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## **EDITORIAL**

Will the modern British Commonwealth of Nations lead to world unity?

Ever since its foundation, the British Empire has flourished and, under its sovereign ruler, has been a leading force in world affairs.

The acquisition of colonies and new land opened new opportunities and the British people consequently migrated to the colonies and built them up, to support themselves. Crops were planted in early years and stock was imported so that the early settlers, instead of merely having enough for their own subsistence, increased the acreage of crops and the quality of the land. This made provision for more people and, hence, the small colonies expanded into towns, cities and then states.

In war-time, they supported Britain ably by exporting food and war materials, as well as providing their own troops, navy and air-force.

Britain, realising the importance of these countries, decided that they should have responsibility. Subsequently, selfgovernment was introduced, the countries were affiliated under the crown and small nations were born. Now, the Prime Ministers meet on an equal footing and discuss each other's problems with the aim of not only helping themselves, but aiding all the countries that are combined to form the British Commonwealth of Nations.

After the war years, with the recession in value of the English pound, and now, with Russia's dominance in the field of space science, some people claim that the sun has set on Britain as top nation. However, the sun has not set; but is just rising to shine on the new, strongly united British Commonwealth of Nations.

It is, perhaps, not unreasonable to suggest that, with the example shown by Britain, the leading countries will sink their differences and unite to guarantee peace and prosperity for the world with, possibly, one ultimate aim, faith in God.

And those who think universal peace incompatible with mankind, must surely agree with those who think that to travel hopefully is better than to arrive.

## SCHOOL NOTES, 1959

At the beginning of the year, the staff was increased by the arrival of Mr. Naish, Mr. Jones, Dr. Ferres, Mr. Allen, Mr. Burns and Mr. Pate.

Owing to the increasing numbers in the school, it was considered necessary to form a new sporting house.

Consequently, after suggestions had been invited from all the school, Wolsey's name appeared alongside those of the other three sporting houses. Performing creditably in their first year, they managed to win the debating and rowing and, with fine all-round efforts, finished the year only a few points behind the winning house in the Beatty Cup Competition. They also made a valuable acquisition in the form of a house flag: accomplishment only achieved by the generosity of house members.

At the annual cadet camp, held at Northam from May 1st to May 9th, Christ Church again proved themselves by performing well in the inter-school competitions.

Mr. Woodend succeeded Mr. O'Hara as Cadet Quartermaster, and was later promoted to the rank of Captain.

The March-out Parade was held on August 9th and, for the second time, Major-General Harrison took the salute and inspected the unit, after which he presented Sgt. Johnston with the Alexander Todd Memorial Trophy as the outstanding and most proficient cadet of the year.

During the August holidays, the annual N.C.O. cadet camp was held. R. Maclagan and K. Machar continued our record of success in this field by completing the course in 1st and 2nd positions respectively.

A tribute must also be paid to the victorious shooting team, which captured the Commonwealth Cup because of their consistency under the trying conditions.

The popular introduction of Rugby augured well for the school as we finished third in the premiership for the Junior Rugby Union after a very successful season. Congratulations must go to Peter Atkinson and Max Gordon for their selection in the State Schoolboys' team selected to play the W.A. Colts team.

The rowing crews were meritorious in that they all but completed a "clean sweep" of the events by winning every event except the second fours, in which they rowed a close second.

We only had mediocre results in the other P.S.A. events; but it is encouraging to note the spirit and success among some of the younger teams.

Through the hard work and diligence of Mr. Kovacs, we again won the State Gymnastics competition. Christie Stevens, Clem Rossiter and P. Watt helped to maintain our reputation by winning the Under 18, Under 16 and Novice events respectively.

We were all very relieved when Mr. Kovacs, after sustaining an injury in second term, recovered and was able to return to his work.

Among the visitors to the school were the Rt. Rev. Hand, Bishop of New Guinea, the Rt. Rev. Bardsley, Bishop of Coventry, John Alden, members of the cast of "She Stoops to Conquer" and Mr. Serventy, the Wild Life photography expert.

School parties attended the four Shakespearean plays, "The Merchant of Venice", "A Midsummer Night's Dream", "King Lear" and "A Winter's Tale", the University production of "Antony and Cleopatra", "The Pirates of Penzance" and an orchestral concert. A party from the cast of "H.M.S. Pinafore" visited Busselton, and saw the opera as a prelude to our own production later in the year, a



THE HEADMASTER AND PREFECTS, 1959

Back Row (I. to r.): C. C. Sanders, P. J. Browne-Cooper, T. R. Dix, N. P. Sudlow, M. J. Lloyd.

Front Row (I. to r.): M. W. G. Meecham, J. W. S. Maddams (Capt. of School), The Headmaster, J. C. Muir (Senior Boarding House Prefect), D. R. Smallwood.



Winners of the "Head of the River"

Back Row (l. to r.): R. Williams, D. Smallwood, J. Miall, M. Gordon, W. Moran.

Front Row (l. to r.): A. Drok (Stroke), J. Sherwood (Cox.), G. Samson (Capt. of Boats). Absent: T. A. Steadman.

group of boys was conducted on a tour of the Royal Perth Hospital and a Physiology class paid a visit to the Sewerage works.

Again the Rowers' and the Prefects' Dances proved highly successful: both from the financial and the social points of view.

The Gilbert and Sullivan production of "H.M.S. Pinafore" was held on August 13th, 14th and 15th. Congratulations to all those concerned and especially to Mr. Woodend, the producer and musical director, to whom, with his wife, we are indebted for their service and work throughout the two terms. Our thanks must also go to the orchestra, without which the show would never be a success.

An extremely successful Preparatory School Concert was held on October 27th.

In the first term, the Headmaster was among a party invited to visit Duntroon Military College. He returned greatly impressed with the standards over there, and the avenues awaiting boys wishing for a career in the forces.

The number of pupils has increased considerably since last year, and the total enrolments are now 641, of which 389 are in the Senior School.

Work on the new Middle School change rooms was completed early in the year, and the Science Block was ready for use at the beginning of second term. The old shack by the Memorial classrooms was demolished, and the temporary classroom by the old laboratories was removed after the completion of the Science Block.

The school block adjoining Queenslea Drive and the Preparatory School is now cleared and grassed. This has now virtually become the entrance to the Prep. School and has consequently reduced the hazards incurred by the excessive number of cars in the school proper.

An access road to the recently acquired land on the West Coast Highway has been finished. It is proposed to have, on this land, two football ovals, between which will be erected a pavilion containing change rooms and a room for afternoon teas. There will also be hockey fields and tennis courts.

Plans are being made for a second storey on the Memorial classrooms and joining these to the Science Block at the eastern end, a two-storeyed cross-section.

Trees have been planted throughout the grounds in an extensive scheme to beautify the school. Many different species have been obtained, and already they are showing signs of completely transforming the appearance of the school as we know it now.

It was with great reluctance that we farewelled Mr. Thody on his transference to Queensland. We are very sorry to lose him and his services in coaching the second eight, and wish him well in his new capacity at Brisbane.

Scholastically, we have been quite successful. Those taking the "Alliance Francaise" did credit to the school, and P. Edwards, P. Hill and M. Hughes all gained distinctions and are to be specially commended. At the beginning of the year, the school council established an annual sub-leaving scholarship, which was awarded to Murray Cann for both his scholastic and sporting achievements in the Junior year. Chris Wall did well to win the Moss Mining Scholarship, an award based on the Junior science results. Congratulations to all.

In conclusion, we thank all those who have held any position of responsibility and all those who have helped to maintain our reputation in the classroom and on the playing fields.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1959

#### 1st Term

#### February

- 10. School begins.
- 14. Cricket v. Old Boys.
- 18. Cricket Under 15 v. State XI.
- 18. Cricket v. Incogniti.
- 20. Senior School Swimming Sports.
- 21. Boarders Film evening.
- 24. Prep. School swimming.

- 25. Cricket v. Gov. XI. 27. Cricket v. Hale (P.S.A.) 28. Cricket v. Hale (P.S.A.) 28. Triangular Swimming Sports.

- 10. Prep. "Inters".
- 13. P.S.A. Cricket v. Wesley.
- 14. P.S.A. Cricket v. Wesley.
- 20. P.S.A. Cricket v. Guildford.
- 21. P.S.A. Cricket v. Guildford and Hale Rowing Regatta.
- 26-30. Easter Holiday.

#### April

- 3. P.S.A. Cricket v. Aquinas and Wesley Rowing Regatta.
- 10. P.S.A. Cricket v. Scotch.
- 11. P.S.A. Cricket v. Scotch.
- 17. Junior and Sub-Leaving Debate, P.L.C.
  18. P.S.A. Rowing "Head of the River". Rowers' Dance.
- 25. Boarders' Film.

- 1. Play, "She Stoops to Conquer".
- 1. Cadets Army Camp.
- 8. Cadets return and School ends.

#### Second Term

#### May

- 24. Boarders return.
- 25. School begins.
- 27. Football v. Hale.

- 3. P.S.A. Football v. Scotch.
- P.S.A. Hockey v. Scotch.
   Farewell to Mr. Thody.
- P.S.A. Football v. Wesley.
   P.S.A. Hockey v. Wesley.
   P.S.A. Football v. G.G.S.

- 14. Opening of Science Block.
- 20. P.S.A. Hockey v. G.G.S. Visit to "Pirates of Penzance".
- 24. P.S.A. Football v. Aquinas.
- 25. Bishop Hand spoke in Chapel.
- 27. P.S.A. Hockey v. Aquinas.

#### July

- Arbor Day.—Official Tree Planting.
   Mid-year examinations.
- 10-14. Mid-term.
  - 15. P.S.A. Football v. Scotch.
  - 16. Bishop of Coventry spoke in Chapel.
  - 18. P.S.A. Hockey v. Scotch.
  - 18. Prefects' Dance.
  - 22. P.S.A. Fotball v. Wesley.
  - 25. P.S.A. Hockey v. Wesley. 29. P.S.A. Football v. G.G.S.
  - 31. Debate v. Perth College. Junior and Sub-Leaving.

#### August

- 1. P.S.A. Hockey v. G.G.S.
- P.S.A. Hockey v. Aquinas.
   School Gym. Competition.
- 9. March-out Parade.
- 12. P.S.A. Football v. Hale.
- 13, 14, 15. "H.M.S. Pinafore".
  - 18. Confirmation at Christ Church.
  - 19. Cross Country runs.20. Term ends.

#### Third Term

#### September

- 14. Boarders return.
- 15. School resumes.
- 18. John Alden visited School.24. Trial exams begin.
- 26. Boarders' film.

#### October

- 3. Commonwealth Challenge Cup.
- 3, 4. Exeat.
  - 5. Parents function in Hall. 7. Show Holiday.
  - 8. Prep. School sports.
  - 9. Senior School sports.
- 15. Visit to R.P.H.
- 17. Quadrangular sports.
  24. P.S.A. "Inters".
  27. Prep. School Concert.

- 28. Cricket v. Incogniti.30. Debate v. M.L.C.31. Boarders' Film.

#### November

- 4. Cricket v. Hale.
- 7. Basketball v. Old Boys.
- Cricket v. Scotch.
   Cricket v. Wesley.
- 21. Cricket v. Fairbridge.23. Public exams.
- 25. Council Scholarship Exams.
- 26. School exams.
- 29. Boarders' Film.

#### December

- 5. School Fete.
  6. End of Year Service.
  7. P.E. Display.
- 9. Speech Night. 8.00 p.m.

## THE SCHOOL EXPANDS

#### Demolition and Clearing

Considerable clearing has been done around the school, and it is a relief to see stretches of grass in place of some of the eyesores which have now disappeared.

The removal of the temporary classroom and the transfer of V G to their present classroom in the Science Block, was a boon to everyone concerned. Now, the area is free for boys at lunchtime, and the water supply is not being diminished so rapidly by the need to spray the hot iron roof for cooling purposes.

In the first week of second term, the old shack near the Memorial Block was demolished to reveal what appeared to be an old refuse heap. The mess was soon cleared and the ground was levelled for grassing.

The recently acquired block adjoining Queenslea Drive and the Preparatory School has been cleared and grassed. A pathway has been laid, from the outside to the Prep. School, and the area has virtually become the entrance to the Prep. School. Younger boys are dropped there by parents bringing them to school and now the excessive number of cars that previously congested the inside drives has been eased considerably.

Trees and shrubs have been planted throughout the school to provide shade and to beautify the general appearance of the grounds. Willows, flowering plums, flowering peaches, lilac trees, privets, gums and Queensland umbrella trees are a few of the many species which have been planted around the Science Block, along the borders of the top oval and around the incinerators in order to mask their unattractiveness. Trees were also planted around the Boarding houses and down by the rowing shed.

A tribute must be paid to the gardeners for the work that they have done in tending the gardens and ovals and for their preparation of the cricket pitches, running track and the tennis courts.

#### New Land

Work has begun on the land procured on the West Coast Highway, and a through road to the area has been completed.

It is proposed to have two football ovals: one being larger than our present oval and the other approximately the same size. Between these a pavilion will be erected and, in this, provision will be made for changing and for afternoon teas. Playing facilities will be increased further with the clearing of land for new hockey ovals and tennis courts. It is hoped that the latter will increase the number of tennis players and the standard of play for, at the moment, tennis is virtually non-existent, even though the school does field teams for inter-school competition.

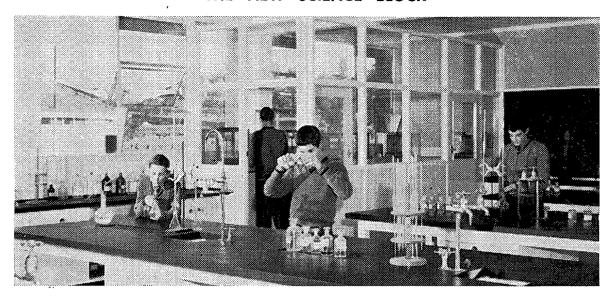
Later, the new land will probably be the site of a future Preparatory School.

#### New Middle School Change Rooms

The new change rooms were completed by first term and the middle school boys ceased to use the senior change rooms and moved to their new "quarters". Toilet facilities and lockers are ample, and the boys can now enjoy the pleasure of changing in comparative comfort. In July, the iron roof on the old Biology Lab. was removed and replaced by tiles.

The senior change rooms are on the immediate renovation list; but they will not be altered for some time yet. The change will certainly be appreciated by the boys, and we are all hoping that some day we might enjoy the luxury of hot water.

#### THE NEW SCIENCE BLOCK



In the Chemistry Laboratory

- Sunday Times

#### The Science Block

Completed for use in second term, the new Science Block is a double-storeyed building in pastel brick and white concrete. The construction of the building is a system of pre-cast concrete columns, panels of brickwork and a rigid steel-framed roof to take low-pitched asbestos. The roof has been insulated, as has the complete upper floor.

The ground floor consists of a chemistry laboratory, chemistry preparation room for a lecturer, a lecture room and a classroom now occupied by V L. The top floor is a duplicate of the ground floor and is devoted to Physics.

Plastic piping has been used in the chemistry laboratory for all waste outlets because of its acid resisting properties. The weighing room is a separate room in the chemistry lab. and the balance bench of concrete has been anchored to the concrete floor to ensure a stable base for weighing.

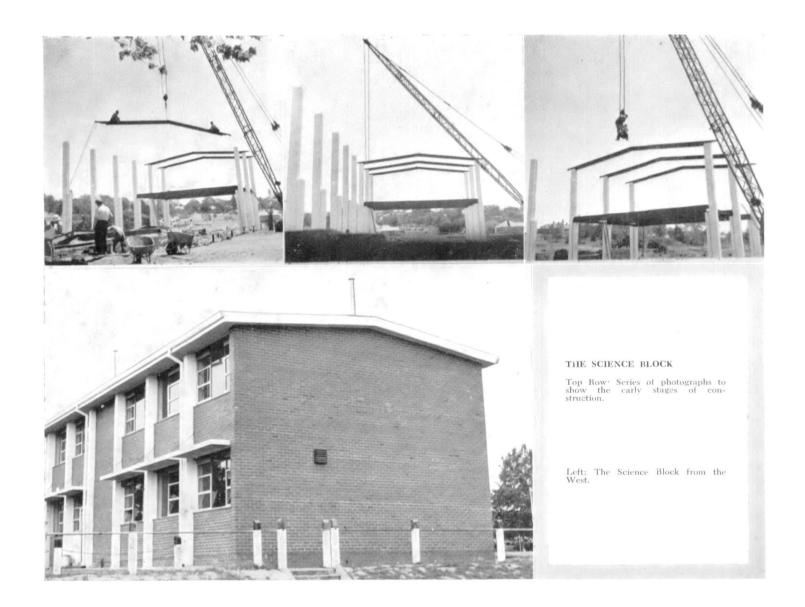
Claimed by the architects — Hobbs, Winning and Leighton—to be the equal of any science wing in the State, the building incorporates many ideas from other colleges' laboratories, and we thank them for the assistance given in the planning.

#### Opening of the Science Block

Sunday, June 14th, saw the opening and dedication of the new Science Block.

Over five hundred people were present at the opening which marked another step in the school's expansion scheme. We were privileged to have Professor Bayliss, Professor of Physical Chemistry at the University, with us to open the building and the Right Reverend Freeth who condescended to dedicate the wing.

The Headmaster opened the official ceremony, which was held under a marquee erected for the occasion, and gave us a short history of the school since 1951. He expressed our gratitude for the good





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Front Row: Sgt. C. C. Sanders, Sgt. P. H. Walsh.

Absent: C.U.O. J. W. S. Maddams, W.O.II T. A. Steadman, Sgt. A. R. Annear, D/Maj. P. R. Atkinson.

work done by the school council and its chairman, and thanked all those who aided in the planning and construction of the new building.

Mr. Battye spoke of the acquisitions made by the school and the debt owed to the Diocesan Council which had helped greatly in the last few years. He also informed us that the Headmaster was making a six or seven months' trip to England next year, in order to investigate the educational advancement over there.

Professor Bayliss spoke of the education needed to maintain a position in the scientific world, and tried to sway us from overdevotion to the classics. He spoke forcefully and held the interest of the audience until the time he officially opened the wing. The Bishop then dedicated the building which was thrown open to inspection.

In conjunction with the inspection, an art exhibition was held in the Memorial classrooms and a gymnastics display was held in the hall.

The School would like to thank Mr. R. H. Williams for donating the speedboat "Betty May" to the Rowing Club. It has proved invaluable in the training of crews and the transporting of racing shells to the regattas.

Also, a small rowing boat was kindly donated to the club and it has been of great use to the Rowers.

At the end of the Rowing season, the school procured the New South Wales boat that won the 1959 King's Cup. It has been used by some of the senior rowers who were immensely pleased with its performance.

#### THE ROY GIBSON MEMORIAL PRIZE

In honour of the late Dr. Robert Welch Gibson, an Old Boy of the school, money to endow a prize has been donated to the school by his brother, Dr. George Gibson.

The price will be called "The Roy Gibson Memorial Prize" and will be an annual award given for English at the Fifth Form (Junior) standard. The award will be made without additional examination.

Roy Gibson entered Christ Church School as a small boy, passed all grades of the school and was Captain of the School in 1924. Following matriculation he attended the University of Adelaide where he graduated in Medicine in 1932. His first and indeed only practice was at Ceduna in the far west of South Australia. He and his wife, who is also a Medical Graduate, commenced as private practitioners there, but private practice soon developed into a more ambitious and extensive undertaking. At first the Ceduna Hospital was staffed by the Bush Church Aid Society whose scope and function are

known to you. The development of the Far West Medical Service from this beginning was made possible by the energy and devotion of Roy Gibson and his wife.

These years were economically depressed and large areas of the far west country were without any adequate medical service: The result was that in a relatively short time a flying medical service was formed which service has developed in the years since. Both Roy Gibson and his wife acted as Flying Doctors and covered the country from close to Port Augusta in the east to Eucla and Forrest in the west, and as far north as need dictated. This flying medical service has always been maintained by the Bush Church Aid Society and is not an integral part of the Royal Flying Doctor Service.

Early in 1936 Roy Gibson was bitten by a death adder and although he recovered his health was never again good and this accident led to his death in 1948. During the war he served in the Australian Military Forces for several years but was never accepted for Overseas Service on account of his failing health.

Dr. Gibson was the second "old boy" of the school to graduate in medicine.

To enable the prize to be founded on

an adequate basis, Dr. Gibson donated a cheque for £100, which will be invested through the School Trustees. The interest will be used for the prize annually. However, there is no compulsion to use the full amount of interest each year unless that is desirable.

#### MRS. I. R. WATTS

This year we have to say goodbye to Mrs. I. R. Watts who is retiring from active teaching.

Mrs. Watts has been with the school, teaching in the Preparatory School, since 1943 with the exception of one year's leave of absence at the end of the last war.

She gave untiring and dutiful service to the school, particularly in those early troublous times when teachers came and went with alarming frequency. It was a relief for the Headmaster to know that, come what may in the way of teaching staff, Mrs. Watts would be there at her post when the first day of the new term came around.

She was a zealous and competent teacher with the conviction that discipline was good for small boys and that all boys should be subject to the same firm measure of control.

We all wish to join in thanking Mrs. Watts for her loyalty, and in commending her for her courage in personal adversity. We hope that her days of retirement will be long and happy and we wish her all the pleasant leisure she so richly deserves.

Good luck, Mrs. Watts!

--- W. T. R.

#### QUICKLY - - - -

Christ Church hits the headlines! No, not the rowing, or the gym, or the shooting, or . . . .

Yeah! Now you're talking. It's that pram that some bird strung up from the flagpole.

Wasted?

Never! Our chaps don't waste time hauling in material for hill trolleys.

