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EDITORIAL

This year has been a memorable one for the school. In June Queen Elizabeth was crowned, and in August the School Memorial Wing was opened by the Governor, Sir Charles Gairdner.

The two events have something in common. This common factor, however, is not confined merely to a coronation oath and a memorial's dedication. It may be found during the course of any nation's progress, and can be traced through Australian pioneering history. It is the element of self-sacrifice.

In her appeal to the Youth of the Commonwealth, our Queen pledged herself to a life of service to her people and her country. She invited the young people of this nation to help her in spirit, and share the burden by devoting their lives to developing an universal feeling of international brotherhood.

The Old Boys' Memorial Building is dedicated to those ex-Christ Church men who voluntarily gave their lives for their country during the two World Wars. While the Queen, by proclamation, invited the Youth of Australia to share her pledge, the voice of the dead gives us an open invitation, the urgency of which is in no way lessened by the silence of those who made the supreme sacrifice.

Selfishness and total lack of consideration for others have results which are readily apparent in world affairs today. Self-abnegation is the only answer to the problem of international relations. Any loss which we, as individuals, suffer in seeking to gain this end is well worth the trouble; for there is implicit in sacrifice a challenge to those who follow.

SCHOOL NOTES

This year we welcome to the senior school Mr. D. E. Hutchison, an Old Boy of the school, who is teaching physics. He is also a hockey enthusiast and has been a great help to our hockey team this season. Mr. Hutchison took the place of Mr. Higgins who left at the end of first term. To the preparatory school staff we welcome Miss A. West and Mr. A. Woodbury.

The Annual Anzac Day church parade and service was held in Christ Church on Friday, 24th April.

The army cadets went to the Northam Camp for their Annual Camp during the last week of the first term.

June 2nd was a holiday in honour of the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II. A special Coronation Service was held on June 1st.

The Prefects' Dance, held on June 19th, in the Myola Hall, was a great social and financial success.

There are now 302 boys on the School Roll, a considerable increase when compared with last year's numbers. 141 of these are boarders. The Headmaster granted the School a holiday on Monday, 26th October, because the roll had reached the 300 mark.

Groups of boys from the School attended the A.B.C. Schools' Orchestral Concerts, plays presented by the Repertory Club and by the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre Company and the Science Exhibition at the University.

On June 26th the Cadet Corps was inspected by Major-General Hopkins of the Royal Military College, Duntroon. Afterwards, in the Parish Hall, the General spoke to the Corps and a film about the life at Duntroon was shown.

On August 9th the new classrooms were officially opened by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Charles Gairdner, who said that the Wing of three classrooms was a visible memorial to those members of the school who laid down their lives during the wars. The Archbishop of Perth (Dr. R. W. H. Moline), assisted by Rev. L. R. Jupp, dedicated the building. About 500 people attended the ceremony which included an inspection of a Guard of Honour by Sir Charles.

During second term, cross-country runs were held every Wednesday afternoon for those not playing in the football teams.

There was a concert in the Myola Hall, Claremont, on October 30th, arranged by Miss Linda Marsh. The proceeds from this evening were given to the Memorial Building Fund.

Many parents, friends of the school and boys are working hard for the School Fair, which is to be held on December 5th. Last year's Fair added approximately £1,200 to the Building Fund.

Congratulations to—

All boys whose names appear under the heading "School Officers", and all other boys who hold responsible positions in the school.

All winners of Junior and Leaving Certificates (see below).

All winners of prizes and challenge cups (see below).

The winners of colours :—

Football: B. Jones, E. Bruce, D. Bowker.

Hockey: W. Goddard, W. N. Ahmad, K. M. Ram, I. R. Watson.

Cricket: D. Bowker, K. M. Ram, E. Bruce.

Athletics: I. R. Watson.

Boxing: A. L. Pate.

Shooting: B. Jones, G. Glauert, D. Bent, E. de Chazal, D. Sewell, B. Kinsella, D. Bowker.

THE BEATTY CUP FOR INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION, 1953

	Swimming	Football	Athletics	Tennis	Cricket	Schoolwork
Craigie	1	5	1			
Queenslea	5	1	3			
Romsey	3	3	5			

VALETE ET SALVETE**VALETE**

- GUEST, M. J. (1946-52): Junior Certificate, 1952; Boarding House Prefect, 1952; 1st XI, 1951-52; 1st XVIII, 1952; Hockey Team, 1952; Tennis Team, 1952; Cadet Corporal, 1951-52; Captain Queenslea, 1951-52; Projector Staff, 1951-52. Colour—Queenslea House.
- HOLT, E. M. (1949-52): Junior Certificate, 1950; Leaving Certificate, 1952; Swimming Team, 1949-51-52; Giles Cup, 1952; Athletic Team, 1950-51-52; 1st XVIII, 1952; Romsey House Prefect, 1951; Queenslea Players, 1952. Colour—Craigie House.
- McCULLAGH, B. R. (1948-52): Junior Certificate, 1952; 1st XVIII, 1951-52; 2nd XI 1951-52; Athletic Team, 1948-49-50-51-52. Colours—Football, Romsey House.
- McRAE, G. C. (1951-52): School Prefect, 1952; Romsey House Head Prefect, 1952; 1st XVIII, 1951-52 (Vice-Capt. 1952); 1st XI, 1952; Tennis Team, 1952; Boxing Team, 1952; Athletic Team, 1951-52; Beatty Cup, 1952. Colours—Football, Boxing, Athletics, Craigie House, Honour Blazer (1952).
- MUIR, D. K. (1950-52): Boarding House Prefect, 1952; Swimming Team, 1951-52; 1st XVIII, 1952; Hockey Team, 1950-51-52 (Captain 1952); State Schoolboys' Hockey Team, 1952; Under 15 and Open Tennis Teams, 1951-52; School Tennis Champion, 1952. Colours—Hockey, Craigie House.
- ROBBINS, T. J. (1949-52): Junior Certificate, 1950; School Prefect, 1952; Cadet Lieutenant, 1952; 1st XI, 1949-50-51-52 (Captain 1951-52); Cramer Cup, 1951-52; 1st XVIII, 1949-50-51-52 (Captain 1952); Flintoff Cup, 1952; Athletic Team, 1952; E. B. Kerby Cup, 1952; Craigie House Captain, 1952. Colours—Cricket, Football, Craigie House, Honour Blazer (1952).
- SHEPHERD, D. M. (1948-52): Junior Certificate, 1950; Swimming Team, 1952; 1st XVIII, 1952; Mitre Committee, 1951-52; Cadet Lieutenant, 1952; Commonwealth Cup Team, 1952; Norrie Cup, 1952. Colours—Swimming, Shooting, Romsey House.
- WARD, L. E. (1945-52): Junior Certificate, 1948; Leaving Certificate, 1951; Captain of School, 1952; School Prefect, 1951-52; Boarding House Prefect, 1951-52; Captain of Romsey House, 1952; Staff Sergeant, 1952; Commonwealth Cup Team, 1952; Modern School Scholarship, 1948; Athletic Team, 1947-48-49-50-51-52; 1st XI, 1949-50-51-52 (Vice-Capt. 1952); Hill Cup, 1952; 1st XVIII, 1950-51-52; Tennis Team, 1952; Hockey Team, 1952; Editor of the "Mitre", 1952. Colours—Cricket, Football, Romsey House.

3rd Term, 1952:

Allen, B. W. F.
 Archer, R. J.
 Austin, T. J.
 Bell, G. A.
 Bourne, A. P.
 Bourne, G. W.
 Burking, C. C.
 Coad, E. J.
 Craddock, T. J.
 Davies, P. W. F.
 Dean, D. J. T.
 Dermer, A. W.
 Dixon, M. C.
 Dodd, A. G.
 Doney, R. L.
 Eynon, G. L.
 Fisher, R. E.

Fisher I. A.
 Illingworth, J. H.
 Kasten, B. J.
 Lewis, R. J.
 Maxwell, D.
 Montogue, S. J.
 Nelson, M. Q.
 Palmer, N. J. M.
 Pratt, S. J.
 Prior, D. R.
 Pryer, J. M.
 Robinson, N. L.
 Smart, D. B.
 Smith, D. S.
 Strahan, K. D.
 Carrington-Twiss, B. J.
 Unwin, B.

Watson, R. M.
 Watson, S. J.
 Webb, W. J.
 Wheeler, R. J.
 Whyte, R. N.
 Wishart, I. T.

1st Term, 1953:

Bosman, R. D.
 Fugler, E. G.
 Nesbitt, R. C.

2nd Term, 1953:

Cranswick, T. J.
 Gibbons, L. E.
 Gregory, S. M.
 Gregory, M. G.
 Walker, M. L.
 Walker, M. B.

SALVETE**1st Term, 1953:**

Akerman, J. C.
 Ashford, A. R.
 Balgarnie, J. L.
 Barr, B. J.
 Bell, M. D. A.
 Bellett, D. J.
 Buckland, G. J.
 Bush, J. M.
 Coker, R. J.
 Cook, B. J.
 Cooper, N. A.
 Corteen, S. R.
 Currie, J. H.
 Eggleston, A.
 Van Emden, M. H.
 Fisher, N. R.
 Glasfurd, R. G.
 Hamilton, A. W.
 Harrison, G.
 Hendrie, I. B.
 Henley, D. L.
 Hitchman, J. L.
 James, R. L.
 Johannsen, D. W.
 Johannsen, P. K.
 Jones, N. G. Mason
 Jumeaux, A. N. C.

Kirke, C. M.
 Lee Steere, R. J.
 Leiper, G. F.
 Lewis, I. T.
 Miller, F. J.
 Mills, W. H.
 North, P. L.
 Obruca, A. K.
 Oliver, J. F.
 Oliver, R. E.
 O'Loughlin, P. G.
 Paterson, W. J.
 Pearce, F. R.
 Phoa, E. H. J.
 Pickard, K. W.
 Richards, R. M.
 Robinson, R. A.
 Rose, C. T. B.
 Rutter, B. J.
 Sawyer, R. H.
 Scotney, R. W.
 Sleader, M. R.
 Till, M. C.
 Trimby, M. C.
 Tweeddale, D. A.
 Vaughn, D. W.
 Watson, I. J.
 Watt, Y. C.

Waycott, W. G.
 Weaver, B. W.
 Wickham, J. A.

2nd Term, 1953:

Cowan, C. K.
 Criddle, A. D.
 Criddle, M. J.
 Hodge, A. J.
 Hodge, I. M.
 Harcourt-Poole, G. J.
 Johns, A. A.
 Liu, E. C.
 Liu, H. N.
 Paterson, K. F.
 Pritchard, T. R.
 Smirke, D. C.
 Stevens, C. W.

3rd Term, 1953:

Blythe-Brook, D.
 Brown, A. R.
 Brown, T. G.
 Creed, G.
 Hatch, R. J.
 Hatch, G. S.
 Hordern, A. J.
 Meredith, J. H.
 Wattie, W. S.

SPEECH NIGHT — 1952

Speech Night for 1952 was held on Wednesday, December 10th, on the Junior Oval at the School, at 8 p.m. The night was fine and warm, so that the venue proved to be most suitable for the large number of parents, friends and boys who were present.

Mr. J. E. D. Battye, the Chairman of the School Council, opened the evening's proceedings, and called upon the Headmaster, Mr. Moyes, to present his report. This was mainly a stocktaking of scholastic and sporting achievements, of the Cadet Corps and other extra curricular activities. Prominence was given, too, to the wonderful co-operation between the Parents, Old Boys and the School. Mr. Moyes announced that the Memorial Classroom Wing was to be built almost immediately, because of the £6,000 required, £3,500 had been raised in the eight months since the fund opened—almost £1,200 came from the Fete. 1952 was marked by the beginning of a scholarship scheme. Three scholarships are to be offered each year for boys about to enter the IVth Form.

Professor M. N. Austin, Professor of Classics and Ancient History in the University of W.A. then presented the prizes, trophies and challenge cups to the successful boys. In a short speech which followed, the Professor pointed out that ours was a Church School with a function. The tradition of this type of school goes back to the monastery, and we are here to "preserve and advance religion in a barbarous world". There should be an atmosphere of religion in the Church School; special periods need not be set aside for religion. Friendship and good fellowship should prevail. Under these circumstances, all boys should be keen to try their hand at everything, though some will be more energetic and successful in their attempts than others.

Prize List

Via	Dux (R. H. Parry Memorial Prize) Maths. and Science (Dean Foster Prize)	A. L. Pate E. M. Holt
Vib	Dux (R. H. Parry Memorial Prize) Maths. and Science General Merit	E. Jumeaux E. Jumeaux R. Barnes R. Lovegrove
V	Dux (R. H. Parry Memorial Prize) Maths. English Science. (Eggleston Prize) General Merit	E. de Chazal E. de Chazal H. Everitt P. J. Nankivell

Sub-Junior (P)	Dux	E. Bruce
	English	R. Retchford
	General Merit	G. D. Hill
Sub-Junior (G)	Dux	P. W. Davies
	General Merit	R. D. Meyer
IV(P)	Dux	A. T. Dowling
	General Merit	D. McNamara D. C. Evans
IV(G)	Dux	P. Dodd
	General Merit	A. F. Watson
IIIa	Dux	C. A. Edwards
	Prox. Access.	J. W. May
	General Merit (E. Browne-Cooper Prize)	J. D. Fraser
IIIb	Dux	A. Dermer
	Prox. Access.	M. Coales
IIa	Dux	W. Creed
	Prox. Access.	M. Cook
IIb	Dux	R. Steele
	Prox. Access.	D. Clement
Woolclassing Prize		E. J. Coad
Music Prizes—Senior		R. M. Howlett
Junior		S. J. Holt

UNIVERSITY OF W.A., 1951

Leaving Certificates.—T. J. Davison; F. H. Prebble; L. E. Ward.

Junior Certificates.—C. R. Archer; I. F. Baile; D. R. Booth; L. E. Freeman; J. H. Illingworth; H. W. Moore; K. J. Strapp; R. M. Watson; A. A. Williams.

CHALLENGE CUPS

Beatty Cup	(Champion House)	Romsey
Eagling Cup	(Best House Scholastically)	Queenslea
Beatty Cup	(Best All-Rounder)	G. C. McRae
E. B. Kerby Cup	(Outstanding Sportsman)	T. J. Robbins
McGlew Cup	(Open Swimming Champion)	B. H. Schwartz
Giles Cup	(Junior Champion Swimmer)	E. M. Holt
J. Healy Cup	(Highest Agg. Swimming, 10-14 yrs)	P. Kerby
W.A. Hockey Assn. Cup	(Best Tennis Player)	D. K. Muir
Cramer Cup	(Best All-Round Cricketer)	T. J. Robbins
Hill Cup	(Best Fieldsman)	L. E. Ward
Flintoff Cup	(Best Footballer)	T. J. Robbins
Norrie Cup	(Best Rifle Shot)	D. M. Shepherd
Potter Cup	(Best All-Round Junior)	P. R. E. Wann
Alexander Todd Memorial Trophy		Sgt. N. Robinson
Cricketing Trophies—Batting		T. J. Robbins
Bowling		M. C. Dixon
Junior Grade 2 Hockey (Most Consistent Player)		D. K. Muir
Parker Cups for Leadership and Influence—Senior		D. B. Bent
Junior		J. Schupp

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS, 1952

Leaving Certificate

The subjects are denoted by the following numbers:— 1, English; 2, French; 3, History; 4, Geography; 5, Biology; 6, Music; 7, Industrial History and Economics.

