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The Headmaster's Foreword.

PARENTS' ASSOCIATION.

Some of the Parents have of late been seized of the fact that they can be of great assistance to the School in many ways. To discuss and devise ways in which this assistance can be best rendered two meetings have recently been held at "Romsey," the outcome of which is that it has been decided to form a Parents' Association, managed by an energetic committee, of which the Hon. R. J. Lynn, M.L.C., has been elected President, and Mr. R. H. Sudlow, Secretary. Associations of parents have been formed in connection with other schools to their great advantage, and we feel sure that the experience of Christ Church will be the same. In our next issue we hope to be able to say more concerning this matter, and to point to some concrete advantage already gained by the school.

School Notes.

Numbers.—The enrolment this term has been, boarders 52, day boys 72, a total of 124: Unfortunately for various reasons, chiefly sickness 5 of the boarders, and 4 of the day boys have not been able to return to school this term, so that the number actually in attendance for the term is 115. Prospects for next term seem to point to our exceeding our previous record of 122.

Speech Day.—The annual distribution of prizes took place in the Parish Hall on Friday, 10th December. His Grace the Archbishop, presided, and presented the prizes. A further account appears elsewhere.

Prince's Week.—The Xmas holidays were a week

longer than usual, being 9 instead of 8, in order to fall in with the wish of His Royal Highness.

Consequently Easter term began on February 15th, and we break up for the May holidays on Thursday 12th. Next term will begin on Tuesday, 31st May.

Holidays.—The only holiday given during the term was Anzac Day. We had no lessons on 21st March in order to give all an opportunity of seeing the Australian XI, but to make up for this school was held on Saturday, 5th March.

Colours.—School Colours have been allotted as follows:—Honour Cap, with blue button: Drummond, Hill i. Cricket: Hill i., Robertson, Brown, Walsh i. Swimming; Dalton i., Balme. The school footer jerseys and socks in blue and gold have arrived and will be issued next term.

Confirmation.—The following were confirmed by His Grace the Archbishop in the Parish Church on April 19th:—F. Andrew, E. Blechynden, J. Drummond, N. Edwards, O. Francis, A. Hickey, V. Lee, and F. Watson-Williams.

We express our deepest sympathy with Geoff Turner at the sad loss of his mother and his little sister early in the term; also with Geoff on account of his own serious illness from which we are glad to learn he is recovering well. We hope to have him back with us again next term.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy also to Brian Beresford, whose mother died very suddenly a few hours only before Brian reached home for his holidays. Brian is now at school at St. Peters, Adelaide, where we wish him every success, though we are very sorry indeed that the railway strike was chiefly instrumental in his leaving Christ Church.

Staff.—We welcome back again Mr. W. F. Preshaw, who was our house master in 1917 and 1918. Since then he has been on the staff of Geelong Grammar School. Mr. Kiely, a graduate in arts of the Royal University, Ireland, who helped us while short handed, just before Xmas, remains with us for this year, and we welcome

also Mr. K. Burnside, B.Sc., of W.A. University, who has charge of the Science work.

The School Service has been held regularly on Friday afternoons, and this term we have had addresses from the Ven. Archdeacon Hudleston, M.A., the School Warden, and the Rev. E. R. Gribble, of the Forrest River Mission.

VALETE.

Christison, Ball, Duncan, Lukey, I. Wright, M. Duncan, R. Calthrop, N. Brown, P. Marrie, E. Ling, Beresford, Rooney, Athey, Mason, A. Lee, J. Drummond, Bosworth, Duthoit, L. Dalton, D. Bussell, J. Eaton, A. Penaluna.

SALVETE.

Laurie, Atkinson, W. Brownie, R. Brownie, F. Corboy, T. Corboy, Nelson, Silva, Cooke, Edwards, G. Stewart, Day, E. Dalton, B. Dalton, Owston, Sweeting, Meecham, Sewell, A. Berryman, C. Berryman, Sinclair, Johnson.

We very much regret that owing to illness or other causes, R. Calthrop, G. Turner, O. Vallentine, W. Andrew, D. Jones, H. Repton, H. Castilla, R. Anderson, have had to leave the school for awhile, while C. Armstrong is fortunate in getting a trip to England. We hope that all of these boys will be back in the course of the year.

Speech Day.

The Parish Hall was filled to overflowing on the night of Wednesday, 20th December, being the 5th Annual Distribution of Prizes. His Grace the Archbishop presided, and on the platform with him were members of the Schools' Council, and the Headmaster and Staff. After the reading of the Headmaster's Annual Report His Grace addressed the gathering and then presented the prizes.

Then followed a gymnastic display, the high order

of which testified to the excellent training given by Lieut Emmott. The hall and stage were well lighted thanks to Trevor Tuckfield, who kindly offered to lend and fix whatever lights were necessary. This added greatly to the effect of the gymnastic display

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EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT.

"The large increase in the number of boarders compelled us to seek extra accommodation, and to meet our growing demands the Council last August purchased "Romsey," which serves partly as a residence for the Headmaster and his family, and partly as accommodation for some 18 boarders. Considering the excessive amount of local sickness this year, the attendance has been good, the average per half-day being 102, a percentage of 91.

"The discipline of the School has been well maintained, and its general tone is good. Seemly conduct in public places and a kindly consideration for older people, are duties constantly placed before the boys, who I think with very few exceptions, act up to the high standard I ask and expect of Christ Church boys.

