Kanga?

"Meinselfer", ein Swaggie ben quacken.

"Mitt vocab extremelischer lacken,

Ich ben upstanden der Kanga."

Who ben revisen der Pounden?

"Meinselfer", Grossfader ben murm'ren.

"Mitt new stuff zu hardischer lernen,

Ich ben revisen der Pounden".

Who ben demanden ein voten?

"Ourselfer", der folkers ben croonen.

"Das dummers ben all aus of tunen,

Wir ben demanden ein voten." P. DU RHONE, 4A.

THE RECORD

SCIENCE AND THE ARTS

The mid-twentieth century finds man more aware of his dependence on the apparently limitless applications of science. Its broad scope embraces most phases of industrial and professional life. Everywhere the principal drive is the same: advanced standards in the widening field of mathematics and a deeper understanding for a new and specialised physics and chemistry. Unfortunately, however, a generation that is thus singlemindedly devoted to science tends to care little for the arts: music, literature and painting.

I do not for a moment disapprove of this fervour in the cause of science, for modern civilisation is inconceivable without it. Yet there is an acute necessity for a stimulus of popular interest in the arts. Such an interest need not be active, as would be preferable; it need be merely passive, where the individual, equipped with a basic knowledge of one or more facets of the arts, can appreciately "look, listen or read with intelligence."

The Greeks, whose advanced culture was the core of all learning for centuries, realised the advantages of a cultured mind, one that had been taught to accept and critically approach the beauty of the arts. It was for them, and should be for us, a tempering force. Today we find an appalling lack of literary understanding amongst far too many students—even university graduates. The universities of N.S.W. have been disturbed by an apathetic attitude towards art amongst the scientific and engineering faculties. In many schools, too, this attitude is apparent in the study of the humanities. These subjects are considered by too many students to be burdensome and unnecessary.

Literature has come to be neglected, as we have seen, but music and the graphic arts have been hit harder. The former has struggled to finally win a place for itself as a curriculum subject, but sculpture and painting have not yet reached the great majority of boys' schools. Consequently we lack the training necessary to appreciate fully the values of the most expressive and dramatic forms of art, those that can be forceful and vivid through the visual impulse.

Scholars of today, whose interests do not include the arts, have lost a wonderful opportunity for mental relaxation as well as stimulation. They can be both soothing as well as a source of inspiration. The invaluable power of self-expression can be developed through well directed and select reading. Self-expression is vital; at its best, it can be found in art, and without art there can be no adequately coherent expression. Even by those who are striving for mechanical perfection and who will shape our future through science, art must be understood and appreciated. Without it life would merely be applied, impersonal, colourless technical knowledge.

R. CUNNINGHAM, 4A.

THE RECORD

DEPRESSION

Have you ever had the feeling
Of depression and despair,
And though you're in the classroom,
You're really just not there?

You find the time goes very slow,
The minutes seem like hours,
In fact it's like a solemn place
Where one brings wreaths of flowers?

You twiddle your thumbs under the desk
Or slump across the chair,
And when you're asked a question
You lift your head and stare?

Then you have contracted an awful disease
Which is commonly known as depression,
And after the morning you've still to face
A more boring afternoon session.

S. SYMONDS, 3A.

DEFIANCE

The wind wheels, and sweeps and twirls the rustling leaves.
Cold blasts of icy rain torment
And lash their struggling slaves with frozen whips;
A lone, dark pine resists their might,
Like a granite obelisk, courageous, proud, immovable.
It will not fall to please its mighty foe
But stands defiant; a tower in the night.

The raging wind will screech to show his ire;
Defeat he must the trees upstart desire.
He bares his mighty thews in anger wild;
Prepares to grapple with his rebel child . . .

The first searing needle pierces the grey,
Now glides the sun above the tattered day.
The pine remains, a glistening monument brave
To fight that sent the wind back to his cave.

M. MAKIN, 4B.

"THERE BUT FOR THE GRACE OF GOD GO I"

As I settle down to write, a picture is constantly playing on my mind's eye. It is of an ant which is industriously carrying a titbit of cake down the leg of a table. It deposits the crumb with another ant and goes back up the leg to fetch a second titbit. "There but for the Grace of God go I".

I have often wondered what it would be like to be something else—an ant, for instance, or a dog. If I had been born a dog, would

I see what humans did and want to become one? If a lion, the traditional king of beasts, saw another lion being killed by a human, would he want to become one? Why, for that matter, am I human at all? What if I were a giraffe? I would certainly have a good view.