D. Dean, 6; E. M. Holt, 1, 2, 3, 5; T. J. Robbins, 4; D. M. Shepherd, 1, 4, 5; L. E. Ward, 4, 7, (additional subjects).

Junior Certificate

The subjects are denoted by the following numbers:— 1, English; 2, Latin; 3, French; 4, Italian; 5, History; 6, Geography; 7, Arithmetic and Algebra; 8, Geometry and Trigonometry; 9, General Science; 10, Physiology and Hygiene; 11, Art; 12, Technical Drawing; 13, Woodwork; 14, Music.

W. N. Ahmad, 6, 10, 11; B. W. Allen, 1, 5, 10; R. Archer, 1, 10; T. Austin, 1, 6, 10; J. Bell, 1, 2, 3, 5; M. Beros, 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8; A. Bourne, 1, 5, 6, 10; G. Bourne, 1, 5, 6, 10; D. Bowker, 1, 6, 10; I. Crozier, 1, 2, 3, 5, 9; E. de Chazal, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9; A. Dodd, 1, 3, 5, 9; E. Ellery, 1, 8, 13; H. Everitt, 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9; M. Guest*, 6; R. Howlett, 1, 2, 5, 9, 10; A. Hurse, 1, 5, 8, 9, 12; B. Jones, 6, 10; B. Kasten, 1, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 13; B. Kinsella, 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12; B. McCullagh*, 1, 10; S. Montague, 1, 6, 9, 10, 13; D. Muir, 1, 6, 7, 10; J. Nankivell, 1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 13; N. Robinson, 5, 6, 9, 10; D. Smith, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10; T. B. Smith*, 5; K. Strahan, 6, 10; I. R. Watson*, 1, 8.

* Completing Certificates.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

The Editor gratefully acknowledges the receipt of the following magazines, and apologises for any possible omissions:— Aquinas, The Chronicle, The Eagle, St. Ildephonsus, The Corian (3 copies), The Swan (3 copies), The Dragon, The Sphinx (2 copies), The Cygnet.

ROMSEY BOARDING HOUSE NOTES

The junior boarding house settled down once more at the beginning of the year under the care and guidance of Mr. Peard and his assistant housemaster Mr. Moore. This year we saw two new prefects, Euan Bruce and Ian Watson, and under them things have run smoothly. Due to the absence of the prefects during part of both first and third terms, Simon Dodd and Martin van Emdem came over from Queenslea to carry on the house duties. At the end of second term we said farewell to Mrs. Kendrick, our House-mother, and the following term Miss Moore (not related to J. R. M.) arrived, and has since then become a particularly popular member of the staff.

As usual, Romsey boys had their pictures and ice cream at the end of each term, paid for by the money contributed for negligence. There should be quite a hand-out for the fete, too.

The prefects wish to take this opportunity to thank Mr. and Mrs. Peard for their extremely kind act of organizing early in third term a social evening for them, which went off exceptionally well.

The boarders' picture evenings each fortnight have proved a great entertainment for the boys, even if the enjoyment may have been mostly in staying out of bed to a later hour.

Face-washers have lately caused a certain amount of trouble, as also have cake papers in the wrong place and the ever troublesome collar and tie. "Bangkok" finds clothes collecting an unprofitable hobby, though one or two others suffer from the same complaint.

Stories were popular for a while, with Fearless Fosdick holding first place as the favourite. The things that happened in his search for this special baked bean would surprise even Clark Kent.

As the happy year draws to a close, and Christmas holidays are our only thoughts, we wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and for those returning, another period of good work and play.—I.R.W.

NOTES FROM THE SCHOOL HOUSES

CRAIGIE HOUSE NOTES

Housemaster Mr. J. R. Moore
 House Captain A. L. Pate
 House Vice-Captain P. R. Kerby

After losing both the Beatty and Eagling Cups last year, we were anxious to improve upon that record by carrying off the two cups this year. The strength of all the Houses is now more evenly balanced than it has been for several years.

On the day of the swimming sports we were confident of being the victors; the main opposition, we thought, would come from Romsey. We were, therefore, very surprised when Queenslea ran out the easiest of winners. We were very sorry to find P. Kerby not feeling his best on such a vital day, though he was still able to win four events for us. Congratulations to Queenslea on their fine effort.

For the first time in several years, Craigie were victorious in the football competition. Thanks go to the Under 14 team for winning both their matches, and aiding us to win the football. Our Open team easily defeated Queenslea and were unlucky to lose to Romsey by only 4 points.

Having the least number of 1st XI players we did not expect to do so well in cricket. We were convincingly beaten by both Romsey and Queenslea, who are at present sharing first place. We are looking forward to the third term's play, when we hope to do better. The results of this will not appear in this edition of the magazine.

Being weak in athletics also, we did not expect to end in front. We were not surprised when we finished last to the other two Houses in the Prep. School sports. The results were: Romsey 120½; Queenslea 104; Craigie 63½. When we met for the Senior School sports we had the pleasure of coming second to Queenslea. These sports were evenly contested as can be seen by the results: Queenslea 201; Romsey 176½; Craigie 197½. Congratulations to Romsey and Queenslea for their performances.

QUEENSLEA HOUSE NOTES

Housemaster Mr. R. T. Jones
 House Captain E. F. Bruce
 House Vice-Captain H. Everitt

We again had Mr. Jones with us as Housemaster, and under his guidance and organising ability, Queenslea House has continued to be a power to be reckoned with. E. Bruce at the first House meeting of the year was elected House Captain with H. Everitt Vice-Captain. The sporting standard in the House has definitely improved, and this can be seen by our victories in the swimming and the senior school athletics. At present we are in a favourable position with regard to the Beatty Cup, and we hope that in the final house events of the year we may come out victorious.

The results of the swimming were very pleasing, for we had a clear cut victory. The fact that we were strong in all age groups means that we will play a prominent part in the house swimming for a few years to come. We congratulate E. Bruce, H. D. Evans, and D. Beetles, all of whom were champions in their respective age groups.

Our cricket teams have acquitted themselves favourably and our Under 14 team has yet to be beaten. Our 1st XI defeated Craigie, but was in turn defeated by Romsey. We hope to reverse the latter result in the second round. Jumeaux is to be congratulated on being both the House and the School cricket captain, and Lewis on scoring a century in the Under 14 match against Romsey.

Football was again our greatest weakness, as we were unable to win either of the 1st XVIII matches, being overwhelmed by both Craigie and Romsey. The Under 14 team contains talent, however, so we hope that in a year or two we may have more success in the Open division. Our congratulations go to Craigie for winning the football.

We did exceedingly well in the athletics this year, coming second in the Prep. School sports and first in the Senior School events. Both Phoa and Lewis were champions of their age groups, and both ran well in the inter-school meetings. The House was let down by boys failing to pass standards, and thus Romsey just beat us in the final total of points. Let us hope we have learnt something from this costly lesson and prevent it from happening in the future again.

ROMSEY HOUSE NOTES

Housemaster Mr. W. T. Rucks
House Captain I. R. D. Watson
House Vice-Captain D. C. Bowker

This year we welcomed Mr. Rucks as our Housemaster in the place of Mr. Burnett. We also welcome the many new boys who, together with those of past years, will help us to retain the Beatty Cup.

Our congratulations go to Queenslea on a fine effort in winning the swimming sports. However our thanks go to all the Romsey competitors for their fighting spirit, especially to those who won events, namely; van Emden, Bowker, Simonsen, Burking, Hibble and Beresford. We were pleased to see many of our swimmers in the school team too.

Once again we were second to Craigie in football. However we have the proud record of being undefeated in the Open division. The Under 14 team were beaten by both Queenslea and Craigie and our congratulations go to those young teams. Congratulations, also, to D. Bowker on being awarded football colours.

This year we have excelled ourselves in cricket. The Open team, quite a strong one when compared with the other teams, managed to beat both Craigie and Queenslea after a hard fight. Everyone is looking forward to this term's matches.

So far no House tennis has been played. However, we are confident of victory with such talented players as Smith, Wan Nong, Giles and Simonsen.

This year the Athletics competition was more even in the senior school events. However Romsey dominated the Prep. School sports and our congratulations go to Hibble and Coales for their fine performances. We missed the services of our Captain, Ian Watson, on the day of the sports, since he was in bed. Nevertheless he was able to win two of the distance events which were decided before the sports day, and so was the distance champion.



PREFECTS — 1953

Standing : E. F. Bruce, I. R. D. Watson, B. T. Smith.
Sitting : A. L. Pate (Captain of School), The Headmaster.



SWIMMING — 1953

Back Row : J. Thompson, D. Bent, R. Barnes, I. Watson, E. Bruce, R. Simonsen.

Centre Row : P. Mathews, G. Glauert, D. Schupp, P. Kerby (Capt.); R. Burking, R. Lovegrove,
J. Fitzhardinge.

Front Row : T. Parker, A. Hibble, G. Samson, D. Beetles, M. Broadhurst, D. Smallwood, M. Booth.

Absent : K. Sears, D. Moir, J. Miall.

SWIMMING NOTES

INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION

The Inter-House Swimming Sports for 1953 were held at Claremont Baths on the 25th February. All those attending had a very enjoyable morning as the weather conditions were perfect.

This year Queenslea, 193 points, won by a clear margin from Romsey with 157 points. Craigie followed close behind with 152 points. The competition was keen and fair throughout the morning. There was only one record broken, namely the Open Backstroke by P. Kerby. Other swimmers of note were R. Simonsen, R. Burking and H. D. Evans.

OPEN

Champion: Kerby (C.)

- 110-YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Kerby (C.); 2, Glauert (Q.); 3, Bent (C.). Time, 68.8 secs.
- 110 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, Lovegrove (C.); 2, I. Watson (R.); 3, Glauert (Q.). Time, 1 min. 45.1 secs.
- 110 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Kerby (C.); 2, Bent (C.); 3, Watson (R.). Time, 81 secs. Record.
- 440 YARDS —1, Pate (C.); 2, Bent (C.); 3, Wan Nong (R.). Time, 57.9 secs. Time, 6 mins. 34.7 secs.
- 220 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie. Time, 2 mins. 31.6 secs.

UNDER 16

Champion: Bruce (Q.)

- 110 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Bruce (Q.); 2, Bowker (R.); 3, Bellett (C.). Time, 83.2 secs.
- 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, van Emden (R.); 2, Walker (Q.); 3, Bellett (C.). Time, 45.7 secs.
- 55 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Bowker (R.); 2, Bruce (Q.); 3, van Emden (R.). Time, 44.5 secs.
- 220 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Kerby (C.); 2, Bruce (Q.); 3, Glauert (Q.). Time, 2 mins. 54.2 secs.

UNDER 15

Champion: Simonsen (R.)

- 110 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Mathews (Q.); 2, Simonsen (R.); 3, Dollimore (Q.). Time, 79.9 secs.
- 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, Simonsen (R.); 2, Mathews (Q.); 3, Dollimore (Q.). Time, 47.9 secs.
- 55 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Simonsen (R.); 2, Mathews (Q.); 3, Dollimore (Q.). Time, 42.5 secs.
- 220 YARDS RELAY.—1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea. Time, 2 mins. 39.7 secs.

UNDER 14

Champion: Burking (R.)

- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Burking (R.); 2, J. Thompson (R.); 3, McDonald (C.). Time, 38.9 secs.
 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, Schupp (Q.); 2, Fitzhardinge (R.); 3, Sanders (R.). Time, 47 secs.
 55 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Burking (R.); 2, McCarthy (C.); 3, Thompson (R.). Time, 47 secs.

UNDER 13

Champion: Moir (Q.)

- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Moir (Q.); 2, Sears (C.); 3, Nesbitt (Q.). Time, 41.7 secs.
 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, Wilson (Q.); 2, Moir (Q.); 3, Sears (C.). Time, 54.2 secs.
 55 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Sears (C.); 2, Moir (Q.); 3, Edwards (C.). Time, 51.1 secs.
 220 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey and Craigie. Time, 3 mins. 11 secs.

UNDER 12

Champion: H. D. Evans (Q.)

- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Hibble (R.); 2, Evans (Q.); 3, Parsons (Q.). Time, 44.2 secs.
 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, Evans (Q.); 2, McNamee (Q.); 3, Hibble (R.). Time, 58.2 secs.
 55 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Evans (Q.); 2, Illidge (R.); 3, Parsons (Q.). Time, 54.4 secs.

UNDER 11

Champion: Beetles (Q.)

- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Beetles (Q.); 2, Miall (C.); 3, M. Meecham (C.). Time, 46 secs.
 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE.—1, Miall (C.); 2, Beetles (Q.); 3, Sutherland (R.). Time, 59.5 secs.
 55 YARDS BACK STROKE.—1, Meecham (C.) and Beetles (Q.); 3, Miall (C.). Time, 56.7 secs.

UNDER 10

- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, Beresford (R.); 2, Clennett (C.); 3, Broadhurst (Q.). Time, 50.7 secs.

UNDER 9

- 25 YARDS FREE STYLE.—1, A. Meecham; 2, Beck; 3, Bosman. Time, 26.4 secs.

SENIOR INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS

St. Louis School joined the Senior Inter-School Competition this year when we met Perth Modern School and Wesley College. These sports were held at Crawley Baths on the 28th February, only three days after our House Sports. The weather, though good for swimming, was a bit breezy for the spectators. A large crowd was present to see some close finishes and keenly contested races.

Perth Modern School won the day with 183 points, followed closely by Wesley College, 182 points, then St. Louis 90 points and Christ Church 81 points. Although defeated there was much more enthusiasm shown by some of the team than in former years. However, if we hope to be more successful, there will have to be more training done during the Christmas holidays.

There were three records broken, one of them by P. Kerby in the Under 16, 110 Yards Freestyle.

Finally we offer our thanks to Mr. Higgins who spent much of his free time supervising the training of the School team.