"The work of the School has been on the whole well maintained in spite of the difficulty, not peculiar to Christ Church alone, nor indeed to Western Australia, of procuring an adequate teaching staff.

"Of the two candidates successful at last year's Naval examination, Rushton and Lovegrove, Lovegrove has entered the Royal Australian Naval College at Jervis Bay. For the third year in succession Giles i., won one of the first prizes offered by the Royal Agricultural Society, and Hill i., won the second prize in the same section.

"The title of Champion Athlete for 1920 was won by R. A. Christison, while R. G. Lynn was "runner-up."

"The shallow water on the beach in front of "Romsey" makes an ideal and safe place for instruction in swimming, and the considerable use already made of this convenience has greatly improved the swimming powers of many of the boys."—

The following is the list of prize winners:—

I. UPPER.

Dickson—Dux.
Thomas—Arith. and Read.
Stone—Writing.

I. LOWER.

Daly—Read. and Tables.
Jennings ii—Writing and Oral Work.

UPPER SCHOOL.

VI.

Calthrop i—General Form.
Giles i—English and History.
Hill i—Latin, French, Maths., Science.
May i—General Form.
Balme—General Form.

V.A.

Wright ii—English, Latin, French, Geog., Drawing.
Evans—Latin, French, and Maths.
Prior—History, Geog.
Robertson—Bookkeeping.
Porter—General Form.

V.B.

Hill ii—Divinity and General Form.
Turner—Eng., Hist., Geog., Science.
Andrew i—Eng., Lat., Fr. French, Maths.
Fulton—Lat. and Up. French, Hist. and Geog.
Jones—Drawing.
Drummond i—Gen. Form.

MIDDLE SCHOOL.

REMOVE.

Cox—Maths. and Bkkg., Div., Hist., Geog.
Andrew ii—English.
Armstrong—Latin, French.
Calthrop iii—Div. and Gen. Form.
Ling ii—Gen. Form.
May ii—Gen. Form.
Calthrop ii—Unbroken attendance for 3 years.

IV.A.

Moore—Div., Eng., Lat.
Lodge—History and Geog.
Lorrigan—Maths.

IV.B.

Paget—Div., Eng., Lat., Arith, Hist., Geog.

IV.G.

Miller—Div., Eng., Maths.

Gibson ii—Lat., Hist., Geog.

LOWER SCHOOL.

III.

Gregory—Dux.

Bland—Arith.

Gregory—Read., Spell., Comp.

Vallentine—Writing and Draw.

Sounness i—Div., Hist. and Geog.

Sharkey—Nature Study.

II.

Jennings i—Dux—Div., Hist., Geog.

Andrew iii—Arith.

Pearce ii—Arith.

Unbehaun ii—English.

Smith—Writing and Drawing.

GYMNASTICS.

Bar—Robertson.

Free Gym.—Balme.

Swedish Ex.—Christison.

Wands—Calthrop iii.

Champion Athlete, 1920—1 Christison, 2 Lynn.

The Library.

During the term the following books have been added to the Library:—

Presented by Val Lee:—

The Swiss Family Robinson, The World of Peril, Oliver Twist, Martin Rattler, The Great Cattle Trail, Midshipman Easy, Robinson Crusoe, The Wonderful Travels, Tad, The Young Fur Traders, The Hunt of the Wild Elephant, Peter the Whaler, Quentin Durward, Hunters of the Ozark, Early Days in Australia.

Purchased from the Library Fund:—

Across the Island Continent, Adventures of Carlo, Children of Persia, Cossack and Czar, The Dreadnought of the Darling, Fascination of the King, The Gayton Scholarship, Guy Power's Watchword, Held Fast for England, The Life of Nelson, A Mariner of England, Modern Explorers; Pathfinders of To-day, The Riverton Boys, The Reckington Schoolmaster, Story of Sir Francis Drake, Story of General Gordon, Stories from English History, Savage Africa, Swift and Sure, The Two Supercargoes, Tom Kenyon, Westward with Columbus, The World of Peril.

From other sources:—

Adventures of Carlo, Children of Persia, The Don and the Dancer, Fireside, Fairies and Flower Fancies, Irish Nuns at Yypres, In Flora's Realm, Jackanapes, If I Were King George, The Kingdom of Slender Swords, Light Freights, The Little Candler, The Little Hero, Marigold's Fancies, North and South, Rob Roy, Through the Looking Glass, The Wilds of Florida.

The Library Committee consists of Mr. W. F. Pre-show Coyle and Lee.

Form Notes.

Vith FORM NOTES.

New members of the Form are R. G. Wright, W. Evans, and R. G. Lynn.

The Editor has omitted the remainder of the Vith Form notes as not sufficiently upholding the dignity of that Form which should set the standard to the other Forms.

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FORM VA. NOTES.

(J.H.R.—J.H.D.)

This year we number twenty two, all students, preparing for the forthcoming Junior University Examinations.

We are well represented in the School Teams. There are five in the 1st XI., two in the Tennis Four, and there will probably be about eight in the 1st XVIII.

D. A. Price was successful in winning for himself the title of champion swimmer for the year 1921.

This year we welcome as our new Maths. master, Mr K. W. Burnside, B.Sc.

We have two or three well developed orators in the Form and they often cause amusement by attempting to convince the Form that they know better than the master. "Curly" also caused laughter by his dramatic reading of Shakespeare.