But would I appreciate it? As a human I appreciate a beautiful view because it is pleasing to my senses. Would it appeal the same way to the senses of a giraffe? The answer, I feel, is "no". A giraffe is only tall so that he can reach the higher branches and get its food.

Does this, then, explain why a cockroach is ugly—that he is only ugly to us, and not to himself? A spider may look positively villainous from our standpoint, yet to another spider it may be positively glamorous.

The world, I believe, has been planned so that each creature is contented. A lion would not want to become a human being because a human being is only supreme through his rifle—not through sheer physical strength, where he is no match for the lion. A horse can think of nothing he likes better than racing at Randwick and eating oats. I do not like oats.

Therefore, can I say when I see this ant, "There but for the Grace of God go I". I do not believe so. I say that I would not like to be a bird twittering on power-lines all day, but how do I know? I have never been a bird. Would it not, then, be fairer to say, "There by the Grace of God, goes an ant"?

G. O'REILLY, 5A.

A JOB IN THE SCHOOL VACATIONS

Work, the curse of the drinking class, bares its fangs at the school pupil every vacation. The necessity and advisability of tackling a job are points of keen debate in most households.

A job is educational, argues one section of the family: it gives the youth an idea of adult life and some of the responsibilities associated with it. A new discipline is thrust on him, possibly for the first time in his life, and the fanciful wanderings of the mind and skylarking that might occur in schools must be put behind him. Dealing with people, perhaps, is the greatest lesson taught in a job, be it over a counter, in a factory, or paving the roadways. The young man learns tact, decorum, and develops his outlook beyond his familiar sphere and into commerce and business, and thus into "life".

The reply comes: he is young, let him enjoy his youth, there will be plenty of time for a job after school. Why leash the boy behind a counter when beaches and outings are so inviting? Why not allow him those pleasures that, once gone, are lost for ever? And why should a year's toil at the desk be rewarded by six weeks of bondage to an employer? The world of toil can wait, youth and freedom will not.

What is the attitude of the person involved? Often a young man wishes to get a job in order to be able to afford some luxury which

would normally be denied him, such as a trip or a deposit on a car. Others wish to show their maturity by earning their money for themselves and by being able to contribute in some small way towards the housekeeping; although the actual sum is rarely of any consequence, this is a noble gesture and a loving thought. These sincere youths are prepared to sacrifice their freedom to try in some small way to repay a debt to their parents, whose pride in this action is understandable. Quite a few are ready for work; most will tackle it when necessary, but some cannot be persuaded to undertake a job for any reward.

Restricting the decision however, is the perennially important factor of the money needed to help support the family. In such a case the objections to working are irrelevant and the harshness of life must be faced.

The yoke is waiting. Will you take it this vacation or would you rather postpone it a while?

T. GERVAY, 5C.

THE ESCAPE

This was the day for which they had all been waiting, a day which they were not likely to forget for many a year to come. This was the day of the bullfight.

The townsfolk had arisen early on this particularly bright July morning; some had gone to see the bull, the most feared in southern Spain; others were making preparation for the carnival which was to precede the fight; while still others were simply lured from their beds by the festive air which lingered throughout the town. By eight o'clock the first of the country folk began arriving. In carts, on horseback, by every form of conveyance imaginable, they poured into the town in surging masses. They added to the already-present colour and beauty of the village, as they came dressed in a variety of hues. Everywhere could be heard the cries of vendors selling their merchandise. It was indeed a gay scene.

Then, distinctively, above all the gaiety a scream was heard. Looking towards the arena, the townsfolk were not slow in detecting the source of the commotion. The bull had escaped!

Down the street lumbered the massive creature, causing chaos before it and leaving a trail of destruction. With unimaginable strength it uplifted the stalls, sending a shower of broken merchandise down on the sheltering inhabitants. Panic reigned supreme.

At that moment the police commissioner, still half asleep, was leaving his residence in the main street. He was rather a fat man, with dark, tanned skin and brown eyes and hair. His face was highlighted by a large moustache which had a touch of the ridiculous. Turning around, he saw the colossal beast charging towards him. What could he do? Nearer and nearer it drew, its white horns reflecting the sunlight menacingly. Everyone was horrified. Almost without thinking the commissioner dived for the ground as the animal made a vicious lunge at the place he had vacated. In doing so, it embedded its

horns in the front-door. In a vain attempt the furious beast tried frantically to tear itself loose from its captors but it was too late. In a flash the carnival supervisors had cast a net over the bull, bringing the animal to the ground. It was easier to breathe after that.