- 110 YARDS FREE STYLE (Open).—1, Allison (W.); 2, Norris (W.); 3, Leslie (M.). Time, 71.4 secs.
- 110 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 16).—1, Kerby (C.); 2, Best (M.); 3, Pumfrey (M.). Time, 68.2 secs. Record.
- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 14).—1, Brophy (S.L.); 2, Grady (W.); 3, Kirk (M.). Time, 34 secs.
- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 11).—1, Miall (C.); 2, Grundy (S.L.); 3, Hiatt (S.L.). Time, 45 secs.
- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 13).—1, Kirk (M.); 2, Hawkins (W.); 3, Redfern (W.). Time, 35.5 secs.
- 110 YARDS BREAST STROKE (Open).—1, Roberts (M.); 2, Field (W.); 3, Prodonovich (S.L.). Time, 93 secs.
- 110 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 15).—1, Best (M.); 2, Helliwell (W.); 3, Harvey (W.). Time, 73.1 secs.
- 55 YARDS BACK STROKE (Under 16).—1, Kerby (C.); 2, Best (M.); 3, Joynt (W.). Time, 36.6 secs.
- 55 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 12).—1, Sunderland (S.L.); 2, Kelly (S.L.); 3, Hibble (C.). Time, 42 secs.
- 110 YARDS BACK STROKE (Open).—1, Kerby (C.); 2, Allanson (M.); 3, Tomlinson (W.). Time, 85.9 secs.
- 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE (Under 14).—1, Lamb (M.); 2, Schupp (C.); 3, McGregor (W.). Time, 48.1 secs.
- 55 YARDS BREAST STROKE (Under 15).—1, Worrall (M.); 2, Prodonovich (S.L.); Cox (S.L.). Time, 42.6 secs.
- 220 YARDS FREE STYLE (Under 16).—1, Best (M.); 2, Helliwell (W.); 3, Pumfrey (M.). Time, 2 mins. 43.8 secs.
- 440 YARDS FREE STYLE (Open).—1, Norris (W.); 2, Leslie (M.); 3, Allison (W.). Time, 6 mins. 23.4 secs.
- 55 YARDS BUTTERFLY (Open).—1, Field (W.); 2, Wilson (W.); 3, Kamien (M.). Time, 39.1 secs.
- 220 YARDS RELAY (Under 13).—1, Wesley; 2, P.M.S.; 3, St. Louis. Time, 2 mins. 52.2 secs.
- 220 YARDS RELAY (Under 14).—1, St. Louis; 2, Wesley; 3, P.M.S. Time, 2 mins. 32.8 secs. Record.
- 220 YARDS RELAY (Under 15).—1, P.M.S.; 2, Wesley; 3, St. Louis. Time, 2 mins. 18 secs. Record.
- 220 YARDS RELAY (Under 16).—1, Wesley; 2, P.M.S.; 3, St. Louis. Time, 2 mins. 14 secs.
- 220 YARDS RELAY (Open).—1, Wesley; 2, P.M.S.; 3, C.C. Time, 2 mins. 12.3 secs.

COMBINED JUNIOR SCHOOLS' SPORTS

These sports were held at the Crawley Baths on Tuesday, March 12th. Guildford Preparatory School joined the competition this year, bringing the number of competing schools to five. This made it necessary for each event to be divided into two divisions. For the second year in succession the Scotch College team was clearly the best, though there was little difference between third, fourth and fifth places. J. Miall and J. Wickham were the most successful Christ Church competitors. Final points:—

Scotch College	215 pts.
Hale School	150 pts.
Guildford Grammar School	137 pts.
St. Louis	136 pts.
Christ Church	133 pts.

UNDER 13

- 50 METRES FREE STYLE (2nd Div.)—1, Robertson (S.); 2, Smallwood (C.); 3, Fletcher (H.). Time, 45.8 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, McCall (S.); 2, Harkness (G.); 3, Moore (H.). Time, 37.3 secs.
 50 METRES BREAST STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Bcrtle (S.); 2, Capon (C.); 3, Hardie (G.). Time, 53 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Robertson (S.); 2, Moore (H.); 3, Harkness (G.). Time, 51.2 secs.
 50 METRES BACK STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Broodfoot (S.); 2, Flohm (G.); 3, Capon (C.). Time, 59.2 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, McCall (S.); 2, Harkness (G.); 3, Moore (H.). Time, 48.9 secs.
 100 METRES RELAY.—1, Scotch; 2, Hale; 3, Guildford. Time, 83.5 secs.

UNDER 12

- 50 METRES FREE STYLE (2nd Div.)—1, Gordon (H.); 2, Thompson (S.); 3, Harding (G.). Time, 40.5 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Law (H.); 2, Malloch (S.); 3, Sunderland (L.). Time, 38 secs.
 50 METRES BREAST STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Raymond (S.); 2, Gordon (H.); 3, Harding (G.). Time, 53.7 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Law (H.); 2, Thompson (S.); 3, Sunderland (L.). Time, 49.8 secs.
 50 METRES BACK STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Raymond (S.); 2, Gordon (H.); 3, Thompson (L.). Time, 51.3 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Law (H.); 2, Cowell (G.); 3, Nairn (S.). Time, 48.1 secs.
 100 METRES RELAY.—1, Scotch; 2, Hale; 3, St. Louis. Time, 74 secs.

UNDER 11

- 25 METRES FREE STYLE (2nd Div.)—1, Miall (C.); 2, Hiatt (L.); 3, McManus (S.). Time, 19.2 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Longley (H.); 2, Grundy (L.); 3, Booth (C.). Time, 18.5 secs.
 25 METRES BREAST STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Keenan (L.); 2, Sutherland (C.); 3, Cornish (H.). Time, 26.8 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Brophy (L.); 2, Miall (C.); 3, Keall (S.). Time, 24.8 secs.
 25 METRES BACK STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Keenan (L.); 2, Paull (S.); 3, Booth (C.). Time, 23.8 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Hyatt (L.); 2, Meecham (C.); 3, Hasluck (S.). Time, 22.2 secs.
 100 METRES RELAY.—1, St. Louis; 2, Christ Church; 3, Scotch. Time, 79.1 secs.

UNDER 10

- 25 METRES FREE STYLE (2nd Div.)—1, Cutler (L.); 2, Credgington (G.); 3, Beresford (C.). Time, 22 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Vaughn (G.); 2, Whittaker (S.); 3, Wickham (C.). Time, 17.5 secs.
 25 METRES BREAST STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Hall (H.) and Credgington (G.); 3, Beresford (C.). Time, 29 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Raymond (S.); 2, Vaughn (G.); 3, Hitchman (C.). Time, 26.4 secs.
 25 METRES BACK STROKE (2nd Div.)—1, Wickham (C.); 2, Vaughn (G.); 3, Hall (H.). Time, 24 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Credgington (G.); 2, Keays (L.); 3, Biven (H.). Time, 24.8 secs.
 100 METRES RELAY.—1, Guildford; 2, Scotch; 3, Christ Church. Time, 88.6 secs.

UNDER 9

- 25 METRES FREE STYLE (2nd Div.)—1, Tresise (S.); 2, Meecham (C.); 3, Thompson (L.). Time, 25.8 secs.
 (1st Div.)—1, Smith (S.); 2, Hardwick (H.); 3, Parker (C.). Time, 21.2 secs.

CRICKET NOTES

Captain: E. Jumeaux.

Vice-Captain: D. Bowker

The 1st XI was, as is frequently the case, of a high standard. It was difficult however to find two successful opening bowlers, though the change bowlers could always be relied upon. It is extremely gratifying to know that most of the players will be returning in 1954, since a year's experience will give the team just that much more punch. Several players in the team have a determination that will, if they continue to concentrate on cricket, take them to the topmost rungs of the cricketing ladder.

**The School v. Old Boys' Association
 Played at Christ Church on 7th February, 1953.**

John Sears having won the toss for the Old Boys, sent the School in to bat. Two wickets fell within three overs but Bowker saved the day by scoring a brilliant 86 and was well supported by Ram who hit our very forcefully. The School declared at 4 p.m.; and after a short tea adjournment, the Old Boys began their innings. As time was short it looked very much as if the match would be a draw, but the last few wickets fell in quick succession, thus giving the School a well deserved victory.

School, 7 for 159 decl.—Bowker 86, Ram 27, Lewis 15.

Sears, 2 for 29; Prebble, 2 for 13.

O.B.A., 103—Prebble 28, Bickford 19.

Ram, 3 for 4; Beres, 3 for 25.

The School v. Hale School
Played at Christ Church on 13th March, 1953.

Hale won the toss and sent the School in to bat. Thompson was soon out, and Beros was out l.b.w. Ram and Bowker then steadied the innings. Wickets again fell quickly and tail-enders, by hitting up reasonable scores, were able to make the score something worthwhile. Hale commenced their innings with vigour and passed the School's total with two wickets in hand.

School, 83—Ram 22, Bowker 14.
 Turkington, 3 for 24; O'Connor, 4 for 15.
 Hale, 8 for 108—Johnson 35, King 22.
 Ram, 4 for 22.

The School v. Wesley College.
Played at Wesley College on 21st March, 1953.

Jumeaux was at last able to predict the flip of the coin correctly, and Wesley was sent in to bat. The fierce Wesley onslaught took complete control of the bowling. However, sudden reverses gave the School periodic wickets and Wesley declared its innings with seven wickets down for 222 runs. The School collapsed immediately and there is nothing to be said of the innings. The younger batsmen were the only ones to offer any resistance to the bowling.

Wesley, 7 for 222—Ray 72, Parker 55.
 Bruce, 2 for 51; Ram, 2 for 52.
 School, 59—Ram 8, Jumeaux 8, Jones 8.
 Ray, 3 for 10; Hawkins, 3 for 5.

The School v. Perth Modern School
Played at Perth Modern School on 25th March, 1953.

Perth Modern batted first and commenced to score steadily but safely. The School's fielding was flawless in this match and not a chance was missed. Modern School's innings was ended at 122. The School started its innings very shakily and the two openers were out before double figures had been reached. From then on the batting side merely played a dead bat and forced a draw. Thus the match ended in a very uninteresting manner.

Modern School, 122—Schwartz 18, Ledger 24.
 Bruce, 4 for 47; Jumeaux, 2 for 18; Ram, 2 for 18.
 School, 8 for 59—Lewis 19, Thompson 12.
 Peate, 3 for 22; Schwartz, 3 for 6.

The School v. St. Louis.**Played at Christ Church on 28th March, 1953.**

St. Louis began their first innings very disastrously but soon settled down to steady cricket. Boylson, by playing good shots boosted his team's score to safe figures. The School's bowling was consistent and although St. Louis scored steadily they did not master the bowling. After lunch the School commenced its innings. Again the opening batsmen failed in their task, and the rest of the team were unable to settle down. After dismissing the School for 34 runs, St. Louis commenced a second innings and declared with 3 wickets down for 59. Time prevented St. Louis from getting a decisive victory.

St. Louis, 1st Innings, 78—Boylson 23, Keenan 15.
Smith, 2 for 10; Ram, 2 for 6; Bruce, 2 for 14.
2nd Innings, 3 for 59—Tempra 28.
Thompson, 2 for 11.

School, 1st Innings, 34—Jones 12, Bent 14.
Percy, 3 for 7; Gallagher, 3 for 6.
2nd Innings, 7 for 44—Bowker 16.
Quinlan, 3 for 5.

The School v. Incogniti Cricket Club.**Played at Christ Church on 1st April, 1953.**

The School, having won the toss, chose to bat. Runs were scored at a fairly fast rate although wickets fell quickly too. Bowker batted confidently and was well supported by Beros. Incogniti began their innings with their usual fierce attack on the bowling and runs were scored at a fast rate. Thompson then captured two valuable wickets, and Incogniti settled down to more steady cricket. Although Incogniti passed the School's score, they played out their innings.

School, 99—Bowker 49, Beros 14.
Forsyth, 4 for 7; Bryant, 3 for 9.

Incogniti, 148—Bryant 30, Stehn 36.
Bruce, 4 for 26; Thompson, 4 for 39.

The School v. Incogniti Cricket Club.

Played at Christ Church on 21st October, 1953.

This match was the first for the third term. The School batted first and before forty runs were on the board, five wickets had fallen. Jumeaux and Bent then gave a display of fast scoring, and thus avoided disaster. Incogniti were off the mark quickly and scored runs at a very fast rate, passing the School's total with little difficulty. The School's bowling was weak, although the fielding was good.

School, 79—Jumeaux 30, Bent 11.
Mattiske, 3 for 6; Murdoch, 5 for 27.
Incogniti, 6 for 133—Scott 30, Puckett 45.
Ram, 4 for 32; Jumeaux, 2 for 20.

The School v. Hale School.

Played at Christ Church on 28th October, 1953.

In this, the team's second match of the third term, it was hoped that we would do well, however sickness prevented two of the bowlers from playing. Christ Church batted first, and although Moore made an inspiring score, there was no outstanding batting, and the School was all out for only 47. Hale started its innings very well, and the batsmen scored runs quickly. The School bowling was not as it should have been, yet we were able to dismiss Hale for 82.

School, 47—Moore 14, Bruce 10.
Hale, 82—Jumeaux, 4 for 22; Bruce, 2 for 7.

SECOND ELEVEN

C.C.G.S. v. Wesley College. (Won).
C.C.G.S. 64 (Ram 22, Bruce 17, Moore 4).
Wesley 61 (Ram 5 for 15, Smith 5 for 19).
C.C.G.S. v. Hale School. (Lost).
C.C.G.S. 19 (Stracey 4, Kerby 3).
Hale 7 for 121 (Green 3 for 24, Meyer 2 for 23).

UNDER 15

C.C.G.S. v. Hale School. (Lost).
C.C.G.S., 9 for 57 (Carroll 17, Hallo 14; Goddard 10).
Hale 6 for 126 (Simonsen 3 for 26, Carroll 1 for 12).
C.C.G.S. v. P.M.S. (Lost).
C.C.G.S. 35 (Smith 18, Moore 8, Meers 5).
P.M.S. 90 (Simonsen 5 for 8, D. Evans 2 for 7).



1st XI — 1953

Standing: S. Dodd, J. Thompson, I. Lewis, E. Bruce, B. Smith, M. Beros, C. Moore, K. Ram.
Sitting: D. Bent, E. Jumeaux (Captain), Mr. O. Trimby, D. Bowker (Vice-Captain), B. Jones.



1st XVIII — 1953

Back Row : P. Kerby, A. Stracey, I. Lewis, Mr. A. Blackwood, A. Pate, K. M. Ram, P. Mathews.
Centre Row : B. Smith, S. Dodd, B. Jones, D. Bent (Capt.), I. Watson, E. Bruce, M. Beros, R. Barnes.
Front Row : W. Cavey, J. Thompson, L. Green, A. Watson, I. Crozier.
Absent : D. Bowker (Vice-Capt.).

C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis. (Drawn).

C.C.G.S. 5 for 64 (Moore 21, Green 13 n.o., Simonsen 12).
St. Louis 5 for 62 (Carroll 3 for 20, Green 1 for 4).

C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis. (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 1st Innings, 12 (Simonsen 4, Smith 2, Hallo 2).
2nd Innings, 15 (Cavey 4 n.o., Simonsen 4).
St. Louis 8 for 81 (Carroll 6 for 25, Evans 1 for 5).

UNDER 14**C.C.G.S. v. Wesley College.** (Drawn).

C.C.G.S. 4 for 115 (Lewis 61, Giles 26 n.o., Thompson 17).
Wesley 7 for 109 (Dollimore 4 for 30, McDonald 1 for 12).

C.C.G.S. v. Hale School. (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 78 (Giles, Korn 15 n.o., Wann 9).
Hale 5 for 121 (Simpson 2 for 7, Jarvie 1 for 4).