Science showed its first "rays" of interest when we spent half a day watching the eclipse. Mr. Hutchison, claiming that the spectroscope he had poached from the Physics Lab was a genuine telescope, set up his apparatus and we gazed ardently upon little "half-moons" playing on a piece of paper.

Sincerely hope our future rowing results aren't governed by the new trees down at the boatshed—they're weeping willows.

Then there's the new fence that some wiseacre put up between the boarders and the M.L.C. dorms.

The only relief that the cadets get from their eternal life of boredom seems to stem from the gardeners.

It was a fine stage performance for the parading unit, when some character turned on the spray while Mr. Johnson and his contingent were tarring the path outside the new changeroom.

## VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

#### VISIT OF BISHOP BARDSLEY, BISHOP OF COVENTRY

On the 16th of July, during second term, we were indeed most fortunate to have with us the Bishop of Coventry. The Bishop was visiting Australia on the invitation of the Church of England Men's Society. Coventry, the most bombed city of Britain, now enjoys the latest and most modern Cathedral in the Anglican Church in England.

The theme of his very warm and farreaching address was: "I have fought a good fight; I have kept the faith." He developed his theme by reference to two books he had recently read. The first of these dealt with the Bishop of the Arctic, whose initiative, enthusiasm and dedication in bringing the Christian religion into the lives of the Eskimos has been commented upon as almost a miracle. The other book he mentioned was that on which the film "The Inn of the Sixth Happiness" was based. In this case it was a woman missionary who with relentless courage strove to bring Christ to the Chinese peoples. He mentioned in particular the occasion in which she was faced with a problem of quelling a prison riot, and just as she was about to be slain authoritatively told her likely assassin to put down his weapon. These were but two of those who have "Fought a good fight and kept the Faith".

Christianity was far from being an easy method of living, but rather it was frightfully difficult. The Christian life was one of self-discipline and required toughness of character. He painted a picture of Satan as a roaring lion seeking those who stumbled and did not rise. He quoted Peter's words: "The Devil goeth about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour; whom resist steadfast in the faith!"

We all have the same chance to do well. We must try by self-discipline, and prayer, to keep the faith, and if we stumble, we must rise again; not to lie and be devoured.

We were indeed grateful for this most wonderful summary of Christian principle. To discipline oneself and to keep the faith were the words whereby he hoped we would learn to "fight a good fight, and keep the faith".

#### VISIT OF BISHOP HAND, BISHOP OF NEW GUINEA

During second term of this year, on the 25th of June, we were honoured to have with us Bishop Hand, who is the present Bishop of New Guinea, and, incidentally, the youngest Anglican Bishop. Bishop Hand was born and bred in New Guinea and so has an intimate working knowledge of the problems and difficulties of these people.

The Bishop spoke easily and informatively about his area, illustrating these problems by actual cases. Originally, when the white man first visited New Guinea, the natives were cannibals, and the stories of Missionaries being boiled and burnt alive were quite true. Present missionary work, he said, was now considerably safer, and the chance of losing one's head was remote.

Since the establishment of the missionary enterprise, the Church had thrust out into New Guinea, motivated by three main objects. These were to establish, firstly, Faith amongst the natives, then knowledge and finally hygiene. By working along these lines, the natives, as well as becoming civilised, were being given a chance to prove themselves. He said that the Papuans had the capacity of the white man, and the only reason that they had not developed to the occidental standard in the past, was that they had not been given a chance. At the present, the greatest obstacle was that caused by the early marrying age of New Guinea maidens. Because of this, the Church was not being given enough time to develop Faith, learning, and hygiene in these mothers, who could, he claimed, save considerable effort if they were to pass on their knowledge to young children.

At the present, Australia was contributing widely to the mission's work. The "Martyr College" for missionaries had been established to train men and women for this work. However, missionary work was not restricted to the clergy. There was a great need for teachers, doctors, dentists, carpenters, builders, and the like.

The Bishop concluded by asking for assistance of three kinds. First and greatest of these was prayerful assistance. As well, however, the Church and Missions needed both physical and financial help. Some day, the Bishop said, he hoped to see boys from such schools as Christ Church adding their services to work in the mission field.

#### JOHN ALDEN'S VISIT

On 18th September, we were privileged to be visited by John Alden, the artistic director of the visiting Shakespearean Company, and to hear him speak on the somewhat controversial subjects concerning Shakespeare and his works.

Initially, he told us that he and his company intended to form a permanent Shakespearean Company in Australia, provided that such a movement could be made profitably, and appealed to us to take more of an interest in Shakespeare's plays.

He maintained that Shakespeare wrote his plays for the stage and not purely for reading, and urged us not to judge his qualities only after reading his plays, but after seeing them acted. Mr. Alden certainly had well-founded reasons for his contention that Shakespeare has had no equal among the world's dramatists for, apart from his poems, his wonderful sonnets, and his plays, he was the director of The Lord Chamberlain's Company, a top-line company in London.

Shakespeare, said Mr. Alden, must have been an extremely hardworking man, as rehearsals and performances would occupy the majority of the day. Occasionally royal performances would be under candle light at night; but almost without exception, they were held in the day. Where, then, would Shakespeare find time to write? Obviously he must have written his plays at night.

Further, a friend of Shakespeare is reported to have said that the great man wrote his plays automatically and never had to rewrite the script, as the details and plot were firmly engraved in his mind before he commenced. Each part, said Mr. Alden, was written specifically for a certain member of the company, and not just for any man who wished to act the part. Mr. Alden concluded, after asking the assembly various questions about Shakespeare's plays, by reminding us that, next to the Bible, Shakespeare's writings are the world's greatest mint of words and quotations.

#### A.B.C. RECORDING

On the 14th October, the sixth formers heard a recording, played by Mr. R. Smith of the A.B.C. The recording included "Hamlet", which had been adapted specially for radio, and a talk on novels and their composition by Vance Palmer, the Australian short-story writer and novelist.

Initially, Mr. Palmer defined the novel and said that the definition consequently ruled out tales and chronicles.

Although novelists may not be good citizens, he continued, and may even be drunk and incessantly in debt, they usually have far deeper thoughts and concentration than the normal person, and have the power to impart this intensity to their readers.

He explained that the reason why our feelings are quickened by a novel lies in the strength of the characters, and this alone serves to make the classics immortal. Secondary characters, although necessary in many cases, are flat and don't appear to have any life or feelings, such a two-dimensional character was Pickwick, who entertains us, but doesn't provoke emotions as, for instance, does Vicki Sharp in Thackeray's "Vanity Fair". Drama enters the novel where a conflict of personality occurs.

The theme of a great novel is usually quite simple and in some novels, secondary plots are formed to supplement the main plot. With some novels, the theme, and consequently the novel itself, is carried by three-dimensional figures, such as Anna Karenina in the book of the same name.

Indeed, a novel creates a small world, a kaleidescope of life, and is probably the greatest way of learning to understand the feelings of other people.

#### "SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER"

On Friday, the 1st of May, Oliver Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer" was performed before the school by the Mark Lyons-Reid Company. The play, which is being studied by the Junior Forms for the Public Examinations, was needless to say, a welcome diversion and appreciated by everyone.

Although the most elementary scenery was employed, the actors were well dressed, and not much imagination was required to place the scenes. Probably, if any distinction could be made between the excellence of the acting, Tony Lumpkin, boisterously played by Alan Terry, was

everyone's idea of the well known character, with Colm O'Doherty, as the sophisticated playboy Hastings, a close second.

This is undoubtedly the most pleasant, and probably the most efficient, method of absorbing Examination plays. It was generally thought that "She Stoops to Conquer" was easier to read when one carried a mental picture of the characters. Thanks to Mr. Lyons-Reid, and to Producer James Bailey, and may they be encouraged, by the obvious success of this play, to present many more.

-- J. C. A.

#### **OUR CONTEMPORARIES**

We were pleased to receive the following magazines and apologize for any omissions:

"The Reporter" (Scotch College), "The Cygnet" (Hale School), "The Swan" (Guildford Grammar School), "The Eagle" (St. Louis), "The Chronicle" (S. Hilda's), "The Kookaburra" (Presbyterian Ladies' College), the magazine of Aquinas College, "The Dragon" (St. George's College), "The Armidalian" (Armidale School, N.S.W.), "The Torchbearer" (Sydney Church of England Grammar School, N.S.W.), "Acta Ridleiana" (Ridley College, Canada), "The Bathurstian" (All Saints' College, Bathurst), The magazine of Pulteney Grammar School, S.A., "The Ousel" (Bedford, England).

#### "THE MITRE" PRIZES, 1959

#### Senior School

1st: B. Clement, VIB-H.
2nd: G. Dunham, VIA-S.
3rd: H. F. Gillett, VIB-H.

#### Middle School:

Poetry: B. Stewart, S.J.G. Prose: A. A. Treadgold, IVL.

## **OUTINGS**

#### Visits to the Theatre

On the last day of the season, a party of boys, under the direction of Mr. Pate and Mr. Naish, went to see the Gilbert and Sullivan Society's production of "The Pirates of Penzance" and "Cox and Box".

Mainly because of the high standard of singing, the performance was considered entertaining by all. Additionally, we enjoyed the evening because we were able to make a comparison between the acting of the Society and the acting in our own production of "The Pirates of Penzance" in 1956, and especially because the conducting was done by Mr. Woodend, the Society's musical director.

--- L. B. U.

A school party of senior boys attended the Winthrop Hall on July 4th to see the University production of "Antony and Cleopatra". Acted by the students, this popular Shakespearean play provided us with entertainment and a greater insight into the meaning of the play itself.

It was interesting to note the appearance of some of the old boys on the stage. David Evans, as Pompey, brought back memories of "The Mikado", while Peter Wann, David Sewell and Ian Henderson brilliantly portrayed the part of wine-bearers and attendants.

All in all, it was an extremely enjoyable evening.

Apparently John Alden's visit had some effect on the school, for large parties attended the four Shakespearean plays: "The Merchant of Venice", "A Midsummer Night's Dream", "King Lear" and "Winter's Tale".

General opinion, as to the best performance, seemed to be divided among the latter two comedies. The superb acting was sincerely appreciated, and John Laurie's performances were lauded by

many of those present. Unfortunately, we didn't see John Alden acting.

#### At the Royal Perth Hospital

During Royal Perth Hospital Week, a party of over forty boys visited the hospital.

We arrived at approximately 4 o'clock, and were taken on a tour of inspection by some members of the nursing staff.

Firstly, we were conducted to the microbiology department where some of the intricacies concerning viruses, their detection, isolation and classification were explained to us by the microbiologist.

After we had traversed miles of endless corridors, we soon realized the immense size of the building and the great number of people needed to run such a place.

We were shown the quarters where the nurses undergo their initial training, and then proceeded to the modern boiler room which heats and provides air-conditioning for the whole building.

In the Radiography and Radiotherapy sections, we listened to a most informative talk on the machines concerned with the type of work carried out in the department. Furthermore, we were shown methods of making moulds in preparation for treatment with X-rays.

Last, but certainly not least, we were directed to the Physiotherapy section. We eagerly flocked after the nurse in charge, and subsequently ended in a miniature gymnasium. Members of the party amused themselves by determining the efficiency of the apparatus and watching others sample the treatment given to patients.



SENIOR SCHOOL SWIMMING TEAM, 1959

Back Row (l. to r.): R. Lee, D. McKenney, B. Copley, J. McKenzie, P. Chivers, A. Meecham, L. Collins, D. Beetles, Middle Row (l. to r.): M. Grounds, P. Driscoll, D. Cran, J. Rossiter, P. Campbell, J. Sutherland, L. Charlesworth, B. Beresford, D. Thompson, J. Mercer. Front Row (l. to r.): R. Hugall, P. Hill, W. Meecham, J. Miall (Capt.), C. Sanders (Vice-Capt.), M. Rees, W. Bird.



1st XI, 1959

Back Row (l. to r.): R. Annear, J. Tytherleigh, M. Broad hurst, W. Meecham, M. Leach, A. Grove.
Front Row (l. to r.): B. Beresford, B. Muggleton (Capt.), Mr. A. Blackwood, I. Campbell (Vice-Capt.), M. Criddle.
Absent: J. Maddams, P. Atkinson.

Still with great enthusiasm, we continued into the next room, where the nurse demonstrated the function of some of the machines on volunteers from a most willing and attentive audience.

Although some aspects of the inspection were uninteresting to some, the tour was generally a success and everyone left with the satisfaction that their afternoon had not been wasted.

## CHAPLAIN'S NOTES

Since our boys come from all over the State of Western Australia and also from Overseas, it has proved a trifle difficult for me to fulfil an intention of informing Anglican Priests far and near, of the presence of boys of Christ Church Grammar in their Parishes, and so enable them to contact and assist in seeing that the boys are given the opportunity to carry out their Christian obligations and to grow up in the Church's family. I feel that this idea of "belonging" to a Parish Church is so vital in a child's life. The intention has largely been accomplished in the Metropolitan area, and I am most grateful to the members of the Clergy who are treating this as a matter of urgency.

The policy of having only the Boarders at the School prepared for confirmation by the School Chaplain has been strictly adhered to. Among the many confirmees presented to the Archbishop of Perth at Christ Church on the night of the 18th of August, were twenty-three School Boarders. It was a joy to see so many of their parents and friends present at the Service. It was extremely kind of the Revd. John Best to invite me to the Confirmation Service at St. Margaret's, Nedlands; where it gave me much pleasure to witness so many of our Day-boys being made full members of the Church. Unfortunately, I was unable to attend S. Luke's Cottesloe, to which I had received a similar invitation from the Rector, the Revd. Canon Charles Walsh. I was present, however, at St. Peter's, Mount Hawthorn, when two more of our boys were confirmed by Bishop Freeth, the Assistant Bishop of Perth. I feel that this unity of purpose between School Chaplain and Parish Priest has much to commend it for the benefit of the boys who pass through the School,

and who, we hope, will later become good practising Christians and fulfil their obligations with sincerity and enthusiasm.

Among the visiting speakers this year, we were privileged to hear the Bishop of Coventry. Elsewhere in the "Mitre" will be found a boy's impressions of the address by this most interesting and purposeful Bishop of the Mother Church in England. It was a delight to see how "at home" he was amongst us, and one can understand why he so perfectly fits the part of Ambassador to Australia of the Church of England Men's Society.

We are most grateful to Almighty God for the recovery to health of Richard Doust and Mr. Kovacs, both of whom had very serious accidents, followed by delicate operations, during the past year. The gifts and the visits by class-mates to Richard while he lay encased in bandages were truly wonderful; while the spontaneous applause and welcome given to our Physical Training expert by the boys as he entered the Hall unexpectedly, after his operation, will long be remembered by those privileged to be present. It gladdened our hearts for it was a true indication that the "heart" of the School is in the right place!! Laudate Dominum.

— F. E. E.

#### IN MEMORIAM

#### Michael John HODGSON

Born March 1st, 1948 Entered C.C.G.S. February, 1959 Died Tragically in September, 1959 A member of Form P.6

We extend our deepest sympathy to Michael's family.

- Airey, J. S. (1945 58): School Prefect (58), Junior Certificate (56), Cadet U/O (57-58), Athletic Team (56-58), 1st VIII (57-58), Shooting Team (58), Shooting Cup (58), 1st XVIII (58), Gilbert & Sullivan Society (56-58), Tenor Lead—"The Mikado" (58), School Choir (49-58), Honour Blazer (58).
- Bevan, G. (1955 58): Junior Certificate (55), Leaving Certificate and Matriculation (57), Tuckshop Committee (56-57), 1st XVIII (55-58), Flintoff Cup (57), Captain 1st XVIII (58), 1st XI (57-58), Athletics Team (58), Captain Romsey House; Boarding House Prefect (57), School Prefect (58), School Choir (57), Cadet U/O (58), Member School Committee, Cricket and Football Colours, Honour Blazer.
- Brazier, P.N.M. (1952 58): 1st VIII (57-58), Vice-Captain—Rowing (58), Hockey 1st XI (57-58), Athletics Team (56), Cadet M.M.G. Sgt. (58), 1st in N.C.O. Course (57), School Committee (58), Tuckshop Committee (57-58), Junior Certificate (56), Dux, VG (56), Leaving Certificate (58), House and Rowing Colours.
- Day, P.R.E. (1955 58): Junior Certificate (56), Moss Engineering Scholarship (57-58), Simonsen Mathematics Prize (57), Leaving Certificate (58), Swimming Team (58), Stroke—reserve IV (58), Fifer in Band (55-58), "The Mikado" (58), Commonwealth Scholarship.
- Edwards, C. A. (1949-58): School Prefect (57-58), 1st VIII (57-58), Captain of Boats (57-58), 1st XVIII (56-58), Athletics Team (53-58), Vice-Captain—Athletics (58), Swimming Team (49-58), Shooting Team (57-58), Cadet U/O (57-58), Junior Certificate (55), Leaving Certificate, Matriculation and Commonwealth Scholarship (57), Council Scholarship (52), Vice-Captain—Craigie House (58), Gilbert & Sullivan Society (56-58), School Committee (57-58), Debating Team (56-57), Rowing, Football, Athletics and House Colours, Honour Blazer.
- Elsey, R. W. (1954-58): Capt. 2nd XI (57), N.C.O. Intelligence—Cadet Corps (58), Debating Team (57), Junior Certificate (56), Leaving Certificate, Matriculation and Commonwealth Schoalrship (58).
- McNamee, T. W. (1949 58): Junior Certificate (56), Eggleston Science Prize (56), Leaving and Matriculation (58), Cadet W.O.II (57-58), Alexander Todd Trophy (58), Librarian (54-57), Debating Team (56-58), President—Debating Society (58), Tuckshop Committee (57-58), School Committee (Secretary—57, 58), 1st XVIII (58), Athletic Team (56-58), School Prefect (58), House, Athletic and Debating Colours, Honour Blazer.

- Patterson, R. J. (1952 58): School Committee (58), Gilbert & Sullivan Society, Scene Designer and Chorus (58), Craigie House Captain (58), 1st VIII (57-58), 1st XVIII (57; V.-Capt. 58), Athletics Team (57-58), Open Shot Put Record (58), Shooting Team (57; Capt. 58), Cadet W.O.II (58), House and Rowing Colours, Junior Certificate (56), Honour Blazer.
- Schupp, J. W. (1944-58): School Prefect (57-58), 1st XVIII (58), 2nd VIII (57-58), Cadet U/O (58), Junior Certificate (55), Leaving Certificate and Matriculation (57), Queenslea House Captain (58), Parker Cup (52), School Committee (57-58), Librarian (53-58), Football and House Colours, Honour Blazer.
- Smith, D. L. (1955-58): Junior Certificate (56), Tennis Team (56), Hockey 2nd XI, Cricket 2nd XI (57), Librarian (55-57), Leaving, Matriculation and Commonwealth Scholarship (58).
- Steadman, D.P. (1948 58): 1st XVIII (55-58), 1st XI (56-57; V.-Capt. 58), Batting Average (58), Athletic Team (54-58), Tuckshop Committee (57), School Committee (57-58), Cadet U/O (57, 58), School Choir (55-58), Gilbert & Sullivan Society (55, 56, Lead in "The Mikado" 58), Sports Editor "The Mitre" (57), Boarding House Prefect (57), Senior Boarding House Prefect (58), House, Cricket, Football and Athletics Colours, Honour Blazer.
- Sudlow, R. G. (1954 58): Athletics Team (56-58), Swimming Team (55), Hockey 1st XI (57; Vice-Capt. 58), Shooting Team (58), 1st IV (57), Stroke 2nd VIII (58), Junior Certificate (56), Leaving Certificate and Matriculation (58). School Committee (58), Tuckshop Committee (58), House, Hockey and Athletics Colours, Honour Blazer.
- Stephenson, N. C. N. (1952 58): School Prefect (57), Captain of School (58), 1st XI (56, 57, Captain 58), Athletics Team (54-57, Captain 58), Open Athletics Champion (58), 1st XVIII (58), Cadet U/O (57/58), Junior Certificate (55), Leaving, Matriculation and Commonwealth Scholarship (57), Craigie House Captain (57), Hubert Ackland Medal (57), Calthrop Cup (58), School Committee (57-58), House, Cricket and Athletics Colours, Honour Blazer.

#### VALETE, 1958

#### 3rd Term

Airey, J. S. Armstrong, G. J. Bent, P. J. Beale, D. G. Bocquet, P. R. R. Briggs, J. F. Bevan, G. G Brazier, P. N. M. Brown, A. R. Campbell, A. D. Chawner, C. C. Coales, M. F. Cook, B. J. Cook, R. C. N. Cunningham, D. J. Day, P. R. E. Easterbrook, W. A. Edwards, C. A. Ellery, J. H. Elsey, R. W. Evans, H. D.

Ferguson, G. R. Fleming, D. I. Fleming, J. I. Fleming, P. W. I. Gouldham, B. K. Gribble, J. P. Brodie-Hall, R. M. Hamilton, J. C. M. Henderson, I. Hough, T. J. Henley, D. L. Illidge, R. V. James, R. L. Jones, B. K. Lakides, A. J. Macqueen, D. S. Milne, J. C. Moss, J. H. B. Muntz, B. R. M. McNamee, T. W. Oborne, C. T.

Parkinson, A. M. Parsons, J. E. R. Parker, T. B. Patterson, R. J. Pope, A. Pryer, D. K. Ritchie, I. D. Rocchi, L. S. Sadique, I. B. Saunders, D. A. Schupp, J. Sears, K. Smith, D. L. Stanley, G. B. Steadman, D. P. Steele, G. A. Stephenson, N. C. N. Sudlow, R. G. Todd, R. L. Town, M. W Treadgold, T. R.