Indeed this incident was not likely to be forgotten by the stunned townsfolk; certainly not by the commissioner.

J. FERRY, 3A.

BATTLE

Lieutenant Lime led the formation in on a bridge. What bridge? Any bridge. A bridge was a bridge and had to be destroyed. He emptied his bomb-rack and urged his fighter upward, clawing for the height which meant relative safety. This was the routine of Korea, the boring routine of Korea.

It was a forgotten war. A convalescing world had been rushed from World War II to Korea. Rarely was there a casualty. It was, for the Air Force, a dreary routine. Just like the exercises back home . . . but with a difference . . . these were real bombs . . . live targets . . . men were dying down there under the hail of bullets!

But who were these men? They were Chinese Communists pushed into war by Russia. Yes, they were Chinese but they were equipped with Russian planes, tanks, guns and supplies. What was the purpose of this war? To gain a meagre piece of land named Korea. Yes, meagre to us; but invaluable to overcrowded Red China. Why was this proposition not solved by peaceful means? Such is the nature of a race of creatures which will fight over paltry things.

On the ground, men of the army were fighting; sometimes dying; the monotony of battle being occasionally broken by sudden thrusts by the Chinese.

The navies of the major powers, particularly that of America, were playing an active and vital part in the operations. Carrier-based aircraft provided invaluable tactical support, answering many calls for help from the army until the air forces could become thoroughly established. They also provided logistic support as well as an occasional shore bombardment. The navy was by no means idle!

Lieutenant Lime dived for a road along which columns of infantry, Chinese, were marching for the horizon. As he came in to strafe, the men fell to their knees. They were literally hacked to pieces by the incessant stream of lead. The bodies writhed and churned in the mud, staining it dark red. Merciless massacre!

This was the forgotten routine of Korea, played, as a card-game, at a leisurely pace.

R. PETERSON, 3A.

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At the Annual General Meeting on 21st March, 1963, in the Great Hall at the School, the President's Report and the Financial Statement were read and received and the Office Bearers for the ensuing year were elected.

Mr. J. H. Levi was re-elected President for 1963. The Headmaster, Mr. K. J. Andrews, in his address, said how fortunate he had been in the choice of Presidents. The past year with Mr. Levi had been as happy and as successful as those spent with Mr. M. R. Wills and Mr. T. H. Rushall, who had both performed such outstanding work for the School.

Mr. M. T. Wood and Mr. M. R. Wills were both re-elected as Vice-Presidents. The President, Mr. Levi, said that he was grateful to have the support of two such capable officers.

Mr. H. M. Tuite was again elected as Hon. Secretary and Mr. G. E. May was again elected Hon. Treasurer, a position which he has occupied with great diligence and efficiency for the past three years.

The Ladies' Auxiliary this year again elected Mrs. Irene Gould as President and Mrs. Heather Meadows as Hon. Secretary while Mrs. Betty Joyce was elected as Hon. Treasurer, a position which Mrs. Joan Mair had filled so efficiently during the past twelve months.

The Association is deeply indebted to the Ladies' Auxiliary for its untiring efforts in raising money and promoting various social functions during the year and for the devoted way in which it has handled those many matters beyond the scope of the male members of the Association.



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The Father and Son Dinner was successful socially and financially and showed that no task is too great for the Auxiliary.

The Canteen Committee, again under the Presidency of Mrs. Kath Cunningham, has had another successful year and once again the Association is very grateful to the voluntary workers who have devoted their time unstintingly to this important facet of service to the school.

Finance:

A record income is anticipated this year, thanks to the splendid work of the active members of the Association, the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Canteen Committee. The Headmaster's Appeal was again successful although it did not receive the full support of the parents.

McKay Sports Ground Committee:

The P. & C. representatives on this Committee, Messrs. J. R. Coleman, R. Halliday, R. Bird, B. Taylor and D. Morozov, have again been untiring in their efforts to maintain and improve our playing fields and are deserving of our congratulations. It is felt that the perfect condition of the grounds, under the guidance of the diligent Mr. Coleman, has been in a large measure responsible for the wonderful improvement in the standard of football displayed by High during the past few years.

A special word of thanks is extended to those fathers who have attended Sunday working bees and to their ladies who have provided food and refreshments on those days.