C.C.G.S. v. C.B.C., Perth. (Drawn).

C.C.G.S. 5 for 69 (Thompson 21 n.o., Giles 14).
C.B.C. 6 for 80 (Simpson 3 for 6, Dollimore 1 for 8).

C.C.G.S. v. Guildford Grammar School. (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 74 (Giles 50 n.o., Henderson 6).
Guildford 5 for 100 (Dollimore 3 for 26, McDonald 1 for 15).

C.C.G.S. v. Scotch College. (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 48 (Bowers 16, Giles 8, Martin 7).
Scotch 128 (Jarvie 3 for 22, Giles 3 for 28).

C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis. (Won).

C.C.G.S. 196 (Dollimore 85, Giles 38, Jarvie 22).
St. Louis 41 (Dollimore 4 for 11, Thompson 4 for 11).

UNDER 13**C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis.** (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 13 (Wann 5, Rutter 2).
St. Louis 35 (Tweeddale 4 for 9, Korn 4 for 10).

C.C.G.S. v. Guildford Grammar School. (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 16 (Synnot 8, Wann 3).
G.G.S. 64 (Tweeddale 6 wks., Korn 2 wks.).

C.C.G.S. v. Scotch College. (Lost).

C.C.G.S. 73 (Wann 48, Rutter 7).
Scotch 120 (Wann 5 wks., Tweeddale 2 wks.).

C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis. (Won).

C.C.G.S. 26 (Korn 16, Wann 2, Stephenson 2).
St. Louis 16 (Wann 5 for 4, Tweeddale 5 for 7).

PREPARATORY SCHOOL MATCHES

FIRST ELEVEN

- C.C.G.S. v. Scotch College.** (Lost).
 C.C.G.S. 21 (Priest 9, Fugler 9).
 Scotch 75 (Steadman 3 wks., Priest 6 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. Guildford Grammar School.** (Lost).
 C.C.G.S. 30 (Everett 17 n.o., Priest 5).
 G.G.S. 41 (Everett 4 wks., Steadman 2 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. Scotch College.** (Won).
 C.C.G.S. 96 (Meecham 34 n.o., Moir 16).
 Scotch 94 (Moir 4 wks., Steadman 3 wks.).

UNDER 11

- C.C.G.S. v. Scotch College.** (Lost).
 C.C.G.S. 58 (I. Campbell 17, Broadhurst 12).
 Scotch 62 (Hibble, 3 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. Hale School.** (Won).
 C.C.G.S. 54 (Meecham 27, Beresford 4).
 Hale 46.
- C.C.G.S. v. Guildford Grammar School.** (Won).
 C.C.G.S. 103 (Campbell 45 ret., Beresford 24 ret.).
 G.G.S. 32 (Hibble 4 wks., Campbell 6 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis.** (Lost).
 C.C.G.S. 59 (Booth 25, Grove 15).
 St. Louis 5 for 111 (Campbell 3 wks., Hibble 2 wks.).

UNDER 10

- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis.** (Won).
 C.C.G.S. 6 for 62 (Broadhurst 38 n.o., Clennett 10)
 St. Louis 21 (Broadhurst 5 wks., Beresford 4 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. Guildford Grammar School.** (Won).
 C.C.G.S. 96 (Broadhurst 29, Hitchman 22).
 G.G.S. 65 (Broadhurst 7 wks., Clennett 2 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. Hale School.** (Won).
 C.C.G.S. 84 (Todd 15, Wickham 14).
 Hale 22 (Broadhurst 8 wks.).
- C.C.G.S. v. Scotch.** (Draw).
 C.C.G.S. 7 for 102 (Clennett 41, Beresford 30).
 Scotch 7 for 86 (Clennett 4 wks., Beresford 3 wks.).

FOOTBALL NOTES

The 1st XVIII was a very young and light side this year and was outclassed by its opponents in most of the matches. Although the results were close in many games, the necessity of having a larger team was obvious, since in many matches the size of the opposition overwhelmed our team. The back line presented very good defensive play most of the time, and Bent must be congratulated on his excellent work at centre half-back. The forwards were rarely able to do anything with the ball and this, together with poor kicking, was probably the greatest weakness of the team.

During the season a game was played against 5 Cadet Bde. When the smoke had cleared, and the radio-active dust had been blown off the field, it was found that the army players were the victors by one goal. The match against the Old Boys was a drawn game, but the present day boys contend that they were suffering from the effects of the school dance which had been held the night before.

For their work in the team D. Bowker, B. Jones and E. Bruce were awarded football colours.

The results of the Preparatory School teams indicate that there is some good material in that section of the School. It is sincerely hoped that those same boys will continue to bring honour and glory to this school as they grow older.

1st XVIII.

Captain: D. Bent.

Vice-Captain: D. Bowker.

- C.C.G.S. v. P.M.S. 2nd XVIII, (Lost)—5 goals 6 pts. to 7 goals 10 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. Hale School, (Lost)—1 goal 3 pts. to 17 goals 12 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. C.B.C. Perth, (Lost)—3 goals 2 pts. to 14 goals 12 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. O.B.A., (Draw)—6 goals 10 pts. to 7 goals 4 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Lost)—4 goals 2 pts. to 15 goals 10 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. 5 Cadet Bde., (Lost)—4 goals 4 pts. to 5 goals 4 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. Wesley College, (Lost)—1 goal 3 pts. to 27 goals 16 pts.

2nd XVIII

- C.C.G.S. v. C.B.C. Perth, (Lost)—1 pt. to 20 goals 22 pts.
- C.C.G.S. v. P.M.S. 3rd Year, (Lost)—4 goals 1 pt. to 12 goals 16 pts.

UNDER 15

- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Won)—8 goals 7 pts. to 7 goals 7 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Guildford, (Lost)—2 goals 1 pt. to 14 goals 6 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Wesley, (Lost)—2 goals 1 pt. to 8 goals 7 pts.

UNDER 14

- C.C.G.S. v. Guildford, (Lost)—2 goals 9 pts. to 7 goals 8 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Lost)—Nil to 10 goals 7 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Lost)—5 goals 1 pt. to 4 goals 12 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Wesley, (Draw)—7 goals 8 pts. to 7 goals 8 pts.

UNDER 13

- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Lost)—2 goals 3 pts. to 7 goals 8 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. C.B.C. Leederville, (Lost)—5 goals 5 pts. to 16 goals 16 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Lost)—7 pts. to 9 goals 7 pts.

1st XVIII (Prep. School)

- C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Lost)—4 pts. to 4 goals 9 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Guildford, (Won)—4 goals 5 pts. to 2 goals 3 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Hale School, (Won)—8 goals 8 pts. to 1 goal 2 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Draw)—2 goals 6 pts. to 2 goals 6 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Won)—4 goals 8 pts. to 4 goals 5 pts.

UNDER 12

- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Won)—1 goal 3 pts. to 3 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Hale School, (Won)—3 goals 4 pts. to 2 goals 3 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Won)—5 goals 3 pts. to 1 goal 4 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Guildford, (Won)—3 goals 6 pts to 1 goal 4 pts.

UNDER 11

- C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Lost)—4 pts. to 5 goals 3 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Lost)—1 pt. to 13 goals 15 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Guildford, (Won)—5 goals 2 pts. to 4 goals 6 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Won)—4 goals 5 pts. to 7 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Scotch, (Lost)—2 goals 4 pts. to 3 goals 9 pts.

UNDER 10

- C.C.G.S. v. St. Louis, (Won)—3 goals 9 pts. to 2 goals 2 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Hale School, (Won)—6 goals 11 pts. to 1 goal 1 pt.
 C.C.G.S. v. Hale School, (Lost)—2 goals to 1 goal 15 pts.
 C.C.G.S. v. Guildford, (Lost)—1 goal 1 pt. to 4 goals 7 pts.

- HIGH JUMP.—1, Jones (C.); 2, Bent (C.); 3, B. Smith (R.). Height, 4 ft. 11 ins.
- BROAD JUMP.—1, Watson (R.); 2, Bent (C.); 3, Bowker (R.). Distance, 16 ft. 10½ ins.
- SHOT PUTT.—1, Barnes (Q.); 2, Bent (C.); 3, Bowker (R.). Distance, 34 ft. 6½ ins.
- 120 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Jones (C.); 2, Crozier (R.) and Bowker (R.). Time, 18.9 secs.
- 880 YARDS RELAY.—1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea. Time, 1 min. 48 secs.

UNDER 16

- 100 YARDS.—1, Goddard (C.); 2, Glauert (Q.); 3, M. Watson (C.). Time, 12 secs.
- 220 YARDS.—1, Goddard (C.); 2, Glauert (Q.); 3, Liu (R.). Time, 27.1 secs.
- 880 YARDS.—1, Meers (R.); 2, E. Thompson (C.); 3, Mauger (C.). Time, 2 mins. 21.6 secs. Record
- CROSS COUNTRY.—1, Meers (R.); 2, Mauger (C.); 3, Giles (R.). Time, 10 mins. 11.2 secs. Record.
- TEAMS—1, Romsey; 2, Craigie.
- HIGH JUMP.—1, Fergusson-Stewart (Q.); 2, Carroll (R.); 3, Liu (R.). Height, 4 ft. 11 ins.
- BROAD JUMP.—1, Sirr (R.); 2, Glauert (Q.); 3, Goddard (C.). Distance, 15 ft. 10½ ins.
- SHOT PUTT.—1, Meers (R.); 2, McNamara (C.); 3, Lohoar (R.). Distance, 31 ft. 11½ ins.
- 100 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Goddard (C.); 2, Everitt (Q.); 3, Fergusson-Stewart (Q.). Time, 16 secs.
- 880 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie. Time, 1 min. 54.4 secs.

UNDER 15

- 100 YARDS.—1, Mathews (Q.); 2, Lewis (Q.); 3, J. Thompson (R.) and A. Watson (C.). Time, 11.9 secs.
- 220 YARDS.—1, Mathews (Q.); 2, Lewis (Q.); 3, Thompson (R.). Time, 27.2 secs.
- HIGH JUMP.—1, Thompson (R.); 2, Giles (R.); 3, Pritchard (C.). Height, 4 ft. 11 ins.
- BROAD JUMP.—1, Walker (Q.); 2, Lewis (Q.); 3, Watson (C.). Distance, 15 ft. 7½ ins.
- 100 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Giles (R.); 2, Lewis (Q.); 3, Utting (C.). Time, 16.4 secs.
- 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie. Time, 53.7 secs. Record.

UNDER 14

- 100 YARDS.—1, Phoa (Q.); 2, Bowers (Q.); 3, Fitzhardinge (R.). Time, 12.2 secs.
 220 YARDS.—1, Phoa (Q.); 2, Bowers (Q.); 3, Edwards (C.). Time, 28.4 secs.
 HIGH JUMP.—1, Tweeddale (R.); 2, Bowers (Q.); 3, Fitzhardinge. Height, 4 ft. 6 ins.
 BROAD JUMP.—1, Phoa (Q.); 2, Bowers (Q.); 3, Fitzhardinge (R.). Distance, 15 ft. $\frac{3}{4}$ in.
 100 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Bowers (Q.); 2, Phoa (Q.); 3, Tweeddale (R.). Time, 12.1 secs.
 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey. Time, 58.5 secs.

UNDER 12

- 75 YARDS.—1, Hibble (R.); 2, Coales (R.); 3, Stevens (Q.). Time, 10.2 secs.
 65 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Hibble (R.); 2, Meecham (C.); 3, Wisbey (Q.). Time, 12.7 secs.
 HIGH JUMP.—1, G. Taylor (R.); 2, Meecham (C.); 3, Stevens (Q.). Height, 4 ft.
 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Romsey; 2, Craigie. Time, 63 secs.

UNDER 11

- 75 YARDS.—1, Beetles (Q.); 2, Thompson (R.); 3, Beresford (R.). Time, 11 secs.
 HIGH JUMP.—1, Cooper (R.); 2, Broadhurst (R.); 3, Wickhom (C.) and Beresford (R.). Height, 3 ft. 9 ins. Equal Record.
 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Romsey; 2, Craigie. Time, 66.8 secs.

UNDER 10

- 50 YARDS.—1, Beck (Q.); 2, Hunter (Q.); 3, Giles (R.). Time, 7.5 secs.
 4 x 50 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey. Time, 31.6 secs.

UNDER 9

- 50 YARDS.—1, Weaver (Q.); 2, Rose (Q.); 3, Edwards (C.). Time, 8.5 secs.
 4 x 50 YARDS RELAY.—1, Romsey; 2, Craigie. Time, 35.1 secs.
 Other Championship Events (no points):—
 50 YARDS (Under 8).—1, K. Paterson; 2, Anderson; 3, Cory-Williams. Time, 8.4 secs.
 50 YARDS (Under 7—1st Div.).—1, Price; 2, Millar; 3, Treadgold. Time, 9.1 secs.
 (2nd Div.).—Maitland; 2, Bluck; 3, Parker. Time, 8.1 secs.
 50 YARDS (Under 6).—1, Ebbs; 2, Trimby; 3, C. Riley. Time, 10 secs.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL RESULTS

OPEN

- 220 YARDS.—1, D. Moir (Q.); 2, Forbes (R.); 3, D. Steadman (Q.). Time, 33.1 secs.

UNDER 13

- 100 YARDS.—1, Synnot (R.); 2, Parsons (Q.); 3, Evans (Q.). Time, 13.8 secs.
 65 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Stephenson (C.); 2, Brazier (Q.). Time, 12.1 secs.
 HIGH JUMP.—1, Capon (R.); 2, Parsons (Q.); Everett (Q.) and Synnot (R.). Height, 4 ft. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. Record.
 BROAD JUMP.—1, Parsons (Q.); 2, Brazier (Q.); 3, Milne (C.). Distance, 12 ft. 4 ins.
 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie. Time, 60.9 secs.