Thompson, W. D. Wackett, M. S. Watt, Y. C. Whitington, R. M. 1st Term, 1959 Hendrie, I. B. Nayton, J. F. Hartley, R. R. Jenkins, D. J. A. 2nd Term, 1959 Harris, C Main, J. W. A. Jenkins, R. A. C. King, G. A. G. Hodgson, M. J. Austin, M. B. Nilsen, B. O. Kau, A. C. Cooper, S. J. I. White, G. F.

#### SALVETE, 1959

#### 1st Term

Allsop, C. J. M. Ablett, C. J. Anderson, E. P. Andrew, J. R. Armstrong, D. W. Austin, M. B. Ball, G. F. Ball, M. J. Barsden, R. N. Beetson, B. R. Black, D. C. Blackburn, G. V. Bowers, P. T. Broertjes, R. W. Browne-Cooper, R. H. Buxton, J. C. G. Cann, G. M. Carroll, D. J. Charlesworth, L. J. Chevne, G. C. Churchward, D. G. Clements, W. J. Cook, C. N. Cook, M. D Cooper, B. W. Darlington, R. J. Davis, C. A. Day, A. W. Derham, H. Deutscher, R. L. Dowling, M. E. C. Drok, E. T. Eastman, G. T. Eattell, J. P. Fisher, J. S.

French, D. W. Ganzer, R. B. Gardam, J. R. George, P. R. Gilchrist, A. D. Giles, J. N. Goodchild, J. B. Green, G. A. Hancock, A. I. Harley, P. C. Harriott, J. F. Higham, G. J. Higham, H. N. Highet, G. J. Hodgson, M. J. Hodgson, P. J. Hopkins, P. A. Hugall, R. J. Hunter, E. M. M. Hutchison, B. G. Jenkins, R. A. C. Poole-Johnson, C. C. Jones, D. J. Keady, G. Kirkman, D. A. Laurie, D. I. G. M. Leach, G. P. Leach, R. J. Ledger, A. E Lee, R. W. G. Lee, S. J. Lee, D. R. Lewis, P. G. Leyland, G. G. A. Loh, J. W. S. Macdonald, C. S.

Macdonald, M. S. Macdonald, J. H. S. Machar, K. W Makinson, T. G. Maley, J. K. Manning, M. C. Meharry, K. J. Miles, C. M. Miller, R. P. Missen, G. R. Montefiore, A. D. Morphett, J. B. Morris, B. R. Morris, T. J. McCrann, T. J. McGregor, J. K. McHenry, M. S. McMillan, M. P. McMillan, S. C. Nicholson, C. J. Nixon, R. S. Norgard, R. S. Partridge, J. W. Paterson, T. G. P. Powell, B. J. Poynton, G. M. Poynton, R. H. Price, G. L. Rees, M. A. Reid, P. D. Carew-Reid, W. H. Reynolds, J. A. Robinson, L. J. Rossiter, R. A. Ruse, A. L. Sands, R. A.

Scott, L. J. Sharpe, R. D. Simmonds, K. G. Simmonds, R. L. Smith, R. A. C. Spencer, S. P. Stevenson, J. F. G. Thomson, P. C. Timperley, D. C Tregonning, B. K. Tremlett, P. J. Tucker, W. J. Utting, R. McK. Veitch, M. S. Watt, Y. K. Wetters, P. F. Wishart, P. R. de Wolf, N. Woods, L. G.

#### 2nd Term

Doust, R. M.
Gardiner, G. V.
Perkins, J. R.
Reynolds, D. G.
Reynolds, C. G.
Robinson, C. R.

#### 3rd Term

Stanford, S. A. Kirkman, M. W. Naughton, B. C. E. Trevelyan, J. P.

Fraser, M. G. J.

## SPEECH NIGHT 1958

Speech Night was held out of doors on the Main Oval.

The Chairman of the School Council, Mr. Battye, after welcoming parents and friends, spoke briefly about the new buildings under construction (Science Block and Middle School Change Rooms and lavatories, and the extensions to Queenslea) and about the negotiations for new grounds in Mt. Claremont. He thanked the Headmaster and all sections of the Staff for their good work during the year.

The Headmaster, Mr. Moyes, delivered the 49th Annual Report. Enrolment had risen to 586 and would be over 600 in 1959. The expected expansion in 1959 would be mainly in the Senior School and there would have to be two Sub-Leaving forms. Renovations and additions to Queenslea House would be completed by the opening of the new school year.

The contract for the Middle School Change Rooms had been let and one more eyesore had been removed from the School. The two-storeyed Science Block was under construction. The Diocesan Trustees were to be thanked for their support and interest.

There had been sound progress academically. The Junior results were very good—a pass rate slightly better than 80 per cent. Seventeen out of the 24 Leaving candidates passed, and of these sixteen matriculated. This gave a pass rate of 70.8 per cent. While the State figure was 66.4 per cent. One boy gained six distinctions and was awarded a Government University Exhibition and eight gained Commonwealth Scholarships. One boy was awarded a scholarship to Muresk Agricultural College.

'Mr. Moyes referred to the difficulties of transition from the Preparatory to the Middle School which he was hoping to minimise with Parents' help. The Post-Leaving form appeared to be achieving satisfactory results and those boys who had spent a year in this form previously appeared to be doing well at the University.

Mr. Moyes mentioned the hard work and enthusiasm of boys in the Choral Society and on the "Mitre" Committee. The School had celebrated its first win in any P.S.A. competition. The victories in the Head of the River and in the 2nd VIII's together with third places in the Third and Fourth crews had been an outstanding achievement. He thanked Mr. Fraser, Mr. Thodey, Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Allen for their many hours of coaching and Mr. Rucks and Mr. Lance for organising school rowing.

In other sports the School had not been so successful, but the Gymnasium Club had maintained its excellent standard, gaining first, third and fourth places in the Under 16 State Championships. Two boys from the School had filled first and second places in the individual championships which was an unofficial Australian championship. Thirty out of 37 boys had been successful in gaining Life Saving awards. He was pleased to say that Hockey was to become an official P.S.A. sport in the coming year.

The Cadet Corps had a good year. The Shooting Team came third in the Commonwealth Cup.

The School was grateful for a number of gifts received. Mrs. Parry and family had endowed a prize to be known as the Archdeacon L. W. Parry Memorial Language Prize. The lectern, being used for the first time that night, had been bought with a bequest from Mr. S. C. Noake, received some years ago. The late Mr. Alfred Sandover, who had assisted Canon McClemens to found the School, had left money to the School. A prize would be endowed in his name. Books had been given to the Library, a School flag had

been donated, and the Archbishop had donated a picture of Sir Winston Churchill. Mr. W. J. McConnell had presented a handsome trophy cabinet in memory of his wife. A boat was being given to the School for the use of the rowing coaches.

In the first term the Memorial Boatshed had been formally opened and at that time the debt had been reduced to less than £1,000. The success of the Fete and of other functions organised by Old Boys and Parents meant that the Boatshed had now been paid for.

Mr. Moyes thanked the Parents' Association and the Old Boys' Association for their continued interest and hard work. The Mothers had done a wonderful job in providing afternoon teas at football and cricket matches, and suppers for the Prefects' and Rowers' dances. He thanked those Old Boys who had helped to coach teams: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Fergusson-Stewart and Mr. McKenzie.

Mr. Moyes then commented upon the recently issued Report of the Secondary Schools' Curriculum Committee. He said that we had accepted the concept of secondary education for all. This meant that millions of pounds would have to be spent to cope with the very rapid increase in population. Also much thought had to be given to the type of education to be Generally the Comprehensive offered. School was favoured but there was much discussion about the size of schools. There were arguments - largely economic - for very large schools of 1400 to 2000 pupils. but many people favoured 500 - 700 as the maximum number. He favoured a School of about 600 as this number, while economically feasible, allowed for the maintenance of personal contacts so vital to education.

Ideally each subject taught should contribute to the development of valuable skills and to the business of living, and to the spiritual development of the individual. Those who deny that studies which contribute to the spiritual life of man and woman have use, need to re-

examine their standard of values. There was a need also to guard against the sacrifice of minorities in determining curricula.

The prizes were presented by Professor E. G. Saint, Professor of Medicine of the University of Western Australia.

In his address, Professor Saint congratulated the School on its successful year and on its victory in the Head of the River. He congratulated also the "prizemen in scholarship and in sport" and the "unsung heroes"—those whom the poet Gray had called "village Hampdens". He was reminded of an American School where the record of a scholar was discussed. It was decided that the scholar was no good. It was then revealed that the record had been that of Sir Winston Churchill as a boy.

Professor Saint said that he did not think that this was a propitious occasion for an Englishman to address Australians, bearing in mind "that matter of eight wickets". He thought that it was rather ironical that Mackay had bowled Bailey.

He referred to the growing responsibilities of youth in modern civilization and discussed three or four of the problems facing them: The rapid increase in the world's population from 200,000,000 2,000 years ago to an estimated four billion at the end of the 20th Century; the technological problems of the nuclear age; the contrast of the high level of economic and clinical security in the Western countries with the conditions in under-developed countries; and the contrast of the Western way of life with its emphasis on individual rights with the other philoso-There was a danger of apathy in our countries—a lack of questioning of our aims, and, perhaps, the danger of moral turpitude. We must come to understand the psychological and biological nature of man. We need to develop our talents; to live with one another. We also needed to re-affirm our values of individual integrity and social justice developed in the Christian - Hellenic civilizations.

## PRIZE LIST, 1958

#### SENIOR SCHOOL

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Dux (R. H. Parry	D D E Dou	Dux	A. C. Kau
Memorial Prize)	P. R. E. Day	Divinity	A. C. Kau
Science (Fraser Cal-	D. I. Cmith	General Merit	E. J. Ferguson
throp Prize)	D. L. Smith		E. J. Ferguson
Maths (Dean Foster	B B B B	S.J.L.	
Prize)	P. R. E. Day	Dux	
Languages (Arch-		Divinity	R. St.G. Smart
deacon L. W. Parry	N.C. Windhald	General Merit	
Memorial Prize)	M. S. Wackett		R. St.G. Smart
English (K. Calthrop	T C 35 TT	S.J.G.	
Prize)	J. C. M. Hamilton	Dux	P. D. Campbell
General Merit		Divinity	P. D. Campbell
	J. W. S. Maddams	General Merit	M. J. Criddle
VI.B.			P. G. Mackie
Dux (R. H. Parry		S.J.E.	•
Memorial Prize)	L. B. Wilkins	Dux	R. E. Gawned
Maths (R. Simonsen		Divinity	D. J. McKenney
Memorial Prize)		General Merit	J. T. Easterbrook
General Merit		General Merit	J. C. Nicholson
	R. P. Horton		J. C. Micholson
	M. J. Lloyd	_ IV.L.	
	P. L. North	Dux	
	A. D. H. Stewart	Divinity	M. D. Halleen
$\mathbf{V}.\mathbf{L}.$		General Merit	M. D. Halleen
Dux (R. H. Parry		**** ~	A. J. Lloyd
Memorial Prize)		_ IV.G.	
Divinity	F. H. Gillett	Dux	H. T. S. Price
General Merit	M. G. Cann	Divinity	H. T. S. Price
	W. A. Southwood	General Merit	I. W. Dawson
	C. D. Wall		T. J. Pollock
V.G.		IV.E.	
Dux	J. C. Bingham	Dux	W. J. Grover
	A. C. Quirk	Divinity	P. S. Driscoll
Divinity	J. C. Bingham	Dux	G. Griffiths
General Merit	H. K. Read		P. S. Michelides
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	I. N. Parker	Divinity	E. J. R. Hammond
P7.K.		General Merit	
Divinity			R. J. F. McMillan
General Merit			B. Sedgman
	C. R. Munro	P4	
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Divinity		General Merit	D. N. Anderson
General Merit			C. B. W. Redclift J. H. Kirwan-Ward
	J. Henderson		J. H. KIFWAII-WAFQ
	D. A. Saunders		
	Woolclassing (K. W. Edwards' P	Prize) C. C. Chawner	
	(F C Stone Prize)	A. R. Brown	
	Eggleston Science Prize 1957	A. D. H. Stewart	

#### UNIVERSITY OF W.A., 1957

Government University Exhibition: Hesterman, B. J.

Commonwealth Scholarships: Ashford, A. R.; Edwards, C. A.; Evans, H. D.; Hesterman, B. J.; Mason-Jones, N. G.; Robinson, R. A.; Russell, P. T.; Stephenson, N.C.N.

Leaving Certificate (\*) and Matriculation (†): Ashford, A. R. \*†; Bevan, G. G. \*†; Chawner, J. L. \*†; Edwards, C. A. \*†; Evans, H. D. \*†; Fitzhardinge, J. B. \*†; Fraser, J. D. \*†; Hesterman, B. J. \*†; Liu, H. \*; Martin, J. M. \*†; Mason-Jones, N. G. \*†; Robinson, R. A. \*†; Russell, P. T. \*†; Schupp, J. W. \*†; Stephenson, N. C. N. \*†; Tweeddale, D. A. \*†; Wann, P. R. E. \*†.

Junior Certificate: Annear, A. R.; Beetles, D. V.; Booth, M. C. F.; Broadhurst, A. J. A.; Brown, T. G.; Coad, A. J.; Colley, F. P.; Cook, R. C. N.; Cowan, R. K.; Creed, W.; Culley, D. A.; Culley, E. E. T.; Cunningham, D. J.; Dix, T. R.; Drok, A. H.; Dunham, G. L.; Eggleston, A.; Fleming, P. W. I.; Fowler, B. C.; Garrett, J. W.; Giles, D. B.; Glatz, G. D.; Illidge, R. V.; King, H. A. G.; Leete, J. W.; Lefroy, A. M.; Leiper, G. F.; Liu, W.; Lloyd, M. J.; Main, J. W. A.; Matthews, T. J.; Maddams, J. W. S.; Miall, J. E.; Mills, W. H.; Meecham, M. W. G.; Moran, W. R.; Muir, J. C.; Milne, J. C.; McKay, B. A.; North, P. L.; Oliver, J. F.; Pittendrigh, P. J.; Priest, L. A.; Russell, E. R.; Sadique, I. B.; Samson, G. W.; Scrivener, G. H.; Smallwood, D. R.; Strahan, D. E.; Stewart, A. D. H.; Sudlow, N. P.; Tytherleigh, J. L.; Vernon, W. A.; Walker, M. B.; Wall, E. J.; Walsh, J. F. R.

#### AWARDS ALREADY MADE

Swimming: Open Champion, M. W. G. Meecham; Under 16 Champion, J. E. Miall; Under 15 Champion, M. L. Russell-Smith; Under 14 Champion, P. J. R. Chivers; Under 13 Champion, P. S. Driscoll.

Athletics: Open Champion, N. C. N. Stephenson; Under 16 Champion, R. J. Cooper; Under 15 Champion, D. M. Cook; Under 14 Champion, D. R. Rocchi; Under 13 Champion, P. B. Moore. Gymnastics: Open Champion, C. W. Stevens; Under 15 Champion, D. C. Smirke.

#### CHALLENGE CUPS

Beatty Cup (Champion House)	Romsey
Eagling Cup (Best House Scholastically)	
The Giles Shield (Champion House,	_
Preparatory School)	Craigie
Beatty Cup (Best All-rounder) C. A.	Edwards
E. B. Kerby Cup (Outstanding	
Sportsman D. P. Si	teadman
Cramer Cup (Best All-round	
Cricketer) D. P. S	teadman
Hill Cup (Best Fieldsman) W. A.	Vernon
Flintoff Cup (Best Footballer) G. C	
Norrie Cup (Best Rifle Shot) J.	
Potter Cup (Best All-round Junior) D. J.	S. Price

Parker Cups (Outstanding Service:
Preparatory School J. M. B. Thompson
Senior School C. A. Edwards
Hubert Ackland Medal for
Citizenship D. P. Steadman
The Calthrop Cup (Leadership and
Influence) N. C. N. Stephenson

#### TO HIGHER EDUCATION

#### To the University of Western Australia:

G. G. Bevan (Economics), P. R. E. Day (Science), C. A. Edwards (Arts), R. W. Elsey (Science), H. D. Evans (Economics), I. Henderson (Medicine), B. K. Jones (Arts), D. L. Smith (Science), N. C. N. Stephenson (Science), J. W. Schupp (Science), M. F. Coales (Economics, part time), R. G. Sudlow (Economics, part time).

#### To the Teachers' Training College:

J. H. Ellery and T. J. Hough.

#### To the Perth Technical College:

P. N. M. Brazier (Accountancy), T. W. Mc-Namee (Pharmacy), J. E. R. Parsons (Architecture).

#### **BEATTY CUP POINTS, 1959**

			C	Q	$\mathbf{R}$	w
Swimming			4	3	1	2
Cricket			4	3	1	2
Debating			2	3	1	4
Rowing			2	3	1	4
Athletics			2	3	4	1
Basketball			4	3	1	2
Total	Poir	nts	18	18	9	15

#### **HONOURS AND COLOURS — 1959**

#### COLOURS — 1959

The General School Committee has awarded the following Colours:

#### CRICKET

A. R. Annear, P. R. Atkinson, M. Criddle, M. H. Leach, J. W. S. Maddams, J. L. Tytherleigh.

#### ROWING

A. I. Drok, M. Gordon, W. Moran, J. Miall, T. A. Steadman, R. Williams, J. Sherwood.

#### **SWIMMING**

M. W. G. Meecham, J. W. S. Maddams, C. C. Sanders, D. V. Beetles.

#### FOOTBALL

M. G. Cann, J. R. Cooper, D. Culley, E. Culley, A. E. Gladwin-Grove, J. W. S. Maddams, J. C. McManus, K. W. Machar, J. S. Tytherleigh, G. H. Walsh, P. H. Walsh, L. B. Wilkins.

#### HOCKEY

I. H. Campbell, L. J. Charlesworth, D. J. Cook, J. F. Fortune, D. P. S. Johnston, C. C. Sanders, M. J. Walker.

#### ATHLETICS

M. Gordon, R. Horton, J. J. Thanos, A. E. Gladwin-Grove, J. R. Cooper, E. Culley.

#### SHOOTING

J. W. S. Maddams, D. B. Giles, J. L. Tytherleigh, A. Broadhurst.

#### DEBATING

E. Culley.

#### **GYMNASTICS**

C. W. Stevens.

#### HOUSE

#### Craigie

A. I. Drok, T. R. Dix, J. C. Muir, N. P. Sudlow J. Miall, R. Horton, D. V. Beetles.

#### Queenslea

A. E. Eggleston, M. J. Lloyd, M. H. Leach, C. C. Sanders, C. Wall.

#### Romsey

M. Gordon, J. R. Cooper, A. Hibble, B. Beresford.

#### Wolsey

P. Browne-Cooper, D. Culley, E. Culley, D. F. F. Johnston, J. L. Tytherleigh, D. R. Smallwood.

#### **HONOURS** — 1959

(Under the new system of Colour awards Honours are now awarded to outstanding members of teams. Team spirit is an essential qualification for this new high award.)

Cricket: I. H. Campbell

Rowing: D. R. Smallwood

Football: J. W. S. Maddams, J. C. Muir, A. E. Gladwin-Grove.

Hockey: I. H. Campbell.

Athletics: P. R. Atkinson, M. Gordon,

Shooting: D. R. Smallwood

Debating: A. E. Eggleston

#### HONOUR BLAZERS

J. W. S. Maddams, J. C. Muir, I. H. Campbell, D. R. Smallwood, A. E. Eggleston.

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#### Commonwealth Scholarships

Day, P. R. E. Smith, D. L. Elsey, R. W.

#### Leaving Certificate

Atkinson, P. R. Brazier, P. N. M. Campbell, A. D. Cook, B. J.

Hamilton, J. C. M. Hough, T. J. Ritchie, I. D. Steele, G. A.

#### Matriculation

Browne-Cooper, P. J. Coales, M. F. Day, P, R. E. Ellery, J. H. Elsey, R. W. Henderson, I. Hibble, A. I.

Jones, B. K. McNamee, T. W. Smith, D. L. Sanders, C. C. Sudlow, R. G. Wackett, M. S.



1st XVIII, 1959

Back Row (l. to r.): D. Culley, K. Machar, E. Culley, B. Muggleton, P. Cann, R. Jones, G. Walsh, J. Garrett.
Middle Row (l. to r.): C. Stevens, L. Wilkins, A. Grove, M. Leach, J. Tytherleigh, P. Walsh, D. McKenney, R.
Annear, J. Cooper.
Front Row (l. to r.): B. Beresford, J. Muir (Capt.), Mr. A. Blackwood, W. Meecham, J. McManus.
Absent: J. Maddams (Vice-Capt.)



Ist XI HOCKEY, 1959

Back Row (l. to r.): I. Campbell, C. Walsh, J. Fortune, D. Cook, D. Beetles, L. Charlesworth, B. Cooper. Front Row (l. to r.): D. Jones, T. Dix (Capt.), Mr. D. Hutchison, C. Sanders (Vice-Capt.), M. Walker. Front: D. Johnston.

Absent: A. Hibble.

#### Junior Certificate

Akerman, J. C.
Antill, E. G. M.
Armstrong, G. J.
Beresford, B. G.
Bent, P. J.
Briggs, J. F.
Bingham, J. C.
Broadhurst, M. R.
Brown, A. R.
Cann, M. G.
Carriss, A. G.
Chawner, C. C.
Chivers, P. J. R.
Clement, D. A. B.
Clennett, V. G.
Cook D M.

Cooper, J. R.
Copley, B.
Currie, J. H.
Easterbrook, W. A.
Ferguson, E. J.
Fleming, J. I.
Fortune, J. F.
Fry, I. S.
Gillett, F. H.
Gladwin-Grove, A. E.
Gordon, M. J.
Gribble, J. P.
Gustafson, G. J.
Henley, D. L.
Hines, R. M.
Hodge, A. J.