Our Groundsman, Mr. Alf Brown, is carrying on the good work and the Committee is grateful for his co-operation during the year.

Rowing Committee:

Messrs. F. Randall, L. Duckworth, A. Parry, B. Morgan and Professor J. P. Morgan are the P. & C. representatives for 1963 and have been very active in maintaining our boats and the boatshed, and assisting the Rowing Master and the School's rowers.

The P. & C. passed a special vote of thanks to Mr. H. Goodsell and Mr. B. M. Kelly, who retired as Committeemen, for the wonderful job they did during their years of office.

Working bees at Abbotsford have kept the fleet and the shed in first-class order and the Committee thanks those fathers who attended and assisted them in this work and also those mothers and fathers who helped with meals and transport during the time the rowers were in camp.

A number of new craft were added to the fleet and as no damage has been suffered from vandalism the Committee expects a most successful year.

Ways and Means Committee:

Comprising all members of the Association, this Committee has met each month and has been successful in promoting many profitable functions during the year. A happy and hilarious play was presented by The Sunlight Players and again we have to thank Mr. Jack Bell and Mr. Dick Moss.

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A new departure and an outstanding evening was the Art and Fashion Show held at Peter Lloyd's showrooms.

A Sub-committee, consisting of five men and five ladies from the Auxiliary, was elected to organise the show. All credit for a wonderfully successful night must go to this Sub-committee.

A concert produced and presented by the School's Music teacher, featuring the School Choir and Orchestra, was held during July and the proceeds presented to the P. & C. Those parents who attended were unstinting in their praise of this fine night and very well deserved congratulations were extended to Mr. Morphew, Miss Cox and the boys who participated for a splendid musical evening. The Committee is deeply grateful to the visiting artists who were all roundly applauded for their fine work.

Carnival Fete:

In addition to the activities mentioned above, the Ways and Means Committee was responsible for conducting the Carnival Fete on Saturday, 28th September, which, once again, was a huge success. The Fete was opened by Brigadier F. G. Callaghan, D.S.O., O.B., I.S.O., E.D., who, with the Headmaster, inspected the Cadet Unit Guard of Honour upon his arrival. The Fete is our major money-raising activity and was successful because of the many hours of work devoted to it by parents who appreciate the necessity for providing funds to maintain the School's many activities.

To those parents who worked for the Fete and those who attended and spent freely, the Association extends its deep appreciation. This year an added attraction was the P.M.G. Electronic Exhibition. Our special thanks go to the Fete organisers and the Appeals organisers for their enthusiasm and approach to the appeal; also thanks to the many outside Companies who contributed goods and money for this venture.

School Grounds and Maintenance Committee:

This year Mr. G. Bell again headed the Committee whose time has been devoted to keeping the School grounds and buildings maintained in good repair. Although only given a grant of £100 by the Department of Education, the Committee has wisely spent this money on essential maintenance and has given a great deal of its own time voluntarily to keeping the grounds and tennis courts in order.

The Director of Physical Education promised to resurface the four tennis courts and a start is expected to be made at an early date.

The Department was approached regarding attention to the surrounds of the new Killip Wing. The Department also intimated it was preparing estimates to paint the vestibule and approaches of the school building before October.

Dance Committee:

Under the experienced and able guidance of Mr. Sam Huxham, the Dance Committee provided the girls and boys of both Schools with some excellent nights of dancing during the year. This year

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the Committee was faced with the difficult task of choosing a new orchestra owing to a serious accident suffered by Mr. John McGrath, whose orchestra has been very popular.

These dances organised by the School, held at the end of each Term, have again proved very popular.

Canteen Committee:

Mrs. Kath Cunningham, President of the Canteen Committee, with the assistance of many mothers, provided the P. & C. Association with a record income. The Committee is doing a very fine job for the School, not only in raising money, but in providing the boys with good wholesome food. The Canteen also offers a stationery supply service and has proved to be a very valuable asset to the School and the Association.

General:

For its co-operation throughout the year we are deeply grateful to the Teaching Staff headed by Mr. Andrews and Mr. Oslington, and to the Caretaker, Mr. Gibson, for his assistance and consideration on the many nights the Association held meetings and functions at the School. Without the fine efforts of the Committees mentioned above and the enthusiastic work of all members of the Association, it would not be possible for our boys to enjoy the amenities and activities which this School provides. Our sincere thanks therefore are extended to everyone who has assisted the Association and has so generously given of his or her leisure time for this work.