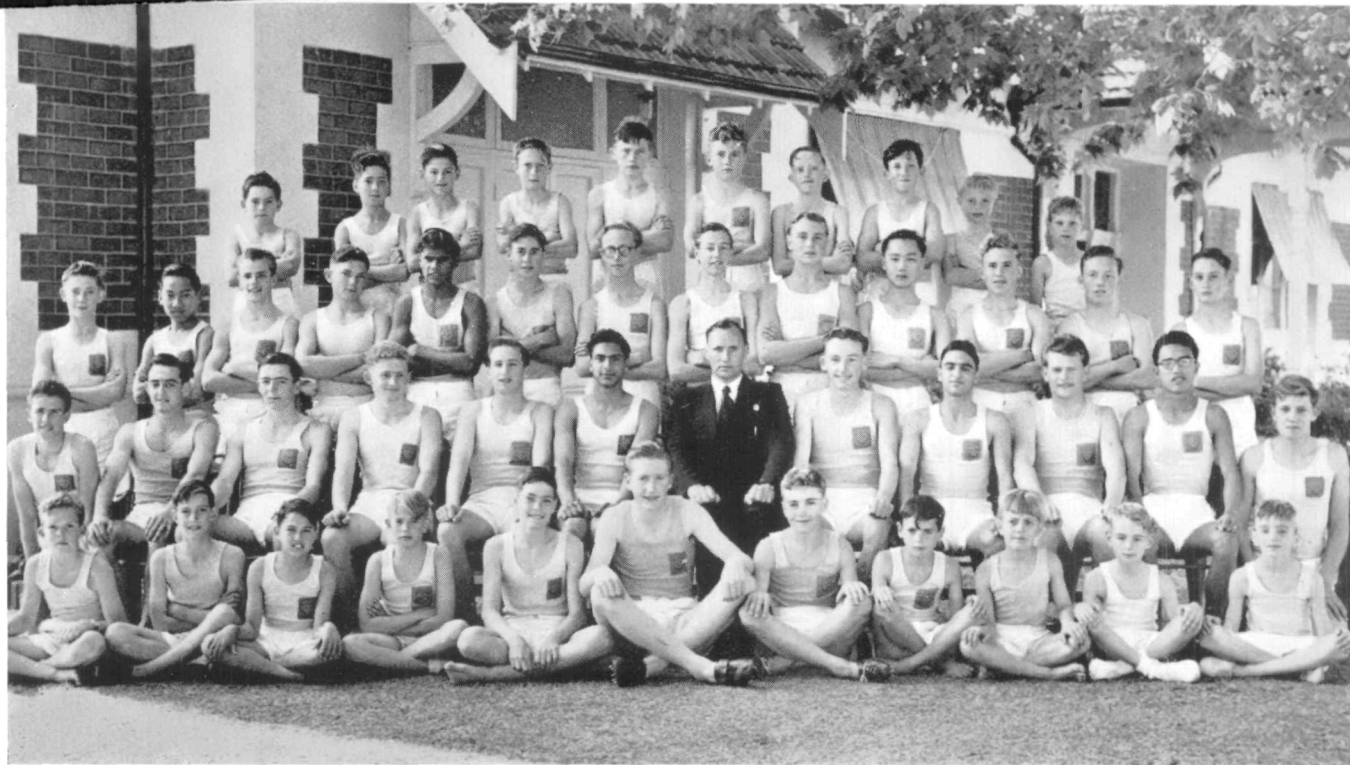
INTER-SCHOOL COMPETITIONS versus Perth Modern School and Guildford Grammar School

The triangular meeting between Perth Modern School, Guildford Grammar School and Christ Church was held at Perth Modern School on the 14th of October. The weather proved favourable and a few records fell to outstanding athletes, E. Phoa being the C.C.G.S. runner in this class. The school put forward its new war cry with such great gusto, that at times the other cheering was barely heard. Our congratulations go to Guildford who carried away the honours.

Final Points:—

Guildford Grammar School	185 points
Perth Modern School	171 points
C.C.G.S.	71 points

- 880 YARDS (Open).—1, Hall (G.); 2, Watson (C.); 3, Bartram (M.). Time, 2 mins. 9.7 secs.
- 100 YARDS (Under 14).—1, Phoa (C.); 2, Tilbrook (M.); 3, Palmer (G.). Time, 11.7 secs. Record.
- 100 YARDS (Under 15).—1, Lamb (M.); 2, Mathews (C.); 3, Harrison (G.). Time, 11.4 secs.
- 100 YARDS (Under 16).—1, Dockery (M.); 2, Wheatley (G.); 3, Murray (M.). Time, 11.2 secs.
- 100 YARDS (Open).—1, Fitch (M.); 2, Waterhouse (G.); 3, Evans (G.). Time, 10.7 secs.
- HIGH JUMP (Under 16).—1, Forehan (G.); 2, Prussian (M.); 3, Ellis (M.). Height, 5 ft. 3 ins.
- 100 YARDS (Under 13).—1, Warren (G.); 2, Chant (G.); 3, Bridmeyer (M.). Time, 12.3 secs. Record.
- 220 YARDS (Open).—1, Johnston (G.); 2, Evans (G.); 3, Lang (M.). Time, 24.6 secs.
- 220 YARDS (Under 15).—1, Lamb (M.); 2, Butcher (G.); 3, Mathews (C.). Time, 25.8 secs.
- 220 YARDS (Under 14).—1, Phoa (C.); 2, Palmer (G.); 3, Tilbrook (M.). Time, 27.6 secs.
- BROAD JUMP (Open).—1, Fitch (M.); 2, Broome (G.); 3, Bell (G.). Distance, 20 ft. 3 ins.
- BROAD JUMP (Under 16).—1, Wheatley (G.); 2, Feutrill (M.); 3, Martin (G.). Distance, 17 ft. 9½ ins.
- 120 YARDS HURDLES (Open) 1st Strings.—1, Fitch (M.); 2, Magnus (G.). Time, 17.1 secs.
- 2nd Strings—1, Allanson (M.); 2, Waterhouse (G.). Time, 17 secs.
- HIGH JUMP (Open).—1, Allanson (M.); 2, Walsh (M.); 3, Kent (G.). Height, 5 ft. 9¼ ins. Record.
- 100 YARDS HURDLES (Under 16) 1st Strings.—1, Paddick (G.); 2, Prussian (M.). Time, 15.5 secs.
- 2nd Strings—1, Smith (C.); 2, Lamb (M.). Time, 15.5 secs.
- 440 YARDS (Open).—1, Reynolds (G.); 2, Evans (G.); 3, Maserei (M.). Time, 54.9 secs.



ATHLETICS — 1953

Back Row : A. Gladwin-Grove, A. Everett, D. Mair, L. Priest, R. Capon, D. Oakley, G. Taylor,
M. Synnot, V. Clennett, M. Russell-Smith.

Third Row : A. Smith, E. Phoa, P. Mathews, J. Thompson, I. Lewis, W. Goddard, H. Everitt,
G. Fergusson-Stewart, G. Glauret, H. Liu, A. Watson, D. McNamara, D. Tweeddale.

Second Row : M. Crozier, D. Bent, B. Jones, P. Kerby, D. Bowker, A. Pate (Captain), Mr. A. Black-
wood, I. Watson, K. Ram, R. Barnes, W. N. Ahmad, E. Thompson.

Front Row : M. Meecham, R. Parsons, D. Beetles, M. Coales, D. H. Evans, I. Meers, R. Bowers,
W. Thompson, W. Beck, B. Weaver, T. Parker.



COMMONWEALTH CUP TEAM — 1953 (Third Place in the Competition)
 Standing : Cdts. Sewell, D., Kinsella, B., Sgt. Glauert, G., Cdts. Goddard, W.,
 Blake, R. (Reserve).
 Sitting : W/O. Bent, D., Cdt.-Lt. A. Pate (Captain), U/O. D. Bowker, Sgt. Jones, B.



HOCKEY — 1953
 Back Row : W. N. Ahmad, R. McCarthy, B. Smith, I. Watson, R. Howlett.
 Centre Row : K. M. Ram, A. Pate (Capt.), Mr. D. Hutchison, E. Jumeaux (Vice-Capt.),
 S. Dodd.
 Front Row : A. Smith, W. Goddard. Absent : A. Obruca, M. Wright.

- 440 YARDS RELAY (Under 13).—1, P.M.S.; 2, C.C.G.S. Time, 57.6 secs.
 440 YARDS RELAY (Under 14).—1, G.G.S.; 2, P.M.S. Time, 54.3 secs.
 880 YARDS (Under 16).—1, Kye (G.); 2, Kuhaupt (M.); 3, Thompson (C.). Time, 2 mins. 17.6 secs.
 ONE MILE (Open).—1, Hall (G.); 2, Bartram (M.); 3, Honnibal (G.). Time, 4 mins. 54.6 secs.
 440 YARDS RELAY (Under 15).—1, C.C.G.S.; 2, G.G.S. Time, 52.3 secs.
 440 YARDS RELAY (Under 16).—1, P.M.S.; 2, G.G.S. Time, 50.9 secs.
 880 YARDS RELAY (Open).—1, G.G.S.; 2, P.M.S. Time, 1 min. 40.2 secs.

versus Wesley College and St. Louis Jesuit School

This year the twenty-seventh annual meeting versus Wesley College and St. Louis (fourth year) was held at Wesley College on Saturday, 17th October. We must congratulate Wesley on taking the honours of the day, and St. Louis for its improvement upon last year's results. Our competitors were almost consistently placed fourth, fifth or sixth in the Open and Under 16 events so that we must congratulate the Under 15 athletes for their better showing. Under favourable conditions thirteen new records were established, which indicates the high standard of the day's athletics.

Final Points:—

Wesley College	222 points
St. Louis	209 points
C.C.G.S.	54 points

OPEN

- 100 YARDS.—1, Hardwick (W.); 2, Wilson (W.); 3, Bartlett (L.). Time, 10.8 secs.
 220 YARDS.—1, Hardwick (W.); 2, Bartlett (L.); 3, Wilson (W.). Time, 23.8 secs.
 440 YARDS.—1, Hardwick (W.); 2, Bartlett (L.); 3, Campbell (W.). Time, 53.3 secs.
 880 YARDS.—1, Gallagher (L.); 2, Ray (W.); 3, Watson (C.). Time, 2 mins. 8 secs. Record.
 ONE MILE.—1, Gallagher (L.); 2, McComish (L.); 3, Ray (W.). Time, 4 mins. 59.2 secs.
 120 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Elson (W.); 2, Quinlan (L.); 3, Boylson (L.). Time, 16.6 secs. Record.
 SHOT PUTT.—1, Elson (W.); 2, Robinson (W.); 3, Bodeker (L.). Distance, 41 ft. 7¼ ins. Record.
 HIGH JUMP.—1, Elson (W.); 2, Manning (W.); 3, Bodeker (L.). Height, 5 ft. 7¾ ins. Record.
 BROAD JUMP.—1, Boylson (L.); 2, Hardwick (W.); 3, Heppell (W.). Distance, 18 ft. 10½ ins.
 880 YARDS RELAY.—1, St. Louis; 2, C.C.G.S.

UNDER 16

- 100 YARDS.—1, Hawkins (W.); 2, Masters (W.); 3, Hopkins (L.). Time, 10.8 secs. Record.
- 220 YARDS.—1, Hawkins (W.); 2, Masters (W.); 3, Hopkins (L.). Time, 24.3 secs.
- 880 YARDS.—1, Manning (W.); 2, Quinn (L.); 3, Crawford (W.). Time, 2 mins. 17.8 secs.
- 100 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Martin (L.); 2, Hawkins (W.); 3, O'Connor (L.). Time, 14 secs. Inaug. Record.
- SHOT PUTT.—1, Casellas (L.); 2, Orchard (L.); 3, Spalding (W.). Distance, 41 ft. 7¼ ins.
- HIGH JUMP.—1, Mapstone (W.); 2, Quinlan (L.); 3, Hawkins (W.). Height, 5 ft. 4¼ ins. Record.
- 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Wesley; 2, St. Louis. Time, 47.7 secs. Record.

UNDER 15

- 100 YARDS.—1, Jones (W.); 2, Taylor (W.); 3, Mathews (C.). Time, 11.1 secs. Record.
- 220 YARDS.—1, Jones (W.); 2, Taylor (W.); 3, Lewis (C.). Time, 25.9 secs.
- 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, Wesley; 2, C.C.G.S. Time, 50.7 secs. Record.

UNDER 14

- 100 YARDS.—1, Martin (L.); 2, Goerke (L.); 3, Hawkins (W.). Time, 11.6 secs. Record.
- 220 YARDS.—1, Martin (L.); 2, Goerke (L.); 3, Hawkins (W.). Time, 27 secs.
- HIGH JUMP.—1, Brophy (L.); 2, Gamble (W.); 3, Martin (L.). Height, 5 ft. 1 in. Record.
- 440 YARDS RELAY.—1, St. Louis; 2, Wesley. Time, 51.5 secs. Record.

UNDER 13

- 100 YARDS.—1, Foelke (L.); 2, Fuller (L.); 3, Synnot (C.). Time, 12.9 secs.

UNDER 12

- 75 YARDS.—1, Brophy (L.); 2, Mitchell (W.); 3, Blue (W.). Time, 10.1 secs.

UNDER 11

- 75 YARDS.—1, Brophy (L.); 2, King (L.); 3, Thompson (C.). Time, 10 secs.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL SPORTS

**versus Guildford Grammar School, Hale School, Scotch College
and St. Louis Jesuit School**

These sports were held at the Hale School, King's Park Oval on Tuesday, 13th October. The weather was fine and the conditions were generally good. St. Louis again ran out the winners with Christ Church in second place, though this was not definite until the last event had been run. Team strength, rather than one or two good runners, was responsible for our position on the list.

Final Points:—

St. Louis	244 points
Christ Church	183 points
Scotch College	178 points
Guildford Grammar	159 points
Hale School	83 points

OPEN

220 YARDS.—1, Duff (L.); 2, Sands (G.); 3, Kirwan (S.).

440 YARDS RELAY.—1, St. Louis; 2, Guildford; 3, Scotch.

UNDER 13

100 YARDS, Div. B.—1, Fuller (L.); 2, Priest (C.); 3, Barble (S.). Time, 13 secs.
Div. A.—1, Warren (G.); 2, Foekl (L.); 3, Robertson (S.).

65 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Foekl (L.); 2, Warren (G.); 3, Miller (H.). Time, 11.1 secs.

440 YARDS RELAY.—1, St. Louis; 2, Scotch; 3, Hale. Time, 57 secs.

BROAD JUMP.—1, Robertson (S.); 2, Priest (C.); 3, Fuller (L.).

HIGH JUMP.—1, Somers (L.); 2, Nairn (S.); 3, Capon (C.).

UNDER 12

100 YARDS, Div. B.—1, Brayshaw (S.); 2, Coales (C.); 3, Chapman (L.). Time, 13.2 secs.

Div. A.—1, Hibble (C.); 2, Rose (S.); 3, Cowell (G.). Time, 13.4 secs.

65 YARDS HURDLES.—1, Rose (S.); 2, Cowell (G.); 3, Thompson (L.).

440 YARDS RELAY.—1, C.C.G.S.; 2, Scotch; 3, St. Louis. Time, 60.5 secs.

BROAD JUMP.—1, Cowell (G.); 2, Brayshaw (S.); 3, Hibble (C.).

HIGH JUMP.—1, Nattrass (H.); 2, Bessell-Brown (H.); 3, Taylor (C.).

UNDER 11

75 YARDS, Div. B.—1, Hatfield (L.); 2, Thompson (C.); 3, Vaughn (G.). Time, 10.6 secs.

Div. A.—1, King (L.); 2, Lenton (G.); 3, Robertson (S.).

6 x 75 YARDS RELAY.—1, St. Louis; 2, Scotch; 3, C.C.G.S.

BROAD JUMP.—1, Brophy (L.); 2, Robertson (S.); 3, Arbuckle (S.).

HIGH JUMP.—1, Brophy (L.); 2, Allnut (S.); 3, Biven (H.).

UNDER 10

50 YARDS, Div. B.—1, Wells (G.); 2, Smith (C.); 3, Duff (L.). Time, 7.9 secs.

Div. A.—1, Beck (C.); 2, Hoar (L.); 3, Adderly (S.). Time, 7.5 secs.