PREFECT NOTES.

The only prefect to leave last year was R. A. Christison, who is helping his father on the farm at Tammin. We welcome R. G. Wright and J. H. Drummond, who were appointed at the beginning of the year.

There was much discussion as to whether Brownie ii., or Jennings ii., should be created prefects, others thought that perhaps Giles i. would fill the "bill." However, it was finally decided on Drummond and Wright. The prefects are raising a subscription for a wardrobe for their room, when it happens along.

We're quite patriotic nowadays, our noble leader Lance Private Todd has been holidaying at Karrakatta. There is a rumour about that he makes an excellent sentry. We have it on a reliable source that he arrested the O.C. one night.

As a chemist, we believe that one of our number excels himself. We heard that the other day at the Laboratory he narrowly escaped annihilating himself and the other members of the class.

The prefects this year are:—R. A. Todd (Head Prefect) H. Calthrop, R. G. Lynn, J. H. Balme, C. W. May, J. H. Robertson, H. M. Hill, J. H. Drummond and R. G. Wright.

The University Exams.

Last November seven candidates sat for the Junior, and of these Wright ii. was the only one to gain a certificate by passing in five subjects, while Evans i., and Eaton missed the certificate by one subject. Of the other four Wright i. passed in Geography, Prior in English, History and Geography, Giles ii. in English, History and Drawing, Lynn in English, Geography and Drawing. Other boys sat for a preliminary canter and passed in from 1 to 3 subjects. In addition to these several sat for individual subjects, Hill i. passing in French, Latin, Biology, Giles i. in French, May i. in Latin, Todd in French, Balme in French and Latin, and Calthrop i. in Latin at the Junior Standard and in English and History at the leaving standard. Altogether, omitting boys who sat for the experience 46 papers were taken and 32 passes obtained. This year we expect to do much better and hope to beat our success of 1919, when we obtained 7 certificates. Exam. boys, it rests with yourselves.

The Science Room.

Last year Biology was the only Science subject taught, but this year Physics has also been taken up, and next year we hope to add to these Chemistry. Physics is that Science which tries to explain how and why things happen. The cost of equipping the Science Room has been considerable as the apparatus required is both expensive and difficult to procure.

The Science Room is 24ft. by 12ft., and is well lighted by two pairs of sliding windows, and by fanlights above the doors. It is fitted with a blackboard at one end, a demonstration table in front of it, and three students' benches arranged at equal intervals across the length of the room. These benches are fitted with sliding doors and can be used as cupboards.

A series of experiments is arranged and each boy actually performs each experiment himself. The method

of carrying out the experiment, together with the results arrived at, are recorded by the students.

The apparatus includes a balance weighing from 500 grms. to 0.01 grms, a small air pump and several barometer tubes, besides test tubes, flasks, beakers, etc. The apparatus is only sufficient for a first year course, but we hope that next year the range will be greatly extended.

Games Sections.

HIGHBURY.

In order to arouse more enthusiasm in the games, the school has been divided into three sections, or at least some of us think one section, and for the sake of convenience, two other divisions.

This section Highbury, is at present a few points behind the two divisions, but of course it is not polite to be too pushing, and we, none of us, have any doubt as to the position which we will occupy at the end of the year.

Unlike the others, especially Queenslea, we do not rely on any one member, but all do our share. Having scored most points in cricket and tennis, we confidently look forward to football next term, and the athletics and cricket in the third team.

Hoping that these few remarks will in no way dishearten either Queenslea or Romsey members, we will close wishing them moderate success in the future.



ROMSEY SECTION.

It's the same old story, Romsey on top, Queenslea far behind and Highbury nearing the horizon. It was the firm opinion of the members of the Queenslea and Highbury sections that the seemingly insignificant speck "Romsey" would without doubt, occupy the position of disgrace among the sections, but there is much truth in the saying, "The exception proves the rule," and "Rom-

sey is now far ahead, and always will be, of the other sections.

"Romsey" gained the highest points, namely 76, in the swimming carnival, and Price, the champion swimmer, and Dalton i., the champion diver, belong to this section. In the section cricket matches we have also excelled, defeating both Highbury and Queenslea with great ease. Likewise in tennis we have held our ground only being beaten occasionally.

The chief scorers for the section have been:—Walsh i. (20 points), Dalton i. (16 points), Giles i. (15 points), Price (12 points), Todd (11 points), Cramond (10 points).



QUEENSLEA.

This section is admitted by all, at least by all who have the luck to be members of it, to be by far the best in the school. Our superiority in cricket is unquestionable, although we allowed a vastly inferior section to win one match against us. Highbury received short shrift at our hands, and the game was not nearly as even as the scores seem to indicate. At the end of the year we intend to carry off all the cricketing honours.

We were just defeated in swimming by Romsey, while Highbury came in far behind us. At present we are coming second in points, Romsey being ahead of us by one. We have among us about half of the XI, including Balme, Drummond, Porter, Brown and Lovegrove. The latter is our champion scorer, having gained points in most of the under 11 and under 15 matches.

It would be a matter of little surprise to us if, after the football next term, the other sections had advanced about 3 points each, while we were well on into our third century. Still we advise them not to worry for they have not the slightest chance of beating a section composed of the flower of the school.



Final position:—Romsey 140, Queenslea 139, Highbury 131.

Cricket.