J. H. LEVI, H. M. TUIITE.

LADIES' AUXILIARY

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Secretary:

Mrs. I. Meadows.

The Ladies' Auxiliary has had yet another happy and successful year in fulfilling its main function as prescribed by the P. & C. — money-raising, caterers-in-general.

Our activities so far have included luncheons, barbecues and demonstrations at the homes of various members. These have proved profitable and also enabled us to get together socially.

The Second Annual Father and Son Dinner was held on the 19th June and owing to lack of seating space we were forced to limit the number to 300. This proved more comfortable for all concerned. The guest-speaker was Norman O'Neill, who was well received; and the artists, including Mr. Laurie McKay (father of the School Captain), rounded off a very enjoyable evening.

The function of the year was the Art and Fashion Show held in the showrooms of Peter Lloyd, Randwick, on the 5th July. It was officially opened by Judy Cassab and the Art was by courtesy of the Cumberland Art Society while the Fashions were Furs by

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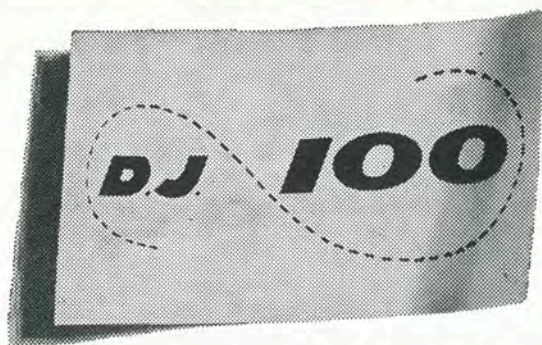
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Functions yet to be held while writing this report are the Football Luncheon, the Annual Fete, the Opening of the Killip Wing and the Ladies' Auxiliary Ball.

For some of us the Farewell by 4th Year to 5th Year, followed by the Dance for pupils of both schools, will have a little sadness.

The President, Mrs. Gould, and Executive wish to thank the Headmaster Mr. Andrews, Mr. Oslington and the Staff for their ready help and forbearance; also Mrs. Byrne and Mrs. Braithwaite for their many pleasant courtesies and co-operation at all times.

Mrs. M. MEADOWS, Hon. Sec.

LODGE SYDNEY HIGH SCHOOL

The Installation Meeting of Lodge Sydney High School on 9th August was the culmination of an active and progressive year in the Lodge's development.

The Lodge, during the past year, was under the leadership of Wor. Bro. K. W. Shields (1940), who has always been actively associated with school activities, having been Treasurer of the Old Boys' Union for many years.

His successor in the Chair of the Lodge, Wor. Bro. D. H. Dunn (1935), has a busy year ahead of him with a list of applicants for admission to the Lodge far greater than has been encountered for quite some time.

The Lodge was represented at the funerals of two of our oldest members who passed on during the year — V. Wor. Bro. Reginald Thornton (1890) and Wor. Bro. A. J. Trier (1899).

The highlight of the Lodge year was the Annual Combined Meeting of all the School Lodges which was held on Wednesday, 29th May. There are now fifteen School Lodges and the Annual Meeting has become a most impressive and instructive evening.

During the year, two of our Members were honoured by advancement in Grand Lodge. They are V. Wor. Bro. J. W. Campbell (1937), who is now Grand Director of Ceremonies and V. Wor. Bro. G. L. McKay (1930), who is now Assistant Grand Inspector of Working.

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Membership

Membership has increased tremendously over the past few years and stands at present in excess of 1,100. The members of the O.B.U. believe that a greater percentage of the boys leaving school should maintain closer contact with this organisation both in their own interests and to assist in carrying on the various activities not financed by the Department of Education.

The problems of the young man about to embark on a career revolves around a great shortage of time and money for such activity and thus he may be inclined to postpone his joining to a future date. It is important, however, to remember that the Old Boys' Union gives the young man a contact with many well-established members of all professions who can do a great deal to assist him in his future career. It is proposed that more emphasis be placed on this aspect of O.B.U. activity.

Remember too, that Sydney Boys' High School is the only school which has its own club facilities for Old Boys and affords every opportunity to maintain contact with your present friends. Although you may be too young to join the High Club it is planned that many functions and re-unions be organised at the club by the O.B.U. to give you the opportunity of meeting and exchanging ideas with others of similar professional interests.