6 x 75 YARDS RELAY.—1, Guildford; 2, St. Louis; 3, C.C.G.S.

UNDER 9

50 YARDS, Div. B.—1, Boylson (L.); 2, Brown (G.); 3, Parker (C.). Time, 7.9 secs.

Div. A.—1, Weaver (C.); 2, Scott (L.); 3, Finlay (G.). Time, 7.8 secs.

4 x 50 YARDS RELAY.—1, C.C.G.S.; 2, Guildford; 3, St. Louis. Time, 33.5 secs.

HOCKEY NOTES

The hockey team this year was very pleased to welcome Mr. D. E. Hutchison, an Old Boy of the School and a keen hockey enthusiast. He has been a great help in the coaching of our team, and has taken an active interest in making this season a successful one. At the beginning of the season A. L. Pate was appointed captain, and E. Jumeaux vice-captain. Practices were held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

We started off very well by winning our first five matches. We drew in the sixth with North Fremantle and won the seventh against Y.M.C.A. Up to and including this match we had the highest goal-average in the State, having scored 31 goals with only three against. Our succession of victories was brought to a standstill when Aquinas College defeated us 3 — 2. Our last game of the season was also lost, this time to North Fremantle, and this unfortunately meant we had lost the Grand Final too.

The Grand Final was a very exciting game and every boy played his part well. At the end of time, it was still a goal-less draw, since neither side had given in. There were two 10 minute extensions, and in the middle of the second one, North Fremantle netted two goals, thus winning 2 — 0.

During the season we also played social matches against M.L.C., P.L.C., Perth College and St. Hilda's, as well as some very enjoyable games against Leederville Technical College. In the three against the Tech. we won the first two 1 — 0, and 3 — 2, and lost the last 0 — 4.

The season ended on a happy note when we learnt that the right full back, W. Goddard, had been chosen to represent the State in the Schoolboys' Hockey Team which was later successful in Melbourne. S. Dodd and M. Wright were in the running for this tour until the final 15 were chosen.

Congratulations to W. Goddard, W. N. Ahmad, K. M. Ram and I. R. Watson who were awarded hockey colours.

Results of Junior II Grade Matches:—

Played	Won	Lost	Drew	Goals F.	Goals A.
9	6	2	1	33	8

PHOTOGRAPHY NOTES

Although we have had no photography club since the departure of Mr. Burnett at the end of last year, there has been a continued interest in this hobby, not only in the taking of photos but also in the developing and printing of them. We have seen some good snapshots, both portraits and landscapes.

Roderick Lohar and Barry Kinsella have taken an active interest in the chemical side of the business and have greatly reduced the cost of developing and printing for the photography enthusiasts. We have been able to use the hobbies room on some Saturday and Sunday nights and have been able to rig it up for our purpose.

On the day of the opening of the new classrooms, several of the boys not in the guard spent some time taking snaps of the Governor, the guard, the Memorial Wing and the crowd. Our results on this occasion encouraged us even more in our intriguing hobby.—I.M.C.

CADET NOTES

The Annual Cadet Camp, held during May, was at Northam once again. The week spent there was one of the most interesting and informative the Corps has had. Fine weather favoured us for all but the last two days when there was to have been a field exercise. However during this time a greater number of instructive films were seen than would otherwise have occurred. On two evenings instructional films were shown, and on another a film for enjoyment's sake was presented. The Fremantle Theatrical Company enlivened one afternoon with merriment by a show they put on, which was very much appreciated. The Camp was marred by a serious accident which providentially did not involve any of our cadets. A 2 inch mortar bomb had been illegally obtained and, being handled carelessly, it exploded and injured seven cadets.

During this year's range practices, Captain Blackwood has kept a vigilant eye on every individual cadet's scores, and has been well rewarded for his efforts by having chosen a really fine Shooting Team. This team came third out of the twenty eight schools competing for the Commonwealth Challenge Cup. Our time honoured rivals like Guildford and Aquinas have at last been beaten. Congratulations to Cadet Lt. Pate for coming third in the individual aggregate shooting, and thus winning a cup, and also to Albany High School for having the best team.

When the Governor, Sir Charles Gairdner, opened the new wing of Memorial Classrooms, a Guard of Honour composed of the smartest cadets from the Corps paraded for him. He himself commented on its efficiency and "Grenadier like" steadiness.

In June the Commandant of the Royal Military College, Duntroon, Major-General Hopkins, accompanied by Major Richardson, inspected the Corps and gave a talk about the College and also showed us a film concerning the life there.

During the third term, Lt. Jones supervised and instructed the N.C.O. class in an extremely competent manner, and will make the future corporals and sergeants continue the high standard which there has always been in the Christ Church Cadet Corps.—R.M.H.

DEBATING SOCIETY NOTES

At the first meeting of the Debating Society in 1953, Everitt was elected president and Barnes vice-president for the year, and Mr. Owens was asked to fill the position of leader of the society which Mr. Speagle had left vacant.

During the first term three debates were held; the first two were practices for the third, the annual debate against St. Hilda's. As a matter of interest, a team led by Pate managed to prove, in the second debate, that all schools should be abolished. The debate against St. Hilda's was held in their school hall, a senior team, consisting of Pate, Everitt, and Bruce, and a junior team, consisting of de Chazal, Dollimore, and Retchford, participating. These were supported by about twenty boys who accompanied them.

The senior team won their motion: "That organised sport should be compulsory", but the junior team failed to convince the judge; "That day schools are not better than boarding schools as educational institutes", the opposition bringing us such details as the ease for the day students to have a snack before doing their homework! After the debates a few impromptu speeches were made, some of which proved quite amusing, and following these a supper was served. We all went home having enjoyed the evening very much.

The Society's activities came almost to a standstill in the second term: only one debate being held and that only amongst the boarders. At the end of this term Mr. Hutchison agreed to become our leader.

During the last term only one debate has been held. This was against M.L.C. in the Queenslea Library with the teams from junior and sub-leaving forms. The subject of the sub-leaving debate, which was lost, was: "That films are a bad moral influence", the affirmative being taken by the boys. The junior debate, which was won, was: "That women are the slaves of fashion", the negative being taken by C.C.

To conclude, it is hoped that next year the activities of the Society will increase and that some of the younger members may be given more opportunities to try their skill at debating.—E. de C.

LIBRARY NOTES

At the beginning of the year we welcomed Mr. Moore back to the position of Master-in-Charge. The fact that we have made steady progress throughout the year is entirely due to his efforts.

Despite a reduction in the available finance, we have acquired many good books, all valuable additions to the shelves. Additions to the sporting section, previously rather neglected, have been greatly appreciated by both the staff and boys, while a wide variety of technical books have met with the approval of those interested. The most valuable purchase of the year was the "Shorter Oxford English Dictionary" in two volumes. We now have the two points of view, namely the Webster and the Oxford.

On the fiction shelves, Wells, Kipling and Priestley, amongst others, have received our attention. However, many complaints are still made concerning this section. Those who claim that it is being neglected in favour of the reference side of the library, should remember that the object of the library is primarily to supply reference books to the boys. Novels cannot be allowed to take first place.

In conclusion we wish to thank Mr. Moore for his work this year, and wish him good luck in the future. Our hope for next year is that the standard attained this year will at least be maintained.—W.J.H.E.

CRUSADER NOTES

We started the year with only a few boys attending our weekly lunch hour meetings. However our numbers during the year have increased considerably so that now we have more than twenty attending them. Mr. H. Bates has captured our interest with various biblical topics which we have discussed and from which, I am sure, we have gained much. Many of our boys have also been to the meetings at Mr. Bates' residence.

At the all school Crusader Camp at Araleun during August, we were ably represented by seven of our number. Unfortunately Arthur Pate was unable to attend the whole camp, but he visited us for one night.

We have had several guest speakers from overseas and Doc Britten has taken the meetings twice. We wish to thank Mr. Bates for coming each Thursday to tell us more of our wonderful faith and religion.—I.M.C.

MEMORIAL CLASSROOM WING

Towards the end of 1951 it became generally known that the school intended to erect some new classrooms in honour of those Old Boys of the school who had lost their lives in the two World Wars. At Easter time 1952, an all out drive for funds was launched. Parents, Old Boys and boys of the school helped, their efforts culminating in the fete held at the end of third term. Work commenced on the classrooms during the Christmas holidays, and they were completed by July.

On Sunday, 9th August, parents, friends and old boys of the school assembled to see the opening of the new wing. A guard of honour chosen from the School Cadet Corps was lined up before the classrooms. Suddenly a hush fell upon the crowd: His Excellency, the Governor of Western Australia, Sir Charles Gairdner had arrived. His Excellency ascended the steps; the guard presented arms; The Western Command Band played the National Anthem. The Governor then inspected the guard and the official party proceeded to the verandah of the Memorial Wing.

Mr. J. Battye, Chairman of the School Council, Mr. G. Russell, President of the Parents' Association, Mr. K. Sudlow, President of the Old Boys' Association and Mr. P. Moyes, the Headmaster, then made short speeches explaining the purpose of the classrooms and how the funds had been raised. Brian Beresford, son of one of the Old Boys killed in the Second World War, and a pupil of Form IIIB, read out the names of those being commemorated. The keys of the building were handed over and a plaque on the wall of the building was unveiled. Following this His Excellency declared the Memorial Classrooms open and His Grace the Archbishop of Perth dedicated them in a short service.

Arthur Pate, Captain of the School, was then called upon to thank the Old Boys' and Parents' Associations for the building, which was later thrown open for inspection. Afternoon tea was provided for all those present.—E. de C.

FILM NOTES

This year the Saturday night films have been hired from Brown & Dureau and R.K.O. Pictures, instead of from M.G.M. The change seems to have been advantageous, though it is still difficult to choose programmes suitable for all the boys whose ages range from 7 to 19 years.

1st Term : We started the year with a stirring, though old film, namely "Gunga Din", an adventure story set in Northern India in the late part of the nineteenth century. Cary Grant and Joan Fontaine were in the starring roles. The film was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The second film, "Sons of Matthew", which was filmed in Australia, was equally well received by all of us. It is a tale of the early Australian settlers and the difficulties they had to face. Michael Pate and Tommy Burns took the starring roles.

The next film was that bright comedy "The Egg And I", (based on Betty MacDonald's best selling novel of that name), which starred Fred McMurray, Claudette Colbert, Marjorie Main and Percy Kilbride.

The last film of the term, "Ma And Pa Kettle" was the sequel to "The Egg And I", with Marjorie Main and Percy Kilbride in the starring roles.

2nd Term : The first film of the term, "The Spoilers", even with the impressive cast names of Randolph Scott, Marlene Dietrich and John Wayne, did not impress the majority of the audience.

The next film, "Are You With It", did not strike a bright note either, and most of the audience were certainly not "with it". Donald O'Connor had his talent wasted in this second rate tale of the circus.

The third film, "Timber", with Dan Dailey and Leo Carillo in the leading roles, though short, was better than generally anticipated. It dealt with the American lumber business at the beginning of World War II.

The fourth and final film of the term was considered by the majority the best for the term. Bing Crosby provided top-line entertainment in "The Bells of St. Mary's". He was supported by Ingrid Bergman.

3rd Term: This term only three films have been scheduled for screening. All of them are box office successes.

The first was the unusual tale of an invisible rabbit, "Harvey", with that likeable character James Stewart in the starring role.

This was followed by "Oliver Twist" presented by a competent cast headed by Alec Guinness and Robert Newton. Although this was longer than most of the other films we have seen, it held the attention of most of the boys from start to finish. Here indeed was a good British film.

At the time of writing "Sanders of the River", with Paul Robeson in the starring role, has yet to be screened. This is based on one of Edgar Wallace's best selling novels.

Generally speaking, the films this year were better than those of last year, and if opportunities prevail, the films committee looks forward to an even more successful year in 1954.—J.B.B.

PREFECTS' JOTTINGS

Although nobly supported by nine monitors, there were only two prefects at the beginning of the year. However, E. Bruce and I. Watson brought the number up to four towards the end of the second term. Congratulations to both Ian and Euan on their promotion.

Doubtless the School Pound is famed far and wide by now. Kerby's relentless pursuit of stray articles has caused much wailing and gnashing of teeth. The fines extracted from those wishing to retrieve appropriated articles go towards the Memorial Building Fund — each article buys half a brick. At the present rate of carelessness, the school will be able to afford a School Hall in no time at all.

Thanks to Mr. Blackwood, the School Tuckshop was continued at the beginning of the year. Run by a committee consisting of prefects and monitors, the proceeds go towards the provision of sporting equipment for the school. Already, by this means, the school has been able to procure three excellent flights of hurdles.

The Annual Prefects' Dance was quite a success this year. A good time was had by all. Not only was there a first class supper, but a considerable amount of money was put into the Memorial Fund as a result of the profits of the dance. The Prefects of the School extend their thanks and gratitude to all those whose kind co-operation made this possible.

Original Contributions

"ANTARCTICA"

(First Prize in "The Mitre" Competition was awarded to
B. Armstrong for this poem).

Across the bleak and endless hills of snow
Without a tree or rock to break the line
Where ice sheets slowly slip and blizzards blow,
There is no sound except the whine
Of the ever blowing wind. The yellow sun
Shines soft across the shifting icy dunes.
And shadows dark are strewn by many folds
Whose gently rounded domes and snowy plumes
Are rimmed with golden fire. This lifeless world!
Where even birds stay well in sight of sea,
Lest they be lost or buffeted and hurled
Into this land of ice, to freeze and die.
Yet to this desert world men come from warmer lands
To search these wastes, but many ne'er return.

—B. W. Armstrong.

"THE BARQUE"

There crashed through the water a beautiful barque,
Exquisitely graceful with towering masts three,
And rigging which screamed like a fiend in the dark,
As she ploughed through the boiling and turbulent sea.

She sliced through the breakers and hurled up the spray
Which rose up in clouds on her starboard and port,
Her sails which billowed were like the clouds — grey,
Which overhead scurried and thundered and fought.

The waves all around her were tossing each crest,
She strove in an ocean while most sorely pressed,
Both the waves and the winds to prove themselves best
Were trying to sink her with cruel, joyful zest.

—R. M. Howlett.

CHINATOWN IN SINGAPORE.

(Second Prize in "The Mitre" Competition was awarded to E. Phoa for this contribution).

"Come and buy my sweets. Delicious sweets that will please any mouth. Ah! Yes master. That big piece of peanut biscuit. Very cheap master, only twenty cents." "Twenty cents for that piece of biscuit," replied the customer, "why that vendor there sells a bigger piece for 15 cents. I will not pay more than ten cents for that piece of biscuit. "Please master, fifteen cents. "No! Ten cents and no more." After a lot of time wasted haggling, the customer walks off, contentedly munching the newly purchased piece of biscuit.

This is the typical scene which one meets in Chinatown, Singapore. The long, narrow, dusty streets are lined with carts, on which are displayed evil looking goods, made of something which only "God and the maker" know. The vendors themselves, dressed in old tattered singlets and dirty shorts, look quite barbarous. The reason for this is the fact that they have been living in slums for nearly all their lives, and worse still, some of them do not have the benefit of a roof over their heads.