Jones, R. J. Kau, A. C.
King, G. C. A.
Laney, R. P.
Leach, M. H.
Liu, A. C.
Long, H. R.
Mackintosh, G. C.
Muntz, B. R.
McManus, J. C. R.
Parkinson, A. M.
Quirk, A. C.
Read, H. K.
Rocchi, S. L.
Saleeba, J. W.
Scott, R. A. M.

Sears, K.
Southwood, W. A.
Steadman, T. A.
Tennant, T.
Sutherland, J. H.
Thanos, J. J.
Todd, K. R.
Wall, C. D.
Walsh, P. H.
Wardell-Johnson, I. M.
Waring, G. F. L.
Whittaker, P. R.
Williams, R. C.
Wisbey, H. J.
Witham, C. M.

## PREFECTS' JOTTINGS

We enjoyed extra comforts in our common room this year when an antique toaster and a radiator were added to the heater and radio, subscribed previously.

Extra colour was added to the room with the locker sketches that ranged from cars to cacti, not forgetting, of course, our "posters".

We all enjoyed ourselves at the hockey match, which we played at S. Hilda's home ground. Our rivals, the S. Hilda's School Prefects, proved good sports, but were defeated by our half football, half hockey team. We managed to score for them, and in so doing avoided an outright defeat.

On July 19th, we had our annual School Dance. Many thanks to the mothers who prepared the excellent supper and also to the boys who assisted in the setting up of the decorations. We do sincerely hope that all who attended enjoyed themselves.

The livestock that inhabited our common room seemed to increase in size from the last year's family of mice. Six rats were discovered. However, baits were set and we saw no more of our "pets".

Towards the end of second term our weakening radio was unable to drown out the din arising from the table tennis enthusiasts in the adjoining room. However, "Bessey", our maintenance man, got to work on the radio and solved the problem. It can now be heard three classrooms away, much to the annoyance of the masters.

Comedian "Col" provided us with many hours of light entertainment and yogi demonstrations.

To those boys who leave the school this year, we wish you all the best in your future careers. To those returning, good luck in future exams and keep up the fighting spirit in all sporting activities.

— J. M.

## QUEENSLEA BOARDING HOUSE NOTES

As usual the vacancies left in the Boarding House by boys leaving school were filled by senior boys from Romsey, and several newcomers to the school.

A completely fresh lot of prefects took over the running of the House this year with Terry Dix, Michael Lloyd, David Smallwood and John Muir being appointed School Prefects. They were later joined by Martin Booth, David Beetles, Jon Tytherleigh, Robin Russell, Ian Campbell, Denis Johnston, and Raymond Jones as House Prefects, thus making a grand total of eleven prefects.

Although the number of prefects grew quite considerably this year the Common Room didn't, and when the eleven of us were all in there together breathing space was hard to come by. Ben spent much of his spare time decorating the common room walls with various drawings and lists of achievements; Mike gave many an amusing quarter of an hour by playing his accordeon while between beats Dave proceeded to squash flies on the — with the school flagpole.

We welcomed Mr. Burns into the House this year as the new Chemistry Master, and an assistant House Master. We were all very pleased to welcome Mr. Kovacs back to the House after his absence in hospital.

The senior boys of the House were invited to M.L.C. during first term to a most enjoyable social, and in third term were invited to another, this time by S. Hilda's.

The Junior Common Room boys continued to amuse themselves with their various hobbies, the latest one being a steam engine built from a meccano set "which actually worked".

On Saturday nights we were entertained with films, which were run very efficiently by Wayne Lawrence, Ean Marshall and Kim Carew-Reid. When we didn't have films, basketball was played under the careful guidance of Mr. Kovacs to whom the boys are very grateful.

During the August vacation the Library was fitted with new shelves, which were filled with many new books. These books were widely read once we resumed school. The library this year was under the careful supervision of Wayne Lawrence and Tony Lloyd, who never failed to keep the room in good order.

The Boarding House was well represented in all school events this year, especially in the Gilbert and Sullivan opera "H.M.S. Pinafore". Congratulations to all boarders who were in any of the school's teams, especially to those who managed to make any of the 1st teams.

This year Mrs. Osborne was aided in her work by having the verandah outside the linen room covered in with louvres to stop the weather. We would like to thank her, Mrs. Peverall, and Matron Carter for their continual efforts in looking after our clothes, food, and medical requirements throughout the year.

The House this year was very co-operative, and completed a good year. To those leaving school, good luck in the future, and to those returning, keep up the good work.

#### FILM NIGHTS FOR THE BOARDERS

The projection staff is lead by Mr. Richardson, with Wayne Lawrence, Kim Carew-Reid and Ean Marshall as operators of the school's 16 mm. Bell and Howe projector.

Nearly every Saturday night the boarders have films which range from the "Discovery of Oil in Persia" to "The Farnborough Air Display".

These films are supplied either by the Shell Company or the film library in St. George's Terrace.

During the last term of the year the whole school saw "The Far Cry", which was kindly lent to us by the "Save the Children Fund" organisation of Australia. This film showed the need to care for starved children in Korea and other countries of the world.

Most of the films obtained are not ap-

preciated by everyone, although we procure an assortment during the year. A great favourite is "Hurry Hurry", which brings down the house every time although screened often.

Three times a term, feature films, which are always looked forward to, are shown. They range from "Colditz Castle" to "The Dam Busters".

- W. R. L.

## CADET NOTES

This year the Cadet Unit had a maximum of 195 Cadets. The decrease in numbers was due to a new policy adopted for the entry into the unit—only members of the Vth Forms and above are now eligible for the Cadets.

The unit was again divided into two Companies, "A" Company commanded by Lt. Stoate was the Specialist Company and "B" Company, commanded by Lt. Burns, consisted of the 1st and 2nd year Cadets.

The unit was organized as follows:

O.C. Unit: Capt. A. F. Blackwood, M.C.

"Q" Staff: Capt. A. Woodend S/Sgt. R. C. Williams Cpt. A. Eggleston Cpl. R. Scott

#### "A" COY.

O.C.: Lt. C. Stoate C.S.M.: W.O.II P. J. Browne-Cooper

#### No. 1 Platoon

C.U.O. M. W. G. Meecham Sgt. J. Tytherleigh, 3in. Mor. Sgt. T. R. Dix, M.M.G. Cpl. J. C. Muir

#### No. 2 Platoon

C.U.O. D. S. Smallwood Sgt. A. R. Annear, Sigs. Cpl. A. Broadhurst, Sigs. Sgt. D. P. Johnston, Int. Col. I. H. Campbell, Int.

#### Band

D/Maj. P. R. Atkinson F/Sgt. C. C. Sanders Cpl. A. D. Stewart Cpl. R. J. Jones Cpl. J. C. McManus

#### "B" COY.

2-I.C.: C.U.O. J. W. S. Maddams C.S.M.: W.O.II T. A. Steadman

#### No. 3 Platoon

C.U.O. M. Lloyd
Sgt. L. Wilkins
Sgt. C. Wall
Cpl. M. Cann
Cpl. J. Garrett
Cpl. D. Beetles
L/Cpl. J. Quirk
L/Cpl. A. Hodge
L/Cpl. M. Criddle

#### No. 4 Platoon

C.U.O. N. Sudlow
Sgt. R. Horton
Sgt. P. Walsh
Cpl. J. Sutherland
Cpl. E. Beresford
Cpl. M. Booth
Cpl. D. Jones
L/Cpl. K. Todd
L/Cpl. L. Collins
L/Cpl. J. Brazier

#### No. 5 Platoon

C.U.O. E. Russell
Sgt. B. Clement
Sgt. F. Gillett
Cpl. E. Culley
Cpl. P. Chivers
Cpl. A. Kau
Cpl. D. Oakley
Cpl. L. Charlesworth
L/Cpl. J. Rossiter
L/Cpl. G. Haberfeld

#### COURSES

At the courses held by 5 Cadet Bde. in the Christmas holidays, Christ Church was represented by 29 potential N.C.O's and Officers. Creditable performances were as follows:

1st place, Signals Wing: Cdt. A. R. Annear.

2nd place, Senior N.C.O. Wing: Cdt. T. A. Steadman.

2nd place, Intelligence Wing: Cdt. D. P. F. Johnston.

The unit moved into Northam Camp at the end of 1st term and during fine weather spent seven days of outdoor training.

The culminating exercise at the end of the camp combining the Signals, Intelligence and Infanty, was participated in with much keenness and enthusiasm by all cadets.

It was Open Camp on Sunday, and many parents took the opportunity to visit the camp and see the unit on parade in the morning and participating in interunit competitions in the afternoon.

The March-out Parade was held on the School Oval on Sunday, 9th August. The parade was commanded by the Senior Under Officer, C.U.O. J. W. S. Maddams, and we were privileged to have the G.O.C. Western Command, Major-General J. R. Harrison, as our Inspecting Officer.

General Harrison congratulated the Unit on its turnout, steadiness and record throughout the year, and then presented to Sgt. D. P. F. Johnston the Alexander Todd Memorial Trophy for the outstanding Cadet of the Unit.

# SHOOTING

This year the 5 Cadet Brigade Challenge Cup was shot on the Swanbourne Range on Saturday morning, 3rd October. The weather was fine and with very little wind conditions were ideal. The School

team was as follows:

C.U.O. D. S. Smallwood, Capt. C.U.O. J. W. S. Maddams C.U.O. M. W. Meecham Sgt. J. S. Tytherleigh Cpl. A. Broadhurst Cdt. D. B. Giles

The team went into an early lead at the 200 yards range and maintained this lead throughout although Geraldton C.B.C. came to within one point of us with the last firer on the 500 yards mound.

Consistent, steady shooting by all firers was responsible for our win.

Congratulations to all members of the team.

Finally we congratulate Sgt. R. P. Horton on being selected to attend Duntroon Military College in 1959.

- J. W. S. M.

#### BAND NOTES

In 1st term the band numbered 26, of which 17 were fifers. This was a slight increase on the previous year. Those who received promotions were: P. Atkinson to Drum-Major; C. Sanders to Fife/Sgt.; R. Jones to Fife/Cpl.; A. D. Stewart to Fife/Cpl. At Northam Camp, Cdt. McManus was promoted to Drum/Cpl.

There was no combined schools' service on Anzac Day, as April 25th fell on a Saturday. This was fortunate for the band. which was below the usual standard. However, at Northam Camp the drummers and fifers did little else but practice. They marched miles each day; but at night still had energy enough to stay awake talking and taking late showers till 1 a.m.: much to the unit's discomfort. This year's camp · would undoubtedly have been dull, but for During Camp the band played them. for the Guard-of-Honour on the occasion of the G.O.C's visit and later, whether by design or accident, at the Officer's Mess on the last night of Camp. The latter performance was greatly appreciated by all concerned.

The band's attitude to solid practice at Camp was a credit to them. I hope this attitude is predominant next year.

As usual, the band's display at the Marching-Out Parade was good.

In 3rd term the band was invited to play at the M.L.C. Sports Meeting. Unfortunately, rain washed-out the meeting

shortly after it started and the band was forced to seek shelter. A few weeks later the drum band played creditably at the S. Hilda's Sports.

This year all members of the band have realised that they "only get as much out of it, as they put into it".

-- P. A.

# THE SOCIAL ROUND

### Prefects' Dance

On July 28th we celebrated the main social event of the school year, "The Prefects' Dance". Although the decorations were similar to those of previous years, many more Old Boys attended and their interest in such a school activity was greatly appreciated.

Supper was more eventful than in former years due to the accidental removal of the end trestle from the main table, which resulted in a quagmire of cream and sponge on the floor.

We all appreciated the excellent music provided by Johnny Regan and his band, and the way the Prefects organised the dance, which was a great success and was enjoyed by all.

### Rowers' Dance

On April 18th, the Rowers' Dance was held to celebrate our wonderful victory in the "Head of the River". Once again there were many old boys, together with parents, and all coaches of crews.

Decorations in the form of a tub pair and crossed oars, together with cartoons of the great event gave the whole evening that touch of originality so important in the successful running of a social evening.

Our thanks go to all parents who so willingly assisted in the preparing of supper for the success of both evenings was due largely to their efforts.

— J. W.

### Boarders' Socials

A social night for Junior and Sub-Leaving boarders was held at S. Hilda's in September. The social started at approximately 8 o'clock. Following the dancing and lucky spots supper was served. Dancing resumed after supper and finished at 11 p.m. The evening was a great success and was enjoyed by all.

There was also a social at M.L.C. in 1st term, which we all enjoyed. Thank you, S. Hilda's and M.L.C., for some very entertaining evenings.

— M. B.

# LIBRARY NOTES

### SENIOR SCHOOL

The Library has again experienced a busy and, it is hoped, a useful year. Some two hundred-odd new books have been purchased—reference books relating to the various school subjects, and also many recent books on hobbies, art and travel.

With the foundation of a special Library to cater for the junior boys—Fourth Formers and Sub-Juniors—the Senior Library has been able to try to cater more specifically for the seniors—the Fifth and Sixth Formers—in their study and general interest needs.

Once again this year boys were encouraged to avail themselves of the excellent Library provided by the Claremont Council, and many have done so. An effort was made, in buying books for our own Library, to supplement rather than merely duplicate books to be found there.

The Librarian's task has been made easier by the establishment of a Committee to advise him in the selection of books. To this Committee, consisting of the Headmaster (History), Mr. Trimby (English), Mr. Stoate (Languages), Mr. Hutchison and Mr. Lance (Science) and to the two boys' representatives, Maddams and Muir, the Librarian would like to record his thanks. Members of the Upper Sixth and Sixth Formers supplied a band of helpful Librarians.

It is most gratifying to all concerned to be able to note that the number of boys using the Library, whether for borrowing books or for study purposes or even for quiet browsing has appreciably increased.

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL LIBRARY

Second term this year saw the beginning of a special library designed to meet the needs of the first two years in the Senior School. The main library passed over all the books it held for boys of twelve, thirteen and fourteen, cupboards were made available, and suggestions invited.

Particularly valuable among the books transferred were the works of reference, especially the stock of social and historical background books. Balancing these, purchases made this year have been chiefly fiction of various kinds and illustrated science books.

Form Librarians, under Mr. Naish's direction, have been working well issuing and recording, classifying and cataloguing; and the Middle School owes them a debt of gratitude for their work not only in lessons set aside for changing books, but also during the lunch hour.

Librarians: A. J. Allan, P. P. Andrews, D. Bernard, G. Harrison, P. W. D. Lewis, C. P. Moyes, C. R. Munro, R. G. North, M. A. Rees, B. F. H. Stewart, N. C. Strahan.

# **TUCK SHOP NOTES**

This year the tuck shop was again supervised by Mr. Stoate who, aided by a committee of fifteen senior boys headed by D. Smallwood, enabled things to function pretty smoothly.

Each recess and lunch-hour there could invariably be seen, milling around the counter, a throng of boys who, to the casual onlooker, would give the impression that they were on the point of starvation, and that not a drop of liquid had passed their lips for days. They demanded credit: they demanded immediate service: they got neither. I feel sure, however, that they would admit that, on the whole, they

received efficient and reasonably prompt service.

Most of the suggestions put forward this year with the idea of increasing profits were, as usual, a little over-ambitious. Thanks, however, to an inspiration that one of the boys had at a committee meeting early in third term, "choc-milk" has become one of our regular lines and is now a great seller.

The daily takings averaged about £5 and although no definite decision has yet been made the profits will be used to provide the school with some form of equipment.

— B. B.

# **CLUBS AND SOCIETIES**

### NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY NOTES

The society has functioned during the year with considerable success noticeable on "auspicious" occasions; such as those when we had notable visitors and particularly interesting speakers or films. However, we must state that for those who are interested, the benefits obtained and obtainable are well worth the work put into the society.

During the year we have absorbed and fostered the Camera Club whose chief lecturer and demonstrator is Mr. Kirtin. We would like to say that the correct use of a camera permanently records many facts of natural history accurately and beautifully.

To all those who have rendered unselfish service we give our unstinted thanks.

We have been formal and informal on occasions—both with profit. We must record good talks from: Frank Taylor ("Flying Doctor"), M. Lloyd ("Mosqui-

toes"), John Sherwood ("Egg Collecting"), Roger Smart ("Whaling"); D. Garnsworthy ("Oil") and numerous round-table discussions.

During the second term, there were no lectures due to the lunch-hour rehearsals of "H.M.S. Pinafore"; but the camera lectures continued to fill the Physics Lecture Room to capacity.

At the beginning of third term, a film programme was commenced.

This year we were extremely fortunate in having several extremely notable lectures.

Mr. V. Serventy visited the school late in September and attracted the largest audience ever seen at a lecture. Mr. Serventy lectured to an audience of over one hundred and fifty boys and several masters.

Mr. Serventy told his audience that, if photography was to be your hobby, a "Brownie" was not suitable. He recom-

mended a "Rolliflex" or, failing that, a "Rollicord". These cameras, however, cost over twenty pounds.

Mr. Serventy demonstrated the use of tripods. He emphasised that, when taking Nature photographs, the photographer must be well hidden so that the animal would not be frightened by the photographer. He also showed the audience a telephoto lens worth one hundred and fifty pounds.

Mr. Serventy apologised that he was not able to bring any slides to show: but promised to show them when he visited us early in November.

This year M. Lloyd was president. D. Garnsworthy and P. Edwards (for a short period) were secretaries. Later, however, P. Edwards resigned as he did not wish to continue.

A film programme has just been commenced which, we feel, will meet with great success.

The Society planted dozens of trees around the school, the fourth forms, subjuniors and some juniors doing the actual planting. Even prefects have been pleased to plant trees to perpetuate their memory. Plaques are to be placed on these.

- H. L. and D. J. G.

### PHOTOGRAPHY TALKS

During the school year, we were able to appreciate some of the marvels of photography, thanks to Mr. Kirtin, a representative of Kodak Australia Pty. Ltd.

On his first visit, Mr. Kirtin explained to us the working parts of the common box camera, and also demonstrated how to achieve the best results and the correct method of using the camera.

On his next visit, he developed a spool of film which had been taken around the school. We beheld the results as clear and well defined as the results from an expensive camera fitted with adjustable lens.

Some three weeks later, we were shown the effects of toning by altering the depth and appearance of the photo.

The following week, Mr. Kirtin brought along Mr. Serventy—an expert on wild life photography. Mr. Serventy first showed us the type of photographic equipment that he uses, and said something of the cost of such equipment. One amusing venture he outlined to us occurred when a friend set out to photograph a ground nest with the henbird present. While waiting for the hen to arrive, he fell asleep and unconsciously set the camera off. On developing the film, the astonished photographer found he had taken a photograph of a bobtail lizard stealing an egg from the nest. Truly a freakish photo.

I would like to thank Mr. Kirtin for sparing his time to give us such interesting talks, and I feel sure that everyone will profit from them.

# INTER-SCHOOL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

The organisation of Inter-School Christian Fellowship was slightly changed this year with the result that every week we had Mr. Macintyre, who is an excellent speaker. Mr. Macintyre is the travelling secretary for Scriptural Union and I.S.C.F.

Attendances in 1st term were disappointing because we were not able to have our usual Thursday meetings. This was remedied in 2nd term when we moved into a room in the new Science Block. Also the Dr. Graham Crusade had an effect on some boys and aided in increasing our numbers.

During the August Vacation I.S.C.F. held a camp at Albany. Although not many boys from our school went, those that did go really enjoyed the camp. We got off to a good start in 3rd term with an interesting talk; illustrated by colour slides and supplemented by archaeological relics which was given by Miss Nealy, who



THE SHOOTING TEAM, 1959
Winners of the Commonwealth Cup
Back Row (l.to r.): Cdt. D. Giles, Sgt. J. Tytherleigh, Cpl. A. Broadhurst.
Front Row (l. to r.): C.U.O. M. Meecham, C.U.O. D. Smallwood (Capt.), C.U.O.
J. Maddams.



#### GYMNASTICS TEAM, 1959

Winners of the State Championships

Back Row (l. to r.): R. Faull, P. Driscoll, B. Weaver, Y. K. Watt, G. Blackburn, R. North.
Front Row (l. to r.): R. Synnott, J. Macartney, C. Stevens (Capt.), C. Rossiter, J. Bookless.

is travelling round Australia before going to lecture at Armidale University.

A Scripture Union branch was set up and this supplied the boys with daily Bible readings.

On the whole, this year has been very profitable for I.S.C.F., and we hope for an even better attendance next year.

- G. S. S.

### GILBERT AND SULLIVAN SOCIETY

The news that this year the school was to stage "H.M.S. Pinafore" was greeted with mixed feelings—mostly unfavourable at first. "Pinafore" is generally regarded as being one of the hardest of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas to produce successfully, due to its lack of humour. This meant that the singing had to be even better than usual, and so practices began in earnest at the beginning of first term, and the principal parts were soon filled. Despite this, and the fact that the opera is somewhat shorter than the others, six weeks before opening night there was still a long way to go.

Everyone went on stage for the final dress rehearsal—which was virtually a performance, since tickets were issued for it-with grave doubts about the result, and unfortunately our doubts were fully justified. However, after one final rehearsal of the worst sections the three performances were a vast improvement, and the general concensus of opinion was that it was one of the best of all our "G. & S." The cast, especially those productions. who have played in all of the operas the school has staged, would like to thank Mr. Woodend for giving them the opportunity of a most enjoyable extra-curricular activity.