Members of the S.H.S. Old Boys' Union receive the "High Bulletin" published three times annually in addition to a copy of the "Record".

Membership forms are available from the School Secretary or by ringing the O.B.U. Secretary K Swan after working hours at XJ 1923.

The High Ball

The 1963 High Ball was held at the "Trocadero" with an attendance of over 600, and proved as enjoyable as in previous years.

The ball committee went to a great deal of trouble to provide elaborate decorations with wide streamers in chocolate and blue converging onto the school flag located over the band dais. The decorations together with outstanding floral treatment on the tables created a fitting atmosphere for the reception of the guest of honour The Hon. Sir Kenneth Street, K.C.M.G.

Representatives of all G.P.S. schools and the major C.H.S. schools, together with representatives of the school and school organisations, were entertained in the official party numbering over fifty.

It is proposed that the High Ball in 1964 be held on a Saturday night at the Union Hall at the University of N.S.W., Kensington.

O.B.U. Dinner

Arrangements are well advanced for the Annual Old Boys' Dinner to be held on Tuesday, 18th October, at the State Ballroom, 49 Market Street, City.

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HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL BENEFITS STUDENT DEPENDANTS

The Medical Benefits Fund of Australia announced a recent amendment to the Rules of the Fund which has extended cover to Student Dependant children. Previously parents of such children attaining 17 years of age were required to pay additional contributions.

These days most parents have insured themselves and their children against the cost of hospital and medical care.

This extended cover will be of inestimable value to parents of school children of all ages when considering expenses associated with secondary and tertiary education.

It is noticed many parents hold the mistaken belief that Medical Benefits Fund does not cover school accidents. It is quite unnecessary for parents to incur additional expense for school accident insurance for hospital and medical care. Without extra payment the parents' family contributions cover not only school accidents but sickness and accidents at home.

Under the new Rules all student children over the age of 17 years can be covered by the parents' family rate membership provided the student is not in receipt of income.

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Invitations have been extended to the school's premier First Fifteen football team, with their coach Geoff Ball, to attend as official guests of the O.B.U. The Guest of Honour will be the Lord Mayor of Sydney, Alderman H. F. Jensen.

Mr. Allan Lewis, O.B.U. Vice-President and Chairman of the Dinner Sub-committee has invited three Old Boys with outstanding football records, John Thornett, Peter Crittle and Peter Johnson. This trio were members of the highly successful Australian Rugby Union team to tour New Zealand and South Africa.

With such outstanding personalities as guests the dinner is always a very successful occasion and we would be pleased to see more of the younger folk attend.

The Bulletin

The "Bulletin" has continued to be published three times annually under the expert guidance of Alan May and his committee.

The publication has taken on a professional quality over recent years and includes a wealth of information and personal jottings on the activities of Old Boys.

Those who have been associated with the preparation of such publications realise the tremendous amount of personal sacrifice and time which devout Old Boys are prepared to offer in the name of the School.

Apart from the satisfaction of keeping in touch with old friends, such endeavours offer no other personal reward. The O.B.U. is grateful to these devotees for their dedicated and unselfish approach to matters of school interest.

We trust that many of you leaving school this year will help with such endeavours as the High Bulletin by contributing items of interest.

Foundation Day Church Service

The fourth annual Church Service of Commemoration and Thanksgiving will be held at St. James' Church, King Street, City, on Sunday, 22nd September, at 3 p.m. For the first time since the inception of the service the Old Girls' Union of Sydney Girls' High School have been asked to participate fully.

The service will be conducted by the Rev. Bernard Judd (1935) and other Old Boy members will take part. The lessons will be read by the present School Captain, Bob McKay and the President of the O.B.U., Bill McMurray. School Prefects will act as ushers and the School Choir will lead the singing. Cec Rubie, convenor of the Church Committee, has introduced a move towards an appeal for the purpose of financing the construction of a School Chapel.

The High Club

Membership and interest in the "Unique" High Club is increasing from year to year. Under the full time management of Fred Evans the Club is extremely popular amongst Old Boys and is gradually discharging its financial commitments to allow it to function



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Membership is available to ex masters, masters, parents and supporters of the school.

The Old Boys' Centenary Trust Fund

The Centenary Trust Fund now in excess of £1,000 is a move towards establishing a permanent capital, the income from which will be used to maintain the McKay Oval and the School Boatshed.