As one travels through Chinatown, one is entranced by the picturesque scene. It is beautiful, yet ugly; elaborate, yet poor. The old, two-storey slum houses, on the verge of collapsing, are virtually "leaning towers of Pisa" in miniature. Some of them have been declared unsafe, yet they have to be used. The people in Singapore have always to see their fellow men living in a state of danger and despair. Help is given to them, but as fast as new houses are built, others have to be pulled down. Thus it will be a long time before Singapore can see her Chinatown converted into a livable place.

As night comes on, the streets are illuminated by little gas burners on the carts. These carts are cleared of sweets, cloth and such-like stock. They are then cleaned. Huge cans are rolled onto them, and little fires are lighted under these cans. Water is boiled, meat, fish and vegetables are cooked in the cans. In a few minutes a complete transformation can be seen. Instead of sweets and cloth, edibles such as sausages, ducks, fowl and fish are on display. One cannot resist the tasty food. I have often

gone to Chinatown with the family after having a heavy tea, determined not to eat any more food. Alas! even staunch will-power has to give in to those savoury aromas. "Never mind, this will be the last time, but I must taste that roast duck." I would then sit down, not caring for tomorrow's stomach-ache, and eat until my father says, "Stop!" Well, when dad speaks in the imperative, it is best to obey.

Thus life in Chinatown continues its cycle. But morning, noon or night, the magic of Chinatown is there to awe you, and to give you the best and most entrancing memories.

— E. Phoa.

"THE LIGHTHOUSE"

The sea is high, the clouds are black,
 The waves are clashing, rippled and flecked
 With frothy foam and torn up wrack
 From the sombre bed of the sea.
 But midst this turmoil grey and wild,
 There stands a tall and slender shaft,
 A lighthouse, like a forlorn child,
 Stands upright in the howling blast.

And there it stands, with tip so bright
 Of glittering and of angled glass,
 While smashing waves its base do strike,
 And then, in twain, are smashed apart.
 Outlined against the dark grey sky
 The wheeling seagulls swift and white,
 Give vent to their appealing cries
 While flying in the far flung spray.

At night, when with its golden beam
 It stabs the abysmal blackness,
 Its wedge of radiance lights a scene
 Of heaving and of swelling sea,
 And up above, the wind so keen
 Drives the mounted clouds
 In a race to nowhere, like a dream
 Whose end is imperceptible.

—R. M. Howlett.

A FOOTBALL MATCH AT FAIRBRIDGE

During the second term the Young Victoria League, which does a great deal for the Fairbridge Farm School, arranged with various schools to play football matches against the Fairbridge team.

Our match was arranged for the last Saturday of the term, August 15th. Altogether twenty-five boys were picked from our Under 14 and Under 15 teams to make the trip. The transport problem was overcome by the Headmaster, Mr. Blackwood and parents who very kindly drove us there and back.

The day arrived — we set out at about 10.30. Firstly we went straight to Serpentine Falls for lunch, where we all gorged ourselves with grilled steak, chops and sausages. Before lunch was cooked, and after lunch was over, we went to the falls themselves, a distance of about 200 yards from the fireplaces. As there had been quite a bit of rain recently, the stream was running very strongly, and the falls presented a beautiful sight. The only mishap was when one of the boys fell into the river, below the falls, while trying to cross by means of a fallen tree. At about half past one we continued on our way.

On arriving at Fairbridge, the boys playing in the match changed and then went over to the oval where the Fairbridge team was practicing. The game was soon started and until almost half time the scores were fairly even. Fairbridge then began to lead, and by three quarter time was about five goals ahead. The effects of the Christ Church team's heavy lunch were then beginning to wear off and so the tables were turned — Christ Church managed to keep Fairbridge moderately subdued and at the same time put on a few goals. The game finished with our team winning by a margin of about two goals.

At afternoon tea the Headmaster of Fairbridge, Mr. Ball, expressed his wish that the match could become an annual affair, while most of the boys hoped they could make two trips a year, one for cricket and the other football.

—A. Dowling.

NINE THOUSAND MILES BY AIR

Easily the quickest way to travel a long way, is to go by air. It was early in May, 1952, that I received a telegram from my parents in Malaya, requesting me to fly to them from Scotland.

This would be my second flight alone, and I was somewhat sorry and yet happy to leave the relations with whom I had been staying. At five-thirty in the morning, a Constellation landed at Prestwick Airport, after its overnight flight from New York. This was my plane, so after a cup of tea, I checked my luggage and made towards the refuelled aircraft.

We took off as the sun was rising, and in no time were over the English Channel. Soon Holland, the terminus for the trans-Atlantic flight was in sight. At about eight-thirty we touched down. It seemed a bit strange to wake up after a short sleep, and then have breakfast in another country, but I did not worry, for breakfast tasted just the same.

I was a trifle dismayed to hear that the plane for Singapore did not leave until seven-thirty that evening. However, I was occupied all day by being shown round the airport in the morning, and taken around Amsterdam in the afternoon by a charming ground-hostess.

Just as scheduled, the plane for Singapore left at seven-thirty. I was so tired that no sooner were we in the air, than I fell asleep in my comfortable sleeper-chair. Five hours later we landed at Rome to refuel, and since it was midnight, only the airport cafe was open.

It was not long before we were on our way again. By breakfast time we had reached Basra in Iraq, where the climate started to change. I delved into my small case for lighter clothing.

At last, after three days' travelling, with occasional stops for refuelling we reached Bangkok in Siam on the afternoon of the third day. Being the only child on the plane, I travelled into Bangkok in the crew's car. We saw the famous temples which always attract tourists, and after visiting some native shops, we returned to the airways hotel, where I slept soundly.

Next morning we started on our final hop to Singapore. After lunch I began to feel excited as the plane flew across Malaya, and in the afternoon, after three and a half days of flying, we reached Singapore, where my father was waiting to meet me.

—I. Henderson.

TIME

"Catch then, oh catch the transient hour,
Improve each moment as it flies;
Life's a short summer — man a flower—
He dies, alas how soon he dies!"

What invaluable advice is contained in these few lines of Dr. Johnson's. Time is the most precious gift that can ever be bestowed. Yes, time is priceless indeed. It is beyond replacement; a second lost is a second lost forever, gone "beyond the great depths". We should handle it with prudence, treat it as we would treat money—thriftily and wisely; we should use our instinctive judgment to the fullest extent and surely we shall find Time a valuable ally, a weapon which can do the impossible, a something — yes, an inexpressible something — that can extend beyond measure, dethrone kings, create states, shatter empires, make wonderful inventions, and infuse fresh hopes. Time is, in short, a most invaluable gift from God.

Unfortunately, however, very few of us employ our precious seconds usefully and profitably. Alas! how many have squandered, are squandering, and will squander, minutes — nay, hours — in frivolous tasks. It is said that Queen Elizabeth I on her death-bed uttered these words: "I will give millions for one inch of time".

The minutest division of time is the second. We should not neglect even that particle of it. Let us remember that old maxim:

"Think nought a trifle, though it small appears,
Small sands the mountain, moments make the year,
And trifles life."

Years are made up of months, months of weeks, weeks of days, days of hours, hours of minutes and minutes of seconds. Let us learn not to waste the second and then we shall not waste the minute — thence an hour, a day, a week, a month, and a year. If we can fill the passing minute with sixty seconds of unflagging work, we shall then be well on our way to achievement to success and to ultimate happiness.

Time is, as Shakespeare describes it, "noiseless and invisible". The fact that we cannot feel it, hear it, or handle it is the cause of our downfall. We seldom realise that time is fleeting by from seconds into minutes and into hours, and as a result we are often far behind — so to speak.

Time is free, absolutely free. We have nothing to lose but everything to gain if we employ our allotted precious seconds with prudence and industry so that—

"Each morning sees some task begun,
Each evening sees it close;
Something attempted, something done,
Has earned a night's repose."

—E. Jumeaux.

YALPARA STATION, ORROROO, S.A.

Yalpara Station is situated about 20 miles outside Orroroo, which is a small, dusty and sleepy little town in the wool producing country about 200 miles north of Adelaide. The road out to the station is quite good, though it is crossed by many dry creek beds. Sometimes as one drives along the road, the car is paced by mobs of emus and kangaroos. The first thing one sees at Orroroo is Black Rock (nearly 3000 ft. high) dominating the smaller hills around it.

The station homestead itself is situated in a basin formed by the hills which are a branch of the Flinders Ranges. The homestead buildings consist of a large woolshed surrounded by the drafting yards. To the right of this is the machinery shed which houses two tractors and a blitz-buggy. At right angles to this shed are the three shearers' huts which are each big enough for four men. To the right of this again is the main building, the house, which has eleven cool rooms. Surrounding this is a large garden with a tennis court. There are as well the working man's cottage and the jackaroo's hut.

The country around the station is mainly semi-desert, the ground surface being either red dust or very stony. There is not much usable water because one of the main streams (Salt Creek) has a high percentage of salt.

—J. Wilson.

MYSELF — IN TEN YEARS TIME

Is it possible to see into the future? For most people, luckily, the answer is in the negative. But for me, miserable creature that I am, the answer is a definite affirmative. Allow me to explain.

Before today I was an inoffensive character, doing harm to nobody, without any more cares than are usual for a school boy. How was I to know what I really was?

Today all is changed. I have accidentally discovered the means of looking into the fatal future, and I have to pay for my mistake.

I picked it up on a path next to the school. I do not know why it attracted my attention. It was a perfectly ordinary stone, round with a flattish surface, about the size of a sixpenny bit, with the colour of light cardboard. I dropped it casually into my pocket and forgot about it.

Later that afternoon I examined it. I placed it on the table in front of me, sat down, and stared at it. Maybe I was overtired, but was it merely my imagination that made the five small black spots spaced at irregular intervals over the surface, appear to be moving together? I could not avert my eyes, fascinated as I was by this sight. The five spots merged into one and, as the stone began to spin around, faster and faster, the dark spot grew bigger and bigger before my eyes, came closer and closer. My body was forgotten, I was weightless, movement was effortless. I seemed to swim through that advancing, expanding patch of darkness. Then everything became calm again.

Light began to flow down upon me in waves. I was apparently suspended near the roof of an ultra-modern cafe. Below me were two people sitting at a table making a pretence of eating, but actually doing very little more than talk in high-pitched voices about nothing in particular.

A careful study of these two revealed quite a lot. One of them was a girl of about twenty-three, slim, blonde, but toothy. She was obviously rather embarrassed by her company, but far too polite to show it. Her enthusiasm over every subject brought up by her companion accentuated her nervousness.

The other was a young man of roughly twenty-five, tall but floppy, with pale, watery eyes hidden by heavy spectacles. His hair was obviously thinning, but a wisp of dilapidated moustache adorned his upper lip. His suit was the only outstanding thing

about him. Orange with diagonal, purple stripes, it would have had a disturbing effect upon the eyes of a blind man. He was clearly a perfect example of the most odious type of British ex-university student, and only just "ex" at that. The sight of him was disturbing enough but I was soon to be really rocked. The realisation that this was myself in ten years time struck me with a suddenness that flashed red and orange bars of light in front of me. Me? This? Oh, no!

As I recovered from my shock, my future self and my companion reached a decision. We rose, collected our belongings, paid the waitress and left. Then the real catastrophe occurred. Although we had not left in a hurry, I had not left a tip!

Oh, horror of horrors! Oh, terrible day! Oh, vile and despicable man! Oh, shocking type! To be so lowered, disgraced and humiliated by myself! Can nothing be done to avoid this ignominy? As I gradually sank back into my original position, staring at the weird stone, I realised what I was, am and will be. There can be no doubt about it. I am a cad, sir!

As I write these last words of explanation, my hand strays towards the knife lying near me. Nothing else remains, there is no hope for me. Please excuse the absence of a full stop as a conclusion to this confession but.....

CHAUCER FORGOT VIA

OR

PROLOGUE TO THE CHRIST CHURCH WAILS.

When that first term in '53 did dawn
 Upon old school mates, mingling fat and scrawn,
 And all devoid grew masters' hearts of cheer
 As time to teach the little brats drew near,
 And from Opportunity's cup began to drink
 These true, hard-working fellows (I don't think!)
 There came into the VIA room so fair
 A merry group of school-boys (really rare)
 In number eight, and soon, by hook and crook,
 Being all agreed, they solemn oath then took,
 To treat their masters kindly, not too hard,
 And aid them by their working — no holds barred!

However, just before I start my tale
Of struggles in exams, of "pass" and "fail",
I think it quite within both rhyme and reason
To tell you all about them, in good season,
How they spoke, and of their manners too;
In short, to give account of the whole crew.
A lad by name of Roger Barnes was there.
He was what he termed everyone else — a "square".
His powerful frame, and just as strong powers mental,
Were set back by his haircut continental.
Wee David sat beside him — a nice lad,
But bitten by the work-bug rather bad.
He had a stocky frame, and loved to bellow,
With all his lungs, "Oh Rachel!" A nice fellow.
And next there was a mop of curls so golden,
And, underneath, a small boy was beholden.
In studying Chemistry lay his delight,
But for first place, young girls gave chem. a fright.
In swimming-pool or Baths was there none fleeter,
This fellow was a Champ. His name was Peter.
The next chap used to fight and jockey
For top position in class. His maths and hockey
Had made him universally renowned.
His name was Elmo Jumeaux, I'll be bound.
Beside him sat the elephant boy — Houmram.
And he played cricket, or he ran or swam,
In sport a good all-rounder, but alas!
Most roundly rated when in class.
A lad with a strange name he would sit with,
A keen and sprightly boy — a chap named Smith.
Here was a noble fellow! He'd go bats
If by some strange misfortune he missed Maths.
Two others only were there, one named Dick,
A tennis star — his rally was quite slick.
When in a dismal mood, he would entrench
Himself, and read his one love, French.
The last chap, always smiling, full of cheer,
(The dregs left over from the class last year)
Was labelled "Arthur". Slow to rouse or rile,
You may survey him if "Ulinga" awhile.
Now this is how these fellows seemed to me;
And did they keep their promise? Ask and see!
Here endeth the Prologue.

—A. Pate.

THE ADVANCE OF FLYING

The wireless droned on with the usual gangster story. It was up to the point where the detective was stalking the slayer of the beautiful blonde. Suddenly the wireless gave a convulsive squawk, the cultivated voice of the announcer broke in: "We interrupt this enthralling play to bring you a flash on the London to Christchurch Air Race. It has been announced that Flight Lieutenant Burton, flying a British Canberra bomber has just won the race. His time for the 12,270 miles journey was twenty-three hours, fifty-one minutes. We now return you to the "Case of the Battered Blonde".

I slumped back into my armchair. It was all over; the air race had been won. Very sleek planes those Canberras. My mind wandered from the rattle of machine guns coming from the wireless. I seemed to be travelling back, back

A well built man was standing on the steps of a house with a bird-like model in his hands. Below him a crowd of sceptical, superstitious peasants jeered him.