The most noteworthy event in the Cricket life of the school this term, was the opening of the "Field" by Mrs. Noake, on May 2nd, the day on which the annual Old Boys' match was played. Although the pitch was not in first class order for the occasion, we sincerely hope that the match is in no way typical of those which are to follow. Indeed we are sure that such is not the case, for only a fortnight later we were able to win a more decisive victory against the fathers than the Old Boys did against us. The results of these matches follow.

As our own pitch was not used at all before May 2nd, we had to depend for most of our practice on the use of the Claremont Oval and unfortunately for us, for one reason and another, this was only available on two or three occasions during the first half term. However, we were not disheartened, and by using our own field for fielding practice, the team improved in that department of the game very much indeed.

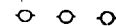
Our bowling, as the averages show, remains consistently good throughout the term. The batting on the other hand was weak, being left to a very few members of the team. This is particularly so in the under age teams, but can be partly accounted for by the lack of practice wickets mentioned before. The most successful batsmen in the under 14 team was Lovegrove. In this team also our bowling was good. Hill ii., Lovegrove ii., all obtaining good averages. With much improved facilities next term, we hope to bring this branch of the game up to the same standard as that of the bowling. For several reasons, chiefly want of ground, we had to cancel several matches. Congratulations to Hill i., Robertson, Brown, Walsh i., for winning cricket colours.



CRICKET CHARACTERS.

Calthrop i. (Captain).—Makes a good captain, very keen, and sets a good example to his team. Good field and bat.

Todd (Vice-Captain).—Backs up his captain well. Too cramped in his batting. Good bowler and field.
 Drummond.—Good bat and bowler.
 Lynn.—Very fair wicket-keeper, good field, must watch the ball more when batting.
 Balme.—Very fair bat, good bowler and field.
 Robertson.—Fair field. Must try harder for better results.
 Hill i.—Batting only fair. Must put more enthusiasm into all his games.
 Porter.—Good bowler and field, fair bat. Should show more interest at practice.
 Giles i.—Fair bat, good field. More enthusiasm at practice would give much better results.
 Walsh i.—Good, steady bat, and field.
 Brown.—Fair bat, good field.
 Atkinson.—Fair bat and field.
 Lovegrove.—Good bat and field.



THE OLD BOYS' MATCH

The annual match against the Old Boys was played on the 2nd May, and had the honour of being the first match played on the School Oval. Before play commenced, Mrs. Noake hit the first ball, from Todd's bowling, thus opening the ground. The interest from the beginning was keen, owing to the bat, presented by the school, which would be won by the present boy who made the highest score. Porter was the lucky one. There was quite a large attendance of friends and relations, and at 4 p.m. the players and on-lookers adjourned for afternoon tea on the lawn in front of the school.

RESULT OF THE MATCH—LOST.

Old Boys'—1st innings 90 (Gomme 25, Broadhurst 20, Brooking 16 not out).

Bowling: Broadhurst 6 for 8.

Second Innings 3 for 83 (Gomme 48, Broadhurst 21 not out).

Bowling: Hodge 5 for 23.

Present Boys—1st innings 25 (Lovegrove 5, Drummond 4, Todd 4).

Bowling: Drummond 4 for 24. Porter 5 for 34.

Second Innings (Porter 9, Giles 14).

Bowling: Calthrop 1 for 6, Balme 1 for 11, Porter 1 for 38.

BATTING.

	No. of Innings.	Not Out.	Highest Score.	Runs.	Average.
Calthrop	6	1	50*	119	23.8
Brown	2	1	15†	16	16
Porter	4	1	25†	44	14.6
Todd	5	1	30†	47	9.4
Giles	7	—	14	61	8.71
Drummond	7	1	18†	44	7.33
Walsh	6	4	5†	14	7.
Lynn	6	—	16	33	5.5
Atkinson	2	—	8	10	5
Robertson	2	—	5	5	2.5
Balme	4	—	4	5	1.25

* Retired. † Not out.

BOWLING.

Todd	16 for 44	— 2.75
Balme	8 for 57	— 7.1
Drummond	12 for 98	— 8.1
Porter	12 for 118	— 8.9

Mr. S. R. L. Elliott and the Hon. R. J. Lynn have between them presented a roller to weigh up to 10cwt. to the school for use on the new games ground. We all thank these two gentlemen most heartily for their useful gift, which we badly needed.

THE PARENTS' MATCH.

On Saturday, 9th April, a cricket match was played between the boys and a team of fathers. The parents' team consisted of Messrs. John (capt.), Sudlow, Moore, Lynn, Dalton, Cramond, Sewell, Barrymore, Ling, and Brown (master); while Calthrop i (capt.), Todd, Drummond, Balme, Lynn, Giles, Lovegrove, Walsh i, Hill i, Robertson, and Atkinson represented the school.

The boys batted first. Calthrop i made top score with 30, secured by excellent cricket. Giles 6, Lovegrove 6, Atkinson 8, and Todd 5, also showed very good form.

The parents' fielding was excellent, considering the lapse of time since the majority of them had taken part in a game. Mr. Sudlow, in particular, was very noticeable for his excellent work behind the stumps, and Mr. Lynn fielded splendidly some very hot drives.

When the parents went in to bat, it was immediately noticeable that they were not as active as they once had been. Mr. Sudlow, who made 6, batted well, but was completely beaten by Drummond with a beautiful off-break. Mr. Dalton showed that he could still drive a

ball with some force, but was very unfortunate in being run out with his score at 1. Mr. John was also run out for 1 after making some good strokes.