We would also like to thank the members of the orchestra, who gave us their valuable time—especially Mrs. Seddon, the pianiste, who accompanied us at all rehearsals; Mrs. Woodend; Mrs. Osborne, the housemother of Queenslea; those who

helped behind the scenes, particularly Mr. Lance; those who constructed and painted the scenery, and all others whose assistance made the production the success that it was.

The Cast was as follows:-

Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Porter, K.C.B E. R. Russell
Captain Corcoran L. B. Wilkins
Ralph Rackstraw R. J. Jones
Dick Deadeye A. D. H. Stewart
Boatswain's Mate J. W. S. Maddams
Carpenter's Mate M. J. Lloyd
Midshipmite G. H. Synnot
Josephine A. N. Lord
Hebe M. M. S. Hughes
Little Buttercup I. M. Hodge
They were supported by 55 others in the roles of
sailors of "H.M.S. Pinafore" and female relatives of
Sir Joseph Porter.
— A. D. H. S.

#### DEBATING

The standard of debating has shown considerable improvement, particularly in Junior teams. This is mainly due to the introduction of the fourth house, Wolsey, and the greater competition thus resulting.

It has been necessary for most of the houses to introduce boys who have not hitherto had a chance to show their debating skill. Many of these boys have proved themselves to be worthy contenders for future school debating teams.

#### S. HILDA'S DEBATE

The debating season was opened when two Christ Church teams pitted their skill against that of two corresponding S. Hilda's teams.

The School Junior team flatly denied that "Australian Men's Clothes are Unsuitable to the Australian Way of Life". So ably did they prove their point that they won the debate by one mark. Congratulations to Berwin Blood and Tim Robertson who gained equal top marks of 86/100.

In the Senior debate S. Hilda's proved themselves to be superior by successfully supporting the motion that "Adam Should Not Have Eaten The Apple". The top mark of 89 was gained by Robin Leuba.

Thank you, S. Hilda's for a very enjoyable evening.

#### P.L.C. DEBATE

Two debates against Presbyterian Ladies' College were next on the programme of School debates.

The less experienced P.L.C. Junior team was no match for the School Junior team who successfully debated that "The Manners of the modern child are deteriorating". Members of the School team put forward a very sound argument which was based on juvenile delinquency. Peter Edwards debated very confidently to gain top marks of 76/100.

The Senior (Sub-Leaving) debate was of only fair standard due to the lack of preparation by the teams concerned. The subject for the debate was that "The Western Powers should end their occupation of Berlin", and the School team successfully argued for the affirmative. Congratulations to John Wisbey who scored top marks of 69/100.

#### M.L.C. DEBATE

The debating season concluded well with a very entertaining evening which consisted of two debates against M.L.C.

The School Sub-Junior team supported the motion that "The wearing of school uniforms should be abolished". The standard of this debate was very good considering the inexperience of the two teams. Christ Church narrowly won the debate by one point, and Peter Hill scored top marks with 78.

The Sub-Leaving debate was very entertaining, and again the standard was high. The M.L.C. team staunchly upheld the idea that "A woman is more important on a farm than machinery", so much so that they won the debate by 10 points. Miss Jacqueline Davies forcibly and humorously debated thus gaining top marks of 79.

-- E. E. T. C.

#### PERTH COLLEGE DEBATE

Christ Church was the guest of Perth College early in second term and two very amusing debates took place. The School Sub-Leaving team spiritedly denied that "Time spent in debating is well worth while", Hugh Gillett giving a very amusing speech which gained him the top mark of 84 for the evening.

The Junior team also took the negative side in a forceful debate in which Perth College, with typical feminine interference, complained that "Modern Dress is outmoded". Tim Robertson gave a very humorous speech to gain the top mark with 72. Christ Church narrowly won both debates.

Thank you, Perth College, for a very enjoyable evening.

#### CHRIST CHURCH v. SCOTCH

Early in second term the Junior team was challenged to a debate by Scotch College. The subject being "That T.V. is a blessing, not a curse".

The debate proved to be very amusing and the standard set by the teams was high. Christ Church maintained that Television was responsible for nothing but burnt cakes, T.V. eyes and a race of retrogressed, Winchester-wielding human beings whose chief recreation was playing Cowboys and Indians. Scotch on the other hand maintained that T.V. has achieved much good in the world and perhaps that point of view is the correct one, because Scotch defeated Christ Church with 271 points to 270.

Congratulations to the Scotch College third speaker, Newby, who gained top marks for the evening (94) and to P. Edwards (C.C.) who was second best with 93 points.

- E. E. T. C.

The following boys were members of Interschool teams this year:—

Senior: A. Eggleston, E. Culley, R. Russell.

Sub-Leaving: B. Beresford, J. Wisbey, D. Giles, H. Gillett.

Junior: P. Edwards, T. Robertson, R. Boland, J. Sherwood.

Sub-Juniors: P. Hill, R. Oliver, R. Packington.

#### INTER-HOUSE DEBATING

# QUEENSLEA v. ROMSEY

Senior: On March 13th, Queenslea and Romsey closely contested the year's first debate on the subject "That West New Guinea should become a United Nations trust territory" with Queenslea finally winning by the narrow margin of five points. M. Lloyd scored top marks of 71, primarily because of his well-prepared matter and basic argument.

Junior: Forfeited by Romsey.

#### WOLSEY v. CRAIGIE

Senior: Although the subject, "That fur hats are important devices in modern diplomacy," should have been treated lightly, the debate was dull and far too serious. Wolsey won narrowly by scoring 201 and defeating Craigie by five points, just saving the latter from proving that fur hats were important.

Junior The first junior debate, "That Democracy means the rule of a majority" was comfortably won by the strong Wolsey team. R. Boland and T. Robertson debated well and it was mainly due to them that the Craigie team met its match.

#### WOLSEY v. ROMSEY

Senior: Debating most convincingly, Wolsey defeated Romsey, 199 to 190 on the motion "That road accidents would be reduced if severer penalties were imposed for bad driving". Both third speakers, R. Russell and E. Culley, spoke well, while Culley scored 76 to take top honours in a rather tame debate.

#### WOLSEY v. ROMSEY

Senior: Speaking negatively on the subject "That the new Perth Town Hall should be built on the river-front", Wolsey notched an easy win against the comparatively weak opposition, and R. Boland gained top marks in their total of 227½.

#### QUEENSLEA v. CRAIGIE

Senior: On April 3rd, the senior teams debated "That Walt Whitman spoke truly when he talked of 'the never-ending audacity of elected persons'." Taking the affirmative side, Queenslea scored the most convincing win of the year with 212 points. A. Eggleston, speaking brilliantly, scored top marks of 76.

Junior: Craigie and Queenslea debated the motion "That cricket tests should be abolished". In probably the most interesting Junior debate of the year, Craigie just managed to defeat the Queenslea team. Top marks were gained by P. Edwards with 82.

#### QUEENSLEA v. WOLSEY

Senior: The two top teams debated an interesting subject—"That the present plight of old people in the community is due to the selfishness of their children." As expected, the debate was close; but Queenslea proved the stronger and completed the Senior debating undefeated. D. Culley's good presentation earned him 73 while the Queenslea captain, A. Eggleston, spoke entertainingly and scored 75.

Junior: Debating on the quotation from Samuel Johnson—"That any of us would kill a cow, rather than not have beef"—Wolsey won the debating competition and their last debate with 222 points to 212.

#### CRAIGIE v. ROMSEY

Senior: Craigie and Romsey, debating on the motion "That a pear-shaped Earth is a bad thing", opened up some amazing possibilities. Craigie, unfortunate in having two regular members sick, went down to Romsey whose consistency won the debate by the margin of six points.

Junior: Although the subject, "That the Australian aboriginals should be granted citizenship immediately", was a little hackneyed, the two teams forwarded some sound arguments and the debate proved quite interesting. Craigie, with P. Edwards taking marks, defeated Romsey by a comfortable margin.

#### RESULTS OF INTER-HOUSE DEBATES - 1959

House		 Craigie	Queenslea	Romsey	Wolsey			
No. of Wi	ns:							
Senior		 0	3	1	2			
Junior		 2	1	0	3			
Total No. Wins	of 	 2	4	1	5			
Position		 3rd	2nd	4th	1st			
				E. E. T. C.				

# SPORTING NOTES

# SPORTING HOUSE NOTES

#### CRAIGIE HOUSE NOTES

House Master: Mr. A. Woodend Assistant House Master: Mr. D. Richardson House Captain: M. Meecham House Vice-Captain: J. Muir

### Rowing

Captain: N. Sudlow

This year the crew of the four, although experienced in eights, found the smaller boat difficult to manage and we were beaten by Wolsey and Queenslea. The four produced perfect co-ordination to beat Romsey.

We finished third in the rowing with the pairs rowing well to win two of their three races, being beaten only by Wolsey.

#### **Athletics**

Captain: P. Pittendrigh

Congratulations to Romsey on their splendid victory in the Inter-House sports, and also to members of the Craigie team for their endeavour to win the sports.

This year we were not as far behind Romsey in points after "standards" but our weakness in the Under 16, 17 and Open groups restricted us to third place. The Under 13, and 14 groups did very well and congratulations go to record-breakers Ruse, Moir, Ryan and the Under 13 Relay team.

#### **Swimming**

Captain: J. Miall

Again we were victorious in the Inter-House sports and with many of our best swimmers returning this year we managed to win by a considerable margin.

The team was strong in all divisions, excelling in the relays. The Open Relay team swam the distance in record time. Miall, Meecham (Open Champion), Driscoll (Under 14 Champion) won many points.

#### Cricket

Captain: I. Campbell

With only two members of the first XI in the team, Craigie's prospect of winning was not bright. However, team spirit made up for the difference and with a little luck enabled us to record a surprise win in the cricket.

The first XI won two matches with one drawn. Honours in bowling and batting went to Ian Campbell. The Under 14 won one, drew one and lost one. The match against Romsey ending in a match-winning partnership of 80 (Hughes, 57 n.o.; Cann, 40 n.o.).

#### Basketball

Captain: R. Jones

The Craigie basketball teams commenced the season successfully with a win against Queenslea, in both Open and Under 16 divisions, the latter being a well earned win. The same day we were again successful in both divisions against Wolsey, the Open match being a hard fight but ending in an 18-point lead.

Romsey too found us too good and both teams came through the season undefeated, with members of the teams playing as a team and not as individuals. Members of the Open team were Jones, Beetles, Booth, Campbell, Clennett, Dix and Muir. Thanks must be given to Mr. Kovacs for his umpiring and valuable coaching of the teams during his spare time.

### Debating

Although beaten convincingly by the consistent Queenslea team, the senior

team did better in the remaining two debates, losing only by narrow margins. Edwards and Maclagan ably filled the senior team when sickness took toll of the regular members.

In direct contrast to the achievements of their senior counterparts, the junior team debated well, winning two of their three debates, thus placing us third in the competition. Congratulations to Wolsey for their efforts in winning the debating.

### QUEENSLEA HOUSE NOTES

House Master: Mr. O'Hara
Assistant House Master: Mr. Burns
House Captain: P. Atkinson
House Vice-Captain: A. Eggleston

#### Cricket

Captain: P. Atkinson

As usual the Under 14 team was very successful, winning all its matches. It was mainly due to their efforts that Queenslea finished second in the inter-house competition.

The 1st XI lost to Romsey, defeated Wolsey, and in a very closely fought match, managed to lose to Craigie.

Congratulations to Craigie on their consistent display of cricket.

#### Cross Country

Captain: P. Atkinson

This was our most successful year since the inception of cross country courses for each age group. At the end of the six events, Queenslea was only a few points behind the leading house.

D. Hamilton (Q) and L. Rischbeith (W) ran well in the Under 16 race. Hamilton's time being less than one second outside the record.

The Open cross country was over a slightly shorter and easier course this year. In winning, P. Atkinson (Q) set an inaugural record of 18 mins. 58.8 secs. E. Culley (W) and J. W. S. Maddams (R) finished second and third respectively.

In the Under 13, Under 14 and Under 15 age groups Queenslea teams did well

and were mainly responsible for the House's good position when the points were totalled up.

### Swimming

Captain: C. C. Sanders

Queenslea was handicapped in the Open division this year by lack of swimmers with ability. However our underage team was quite strong with some new swimmers showing excellent progress. Grounds and Mercer put up an excellent performance in winning most of the Under 13 events

Queenslea came second in the House Swimming Sports, and we congratulate the members of our team; and also the members of Craigie's Swimming Team who won the sports.

#### Rowing

Captain: J. Brazier

This year Queenslea could not produce a crew strong enough to beat Wolsey, but they managed a good second.

The four—R. Williams (stroke), A. Steadman, J. Brazier, W. Moran (bow) and J. Sherwood (cox)—came second to Wolsey but managed to beat the other crews.

The pair rowed well but could only gain second place.

Congratulations must go to Wolsey on their fine win in their first year.

#### **Athletics**

Captain: C. W. Stevens

Again due to the standards we were some way behind Romsey. This year we had a strong Open team and the rest of the team proved quite strong but still we could not defeat the well balanced Romsey team.

Congratulations to Romsey on their well earned win in the house sports.

Congratulations to P. Atkinson on being Open Champion and J. Thanos Under 17 Champion. Congratulations also to D. Cook on breaking the 100 yards and 220 yards records. Cook then went on to be Under 16 Champion.

#### Basketball

Captain: C. W. Stevens

This year Queenslea started well by defeating Romsey in both Under 16 and Open matches. The next matches, however, proved Craigie's strength when they defeated both the Under 16 and Open team. The Open team hoped to give Craigie a better fight but unfortunately M. Broadhurst, who proved a good back man, was unable to play. The match against Wolsey showed who was to take second place. Wolsey fought well but both Queenslea teams were ahead at the close of the match.

Open team: C. Stevens, M. Leach, P. Atkinson, M. Broadhurst, Y. F. Watt, G. Martin and J. Rossiter.

Under 16 team: M. Criddle, K. Scott, G. Szczecinski, J. Sherwood, R. McNaughton, W. Grover and T. Giles.

Congratulations to Craigle for winning and for their splendid teamwork. Queenslea came second, followed by Wolsey then Romsey.

### Debating

Captain: A. Eggleston

Queenslea enjoyed a much more successful debating year than for some time past and was placed second in the competition.

The Senior team was undefeated. Chris Wall proved himself to be a good opening speaker, and M. J. Lloyd a strong second speaker. Unfortunately the Junior team had only one victory. However this was not due to lack preparation and Sherwood was an able captain. Perhaps next year the Junior team will be more successful.

Congratulations to Wolsey on taking the debating honours for 1959.

### ROMSEY HOUSE NOTES

House Master: Mr. Rucks
Assistant House Master: Mr. Stoate
House Captain: B. Muggleton
House Vice-Captain: M. Gordon

#### Swimming

In the inter-house swimming competition this year, Romsey came last. Congratulations to Craigie; This year the team lacked strength that it had possessed in previous years, and as a result some members swam in nearly all events of their age group. Good work, J. Sutherland. Perhaps the position can be reversed next year with hard training and swimming. Good luck!

# Debating

Romsey lost the house debating this year to Wolsey, Queenslea and Craigie. Congratulations, Wolsey, on a first win! All but the Craigie debate were lost by the Senior Romsey team. A. Quirk is to be commended for a winning effort in the Craigie match. The Juniors lost all debates of the season; but it is hoped this will make them try even harder so that Romsey can regain her lost prestige in inter-house debating in coming years.

#### Cricket

Congratulations to Craigie on winning the House Cricket this year. The Romsey 1st XI did not perform to its full capability. We drew with Craigie, beat Queenslea, but were beaten to our surprise by Wolsey. It might be said Craigie were lucky to draw with us, having to lose only one wicket in the last five minutes of play. The Under 14 team did not win a match, and this affected the final placings. Anyway, coming Juniors, try hard and perhaps you will reverse the placings!

#### Rowing

Congratulations, Wolsey, on a well earned rowing victory. The Romsey crews lost all races of the competition. The Senior crew was unfortunate to miss Gordon, who was unable to row in the four. However, I. Scholes rowed well in substi-

tution for him. The pair tried hard but failed to get there first. Good rowing, next year's crews, and see if you can't get a little bit more practice together.

#### Athletics

Romsey were again victorious in the Athletics. Our win was due to the participation of members of the house in standards and cross country, thus giving Romsey a handy 40 point lead on the day at the sports. This margin was retained. J. Cooper must be congratulated for assembling and co-ordinating the team, and with Gordon, Cook and Rocchi for very fine new records. Congratulations to P. R. Atkinson, Open Champion, of Queenslea, and to Queenslea for making the competition so close.

#### Basketball

Both teams failed to win a match this year—in was not, however, through lack of trying. Congratulations, Craigie, on a well fought win, and to Queenslea and Wolsey. In the Senior team A. Hibble, A. Grove, A. Annear must be commended for a strong effort, and in the Junior team, Rocchi, Giles, and Smirke.

Good luck to those returning.

#### WOLSEY HOUSE NOTES

House Master: Mr. A. Drok
Assistant House Master: Mr. L. Allen
House Captain: P. Browne-Cooper
House Vice-Captain: J. Tytherleigh

In this, our inaugural year, the House spirit has left nothing to be desired, and it has been reflected in our activities. A House flag was designed early in second term and thanks to the generous efforts of Romsey House-mother, Miss Heales, the flag was flying by the end of the term and has now taken its place with the flags of Romsey, Craigie and Queenslea in the School Hall.

To those who will make up the House next year: good luck; keep fighting with the same spirit and the Beatty Cup will soon be yours.

- P. B. - C.

#### Athletics

Captain: J. Tytherleigh

During third term the athletic standards were run off but due to some boys not attempting standards and the fact that many boys failed to gain the standards, the House was well behind on the opening day of the inter-house sports. The house continued to fall behind as the meeting progressed and finally finished a bad last. Congratulations to Romsey on their victory and to those boys who represented their school at the "Inters" on October 24th.

- J. T.

### Basketball

Captain: J. Tytherleigh

Basketball was played during third term in two age groups, Open and Under 16. In the first games both teams were beaten by Craigie, the second set were lost to Queenslea by two points in both Open and Under 16. The final games against Romsey were victories giving us third place in the basketball.

- J. T.

### Cricket

Captain: J. Tytherleigh

The cricket was played in two age groups, Open and Under 14. Both age groups were weak and only managed to win some matches through outstanding performances by individuals. The young members of the Open team played some good cricket whilst the Under 14's proved very lax at times.

- J. T.

# **Swimming**

Captain: J. Tytherleigh

The swimming sports were held in first term and the house gained third place. There were few outstanding swimmers for Wolsey but P. Chivers and L. Charlesworth gained many valuable points in the Under 16 age group. Congratulations to those boys in the house who swam in the interschool sports and to Craigie on their victory in the house sports.

- J. T.

### **Debating**

Captain: E. Culley

Wolsey had a very successful year as far as debating was concerned. The Junior team showed their superiority by winning all three debates whilst the senior team was unfortunate in losing their third debate to Queenslea. Nevertheless, the house still gained first position.

The standard of house debating has shown considerable improvement and all who took part are to be congratulated. The introduction of Wolsey, the fourth house, has given a number of new debaters an opportunity to speak.

. — E. E. T. C.

#### Rowing

Captain: D. Smallwood

This year we achieved success in the Interhouse Rowing Regatta. With a representative from every crew that rowed for the school, and the reserve cox, we won the House rowing.

We congratulate all the other houses on their splendid fighting spirit.

The crew of the unbeaten four were Bow, A. M. Lefroy; G. Waycott, D. Smallwood; Stroke, D. Johnston; cox, E. Eckersley.

Congratulations must also go to the tub pair, Bow, K. Machar; stroke, P. Chivers; cox, M. McAllister, for a splendid effort.



# INTER-HOUSE SWIMMING SPORTS Claremont Baths, Friday, February 20

Craigie won this year's House swimming with a comfortable lead of  $106\frac{1}{2}$  points over Queenslea. Wolsey was third with 447 points and Romsey came last with  $426\frac{1}{2}$  points.

Craigie won both divisions of the first event and held their lead throughout the sports.

The first record of the day went to Peter Driscoll of Craigie who set the time of 31.7 seconds for the under fourteen 55 yards freestyle. Craigie swimmers also broke the open, under 14 and under 13 relay records. Craigie House was responsible for all four of the new records set during the day.

The open breaststroke saw an exciting

finish when, after racing neck and neck down the pool, Maddams of Romsey just beat Miall of Craigie to the board.

Thirteen - year - old Peter Driscoll (Craigie) had a suprise win in the second division of the open 220 yards freestyle. Significantly his time of 2 minutes 44 seconds was 1.5 seconds faster than that of the winner of the first division. With this, and his setting of the under 14 freestyle record, his part in setting the new under 14 relay record and his places in the first divisions of the under 14 back and breaststroke events, Peter Driscoll must be considered to have been the outstanding swimmer of the day.

### Final Points:

Craigie					576
Queenslea					469불
Wolsey					447
Romsey					426½

#### Results

#### (First Divisions)

#### **OPEN**

- 220 yds. Freestyle: 1, Miall (C); 2, Sanders (Q);
  3, Grounds (Q); 4, Sutherland (R); 5, Meecham (C); 6, Tytherleigh (W); 7, E. Culley (W); 8, Hibble (R). Time, 2 min. 45.2 secs.
- 110 yds. Freestyle: 1, Meecham (C); 2, Sanders (Q) and Miall (C); 4, Sutherland (R); 5, Tytherleigh (W); 6, D. Culley (W); 7, Hibble (R); 8, North (Q). Time, 69.4 secs.
- 55 yds. Breaststroke: 1, Maddams (R); 2, Miall (C); 3, Drok (C); 4, Sutherland (R); 5, E. Culley (W); 6, Wilkins (W); 7, Williams (Q). Time, 40.2 secs.
- 55 yds. Backstroke: 1, Meecham (C); 2, Sanders (Q); 3, Beetles (C); 4, Smallwood (W); 5, D. Culley (W); 6, McManus (R); 7, Sutherland (R); 8, North (Q). Time, 37.7 secs.
- 4 x 55 yds. Relay: 1, Craigie; 2, Romsey; 3, Wolsey; 4, Queenslea. Time, 2 min. 6 secs. (Record).