Cash donations in a lump sum or annual instalments, provisions in legacies or life insurance policies effected with the M.L.C. are all ways in which Old Boys may contribute to the scheme.

It is planned that by 1983 the School's Centenary Year that a substantial capital will be in hand to provide a perpetual income to these worthy causes.

Perce Hallett Tribute

Many Old Boys have a great affection for Perce Hallett who was a Mathematics Master at the school from 1927 to 1952 and Deputy Headmaster from 1935.

Perce Hallett endeared himself to the boys of those years by his warm personality, his genuine interest in their activities and the energetic way in which he fulfilled his arduous duties.

An appeal is well under way to provide a fitting tribute as an adjunct to the new Killip Wing.

O.B.U. Ladies' Auxiliary

The O.B.U. Ladies' Auxiliary is continuing its fine work in organising functions to assist the O.B.U. in its finances. Under the energetic guidance of the executive committee comprising Mrs. R. Goldberg as President; Mrs. M. Mitchell, Secretary; and Mrs. V. Neller, Treasurer, the Ladies' Auxiliary organises regular monthly functions to raise money for the school.

Such functions include combination dinner-theatre parties, cooking demonstrations and a variety of other activities which, as well as providing pleasure for O.B.U. members bring in much needed funds for school rowing and other expensive pursuits. The O.B.U. Ladies' Auxiliary meets at 1.30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the C.E.N.E.F. Building at the corner of Kent and Bathurst Streets, Sydney.

O.B.U. Tie

The O.B.U. is pleased to announce that a specially designed tie will be available early in 1964 exclusively for the use of the Old Boys of S.H.S.

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Des Duffy, Outstanding Old Boy

As many of you know, Col. Des Duffy has been appointed as coach of the 1964 eight.

Des Duffy is one of the outstanding school rowing coaches and few others have a record of performance to match. Each generation of Old Boys brings forth a member who is prepared to dedicate all of his spare time to the school and allied activities. Des is one such Old Boy who, in addition to his years of outstanding performances in the rowing world, has worked unceasingly for the benefit of the school.

As president of the O.B.U. he instituted many of the functions which are now held annually and was largely instrumental in changing the idea of a School Club from a dream to a working reality.

Des came to the school in 1924 as a first year pupil and later rowed consecutively for three years. 1924 was the year of the S.H.S. entry into G.P.S. rowing, and the performance of S.H.S. crews in these early years did much to establish the school's prestige in G.P.S. circles. Des was awarded a triple School Rowing Blue and a double G.P.S. rowing Blue for his participation in these crews.

Des cut his teeth as a coach with junior crews during second and third terms, from 1928 on whilst still a senior boy. In 1933 he commenced as a full time coach. During the following years his performances were unequalled in G.P.S. regattas and some statistics are set out below.

Total number of first four G.P.S. crews coached—10.		
Wins—4.	Third place—nil.	Sixth Place—1.
Second place—3.	Fourth place—2.	
Total number of second four G.P.S. crews coached—12.		
Wins—5.	Third place—2.	Fifth place—1.
Second place—3.	Fourth place—nil.	Sixth place—1.
Total number of third four G.P.S. crews coached—7.		
Wins—5.	Second place—2.	
Total number of fourth four G.P.S. crews coached—5.		
Wins—5.		
Total number of fifth four crews coached—3.		
Wins—2.	Second place—1.	
Total number of sixth four crews coached—1.		
Wins—1.		
Total number of Junior eights G.P.S. crews coached—2.		
Wins—1.	Second place—1.	
Another interesting survey of performances is as follows:		
Winning crews:		
First fours—4.	Third Fours—5.	Fifth fours—2.
Second Fours—5.	Fourth fours—5.	Sixth fours—1.
Crews placed second:		
First fours—3.	Third fours—2.	Fifth fours—1.
Second fours—3.	Junior eights—1.	

The year in which Des could be justly proud was the Silver Jubilee of 1948 when out of the three crews coached by him the results looked like this.

First four—won. Second four—won. Junior eight—won.
and to cap it all, each in record time.

In between all of these years of effort, Des found time for distinguished war service as an officer in the A.I.F. The success of any coach depends to a large extent on the attitude of the crew. With the outstanding success of S.H.S. in cricket and football competitions it is obvious that boys of the right calibre will be available to form a successful crew for 1964.