The boys had reached a total of 84 in their innings, and as the parents had managed to get together only 12, it was decided to put them in again.

Afternoon tea was served to the visitors, and after a short interval the parents again went in to bat. In this innings they managed to reach 24, so that the boys won by an innings and 48 runs. Mr. Moore made top score, 6, while Mr. Sudlow, after scoring 3, hit the ball right into the hands of Walsh at square-leg.

The detailed scores were:—

BOYS.

Drummond, c Mr. Sudlow, b Mr. John	3
Giles i, c Mr. Barrymore, b Mr. Moore	6
Calthrop i, not out	30
Lynn, c Mr. Cramond, b Mr. John	14
Todd, c Mr. Sudlow, b Mr. Moore	5
Balme, c Mr. Dalton, b Mr. John	4
Atkinson, b Mr. Cramond	8
Lovegrove, b Mr. John	6
Walsh, run out	4
Hill, c Mr. Barrymore, b Mr. John	0
Robertson, b Mr. John	0
Sundries	4

Total .. 84

Bowling: Mr. John 6 for 19, Mr. Cramond 1 for 9, Mr. Moore 2 for 29.

PARENTS.

First Innings.

Mr. Dalton, run out	1
Mr. Cramond, b Drummond	0
Mr. Sudlow, b Drummond	6
Mr. Moore, c Drummond, b Balme	1
Mr. John, run out	1
Mr. Sewell, b Balme	0
Mr. Barrymore, b Drummond	2
Mr. Lynn, b Drummond	0
Mr. Ling, b Drummond	0
Mr. Brown, c Calthrop, b Balme	1
Mr. Moore, not out	0

Total .. 12

Bowling: Balme 3 for 4, Drummond 5 for 8.

THE MITRE.

Second Innings.

Mr. Dalton, c Calthrop, b Todd	0
Mr. Cramond, c Hill, b Todd	2
Mr. Sudlow, c Walsh, b Lovegrove	3
Mr. Moore, b Lovegrove	2
Mr. John, c Drummond, b Giles	6
Mr. Sewell, b Lovegrove	0
Mr. Barrymore, c Balme, b Calthrop	0
Mr. Lynn, run out	1
Mr. Ling, b Giles	0
Mr. Brown, not out	3
Mr. John, c Calthrop, b Giles	6
Sundries	1

Total 24

Bowling: Lovegrove 3 for 4, Giles 3 for 6, Todd 2 for 7, Calthrop 1 for 6.

In the course of a little speech at afternoon tea, the Headmaster expressed his pleasure at seeing so many parents present. He was certain that the school had a wonderful future before it, and he hoped that the parents would at all times give the school their utmost support. It was in the power of the parents to provide better facilities for sport for the boys, and he thanked them, especially Mr. Sudlow, for the interest they had shown in the school, the boys, and all matters pertaining to the school.

The Hon. R. J. Lynn, M.L.C., in replying on behalf of the parents, thanked Mr. and Mrs. Noake, and the Matron, for the reception they had been given. He hoped that the match they had played that day would be the first of a series of annual fixtures. They had given the boys an opportunity of beating their fathers, but he hoped that next year the tables would be turned. In conclusion he expressed the wish that the parents would always give any assistance they could to the school.

Mr. F. B. Sewell, of Malaya, took a photograph of the combined teams, an enlarged copy of which he has kindly presented to the school. This we have framed and hung in the dining-room. We thank Mr. Sewell for his gift.

1st XI.

C.C.S. v P.H.S., AT KING'S PARK.

Result—Lost.

P.H.S. 74 (Male 19, Johnsor 17, Airey 13).

THE MITRE.

C.C.S.: 1st inning 62 (Lynn 16, Lovegrove 10, Giles 10); 2nd innings 1 for 35 (Drummond 18 not out).

Bowling: Todd 4 for 7, Porter 6 for 36.

C.C.S. v. C.E.G.S., AT CLAREMONT OVAL.

Result—Won.

C.C.S. 4 for 113 (Calthrop 37, Todd 30 not out, Porter 25 not out).

Bowling: Balme 4 for 20, Todd 3 for 17.

C.E.G.S. 56 (Watts 22, Payne 15).

C.C.S. v P.H.S., AT CLAREMONT OVAL.

Result—Won.

C.C.S. 112 (Calthrop 50 retired, Drummond 16, Brown 15 not out).

Bowling: Todd 6 for 12, Drummond 3 for 21.

P.H.S. 40 (Nathan 16).

Tennis Club Notes.

(G.L.)

The inaugural meeting of the School Tennis Club was held on March 3. A court was obtained from the Claremont Tennis Club, and Miss Edwards offered her court, so that now the club has two courts in full swing.

The election of officers was held and resulted: President, Mr. J. V. Brown; Committee, K. Calthrop, G. Lynn, H. Hill; Secretary and Treasurer, G. Lynn.

The Committee and Members of the Club would like to thank Miss Edwards for her court, and also the Claremont Tennis Club for the use of their roller, which they so kindly lent us.

It was the intention of the Club to hold a tournament but the Section matches interfered with this. However, it is expected that next term all arrangements will be finalised for the holding of a tournament, which, it is hoped, will become an annual fixture. The results of the Section matches are to hand. Highbury, who proved their undoubted superiority, lost only one set, and finished first with 13 out of a possible 14 points, followed by Romsey, 6 points, and Queenslea, 2 points.