#### UNDER 16

- 110 yds. Freestyle: 1, Chivers (W); 2, Beresford (R); 3, Copley (R); 4, Thanos (Q); 5, Broadhurst (Q); 6, Gillett (C); 7, Machar (W); 8, Cann (C). Time, 76.4 secs.
- 55 yds. Breaststroke: 1, Chivers (W); 2, Collins (Q); 3, Easterbrook (C); 4, Steadman (Q); 5, Walsh (W); 6, Akerman (R); 7, Gillett (C). Time. 42.5 secs.
- 55 yds. Backstroke: 1, Charlesworth (W); 2, Collins (Q); 3, Beresford (R); 4, Sawyer (C); 5, Martin (Q); 6, Gillett (C); 7, Clement (W); 8, Quirk (R). Time, 38.7 secs.
- 4 x 55 yds. Relay: 1, Wolsey; 2, Romsey; 3, Queenslea; 4, Craigie. Time, 2 min. 18.7 secs.

#### UNDER 15

110 yds. Freestyle: 1, Rossiter (Q); 2, McKenney (C); 3, Doubikin (Q); 4, McGregor (C); 5, Garvey (W); 6, Hollingsworth (R); 7, McKenzie (W). Time, 74.6 secs.

- 55 yds. Breaststroke: 1, Wall (Q); 2, McKenzie (W); 3, Levinson (R); 4, Illidge (R); 5, Wark (Q); 6, Robinson (W); 7, MacLagan (C). Time, 43 secs.
- 55 yds. Backstroke: 1, Rossiter (Q); 2, McKenney (C); 3, Hollingsworth (R); 4, Hamilton (Q);
  5, McGregor (C); 6, Garvey (W); 7, Stanley (W); 8, Illidge (R). Time, 42.2 secs.
- 4 x 55 yds. Relay: 1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie; 3, Romsey. Time, 2 min. 29.2 secs.

#### UNDER 14

- 55 yds. Breaststroke: 1, Cran (C); 2, Driscoll (C);
  3, Rose (Q); 4, Haigh (R); 5, Mackintosh (Q);
  6, Lee (W); 7, Pearce (W); 8, Burkett (R).
  Time, 47.6 secs.
- 55 yds. Backstroke: 1, Driscoll (C); 2, Meecham (C); 3, Eatt (W); 4, Bryan (R); 5, Tredwell (W); 6, ←Griffith (Q); 7, Rossiter (Q). Time, 42.4 secs.
- 55 yds. Freestyle: 1, Driscoll (C); 2, Mackintosh (Q); 3, Bryan (R); 4, Carew-Reid (W); 5, Pearce (W); 6, Edwards (C); 7, Griffiths (Q); 8, Atterton (R). Time, 31.7 secs. (Record).
- 4 x 55 yds. Relay: 1, Craigie; 2, Wolsey; 3, Queenslea; 4, Romsey. Time, 2 min. 27.8 secs. (Record).

### UNDER 13

- 55 yds. Breaststroke: 1, R. Lee (W); 2, Cann (C);
   3, Evans (Q); 4, Hugall (R); 5, Mercer (Q);
   6, Williams (R); 7, Thompson (C). Time, 47.5 secs.
- 55 yds. Backstroke: 1, Mercer (Q); 2, Grounds (Q); 3, Rees (W); 4, Bird (W); 5, Hugall (R);
  6, Treadgold (R); 7, Cann (C); 8, Thompson (C). Time, 42.8 secs.
- 55 yds. Freestyle: 1, Grounds (Q); 2, Bird (W);
  3, Mercer (Q); 4, Hugall (R); 5, Ryan (C);
  6, Rees (W); 7, Cann (C); 8, Treadgold (R).
  Time, 35 secs.
- 4 x 55 yds. Relay: 1, Craigie; 2, Wolsey; 3, Romsey. Time, 2 min. 37.3 secs. (Record).

### TRIANGULAR SWIMMING SPORTS

Crawley Baths, Saturday, February 28th

# WESLEY COLLEGE ST. LOUIS SCHOOL CHRIST CHURCH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

It had been raining quite heavily the night before the triangular swimming sports, however the day turned out to be fine, with a little wind ruffling the water.

Wesley College dominated the sports. Their swimmers won thirteen out of the nineteen events on the programme, and set seven of the nine new records.

St. Louis set one new record and that was the Under 11 55 yards Freestyle.

Gilchrist gained Christ Church's only record for the day when he swam the Under 12 55 yards Freestyle in the time of 36.2 seconds. John Miall won the Open Breaststroke and was the only Christ Church Swimmer to win an Open event. Charlesworth was our strongest Under 16 swimmer.

However, the two outstanding swimmers of the way were John Ryan (Open) and 13-year-old David Gadson, both of Wesley.

Ryan broke a record every time he entered the water and was a member of Wesley's record-breaking Open Relay team, while Gadsdon won the Under 16 220 yards Freestyle in record-breaking time, as well as the Under 16 55 yards Backstroke; and in his own age group (Under 13) he won the 55 yards Freestyle and he was a member of their record-breaking relay team.

With these two swimmers backed up by a strong team, Wesley could hardly do anything but win and the final placings were: 1st, Wesley; 2nd, Christ Church; and 3rd, St. Louis.

#### Results

Final Points:	Wesley	 Α	174
	Christ Church	 	1211
	St. Louis	 	50₺

#### OPEN

- 220 yards Freestyle: 1, W; 2, W; 3, Miall; 4, Sanders; 5, St.L. Time, 2 min, 27.8 secs, (Record).
- 110 yards Freestyle: 1, W; 2, W; 3, Sanders; 4, Miall; 5, St.L. (Time, 614 secs.( Record).
- 55 yards Backstroke: 1, W; 2; W; 3, Sanders; 4, St.L.; 5, St.L. (Time, 32.4 secs. (Record).
- 55 yards Breaststroke: 1, Miall; 2, W; 3, Drok; 4, St.L; 5, W. Time, 40.6 secs.
- Relay (4 x 55 yards): 1, W; 2, C.C.; 3, St.L. Time, 2 mins. 1.5 secs. (Record).

#### UNDER 16

- 220 yards Freestyle: 1, W; 2, Driscoll; 3, W; 4, Brown; 5, St.L. Time, 2 mins. 31.8 secs.
- 110 yards Freestyle: 1, W; 2, Charlesworth; 3, W; 4, Chivers; 5, St.L. Time, 70 secs.
- 55 yards Backstroke: 1, W; 2, Charlesworth; 3, Collins; 4, W; 5, St.L. Time, 37.4 secs.
- Relay (4 x 55 yards): 1, W; 2, C.C.; 3, St.L. Time, 2 mins. 13.6 secs.

#### UNDER 15

- 110 yards Freestyle: 1, W; 2, Rossiter; 3, St.L; 4, W: 5. St.L. Time. 71.8 secs.
- 55 yards Breaststroke: 1, McKenzie; 2, Wall; 3, W; 4, W; 5, St.L. Time, 43.2 secs.
- Relay (4 x 55 yards): 1, W; 2, C.C.; 3, St.L. Time, 2 mins. 14.4 secs.

#### UNDER 14

- 55 yards Freestyle: 1, W; 2, W; 3, Driscoll; 4, Hill; 5, St.L. Time, 29.6 secs. (Record).
- 55 yards Breaststroke: 1, W; 2, W; 3, St.L.; 4, Cran; 5, Rose. Time, 42.8 secs. (Record.)
- Relay (4 x 55 yards): 1, W; 2, C.C.; 3, St.L. Time, 2 mins. 14.4 secs. (Record).

### UNDER 13

- 55 yards Freestyle: 1, Grounds 2, W; 3, Bird; 4, W; 5, St.L. Time, 34.4 secs.
- Relay (4 x 55 yards): 1, C.C.; 2, W; 3, St.L. Time, 2 mins. 30.8 secs.

#### UNDER 12

55 yards Freestyle: 1, Gilchrist; 2, W; 3, Flintoff and St.L; 5, W. Time, 36.2 secs. (Record).

#### UNDER 11

55 yards Freestyle: 1, St.L; 2, St.L; 3, W; 4, Cann; 5, Rudyard. Time, 39.4 secs. (Record).

# P.S.A. SWIMMING CARNIVAL

#### MARCH 7th, 1959

The Inter-school swimming sports were once again held in excellent conditions at Crawley Baths. Christ Church, for the first time in the School's P.S.A. swimming history, gained a place in the top three—finishing third to Guildford and Wesley, the former fielding a very evenly balanced team, winning three of the five relay events.

Christ Church battled strongly, represented in the open division by Meecham, Sanders and Maddams; Charlesworth Chivers and Collins in the under 16 division. The remaining under age swimmers, after swimming consistently in the individual events, produced excellent relay results, gaining a fourth and two second positions.

All due praise must go to Guildford for their excellent win with 307 points, followed by Wesley with  $260\frac{1}{2}$  points, Christ Church with 173, Scotch  $155\frac{1}{2}$ , Aquinas  $129\frac{1}{2}$  and Hale  $85\frac{1}{2}$  points.

#### Results

Abbreviations used: Aquinas (A), Guildford (G), Hale (H), Scotch (S), and Wesley (W).

#### **OPEN**

- 100 m. Freestyle.—Division 1: W, 1; G, 2; Meecham (C.C.), 3; S, 4; H, 5; A, 6. Time, 61.1 secs. (Record).
  - Division 2: W, 1; G, 2; Sanders (C.C.), 3; S, 4; A, 5. Time, 66.1 secs.
- 50 m. Breaststroke.—Division 1: G, 1; A, 2; Maddams (C.C.), 3; S, 4; H, 5. Time, 40.7 secs.
   Division 2: A, 1; Miall (C.C.), 2; S, 3; W, 4; G, 5. Time, 40.7 secs.
- 50 m. Backstroke.—Division 1: W, 1; S, 2; G, 3; Meecham (C.C.), 4; A, 5; H, 6. Time, 31.8 secs. (Record).
  - Division 2: W, 1; A, 2; Sanders (C.C.), 3; G, 4; S, 5. Time, 37.4 secs.
- 200 m. Freestyle.—Division 1: W, 1; A, 2; G, 3; S, 4; H, 5; Sanders (C.C.), 6. Time, 2 min. 21.4 secs.
  - Division 2: W, 1; G, 2; S, 3; H, 4; A, 5. Time, 2 min. 29.9 secs.
- 200 m. Relay.—Guildford, 1; Wesley, 2; Christ Church, 3; Aquinas, 4; Scotch, 5. Time, 1 min. 57.8 secs. (Record).

# UNDER 16

100 m. Freestyle.—Division 1: A, 1; G, 2; S, 3; H, 4; Charlesworth (C.C.), 5; W, 6. Time, 67.9 secs.

- Division 2: G, 1; S, 2; A, 3; H, 4; W, 5. Time. 69.3 secs.
- 50 m. Breaststroke.—Division 1: G, 1; A, 2; Chivers (C.C.), 3; S, 4; H, 5; W, 6. Time, 40.1 secs. Division 2: G, 1; H, 2; Collins (C.C.), 3; A, 4; S and W tied for 6. Time, 39.6 secs.
- 50 m. Backstroke.—Division 1: G, 1; W, 2; S, 3; Charlesworth (C.C.), 4; A, 5; H, 6. Time, 35 secs.
  - Division 2: G, 1; W, 2; Collins (C.C.), 3; H, 4; A, 5. Time, 38.5 secs.
- 200 m. Relay.—Scotch, 1; Aquinas, 2; Guildford, 3. Wesley, 4; Christ Church, 5. Time, 2 min. 2.2 secs. (Record).

### UNDER 15

- 100 m. Freestyle.—Division 1: W, 1; G. 2; Rossiter (C.C.), 3; A, 4; H, 5; S, 6. Time, 71.2 secs. Division 2: W, 1; G, 2; H, 3; McKenney (C.C.), 4; S, 5. Time, 73.5 secs.
- 50 m. Breaststroke.—Division 1: G, 1; Wall (C.C.), 2; H, 3; S, 4; A, 5; W, 6. Time, 40.6 secs. Division 2: McKenzie (C.C.), 1; G, 2; S, 3; H, 4; W, 5. Time, 43 secs.
- 200 m. Relay: Guildford, 1; Wesley, 2; Hale, 3; Christ Church, 4; Scotch, 5. Time, 2 min. 10.4 secs.

#### UNDER 14

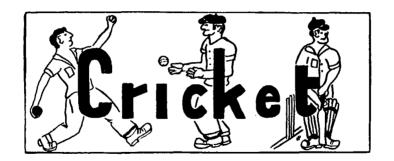
- 50 m. Freestyle.—Division 1: W, 1; Driscoll (C.C.), 2; S, 3; G, 4; A, 5; H, 6. Time, 29.6 secs. (Record).
  - Division 2: W, 1; G, 2; S, 3; Hill (C.C.), 4; A and H tied for 5. Time, 31.7 secs.
- 50 m. Breaststroke.—Division 1: W, 1; G, 2; S, 3; A, 4; H, 5; Cran (C.C.), 6. Time, 41.6 secs. (Record).
  - Division 2: W, 1; G, 2; S, 3; Lee (C.C.), 4; A, 5. Time, 42.7 secs.
- 200 m. Relay.—Wesley, 1; Christ Church, 2; Scotch, 3; Guildford, 4; Hale, 5. Time, 2 min. 12.5 secs.

#### UNDER 13

- 50 m. Freestyle.—Division 1: G, 1; Grounds (C.C.), 2; A, 3; H, 4; S, 5. Time, 34 secs. Division 2: H, 1; S, 2; W, 3; G, 4; Bird (C.C.), 5. Time, 35.7 secs.
- 200 m. Relay: Guildford, 1; Christ Church, 2; Wesley, 3; Scotch, 4; Hale, 4. Time, 2 min. 24.2 secs.

#### OLD BOYS

Relay.—Wesley, 1; Aquinas, 2; Hale, 3; Guildford, 4; Christ Church, 5; Scotch, 6. Time, 1 min. 54.5 secs. (Record).



#### DARLOT CUP

Captain: B. Muggleton Vice-Captain: I. H. Campbell

#### CHRIST CHURCH v. HALE

This was the first match of the Darlot Cup series played at Hale.

Hale won the toss and chose to bat on an uneven wicket which soon proved to favour the fast bowlers.

Reasonably accurate bowling by Campbell and Maddams dismissed the cream of the Hale batting order and from then on, with the aid of Muggleton's inswingers, the innings never looked back for the Christ Church bowlers. Hale was out for 48!

Bowling honours of the innings went to Campbell, Muggleton and Maddams, each taking three wickets.

Christ Church's first innings resulted in the respectable tally of 120 runs being scored, Campbell being the "star of the willow", making exactly half this total—a solid 60. Muggleton supported him with 21 runs made in his usual style. McBride was the outstanding bowler for Hale, claiming seven Christ Church wickets by sheer speed alone.

Hale's second innings was far superior to their first, 160 runs being scored in excellent time, due mainly to the bright partnership between captain Phillips and Jack Irvine.

This left Christ Church 89 runs to make in 120 minutes for an outright victory. These runs, plus three extra, were scored in 76 minutes; all due praise going to Campbell, assisted by Annear, for a courageous faster-than-a-run-a-minute partnership worth 75 runs, the former finishing with 44 not out, the latter being stumped for 33.

An outright win for Christ Church was the thoroughly deserved result.

HALE—1st Innings 48. Robinson, 11; Hall, 11. (Muggleton, 3/8; Campbell, 3/14; Maddams, 3/20; Tytherleigh, 1/4.)

2nd Innings, 160. Phillips, 37; Irvine, 30; Eastman, 21. (Campbell, 5/32; Maddams, 3/27; Muggleton, 2/56.)

CHRIST CHURCH—1st Innings, 120. Campbell, 60: Muggleton, 21. (McBride, 7/46.)

2nd Innings, 2/92. Campbell, 44 n.o.; Annear, 33 (McBride, 1/28; Eastman, 1/9.)

# CHRIST CHURCH v. WESLEY (March 13th and 14th)

This was the second P.S.A. match for Christ Church. It was played at Christ Church and resulted in a win on the first innings for the home team, after having lost the toss to Wesley, who chose to bowl on the usual reliable wicket.

Christ Church was, for the second time this season, given a great start by the openers, Annear and Campbell, each scoring 43, though the rest of the team collapsed, resulting in the rather disappointing total of 127.

The second innings for the home team also included an excellent partnership, this time between Grove and Campbell for 110 runs; 54 and 70 being the respective individual scores. This partnership set a new record for the School.

Wesley replied with 4 wickets down for 76 on Friday; Calder and Snowball showing batting ability sufficient to take their score within reach of the Christ Church total. This was not to be, for six quick wickets fell on Saturday morning, leaving Wesley still two runs short of the necessary tally.

Wesley, batting last, was given 200 minutes in which to make 178 runs, but after being three for seven did not at any stage look like getting them. By the same token, an outright victory for Christ Church looked extremely improbable. At stumps Wesley was 6 for 110.

C.C.G.S.—1st Innings, 127. Campbell, 43; Annear, 43. (Calder 4/28, Snowball 5/25).

2nd Innings, 6 for 153 dec. Campbell, 70; Grove, 54. (Calder 5/46).

WESLEY—1st Inning, 96. Calder, 41; Snowball, 27. (Campbell, 3/30, Muggleton, 4/25).

2nd Innings, 6 for 110. Harden, 38; Snowball, 28. (Campbell 3/39, Maddams 2/10).

#### C.C.G.S. v. GUILDFORD

The third match Christ Church played in the Darlot Cup series was against Guildford at Christ Church. The match resulted in an outright win for the visitors.

Guildford, winning the toss, chose to bat and, due to excellent bowling by Maddams, Muggleton and Annear, were all out for 148, a meagre total compared to several of their previous mammoth scores.

Overnight Christ Church was 1 for 32 and there seemed a great possibility that Guildford's score would be surpassed, but a collapse on Saturday morning ended all hopes of that. We were all out for 87, Campbell making 50 of these.

Guildford, batting in their second innings, declared at 6 for 134, leaving the home team 195 runs to make in 145 minutes, a nearly impossible task.

Campbell and Annear were out early in the second innings but, thanks to a fine innings by Muggleton and Grove, the team seemed content to force a first innings win rather than allow an outright win for Guildford. Unfortunately they collapsed again and were all out for 84 with only eight minutes of play remaining till stumps.

- GUILDFORD—1st Innings, 148. Macnamara, 35; Carter, 38. (Muggleton, 4/62, Annear, 2/16; Maddams, 2/27).
  - 2nd Innings, 6 for 135 decl. Hall, 55; Meadows, 33. (Maddams, 3/29; Tytherleigh, 1/18.)
- CHRIST CHURCH—1st Innings, 87. Campbell, 50; Muggleton, 16. (Roe, 4/18; Macnamara, 3/30; Gorringe, 2/16.)
  - 2nd Innings, 84. Muggleton, 34; Grove, 20. (Roe, 2/27; Hall, 2/2; Macnamara, 2/21.)

#### C.C.G.S. v. AQUINAS

This, the fourth match for Christ Church who were sent in to bat after losing the toss, resulted in the highest score for the series, a first innings total of 9 for 200 declared; Campbell and Meecham featured in this total with 58 and 45 respectively with the majority of the remaining batsmen supporting admirably.

Aquinas began well with an opening partnership of 63 before the first wicket fell. Waltham, first wicket down, followed, making an invaluable 89 before falling to Leach. Wickets fell steadily after this, but the pattern had been set and little could be done to prevent the final score of 253 runs. Tytherleigh had the best bowling figures with an excellent 4 for 44. A collapse spoilt Christ Church's second innings, Hayes and Kennedy being the wreckers, and at stumps were 7 for 60, Campbell making 28 of these in solid fashion.

The match resulted in a first innings win for Aquinas.

- CHRIST CHURCH—1st Innings, 9 for 200 decl. Campbell, 58; Meecham, 45; Grove, 24. (Kennedy, 4/50; Waltham, 2/28.)
  - 2nd Innings, 7 for 60. Campbell, 28; Criddle, 8 n.o. (Kennedy 4/23; Hayes, 3/29.)
- AQUINAS—1st Innings, 253. Waltham, 89; Prindiville, 40; Smith, 40. (Tytherleigh, 4/44; Muggleton, 3/63; Leach, 1/27.)

#### C.C.G.S. v. SCOTCH

In this, the last match of the series, played at Christ Church, Scotch won the toss and elected to bat.

Their first innings score of 197 was a good one, the highest scoring batsmen being McKinnon (56) and Robertson (30).

Christ Church began its first innings after tea, and excellent batting by Muggleton (53) and Leach (33) took the score to 4/120 at lunch.

After the lunch interval, Scotch bowlers were soon on top and Christ Church were all out for 141.

In Scotch's second innings, wickets fell quickly. Campbell and Muggleton being in fine form, took five wickets each and had Scotch all out for 59.

Just prior to the close of this innings rain began to fall and play was twice interrupted.

Campbell and Annear opened for Christ Church in their second innings, and scored 14 runs in eight minutes before rain caused the match to be abandoned, thus giving Scotch a win on the first innings.