Personal

The newly-appointed Australian Ambassador to Thailand is Allan Loomes, O.B.E. (1934). Allan, who is already in Bangkok, was formerly an assistant secretary at the External Affairs Department in Canberra. He also served in the Australian mission to the United Nations and for more than three years was Ambassador in Rangoon.

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Professor John Clark (1927) has been appointed to one of the two posts of Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University of New South Wales. Professor Clark is Dean of the Faculty of Science and has held the Chair of Applied Psychology since its foundation in 1953.

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Dr. Bob Swinbourne (1924), of Macquarie Street, left late in March for a tour of England and the continent. Bob reports he expects to meet others of his School year in England, including Dave Sachs, Mr. Justice Hugh Maguire and George Windred.

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More than 47 years in the service of the State of N.S.W. ended when Solomon Cohen (1914), Secretary of the Maritime Services Board, retired on January 7. Sol joined the Public Service in 1915 and worked in the Bureau of Statistics and then the Department of Navigation. He became an officer of the M.S.B. on its establishment in 1936 and was appointed Secretary in 1955.

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Top-line journalist Larry Foley (1939) has been appointed news officer for the People of the North Committee. Larry, a bachelor, worked in London and New York for "The Sun" and Australian Consolidated Press for almost fifteen years after the war before returning to Australia late in 1961. During his years overseas, he travelled widely and has explored Malayan ruins in Guatemalan jungles and toured West Indian backblocks with a missionary.

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A new appointment has been announced for Sir James Plimsoll (1933), Australian Ambassador to the United Nations in New York for the last three and a half years. Sir James will take up duties in Delhi as Australian High Commissioner to India.

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Alan Owen (1938) has just completed his second year with W. D. Scott and Co. in Durban, South Africa. Since arriving in South Africa, Alan and his Rhodesian wife have added a son David and a daughter Patricia to the family. In between times, on business and holiday trips, they have taken the opportunity of seeing a great deal of the country. Alan says the climate is much like Australia and "South Africa even has the same weeds in the garden so we feel very much at home."

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Dr. Oswald Tofler (1943), of Royal Perth Hospital, has been awarded a grant-in-aid by the National Heart Foundation to further his studies. He will also leave in September for four months study of cardiac investigation units and methods of treatment in the U.S.A. and U.K.

Presidents of Sydney University societies in 1962 including Old Boys Peter Simpson (1953)—Science Association; Peter Phillips (1958)—Architectural Society; and Alan Slade (1959)—Pharmaceutical Association. John Hamilton (1956) was Liberal Club President.

Member of the Sydney Stock Exchange, Jim Wolfensohn (1949), was recently admitted as a partner of the firm of Ord, Minnett and Partners. Jim, a Bachelor of Arts and of Law and a Master of Business Administration of Harvard University, is a director of Catena (Australia) Pty. Ltd.

Distinguished Old Boy, Sir Alan Watt (1918), has been appointed First Director of the Australian Institute of International Affairs. The institute is an independent body which examines international issues and regularly presents to the public authentic information about them.

Health Inspector Laurie Martin (1953) left Sydney in March on a round-the-world holiday tour which will include several months in Greece. Laurie will return home shortly before Christmas.

Our congratulations to James Wallace Pty. Ltd. and its two Old Boy directors, Col. Wallace (1936) and Arthur Chapman (1934) on the company's successful tender for the redevelopment of the Rocks area in Sydney.

The project will cost £30 million and is unique in Australia, having an overseas parallel probably only in the restoration of war-ravaged European cities. It is expected to be completed by 1973.

Col. and Arthur are well-known High Club members, Col. rowing in the 1936 School Eight which was stroked by O.B.U. Treasurer Bill Stevenson and included Dr. Bob Higham. James Wallace Pty. Ltd. have carried out a number of jobs for the High Club, but none on quite as big a scale as the new project.

Obituary

We deeply regret having to record the deaths of the following Old Boys. To all their loved ones we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Edgar Sydney Wolfenden (1895); Dr. Thomas B. Clouston (1894); Albert Hin-Yun Hung (1862); Henry William Mylchreest (1910); Denis Harold Anderson (1956); Donald Henry Currie (1921); Leslie W. W. Ryan (1919); Dr. George A. Blumer (1903);

H. C. Armstrong (1897); Reginald Thornton (1893); Dr. Arthur Hamilton Tebbutt (1902); Albert John Trier (1891); William Trevor Rowlands (1947); Dr. Lionel Henry Freeman (1955).

TO THE BOYS LEAVING SCHOOL

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