Following are the detailed scores:—

April 5th and 7th—HIGHBURY v. ROMSEY.

Calthrop (H) defeated Cox (R), 6—2.
Lynn (H) defeated Giles (R), 6—4.
H. Hill (H) defeated Wright (R), 6—2.
W. May (H) lost to Walsh (R), 3—6.
Calthrop and Lynn (H) defeated Giles and Wright (R), 6—2.
Hill and May (H) defeated Cox and Walsh (R), 6—3.
Totals—Highbury, 5 sets 3 games; Romsey, 1 set 19 games.

April 12th and 14th—ROMSEY v. QUEENSLEA.

Giles (R) lost to Porter (Q), 1—6.
Prior (R) lost to Drummond (Q), 7—9.
Cox (R) defeated Hill (Q), 7—5.
Wright (R) defeated Williams (Q), 6—2.
Giles and Cox (R) defeated Porter and Drummond (Q), 6—3.
Prior and Wright (R) defeated G. Hill and Williams (Q), 6—3.
Totals—Romsey, 4 sets 33 games; Queenslea, 2 sets 27 games.

April 19th and 21st—HIGHBURY v. QUEENSLEA.

Calthrop (H) defeated Porter (Q), 7—5.
Lynn (H) defeated Drummond (Q), 6—3.
H. Hill (H) defeated G. Hill (Q), 6—1.
Mr. Brown (H) defeated Mr. Beere (Q), 6—0.
Calthrop and Lynn (H) defeated Porter and Drummond (R), 6—4.
Mr. Brown and H. Hill (H) defeated Mr. Beere and G. Hill (Q), 6—1.
Totals—Highbury, 6 sets 37 games; Queenslea, 0 sets 14 games.

Swimming.

Swimming sports this year will be under the management of a Committee consisting of Messrs. Beere, Robertson and Price. It has been decided to hold the Life saving Class during the third term instead of, as originally planned, the first. On Saturday, 25th February, we held our biennial contest with the High School Junior Swimming Club. The results were as follows—

50 Yards (Under 15).—Brown (H.S.), 1; Watson (H.S.), 2; Curlewis (C.C.C.), 3; Officer (H.S.), 4.

220 Yards (Under 15).—Brown (H.S.), 1; Watson (H.S.), 2; Trenaman (H.S.), 3; Walsh (C.C.S.), 4.

100 Yards (Under 14).—Breen (H.S.), 1; Lovegrove (C.C.S.), 2; Ambrose (H.S.), 3; Curlewis (C.C.S.), 4.

50 Yards Breaststroke (Under 15).—Officer (H.S.), 1; Trenaman (H.S.), 2; Curlewis (C.C.S.), 3; McGibbon (H.S.), 4.

50 Yards Breaststroke (Under 14).—Chase (H.S.), 1; Breen (H.S.), 2; Curlewis (C.C.S.), 3; Broadbent (H.S.), 4.

50 Yards (under 13).—Milner (H.S.), 1; Cramond (C.C.S.), 2; Dalton (C.C.S.), 3; Hales (H.S.), 4.

50 Yards Breaststroke (Under 13).—Cramond (C.C.S.), 1; Dalton (C.C.S.), 2; Stuart (C.C.S.), 3; Officer (H.S.), 4.

50 Yards (Under 12).—Officer (H.S.), 1; Dalton (C.C.S.), 2; John (C.C.S.), 3; Law Smith (H.S.), 4.

50 Yards (Under 11).—Dalton iii. (C.C.S.), 1; Noble (H.S.), 2; Draper (H.S.), 3; Martin (C.C.S.), 4.

25 Yards (Under 10).—Unbehaun ii. (C.C.S.), 1; Dalton iii. (C.C.S.), 2; Forrest (H.S.), 3; Dean (H.S.), 4.

Neat Dive.—Officer (H.S.), 1; Lovegrove (C.C.S.), 2; McGibbon (H.S.), 3; Hales (H.S.), 4.

High Dive.—Noble (H.S.), 1; Mitchell ii. (C.C.S.), 2; Dalton (C.C.S.), 3; Officer (H.S.), 4.

Points: H.S., 79; C.C.S., 53.

On Saturday, 12th March, our own Annual Sports were held at the Claremont Baths. Keener interest was excited by reason of the division of the School into three sections, viz., Romsey (R.), Queenslea (Q.), Highbury (H.). The results were:—

100 Yards Championship (Open).—Price (R.), 1; Calthrop (H.), 2; Balme (Q.), 3; Robertson (H.), 4.

50 Yards Championship (Under 15).—Lovegrove (Q.), 1; Walsh i. (R.), 2; Ouston (H.), 3; Mitchell (Q.), 4.

Long Dive.—Dalton i. (R.), 1; Robertson (H.), 2; Connor (Q.), 3; Hamilton (R.), 4.

Cork and Spoon Race, 1st Heat.—Andrew i. (H.), 1; Giles i. (R.), 2; Walsh i. (R.), 3.

Cork and Spoon Race, 2nd Heat.—Hill i. (H), 1; Mitchell ii. (Q.), 2; Atkinson (R.), 3.

Cork and Spoon Race, Final.—Walsh i. (R.), 1; Hill i. (H.), 2; Atkinson (R.), 3.