- SCOTCH—1st Innings, 197. Mackinnon, 56; Robertson, 30. (Leach, 3/47; Muggleton, 2/47; Grove, 1/8.)
  - 2nd Innings, 59. Mackinnon, 11; Fairclough, 17. (Campbell, 5/39; Muggleton, 5/20.)
- C.C.G.S.—1st Innings, 141. Muggleton, 53; Leach, 33. (Brayshaw, 6/50; Ramage, 2/23.)
  - 2nd Innings, 0/14. Campbell, n.o. 6; Annear, n.o. 8.

# **UNDER 15 CRICKET**

The season for the Under 15 Cricketers was not a very successful one, as they lost two of the four matches and won only one. Though there is potential among these players they were rather an unsettled

group and the leadership lacked both strength of purpose and determination to win. It is without doubt a difficult age for the boys, but I believe that with greater concentration and more effort they would have done a great deal better. The batting and bowling reached a fair standard but the fielding, particularly the catching, was poor. Lost catches invariably mean lost matches; and this certainly proved to be the case this season. I hope a more serious attitude towards the game develops next year, and that practices will be attended more regularly.

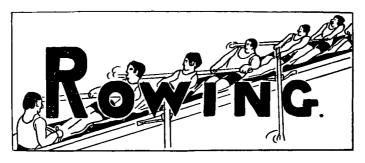
#### Match Results

v. Wesley, at Wesley.
Wesley, 88 (Johnson 29, Lewis 3 for 10).
C.C.G.S. 52 for 6 unfinished. (Bell 23).
Match drawn.

v. Guildford Grammar, at Guildford. C.C.G.S. 61 for 5 wkts. (Bell 19, Williams 15). G.G.S. 49. (Lewis 4 for 8). Time match. C.C.G.S. won.

v. Aquinas College, at Aquinas. A.C. 34 (Repacholi 15, Lewis 4 for 10). C.C.G.S. 32 (Hinckley 5 for 9, Paterson 4 for 5). Aquinas won.

v. Scotch College, at Scotch. S.C. 81 (Sprigg 16, Hudson 13). C.C.G.S. 54 (McWilliam 4 for 28). Scotch won.



Captain of Boats: G. W. Samson Vice-Captain: D. Smallwood Committee Member: N. P. Sudlow

The season started very well with an enthusiasm to better last year's performances, and retain the "Head of the River".

This was evident in the preparing of the boats for the season and the keen competition for crew selection.

The donation of the outboard motor (and speedboat "Betty May") by the Parents and Old Boys' Associations proved invaluable in the training of the crews. The 1st and 2nd VIII's were again in the competent hands of Mr. Fraser and Mr. Thody, while the 1st and 2nd IV's were again coached by Mr. Mackenzie.

Mr. Allen coached the reserve four and gave the initial training of the Juniors.

Credit must be given to the Reserve IV for their steady training throughout the season.

At the commencement of the season, with the return of two members of last year's 1st VIII, the complement was soon built up to strength. The crew comprised Arnold Drok, David Smallwood, Max Gordon, John Mills, Robert Williams, Ainsley Steadman, Gary Samson, Bill Moran and John Sherwood. The crew then remained unchanged throughout the arduous months of training and was fortunate in having a season free from illness.

The selection of the 2nd VIII was finalised after the Wesley Regatta. They were a fine crew, improved tremendously through the season, and proved strong competition for the 1st VIII at all times.

After the selection of the two VIII's, the 1st and 2nd IV's were formed. They trained hard and were constant rivals to each other.

Throughout the season the boatshed functioned smoothly and efficiently under the supervision of Mr. Rucks and Mr. Lance.

The "Head of the River" was held in conjunction with the Australian Rowing Championships on the Swan River on April 18th.

The presentation was made by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Charles Gairdner. Arnold Drok was presented with the Headmaster's Cup on behalf of the Christ Church crew.

Indeed it was a successful day for Christ Church, with four victories from five events. The two Eights, the 1st Four and the Old Boys were victorious, while the second Four was narrowly beaten into second place by Guildford.

The Rowing celebrations were topped off with a successful Rowers' Dance.

The Rowing Club recently acquired the former King's Cup New South Wales racing shell. It already has an impressive record with one King's Cup victory, and those who have rowed in it are very pleased with its performance.

The Rowing Club wish Mr. Thody as much success in his new position in Brisbane as he had with the School rowing team. With Mr. Fraser he built a very proud tradition in Christ Church rowing. He coached the first 2nd VIII which gained 3rd place in 1957. Then again, he coached the 2nd VIII in 1958 and 1959 and gained a double victory and almost a record in 1959.

Mr. Thody will always be remembered by the Christ Church Rowing Club for his friendliness and the hard work and time he put into its formation.

-- G. S.

#### **CREWS**

Head of the River.—Bow, W. Moran, 10.1; 2, G. Samson, 11.2; 3, T. Steadman, 13.2; 4, R. Williams, 11.2; 5, J. Miall, 14.4; 6. M. Gordon, 13.6; 7, D. Smallwood, 11.4; Stroke, A. Drok, 10.12; Cox, J. Sherwood.

Coach: Mr. D. H. Fraser. Av. wt., 11 st. 131 lbs.

Second Eight: Bow, A. Lefroy, 10.0; 2, M. Lloyd, 10.10; 3, G. King, 11.3; 4, R. Scott, 12.3; 5, J. Quirk, 11.10; 6, P. Browne-Cooper, 9.12; 7, J. Brazier, 11.9; Stroke, N. Sudlow, 10.7; Cox, T. Hollingsworth.

Coach: Mr. J. Thodey. Av. wt., 11st.

First Four: Bow, R. Russell, 9.7; 2, I. Fry, 10.2; 3, D. Oakley, 12.3; Stroke, D. Giles, 10.8; Cox, R. Sassella.

Coach: Mr. T. McKenzie. Av. wt., 10 st. 81 lbs.

Second Four: Bow, A. Broadhurst, 9.2; 2, W. Way-cott, 9.1; 3, R. Laney, 10.7; Stroke, D. Johnston, 11.10; Cox, R. Doubikin.

Coach: Mr. J. Allen. Av. wt., 10 st. 11 lb.

Old Boys: Bow, P. Brazier; 2, J. M. Martin; 3, J. Fitzhardinge; 4, C. A. Edwards; 5, J. S. Airey; 6, R. Argyle; 7, R. J. Patterson; Stroke, D. Evans.

### HEAD OF THE RIVER

Ideal rowing conditions, fit crews, and good coaching were responsible for Christ Church's most successful day of rowing. As against last year, where the first eight crew was one of the lightest in the race, Christ Church this year raced the heaviest crew in the schoolboy events.

Guildford, one of the favourites, moved away rapidly to lead at the start, followed by Christ Church in second place.

By the quarter-mile Aquinas had drawn a few feet out in front of Christ Church. Passing the half-mile, only one and a half lengths separated all the boats, but Hale and Wesley were weakening. Stroking strongly with long strokes, Christ Church drew level to Aquinas, while Scotch moved up on the outside. The order at this stage being: Christ Church and Aquinas level, Guildford challenging Scotch for third place, followed by Wesley and Hale.

As the crews approached the three-quarter mile, the lead shared by Aquinas and Christ Church changed hands each time the cox called on his crew.

On passing the three-quarter, Aquinas lifted their rating to take a slight lead over Christ Church but, on being challenged, tried raising their rating again, but unfortunately for them it had an adverse effect and enabled Christ Church to draw level by counteracting the higher rating by long leg driven strokes. Each boat alternately took the lead when called upon.

So it went on, until with only thirty yards to go Christ Church found that little bit of extra strength. Slowly they drew ahead of the fast moving Aquinas boat to win by a canvas, followed by Scotch, two and three-quarter lengths behind, Hale six feet back in fourth place, Guildford half a length back, and two lengths to Wesley. Time: 5 minutes 12 seconds.

#### Second Eight

Rowing extremely well, the second eight scored Christ Church's first victory in winning by two lengths.

As the gun sounded they moved rapidly into the lead, and soon were ahead by one length from Hale, Wesley and Aquinas in that order. Scotch and Guildford put more determination into their rowing, and forced themselves into second and third places respectively, with Aquinas dropping back a little to fourth place, followed by Hale and Wesley who had eased off considerably.

Passing the half-way of the three-quarter mile course, Christ Church, stroking powerfully and cleanly, were leading now by one and a half lengths. On passing the Brewery steps they broke into a sprint and increased their lead to two lengths from Guildford, Scotch, which had dropped back to third place, Hale, Aquinas and Wesley.

It became certain that Christ Church would win that race when the other boats started sprinting and Christ Church kept two lengths ahead. Christ Church won by two lengths from Guildford, with a canvas to Scotch, a canvas to Hale, half a length to Aquinas in fifth place, and a length to Wesley; the last five boats finishing within one and three-quarter lengths of each other. The race was rowed in equal record time of 3 minutes 55 seconds.

#### First Four

The Christ Church crew got away to a good start. At the halfway they were leading Hale, Guildford, Aquinas, Scotch and Wesley. Here the order of placings varied with the exception of the Christ Church boat which stayed out in front all the way. Guildford put in an extra effort to draw into second place, followed by Hale, Aquinas, Scotch, then Wesley. The Wesley boys put in a good spurt to take them into second position with Aquinas, Hale, Guildford and Scotch behind them in that order. The Christ Church crew finished ahead of Guildford by one and a quarter lengths, with one and a half lengths to Aquinas (third), a canvas to Hale (fourth), and three feet to Scotch, then Wesley in sixth place.

#### Second Fours

Guildford moved away to an excellent start to lead Aquinas, Scotch, Hale Christ Church and Wesley. At the end of the first half-mile, the order was the same, but Christ Church and Wesley had dropped back to the rear together. By the half-way, Guildford was still leading, but Christ Church had moved up into second place, followed by Scotch, Aquinas fading, Hale and Wesley. Guildford increased their lead to one length from Christ Church with Scotch, Hale, Aguinas and Wesley well in the race. About the 680-yard mark, Scotch moved up to draw level with Guildford while the order of the other boats had changed to Christ Church in third position, Wesley, Aquinas, and Hale last. With 150 yards to go, Guildford pulled out to lead once more, and finish half a length in front of Christ Church and half a length to Scotch (third), 12 lengths to Wesley, with Aquinas and Hale dead-heating in last place.

#### INTER-HOUSE ROWING

The Inter-House rowing was held on a cold, cloudy, windy day, with the crews racing in fours and tubs. The course started out towards the middle of the river and came into shore to finish in front of the boat shed.

The races were run in heats with only two boats being able to compete at once. Because of the addition of the new house, Wolsey, six heats were needed to decide the winner of each group, the tubs and the fours.

The first heat had to be postponed to the second race when one of the boys in Queenslea's four broke an oar.

After leading all the way, the Wolsey tub beat the Romsey crew.

Queenslea moved away to head Romsey in their fours' race. At the half-way Romsey had pulled up to lead by a canvas, but could not hold their lead and were beaten into second place by a canvas.

Queenslea had another victory over Romsey in the tubs, in beating them this time by three lengths.

The fours race with Craigie and Wolsey was the closest of the day with Wolsey just getting home first.

Wolsey beat the Craigie tub by three-quarters of a length.

Wolsey was again successful with its race against Romsey's four and won comfortably by three lengths.

In their tub race against Romsey, Craigie won by one and a half lengths.

Craigie were also successful in the fours race against Romsey, and beat them by three lengths.

The Queenslea tub beat Wolsey by three-quarters of a length, but Wolsey beat them in the fours event by a length.

At this stage of the day, the progressive point scores were: Wolsey, 19; Quenslea, 12; Craigie, 10; and Romsey, 9.

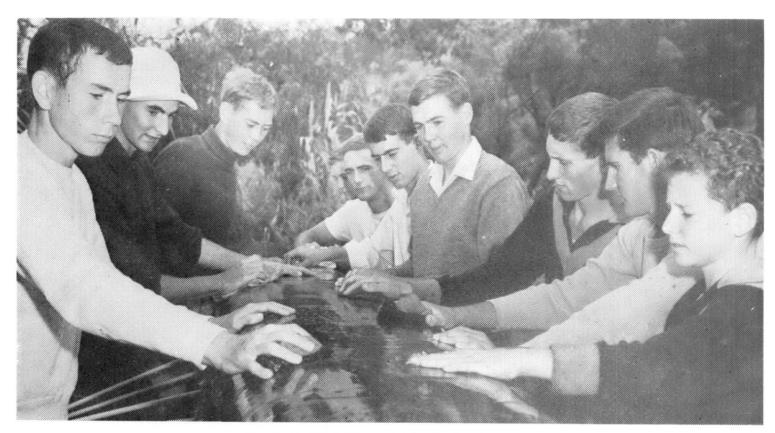
In a fast finish the Craigie tub just beat the Wolsey crew by six feet.

The final race of the day saw victory for the Queenslea four which beat Craigie by a length.

The final scores were: Wolsey, 19, first; Queenslea, 17, second; Craigie, 15, third; and Romsey, 9, fourth.

#### HALE REGATTA

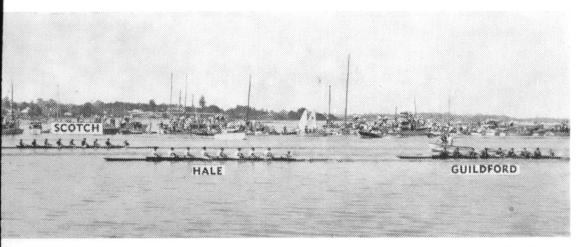
The races were held over a distance of threequarters of a mile, starting opposite the Crawley Tearooms and finishing near the Hale boatshed. Christ Church was represented by her first eight and four, who registered fourth and first placings respectively.



Preparing the "W, J. McLemens" before the day of the race. ("The West Australian")







OF THE RIVER"

- The "Sunday Times"



Above: The 1st VIII just after winning "The Head of the River".

Left: D. Oakley (right) winning the 2nd. Division of the open 100 yards at "The Inters",

(The "Sunday Times")
(The "Sunday Times")



P. Atkinson running in the Cross-Country (State Schoolboys' Championship).

(The "West Australian")

The Christ Church first eight moved away rapidly at the start to take a lead of one and a half lengths from Guildford, and were rowing powerfully when trouble struck. One of the crew slipped off his slide, allowing Guildford, Scotch and Hale the initiative, who beat them across the line in that order with Wesley fifth and Aquinas sixth.

The first four, determined to avenge the mishap, rowed promisingly to develop a half-way lead of one and a half lengths from Hale. Nearing the finish Christ Church still maintained her lead, though Guildford had displaced Hale. These placings remained to the finish with the victors an easy half length from Guildford, Aquinas taking fourth berth, Scotch fifth and Wesley sixth.

#### WESLEY REGATTA

The meeting was held on a calm morning ideal for rowing. The races started near the Narrows Bridge and finished opposite the Barrack Street Jetty. Christ Church was represented by her second eight and second four, who recorded a first and last respectively.

The Christ Church second eight, rowing in the first's shell, made good time over the distance to win by a canvas from Guildford, with Hale third, Scotch fourth, Aquinas fifth and Wesley last. Excitement was maintained throughout the race as no boat lagged at any stage.

The second four, rowing in the first four's shell, experienced bad luck within fifty yards of the start when they snapped a roller, which virtually put them out of the race.

Aquinas moved up early to take the lead from Hale and, from then on, never looked in trouble. Scotch and Wesley fought strongly for third place a length and a half behind Hale with Wesley the ultimate victor. Guildford followed Scotch in fifth place and a hampered Christ Church brought up the rear.



#### P.S.A. FOOTBALL

Captain: J. C. Muir Vice-Captain: J. Maddams

# First Round

CHRIST CHURCH v. SCOTCH Lost 24 - 12 to 5 - 6

The first Alcock Cup match was played against Scotch College on the Scotch Memorial Oval.

Right from the first centre bounce the Scotch team went into attack. They exhibited outstanding speed and tactics and so completely dominated play that at the end of the first quarter, while Christ Church had not scored, Scotch had a total of 49 points on the board.

In the second quarter Christ Church was kicking with the wind and went ahead to score two goals and one behind. Scotch increased their lead by 39 points in this quarter.

The third quarter saw Christ Church playing

harder. However Scotch continued to play as a fast and closely co-ordinated team and made scoring difficult for us. The ball continually passed up along our right hand flank to the forward line, but here the powerful Scotch backs would take control and send it scuttling back to the centre line. Then, with seconds before the siren the ball passed from McManus to Beresford to our forward line and we scored for the second time in the quarter.

Christ Church opened the fourth quarter with a surprise attack and within the first thirty seconds of play had scored. The Christ Church men were playing their best football of the match and seemed determined to equal the aggressive tactics of Scotch College. Within the first five minutes of the quarter Christ Church had more than doubled its total score for the first three quarters of the game.

There were flashes of good teamwork such as when the ball passed from Machar to Muir to Grove to the forward line and Stevens kicked a goal. However, the Christ Church attack had come far too late and Scotch easily won the match 24 - 12 to 5 - 6.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds		Pts.	Scores:
1st quarter:	Scotch Christ Church	8	1	:	49	1st qua
2nd quarter:	Scotch Christ Church	14 2	4 1	-	88 13	2nd qu
3rd quarter:	Scotch Christ Church	19 2	10 3	:	124 15	3rd qua
4th quarter:	Scotch Christ Church	24 5	12 6		156 36	4th qua

Goalscorers: Wilkins. 2: Annear. 1: Grove. 1: Stevens, 1.

Best: J. Maddams, J. McManus, J. Tytherleigh, G. Walsh, K. Machar, B. Williams.

# CHRIST CHURCH v. WESLEY

(Played at Home)

Won: 12 - 12 to 8 - 7

Wesley opened well and soon scored a goal. However, the Christ Church defence improved and for some time neither team was able to make any headway. Then Annear managed to break through the Wesley backline and score the first goal for Christ Church.

The teams were evenly matched, but at quarter time Christ Church had a slight lead over Wesley.

The second quarter was Christ Church's best. and Wesley were left standing.

Jon Tytherleigh was unlucky to miss a goal early in the quarter. But then Christ Church went into attack and some exciting football followed. The Christ Church kicking was accurate and the goals mounted up.

Our defence, especially our backline with Cooper, Cann and Maddams, was also strong and Wesley only managed to score one point in the whole quarter.

After half-time Wesley's defence improved. This fact, coupled with a lessening in our kicking accuracy, meant that for a long time nothing significant was added to our score. Then, with two minutes to the siren, Roy Annear had a long kick from the left flank and scored our first goal for the quarter. After this the Wesley defence was opened up and G. Walsh repeated Annear's performance.

At three-quarter time Christ Church was 7 goals and one point ahead of Wesley.

However, in the last quarter the Christ Church game deteriorated and Wesley, with good teamwork and accurate kicking, was able to greatly reduce our winning margin to 4 goals 5 behinds.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds	<b>i</b> .	Pts.
1st quarter:	Wesley Christ Church	2 3	1 0	:	13 18
2nd quarter:	Wesley Christ Church	2 9	2 1	:	14 55
3rd quarter:	Wesley Christ Church	4 11	5 6	:	29 72
4th quarter:	Wesley Christ Church	8 12	: 11	:	53 83

Goalscorers: Annear, 5; G. Walsh, 3; Wilkins, 1; Beresford, 1: Stevens, 1: Grove, 1.

Best: Maddams, Walsh, Muir, Muggleton, Annear, Culley. E.

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# CHRIST CHURCH v. GUILDFORD

#### Played at Home

Conditions for the Guildford match were, as per usual, poor. Heavy rain fell during the game and there was a strong wing blowing diagonally across the field.

Christ Church opened well and attached immediately. However, the Guildford backline was strong and it was some time before McManus was able to break through and score Christ Church's first goal. Soon after this Guildford took control of the ball. There was some rugged play in the goalmouth as the Christ Church backs tried to prevent Guildford from scoring, but the ball was soccered through for a goal.

The wet conditions during the second quarter caused much scrambly play and the ball was dropped a lot. However, in spite of the slippery nature of the ball, Kent Machar took and held a few marks while on the run.

By half time Christ Church was leading Guildford 6 - 1 to 5 - 2.

Guildford showed more determination after the break and within the first half minute of the quarter had scored. Christ Church retaliated at the next centre bounce and the ball passed up to Beresford in the pocket, who put it through the Another quick goal for Christ centre posts. Church, this time by Grove, followed.

Then both teams improved their defence and the ball see-sawed from one end of the ground to the other. Much later in the quarter, Christ Church again penetrated the Guildford backline and added a further two goals to their score.

In the final quarter the Christ Church teams adopted purely defensive tactics. They kept to their men and backed up well, so preventing Guildford getting the ball forward. Guildford was kicking with the wind. But the Christ Church backs turned this apparent advantage against Guildford by preventing them from shooting for goals from the left hand pocket. This meant that Guildford could only kick into the wind when

trying for goals and consequently their accuracy suffered.

The final scores showed a victory for Christ Church: 10-6 to 5-10.

cores:		Goals	Bhds.	Pts.
1st quarter:	Christ Church	4	1 :	25
•	Guildford	4	2 :	26
2nd quarter:	Christ Church	6	1:	37
-	Guildford	5	2 :	32
3rd quarter:	Christ Church	10	4 :	64
-	Guildford	5	6 :	36
4th quarter:	Christ Church	10	6 :	66
-	Guildford	5	10 :	40
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Goalscorers: Annear, 2; Beresford, 2; Walsh, 2; McManus, 1; Tytherleigh, 1; Wilkins, 1; Grove,

Best: Maddams, Walsh, G., Grove, Muir, Muggleton, McManus.

#### CHRIST CHURCH v. AQUINAS

#### Played at Aquinas

The Aquinas match was a decisive one in that Christ Church and Aquinas were equal second in the Alcock Cup competition and a defeat would mean going down to third place.