"Go on da Vinci. Let's see you conquer the air," shouted one.

A thin wizened old man piped up in a cracked voice. "Tis sacrilege me boy. The Lord didn't give us wings to fly, meaning he didn't want us to fly. You'll go to eternal damnation, that you will."

The crowd muttered agreement. A young man standing behind da Vinci grasped his arm. "Don't fly it master. They'll kill you."

As if in a dream, da Vinci shook him off, lifted the model, then launched it. It lurched into the air, its wings flapping clumsily, then flew on. A woman in the crowd screamed, others covered their eyes. Furtively one of the men bent down, picked up a large rock.

"To hell, ye son of Jezebel and the Devil," he shouted, then hurled the rock. It struck da Vinci, but he did not move. With eyes riveted on the flapping contraption, he realised that Man had conquered the air.

The bearded man with the hour-glass and the scythe cut the grass of time busily. Countries rose and fell, men lived and died.

Two men sat in a boat in the middle of a lake. One, a young man, was resting on his oars, the other, an old, white-bearded man, sat gazing at a house boat in the distance. From the house-boat wreaths of smoke and steam coiled. Abruptly the top of the boat erupted. A long winged apparatus shot forward, belching

clouds of steam, the faint chug of a small steam engine and the whirl of a propeller were heard. The small crowd on the bank cheered. The old man bent his head in silent prayer.

"Come on Mr. Longley," said the young man. "It's getting late and there's a storm coming up."

The old man looked up, and in a far away voice he said: "Don't you realise that soon Man will fly with the freedom of birds."

Back and forth swept the scythe, reaping in the knowledge of the departed years. Time moved on.

The wind whistled mournfully across the sand dunes. Two men with stiff collars stood with a young boy watching two brothers. One was lying in a fabrication of oiled silk and wire. A small petrol engine spluttered and coughed, then increased in speed. The two propellers whirled round, gripping the air. The contrivance began to move forward on its rails faster, faster, up and up. A short hop, then it failed. Carefully it was carried back to its original rails. The brothers changed places. Once more the whirling propellers gripped the thin invisible air, once more a short hop, then down again. Finally the wind became too strong, they decided to abandon their efforts. They left the machine and turned for home chatting gaily. Suddenly there was a rending of cloth and a grinding of metal. They turned. Orville and Wilbur Wright's aeroplane lay a mass of twisted metal and flapping rag on the wind swept Kitty Hawk dunes.

The white-bearded Time toiled patiently while his slave Mankind was testing his new found wings.

A dapper little Frenchman climbed into his frail craft. He started the motor and sat for a while listening to the faultless whine of his master-piece of engineering. Then, throttle forward, flaps up. Faster, faster, bouncing and jerking over the uneven turf. Overhead the grey clouds gathered. The little plane crept timidly up. Below, the shore of France gave way to the angry English Channel. A little naval vessel plunged through the trough of grey-green. Soon he could see it no longer. But trouble loomed. His engine was hot, it would falter, seize, then stop altogether. Ahead was Providence, a squall of rain. The engine cooled, he flew on. Below lay England, he circled lower and lower. Could he land his precious charge undamaged? The wheels touched and rolled on into a patch of mud. The nose dipped, the tail rose and the dapper little Frenchman fell out. He picked himself up and looked around.

"Hey, there!" A farmer, pitchfork in hand, came running over. "What are you doing in these grounds? And who are you, eh? Where do you come from?"

He drew himself up.

"I," he said, "am Louis Bleriot. I have just flown from France."

The sands of time trickled gently on. The grass fell before the precise sweep of the scythe.

The huge mono-plane lumbered forward, heavy, sluggish. It rose unwillingly. Inside four men listened, hoped, prayed. The roar never faltered, the plane moved on through the blistering day into the cool night. On and on it thundered. Honolulu, Tahiti, Brisbane. Through wind and rain onto victory. The three motors stopped, the plane rested on the green turf. The crowd surged round, as from the gleaming blue plane stepped the World's hero, "Smithy."

The bearded Time strode on. The world was at war.

A runty, nervous little man stood back from a shed. He glanced at his watch. Seconds to go. He smiled wanly at the group of officials. Clasp and unclasp his long sensitive hands, he waited. In the shed a man was counting. "Six .. five .. four .. three .. two .. one .. Fire."

There was a faint whine increasing to a shrill scream, a dull explosion then a full-bodied roar. The Air Force official later wrote: "Test on Whittle type engine successful."

Back and forth, back and forth, swish, swish, time fell before the gleaming blade.

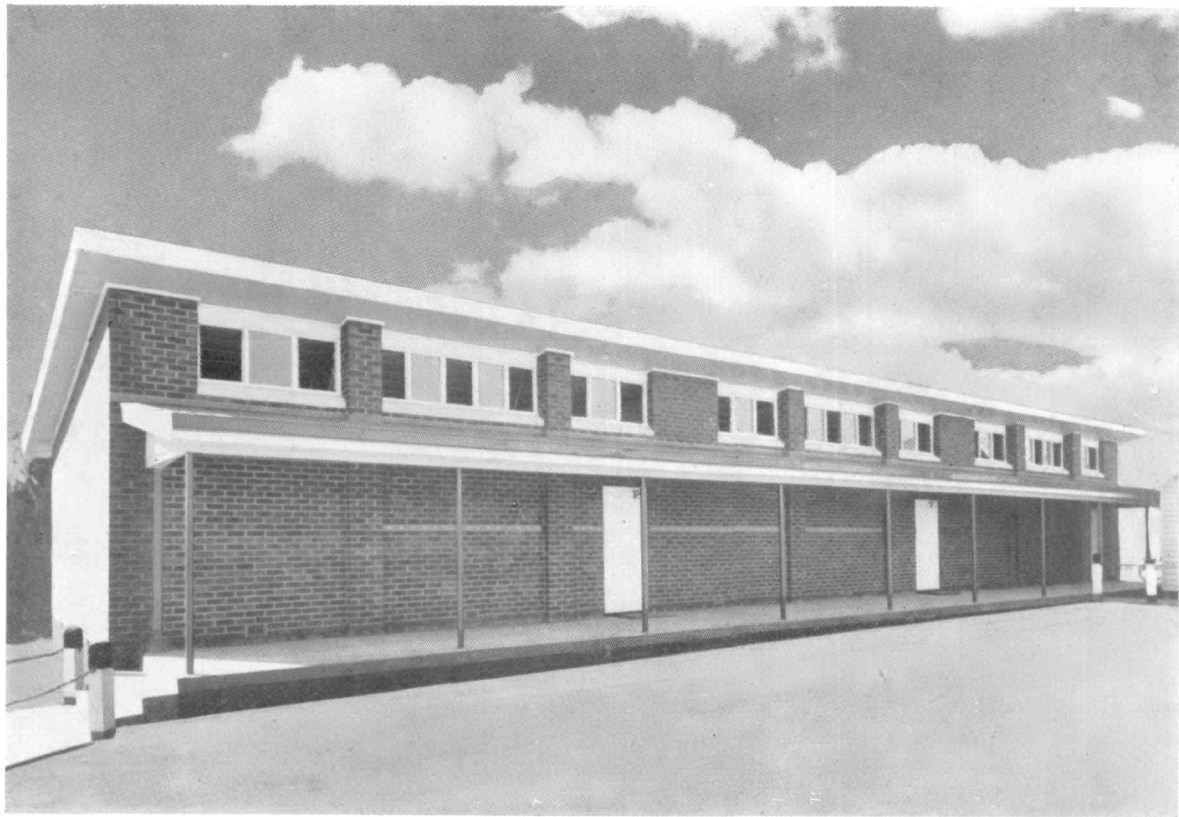
The instruments were pointing across the Libyan desert, focused on a small black dot. Nearer, nearer. It screamed past, a crimson streak across an azure sky. The officials' heads whipped around as it hurtled past. Back it came faster. The air quivered, the ground vibrated. Then men pattered back to their tents, pencils wagging. Checking, cross checking, comparing notes followed. The next day in black banner-line, the newspapers told the world, "Neville Duke Breaks Air Speed Record in Hunter."

Hazily the voice pierced the fog of sleep. The toiling Reaper faded. I awoke fully; the sun's last rays filtered through the trees. The radio droned on: "And now children we present your serial, 'Rockets to the Moon'."

—R. Mauger.



Mr. K. H. SUDLOW
President of the Old Boys' Association, 1953.



THE NEW MEMORIAL CLASSROOM WING.
Opened by the Governor, Sir Charles Gairdner, August 9, 1953.

OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION NOTES**OFFICE-BEARERS, 1953**

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From the Constitution of the C.C.G.S. Old Boys' Association:—

2.—Objects. The objects of the Association shall be:—

- (a) To encourage intercommunication between Christ Church Grammar School Old Boys of all periods, and to keep them in touch with the school, the Association and each other and such events as shall be considered of interest to members or of necessity to the well-being of the Association.
- (b) To further the interests and prosperity of Christ Church Grammar School.
- (c) To organise such functions as may from time to time be determined upon.

CALENDAR, 1953-54

These functions have been held, or are to be held by the Association during the present financial year:—

Saturday, 7th March—A cricket match was played against the School XI (see school cricket notes for details). The number of Old Boys present was greater than last year, so some tennis was played as well.

Monday, 9th March—The Annual General Meeting was held at the School. By 8.15 there were sufficient members present for the meeting to begin. Unfortunately the President, Ken Sudlow, was unable to attend, so Dick Lovegrove carried on in his place. Minutes and reports were presented, and also the financial statement. The motion, of which due notice had been given, that: "The annual subscription be 10/- for all eligible members", was passed after a little discussion—those over 21 welcomed the reduction; those under 21 considered the increase would not be a burden. The election of office bearers then took place. These are given above, with one exception. Mr. J. G. Martin was elected President by the meeting. He, however, because of his work with the Parents' Association, resigned at the first committee meeting. The Committee then elected Ken Sudlow to the position of President, and Jeff Martin became the immediate past president.

Because of the transfer of Norman Giles to South Australia, it was necessary to elect another Old Boys' representative to the School Council. Mr. G. D. Clarkson was duly elected.

Friday, 5th June—The Annual Ball was held at the Cottesloe Civic Centre. Because of the patronage of, and a donation from the Parents' Association, as well as a donation from O.B.A. funds, this function was again a financial success. The proceeds, amounting to £126, were handed to the Memorial Fund. The number of Old Boys present was less than last year, which, for the organisers, was a disturbing feature of the ball.

Saturday, 20th June—John Sears gathered together an XVIII for a football match against the School which started at about 10.30. The result was a draw—partly because John Moore was the umpire!

Sunday, 9th August—The Memorial Classroom Wing was opened by the Governor, Sir Charles Gairdner, and dedicated by His Grace the Archbishop of Perth, the Most Reverend R. W. H. Moline, D.D. Many Old Boys were present while members of the Committee directed people to their places. The afternoon's proceedings were well organised and much credit is due to the War Memorial Committee for their good work.

Wednesday, 2nd December. The Annual Dinner is to be held. It is too early to say more than this.

Saturday, 5th December—A cricket match will be played against the School XI.

The 1953 Fete will be held at the School. This is being organised by the Parents, Old Boys and the School as a combined effort to lessen the deficit which still exists on the new classrooms.

Sunday, 31st January—End of the financial year. Subscriptions (10/-) are due.

Sons of Old Boys.

Since the School Roll now has over 300 names on it, it is an appropriate time to list the names of Old Boys who have sons at the school. They are: E. A. Lovegrove, T. C. Miller, G. W. May (2), Rcd. Treadgold, J. H. Utting, R. O. Giles, W. H. Evans, J. G. Martin, the late B. de la P. Beresford, B. H. Parker (2), F. E. A. B. Sewell, G. A. R. Bowers, E. C. B. Giles (2), H. M. Hill, and R. A. P. Todd (2).

This is probably the most sons of Old Boys that have been at the school at any one time. The practice should be encouraged. I wonder who will be the first to have a grand son at the school; Harold Boys, I believe, was the first to send a son, back in 1933.

News Sheets:

News-sheets are sent regularly every three months to financial members of the Old Boys' Association. They serve to keep Old Boys posted on School activities as well as on the movements of other Old Boys. John Moore has been editing the news for the past two and a half years — his main regret is that he usually has to find his material, not enough is sent to him.

FROM HERE AND THERE

Terry Austin (50-52) has moved to Launceston, Tasmania. He is employed by the Bank of New South Wales.

Ken McCamey (39-41) is now working at the asbestos mine at Wittenoom Gorge.

Bud Byfield (39-41) is receiving a bit more recognition as a cricketer so far this season. He has been elected captain of the Fremantle team and he captained one of the teams in a trial game before the State team was chosen.

Frank Speldewinde (46-50), having completed the third year of his engineering degree course, is working with the S.E.C. Speldo, Ed. Wells (49-50) and Punyanitya (48-49) gained ten distinctions between them in their university exams this year.

John Nielsen (29-30) made a movie record of "The Opening" for the O.B.A. His brother Warren (28-30) made similar records of some school activities in 1949.

John Moore (34-43) is leaving the School's staff at the end of the year, and will be found at Pulteney Grammar School, Adelaide, after February 1st next.

Among those at the University this year are Tony Burns (48-50), Lionel Ward (45-52), Dave Churchill (45-51), Ron Powell (43-49), Murray Littlejohn (45-49) and Terry Newton (45-49) who are studying for science degrees; Derry Eggleston (46-50) who is doing dental science; and Tony Vincent (47-50) who is studying law.

John Sears (44-51) was mentioned as one of the best players in the W.A. Rugby Union team which played the Wallabies, the Australian Team.

Seen at the opening of the classrooms were Harold and Dale Boys, Jeff Sweett, Bill Sudlow, Tom McKenzie, Tom Bedells and three past Headmasters, namely Archdeacon Parry, Rev. L. R. Jupp, and Mr. S. C. Noake, who had flown from Sydney for the occasion.

Keith Hoseason (24-27) wrote during June to ask for information about the Association, and to tell us that he had settled in Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia.

While Bill Heseltine (42-46), now a married man, continues to fill in time in the Prime Minister's Department, Canberra, his brother Harry (42-47) has sailed for the U.S.A. and the Louisiana State University. Half his luck!

Jim Page (45-50) has left Bryah Station via Meekatharra, but has yet to give us a new address.

MARRIAGES, 1953

Gregory Campbell to Elaine Parsons.

Malcolm Lankester to Marjorie Cownie.

David Compton to Dawn Adams

BIRTHS

The following became the fathers of sons: Hal Le Mesurier, Barry Readshaw, Royce Butler, Tom McKenzie, Neville Moir, Peter Bowers, Len Lavater, Ted Parsons, Neil Barsden, and Brian Bleechmore.

The following became the fathers of daughters: Raphe Somerset, Bronte Waldeck, Rodney Treadgold, Peter Moyes, Kevin Pilley, Gerry Atherden, Ken Topham, Charlie Atkins, and Peter Walters.

DEATH

Aubrey Adamson at Adelaide, S.A., on 29th June.