50 Yards Champion Breaststroke (Under 13).—Cramond (R.), 1; Dalton i. (R.), 2; Walsh ii. (H.), 3; Sharkey (Q.), 4.

50 Yards Handicap (Open).—First Heat: Lodge (Q.), 1; Cox (R.), 2; Mitchell ii. (Q.), 3.

50 Yards Handicap (Open).—Second Heat: Porter (Q.), 1; Balme (Q.), 2; Andrew i. (H.), 3.

50 Yards Handicap (Open).—Final: Porter (Q.), 1; Lodge (Q.), 2; Balme (Q.), 3.

50 Yards Championship (Under 14).—Lodge (Q.), 1; Lovegrove (Q.), 2; Unbehaun i. (Q.), 3; Ouston (H.), 4.

50 Yards Handicap (Under 13).—Andrew ii. (Q.), 1; Cramond (R.), 2; Dalton i. (R.), 3.

Neat Dive.—Balme (Q.), 1; Lovegrove (Q.), 2; Dalton i. (R.), 3.

220 Yards Championship (Open).—Price (R.), 1; Calthrop i. (H.), 2; Atkinson (R.), 3.

220 Yards Handicap (Open).—Hamilton (R.), 1; Porter (Q.), 2; Walsh, (R.), 3.

30 Yards Handicap (Under 10).—Dalton ii. (H.), 1; Unbehaun ii. (R.), 2; Pearce i. (Q.), 3.

100 Yards Handicap (Under 15).—Hamilton (R.), 1; Walsh (R.), 2; Ouston (H.), 3.

50 Yards Breaststroke Championship (Open).—Robertson (H.), 1; Giles i. (R.), 2; Andrew i. (H.), 3.

50 Yards Handicap (Under 14).—Lodge (Q.), 1; Corboy, i. (H.), 2; Unbehaun i. (Q.), 3.

100 Yards Championship (Under 16).—Porter (Q.), 1; Giles i. (R.), 2; Hill i. (H.), 3; Hamilton (R.), 4.

High Dive.—Dalton i. (R.), 1; Lovegrove (Q.), 2; Price (R.), 3; Mitchell ii. (Q.), 4.

50 Yards Handicap Breaststroke (Under 16).—Connor (Q.), 1; Porter (Q.), 2; Francis (R.), 3.

Inter-Section Relay Race.—Romsey 1; Queenslea, 2; Highbury, 3.

Consolation Race.—Calthrop i. (H.), 1; Giles (R.), 2; Drummond (Q.), 3.

The section points gained were:—Romsey, 70; Queenslea, 59; Highbury, 35.

The Champion Medal for Champion Swimmer was won by Price who scored 12 points.

The Prizes, medals for the Championship Events and books for the others were presented to the winners by A. H. Drake-Brockman, Esq., during assembly one morning.

During the first half of the present term we enjoyed a good deal of swimming on the foreshore in front of Romsey.

Our Mission Boys.

In our last issue we were able to publish a letter from Mr. G. R. Freeman giving us some particulars of Arthur Ahmar, our Forrest River boy.

Mr. A. J. Batchelor, Secretary of the Australian Board of Missions, for W.A., kindly supplies the following information about Michael Kirai, our New Guinea Boy:—"Michael Kirai is a boarder at Uiaku, and is 13 years old. He had been attending instruction for two years and was then admitted as a boarder, being subsequently baptised and confirmed. He is an intelligent boy, always looking for work." We hope later on to be able to procure photographs of Arthur and Michael.

Early in the term we had a visit from Rev. E. R. Gribble, Superintendent of the Forrest River Mission, and we all enjoyed the address he gave us at the School Service. £7 10s. has already been paid towards the £10 which it costs to support these two boys. Towards the balance of £2 10s. which we have to find by the 30th June, we have in hand the sum of 5s. 6d.

Old Boys' Association.

THE ANNUAL MEETING.

The fifth annual general meeting of the Old Boys' Association was held in the Parish Hall, Claremont, on Friday, March 18th, 1921. There were present: Messrs. S. C. Noake (President), W. F. Preshaw, and W. H. Hope (Vice-Presidents), and about 20 old boys. The following office-bearers were elected for the year:—

President, Mr. S. C. Noake; Vice-Presidents, Mr. A. R. Cox, Rev. Canon McClemons, Messrs. W. F. Preshaw, S. Elliott, W. H. Hope, J. V. Brown; Chairman, Mr. E. Gomme; Hon. Sec., Mr. L. E. Pearce; Assistant Hon. Sec., Mr. J. E. D. Battye; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. M. S. Brooking; Committee of five, Messrs. Adamson, Kendall, Lord, Montgomery and Ross.

Although there were not many present, the spirit of

the meeting was good. Some rather lively discussions took place, between the members. Altogether we consider we have made a good start for this year. The committee men and office-bearers are all keen, and with the whole-hearted support of the members there is no reason why we should not have a very successful year. Two committee meetings have been held up to date (20/4/21), a full attendance being recorded at both. One of the first things done was to draw up a programme for the year. It is as follows:—

April.—Cricket match, Past v. Present.

Beginning June.—Football match btwen Old Boys.

End June.—Annual dinner.

July.—Annual dance.

August.—Football match, Past v. Present.

September.—Dance.

October.—Annual Sports.

November.—River Picnic.

February, 1922.—Euchre Tournament.

The first item has already taken place (much to the discomfiture of the present boys) when a very pleasant Saturday afternoon was spent on the school oval.

Due notice will be given before the other fixtures and it is sincerely hoped that they will be well supported by the Old Boys.

Subscriptions.—All Old Boys are reminded that the "subs." for the year are now due (5/). If you have not already done so "Do it Now." If we are to succeed we must have financial support. The committee look to you for that support. At present there are about 160 on our roll, and of that number only about 20 are financial. Do your bit to raise that number immediately.

Withnell Memorial.—You will all remember our late old schoolfellow, Algy Withnell. The O.B.A. decided to erect a tablet to his memory in Christ Church, Clarendon. This was unveiled by His Grace, the Archbishop on Sunday, April 24, in the presence of his mother and a large gathering of past and present boys. Whilst mourning his loss we feel proud that one of our number was "faithful unto death." It is only fitting that we should raise a

suitable memorial "lest we forget." The tablet is placed on the south wall of the Church, against where the present boys sit in service. It will remind them that their school was not behind when the call came.

The secretary is always anxious to receive news from ex-students of Christ Church, to hear of their doings, and to let others know through these columns. If you have any news send it along to the secretary at Shenton-road, Clarendon. The editor is anxious to devote more space to the Old Boys.

Christison writes to us from Tammin, wishing us the best of success. We heartily reciprocate the feeling. Another Old Boy, S. Jackman, is doing well at Wickopin.

School "Blazer."—Any Old Boy who desires to have a blazer can get one by applying to the headmaster for an order. It is worth having, and very useful. The price is 32/6, and it can be obtained at Bromham and Co., Bay View Terrace, Clarendon.

Among the various business houses that serve as stepping tones to success in the commercial world for our Old Boys, Elder Smith and Co., Limited, stands at the head. In this firm there are no less than one master and 16 boys, who used to be members of Christ Church School. This is indeed a record and we look forward to seeing a few more start life in E.S. and Co. The following of our number are in Elders:—C. H. Golding (old master), Messrs. Ross, L. Pearce, S. Montgomery, Collison, Elgee, Kendall, McLagan, W. Walker, Boys, Weston, Howe, L. Cox, A. Pearse, Melson, F. Broadhurst, Hodge.

Old Boys and others may have the *MITRE* posted to them on sending 1/8 to the Editor, Christ Church School, Clarendon.

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"THEY SAY IN ELDERS."

L. Weston is steadily improving under Ruth's fatherly hand. The rapid progress of the merchandise department is due to the good work of R. Kendall.

Ross is head of the nursery but can't keep the juniors quiet.

What do you know about Bill Walters "tar brush?"

Harold has had a 6d. hair trim.

"Granny" has taken the name of "Anzac." He is at present (23/4/21) doing time in Karrakatta.

Monty has a mania for walking from Subiaco to Midland Junction at midnight.

The Old Master is putting on condition. Does he ever work?

Howe has just done time—in camp.

What's the attraction in the Shipping Department?

"Granny," "Jumbo" and "Mac" are there.

Les. ("Senator") tries to account for "Rogger's" misdeeds with the stamp box; while Howe and Weston threaten anything up to murder if he can't make a reconciliation for them.

N. Jacoby has just left us to go globe trotting.

Can't say anything about Cox, Melson and A. Pearse; they're in Fremantle office, so we hear very little of them.

"Broady" and Hodge are going on the land.

Gill Tuckfield has gone north. Before leaving his pals gave him a rousing bucks party. Many were not home after till 2 a.m. His address is, c/o of Forrest Bros., Minderoo Station, Onslow.

Merv. Brooking does very well in Hay-street, opposite the Ritz Hotel.

Jim Battye and "Ginger" Piesse doing honest toil in the "Terrace."

Our old Scotch friend, Jack Paterson, is still alive and well, although we have not heard from him directly. He is at present in Glasgow.

Another Old Boy in Glasgow is N. Porter.

"Teddie" Haywood has gone to sea again. Knocking around South Africa somewhere.

Castilla in Broome, Phil Parker in India, Tom Parker in Burma, Laing in Penang, Paterson and Porter in Glasgow. Our old friends are widely scattered. Others are all over this State—too numerous to mention.

There is an old saying that birds of a feather flock to-

gether. It certainly looks like it when one contemplates the staff of Elder, Smith and Co. There are three of us together in that most excellent of citizen force companies—the A.G.A.—Eric Gomme, Les. Pearse, and J. Nicholson. What Gomme does not know about boats isn't worth knowing.

T. Wyatt is taxi-driving in Perth.

K Whitlock has been transferred from Dowerin to Wagin,



Another one to try his luck up North is Gilbert Tuckfield. "Gillie" left on Sunday, 17th April, by the Minderoo bound for Minderoo Station. On the Thursday evening, previous to the day of sailing, he entertained a number of his friends at his home in Claremont, where a very enjoyable evening was spent. A toast was proposed, wishing him every success and happiness in his future occupation. Mrs. Tuckfield provided a very nice and ample supper, which everyone appreciated. A vote of thanks for her kindness was carried with acclamation. Another Christ Church Old Boy to accompany him is Neathcote Hodge, who is en route for the same station. "Heccy" ought to have a great chance of doing well in this stage of life, as he has passed through the course of woolclassing at the Perth Technical School.

Congratulations to Jack Eaton on winning a six-months' scholarship tenable at the Underwood Business College. The course consists of bookkeeping and accountancy, commercial English, commercial history, commercial geography, and civics and economics.