The Aquinas ruckman went up high and easily won the knock at the first centre bounce. However, the ball went straight to the hands of the waiting Christ Church rover who kicked it forward and Christ Church was first to score. Aquinas retaliated with a goal. Then Christ Church forced the ball forward and Annear marked it in the pocket. He kicked it across the goals to P. Walsh who put it through for a full-pointer.

At quarter time Aquinas was just two points ahead of Christ Church.

In the next quarter the Aquinas men seemed determined to keep the ball forward. However, they met with some strong opposition from the Christ Church backs who defended well. Aquinas continued to play hard football, but Christ Church fought back with Muggleton and G. Walsh providing plenty of drive. Consequently, at half time there was still little difference between the scores. Aquinas was winning by three points: 6-7 to 6-4.

After the half time interval the Christ Church game deteriorated. Aquinas was playing fast, intelligent football, and so constantly beat Christ Church to the ball and kept it in their forward area. For most of the quarter Aquinas dominated the play but for a brief period Christ Church regained control and forced the ball down the field to Annear who goaled.

In the final quarter, Aquinas maintained the pressure and scored freely. However, their kicking was inaccurate and many points, which should have been goals, resulted. Much of this inaccuracy can be attributed to the work of the Christ Church backs, especially Cann and Cooper, who thwarted many of Aquinas' moves to score.

The final scores showed an impressive victory for Aquinas: 18-18 to 7-4.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds.		Pts.
1st quarter:	Christ Church	2	2	:	14
	Aquinas	2	4	:	16
2nd quarter:	Christ Church	6	4	:	40
<del>-</del>	Aquinas	6	7	:	43
3rd quarter:	Christ Church	7	4	:	46
<del>-</del>	Aquinas	12	10	•	82
4th quarter:	Christ Church	7	4	:	46
<del>-</del>	Aquinas	18	18	:	126

Best: P. Walsh, Cann, G. Walsh, Muggleton, Grove, Cooper.

Goalscorers: Annear, 2; P. Walsh, Wilkins, Muggleton, G. Walsh.

### CHRIST CHURCH v. HALE Played at Christ Church

Conditions for this, the final match in the first round, were fine although there was a slight breeze blowing.

Hale went into attack early but were repulsed by Christ Church and Wilkins scored our first goal. A second goal by G. Walsh soon followed. Christ Church was playing well, and had command of the ball for most of the first quarter. On those occasions when they took the initiative, Hale found it difficult to penetrate the Christ Church halfback line where Meecham reigned supreme.

The second quarter was easily Christ Church's best. The team dominated the play and forty-seven points were added to the score, bringing it to a total of 11 goals 11 behinds at half time.

However, in the next quarter Hale drove the ball up to their full-forward, who goaled. Christ Church immediately attempted to regain control of the game but were unable to do so and Hale scored another two goals in quick succession. This was the pattern of play for the remainder of the play and by three-quarter time Hale had added an impressive 8 goals 2 behinds to their score.

Christ Church came onto the field in the final quarter knowing that hard, intelligent football was necessary if they were to win the match. The defence tightened up and Hale was prevented from penetrating further. There was more drive and better co-ordination between the centre and forward lines.

Slowly Christ Church increased their winning margin to a final total of 16-15 compared to Hale's 11-10.

Scores:			Goals	Bhds.		Pts.
1st quarter:	Christ	Church	4	6	:	30
<del>-</del>	Hale		1	4	:	10
2nd quarter:	Christ	Church	11	11	:	77
	Hale		2	7	:	19
3rd quarter:	Christ	Church	12	13	:	85
	Hale		10	9	:	69
4th quarter:	Christ	Church	16	15	:	111
_	Hale		11	10	:	76

Best: G. Walsh, P. Walsh, Grove, Meecham, Muir, Cooper.

Goalscorers: G. Walsh, 8; Annear, 2; Wilkins, 2; Grove. 4.

#### Second Round

# CHRIST CHURCH v. SCOTCH Played at Home

The second Scotch match was a much more successful defeat from Christ Church's point of view than was the first. In the first match Scotch defeated Christ Church 24-12 to 5-6, whereas in the second match, as a result of much improved football, our score rose to 12-10 while Scotch's was reduced by five goals.

Early in the first quarter the efficient Scotch

Early in the first quarter the efficient Scotch defence prevented Christ Church scoring. Instead the ball was driven out of our forward area and Scotch soon goaled. This was typical of play throughout the quarter. Scotch was exhibiting superior teamwork and better marking ability than Christ Church and consequently was able to score

more freely.

Christ Church play improved in the second quarter and had soon goaled. Later Tony Grove tried a long distance shot for the centre posts but, unluckily, the ball was touched and only a point resulted. Bad luck such as this and inaccurate kicking meant that although Christ Church had the same number of scoring shots as Scotch, our increase in score was not as large as theirs. The football throughout the quarter was fast with both teams becoming increasingly aggressive and some hard knocks were taken towards the end.

Scotch's attempts to score were often frustrated and their kicking became highly inaccurate in the third quarter, thanks to the solid defence provided by Christ Church's fullback Meecham with Maddams and Cooper. Together these three deflected many would-be goals into the behind posts and, especially Meecham with his high marking, often

prevented Scotch from scoring at all.

The Christ Church team played its best football in the final quarter. Not only was the defence good, but the offensive tactics of the team meant that Christ Church was now scoring at a faster rate than Scotch. Scotch attempted to score early in the quarter but the ball was soon driven back to the centre line and from there to the Christ Church forward area. Williams marked in the goalmouth and scored an easy six points. Annear and Tytherleigh both goaled soon after so that by the end of the quarter Christ Church had added a further 34 points to their score, so reducing Scotch's winning margin to 7-4.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds	s.	Pts.
1st quarter:	Scotch	6	2	:	38
•	Christ Church	2	1	:	13
2nd quarter:	Scotch	12	4	:	76
-	Christ Church	6	5	:	41
3rd quarter:	Scotch	16	14	:	110
•	Christ Church	7	6	:	48
4th quarter:	Scotch	19	16	:	130
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Christ Church	12	10	:	72

Best players: Meecham, Maddams, Cooper, Mc-Manus, Muggleton, Annear.

Goalscorers: Annear, 3; G. Walsh, 2; T. Grove, 2; Leach, 2; Wilkins, 1; Tytherleigh, 1; Machar, 1.

# CHRIST CHURCH v. WESLEY Played at Wesley

Christ Church, kicking with the breeze, went into attack early in the first quarter. However, Wesley's backs were determined to prevent a score being made and scrambly play followed. Leach was unlucky to miss a goal from a free kick, but then Grove scored a full pointer for Christ Church. Schultz and MacDonald retaliated for Wesley. Throughout the quarter the teams were evenly matched, but at the end Christ Church had established a two goal lead.

Wesley played as a fast, well co-ordinated team in the second quarter and surprised the Christ Church men with the determination shown in their attack. Early in the quarter Christ Church missed two goals through inaccurate kicking but then Annear goaled from the flank. Following this the play was scrambly and Wesley scored three goals in quick succession. The game centred around the Wesley forward line for the remainder

of the quarter.

Meecham won the ruck for Christ Church at the beginning of the third quarter. The ball was knocked straight into McManus' waiting hands and within seconds Christ Church had goaled. From this good opening Christ Church went on to overtake Wesley and score a total of 7 goals six behinds in the quarter. Wesley continued to play well as a team but found it difficult to penetrate the Christ Church defence.

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The play became rough with scrambles frequently occurring, and Christ Church had to battle every inch of the way to get the ball forward. Late in the term the game opened up and Wilkins came through to score two goals in quick succession, so giving Christ Church a 12-point lead over

Wesley.

However, in the fourth quarter, Wesley came hard into attack and within the first two minutes had evened the scores. Then Schultz goaled, giving Wesley a six-point lead. After the next centre bounce the ball again headed for the Wesley forward line but Meecham took a high mark and drove it back down the field. Christ Church attempted to score, but because of inaccurate kicking, only points resulted. Wesley now had an eighteen-point lead and the match was drawing to a close. Then, with seconds to spare, G. Walsh goaled and Annear scored a point. Hence the final scores gave Wesley a victory by 11 points: 17-13 to 15-14.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds.	Pts.
1st quarter:	Christ Church	4	2	: 26
-	Wesley	2	1	: 13
2nd quarter:	Christ Church	7	3	: 45
	Wesley	8	7	: 55
3rd quarter:	Christ Church	14	9	: 93
	Wesley	12	9	: 81
4th quarter:	Christ Church	15	14	: 104
	Wesley	17	13	: 115

Best players: McManus, Maddams, Annear, Meecham, G. Walsh, Grove.

Goalscorers: Annear, 5; Grove, 3; Leach, 2; Walsh, 2; Wilkins, 2; Beresford, 1.

# CHRIST CHURCH v. GUILDFORD Played at Guildford

The weather for the second Guildford match was fine.

It was unfortunate for Christ Church that McManus and Meecham, two of the best players of the previous week's match, were unable to play.

The play in the first quarter was typical of that throughout the game. The teams were evenly matched and had strong backlines and so each found it difficult to make any headway against the other. They were well co-ordinated and the play was quite fast. Christ Church was first to score with a point. Soon afterwards Guildford forced the ball forward and two points resulted. Halfway through the quarter after a hard battle and some good marking, Guildford scored the first goal. Their teamwork was good and a second followed soon after. Much later, Wilkins marked a ball from Muir and kicked Christ Church's first goal. At quarter time Guildford had a lead of one goal: 2-3 to 1-3.

In the second quarter the ball was often in the Christ Church forward area, but time after time Guildford fullback Rumble marked it in the goalmouth and repulsed the attack. Guildford was employing clever handball and kept the game moving quickly. They added 4-3 to their score in this term, but found the opposition in the Christ Church backline difficult to overcome.

After half time Guildford went straight into attack. However, Maddams in the backline was able to convert defence into Christ Church attack with his long driving kicks down the field. In the centre P. Walsh, Muggleton and the Culleys provided most of Christ Church's initiative, forcing the ball forward when posible. Towards the end of the quarter Guildford began to break through the strained Christ Church defences and score more freely.

In the final quarter the play became rough and scrambly. The teams were still evenly matched and had five scoring shots. Christ Church attacks were often thwarted by the powerful Guildford backline combination of Meadows, Paton and Rumble. Guildford, still employing clever handball, went on to add 2 goals 3 behinds to their score, so giving them a final score of 13-12 to Christ Church's 7-10.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds		Pts.
1st quarter:	Guildford	2	3	:	15
_	Christ Church	1	3	:	9
2nd quarter:	Guildford	6	5	:	41
	Christ Church	4	3	:	27
3rd quarter:	Guildford	11	9	:	75
	Christ Church	7	5	:	47
4th quarter:	Guildford	13	12	:	90
•	Christ Church	7	10	:	52

Best players: Maddams, Muggleton, P. Walsh, Grove, Culley, Annear.

Goalscorers: Leach, 3; Annear, 2; Grove, 1; Walsh, 1.

#### CHRIST CHURCH v. AQUINAS

Aquinas won the ruck at the opening centre bounce and soon had the ball in their forward line. However, they could not break through the Christ Church defence and the play became scrambly. Kennedy attempted to goal but the ball was driven back down the field. Later, Mc-Cleman came through and goaled from the left hand pocket. The play developed into a battle of the backlines and the ball zig-zagged from one end of the field to the other. Christ Church was prevented from scoring at all during the term and it was late in the quarter when Waltham kicked a second goal for Aquinas.

In the second term Aquinas attacked early but were immediately repulsed. The ball was driven to the Christ Church forward line where, after a hard struggle and much scrambly play, John Garrett goaled. Soon afterwards Tytherleigh attempted a long shot from well back on the right hand flank but unfortunately Aquinas held the ball in the goalmouth. Then Kent Machar goaled and Tytherleigh took another and this time successful shot for the centre posts. The Aquinas play, though good, was marred by inaccurate kicking and by half time they had 10 behinds on the board.

After the break the play once again developed into a battle of the back-lines and the ball seesawed back and forth for some time. Then Waye goaled from the half-forward line for Aquinas. Christ Church quickly retaliated and the ball went straight down the flank to Leach who goaled. However, in the middle of the quarter the determination of the Christ Church team waned and Aquinas began to score more freely. At three-quarter time the scoreboard read 9-15 to 5-1 in Aquinas' favour.

Christ Church regained their spirit in the final term. The ball was forced forward. However, the Aquinas backline stood firm and scrambly play followed. Then Aquinas was given a free kick but luckily Garrett marked the ball and handpassed it to Wilkins who goaled. The Aquinas attacks were continually repelled and twice was the defence of Maddams, Cooper and Cann penetrated.

The match was hard fought throughout and the final scores gave victory to Aquinas: 10-16 to 7-3.

Best players: Maddams, Machar, Cooper, Grove, Tytherleigh, Wilkins.

Goalscorers: Garrett, 2; Leach, 1; Machar, 1; Tytherleigh, 1; Walsh, G., 1; Wilkins, 1.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds.		Pts.	
1st quarter:	Christ Church					
-	Aquinas	3	6	:	24	
2nd quarter:	Christ Church	4		:	24	
_	Aquinas	6	10	:	46	
3rd quarter:	Christ Church	5	1	:	31	
=	Aquinas	9	15	:	69	
4th quarter:	Christ Church	7	3	:	45	
-	Aquinas	10	16	:	76	

#### CHRIST CHURCH v. HALE

#### Played at Subiaco Oval

The last Cup match was played at Subiaco Oval against Hale School.

Christ Church won the toss and kicked with the breeze but lacked penetration and did not score until late in the quarter. The Hale forwards on the other hand forced their way into the goals. Fortunately, as far as Christ Church is concerned, their kicking was inaccurate and only one goal and several points resulted. Late in the term Wilkins sneaked a goal for Christ Church and then the game opened up, so that by quarter time Christ Church was three points ahead of Hale.

After the opening centre bounce of the second quarter Muir drove the ball forward and put the team into attack. Muir, with Machar and P. Walsh, continued to play in this style for the rest of the match, giving strong support to the forward line from the centre of the field. The Christ Church backline was also strong and Cann and Cooper managed to convert defence into attack on many occasions. Near the end of the quarter Hardie goaled for Hale, so reducing their deficit to four points.

A feature of the play in the third quarter was the effective use of handball which, with accurate kicking and marking, made this easily the best football of the match. Christ Church was constantly in attack, although the Hale fullback, Taylor, blocked many of our attempts to score.

In the final quarter play continued to be hard and spirited, with both teams finding it difficult to penetrate and score. Then Eastman goaled from the half-forward line for Hale. This boosted the Hale morale and after a long battle they goaled again. A few seconds later the ball was back in the Hale forward area. There was a scuffle as Christ Church struggled to defend the goals, but the Hale men, using clever handball, soon had the ball clear and yet another goal resulted. However, the final tallies showed a victory for Christ Church.

Scores:		Goals	Bhds.	Pts.
1st quarter:	Hale Christ Church	1 2	4 :	
2nd quarter:	Hale Christ Church	3 4	5 : 3 :	23 27
3rd quarter:	Hale Christ Church	3 7	5 : 6 :	
4th quarter:	Hale Christ Church			

Goalscorers: Grove, 2; Leach, Garrett, Wilkins, Walsh, Walsh.

Best: P. Walsh, Muir, Machar.

#### Second XVIII

Captain: N. Sudlow V.-Capt.: D. Smallwood

The Second XVIII can be congratulated on a good effort. With a regular training list of only 18, boosted occasionally by members of the 1st XVIII list, the team was not able to field reserves for its matches. Quite often, because of casualties in the 1st XVIII, the 2nd team could only muster 17 players. However, they won three out of the ten matches played, even though the team was rather below the standard of past years in both size and ability. Congratulations to those smaller members of the team who often showed the others how to handle difficult opponents.

We want to thank Dr. Ferres for coaching us so well.

#### Results

June 3rd: Lost to Scotch, 2 - 4 to 15 - 15.

June 10th: Lost to Wesley, 8 - 15 to 8 - 22.

June 17th: Beat Guildford, 5 - 15 to 3 - 9.

June 24th: Lost to Aquinas, 2 - 3 to 9 - 21.

July 15t: Lost to Hale, 6 - 15 to 12 - 15.

July 15th: Lost to Scotch, 5 - 8 to 12 - 22.

July 22nd: Lost to Wesley, 5 - 1 to 10 - 9.

July 29th: Beat Guildford, 5 - 11 to 6 - 3.

Aug. 5th: Lost to Aquinas, 2 - 10 to 18 - 16.

Aug. 12th: Beat Hale, 9 - 5 to 5 - 3.

### THE UNDER 16 "A" XVIII

This year was the first time we have had an under 16 team for some years. Although the team was successful in only three matches our coach, Mr. Allen, never relaxed his efforts. The boys showed ability in many of the games but due to lack of team work we lost too many opportunities.

Towards the end of the season considerable improvement was shown and on many occasions we outscored the opposition in the final quarter. This was so in our final games against Scotch and Hale when we outscored both teams in the last half. Several matches were lost due to ineffective kicking for goals, especially the return match against Aquinas, who beat us 10-3 to 6-8 although we had most of the play.

D. J. H.

# THE UNDER 16 "B" XVIII

The Under 16 "B" football team (captain, J. Brazier) proved themselves the most successful of the Senior School teams.

Though hindered by a bad start, and lacking cohesive teamwork at first, the team recovered to win two games in the first round and three in the second.

The following regular players proved their ability and consistency on the field: Mackie, Colley, Brazier, Waring, Boland. However, the whole team contributed to their success.

We thank Mr. Jones, our coach, for binding the under 16 "B" footballers into a spirited Christ Church team.

#### Under 13 Football Team

This season the under thirteen football team won two out of five matches in the first and second rounds. In the first round they defeated Guildford 7 g. 5 b. to nil, and Scotch College 4 g. 3 b. to 2 g. 6 b.

In the second round they defeated Guildford again, 5 g. 10 b. to nil, and Hale School 7 g. 10 b. to 3 g. 6 b.

Wesley and Aquinas Colleges proved tough opponents and our under thirteens were defeated both times by each school.

Consistency and keenness were shown at practice throughout the season. However, the keenness seemed to fade when it came to a bit of hard work, with the result that the team wasn't quite fit enough. This unfitness, combined with inaccuracy in passing and a tendency to crowd the play, I am sure, prevented the team from gaining more successes.

Congratulations to Lee who played very well throughout the season, and was no doubt the mainstay of the team. The other best players were Lamb, Moir, Treadgold, Thompson and Maitland.

--- J. M.



# FIRST XI Captain: T. R. Dix Vice-Captain: C. C. Sanders

This year we started with a completely new team. The team co-ordinated well to form a very solid combination. Most of the matches were closely fought and Christ Church won five matches and drew one match.

This year was the first year of competitive Public Schools' Association hockey. Christ Church, well led by Terry Dix, came third in the competition. We gained a goal average of 131.25 per cent.

T. Dix, L. Charlesworth and I. Campbell were very effective players for the team. Campbell and Charlesworth combined together to produce a very effective short-corner which sometimes completely fooled most other teams.

Social matches were played against Leederville Technical School, Claremont Teachers' College and Scotch College. We thank these teams for the exciting matches they played against us. The team would like to thank Mr. D. Hutchison and Mr. B. Crommelin for their keen interest and for the coaching throughout the season. Mr. Hutchison has been keenly interested in school hockey for a number of years; even though the game was not fully accepted until this year.

For this interest we offer our grateful appreciation.

Goal scorers: T. Dix, 7; L. Charlesworth, 6; I. Campbell, 4; A. Hibble, 3; C. Sanders, 1.

-- C. C. S.

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#### First Round

# C.C.G.S. v. SCOTCH COLLEGE at Scotch College, June 6th

For the first match of the season this match was a great game, fast and exciting. The standard of hockey was very high. Both the teams were equal, each in turn attacking the opposition's goals.

Scotch scored two quick goals by "short corners" late in the second half. Christ Church failed to score. Our congratulations to Scotch for their fine game.

Scotch College defeated Christ Church, 2 - 0. Best players: T. Dix, I. Campbell, L. Charles-worth.

# C.C.G.S. v. WESLEY COLLEGE at Christ Church, June 13th

This was another fast and exciting game. The Christ Church team proved their worth by coming through from 1-nil down at half time to win 3-1.

T. Hibble pushed through the vital equalizer, and Terry Dix quickly backed up with superb ballmanship and hit two more goals.

Best players: Johnston, Dix, Campbell.

Christ Church defeated Wesley, 3-1. Goal scorers: Dix, 2; Hibble, 1.

# C.C.G.S. v. GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL at Christ Church, June 20th

Playing in fine conditions, our team gave a great exhibition of stamina to defeat Guildford, the only unbeaten team, 4-2.

T. Dix again led the team well.

Christ Church had Guildford continually on the run, and L. Charlesworth showed them how goals really should be scored. It was a rugged match, but Christ Church played an effective, aggressive game.

Best players: Dix, Campbell, Charlesworth. Goal scorers: Charlesworth, 2; Dix, 1; Hibble, 1. Christ Church defeated Guildford, 4-2.

#### C.C.G.S. v. AQUINAS COLLEGE at Aquinas, June 27th

In this game our teamwork was not good. The score remained nil all till about three-quarter time, when T. Dix converted a good centre pass from right wing D. Cook. Christ Church had numerous tries, and Campbell was unlucky not to score

Best players: Campbell, Fortune, Sanders. Goal scorers: Dix. 1.

Christ Church defeated Aguinas, 1 - 0.

# C.C.G.S. v. HALE SCHOOL at Christ Church, July 4th

This game was the first game played on the Lower oval at School. The ground tended to upset our team as did the weather. However, from the first whistle Christ Church was continually in attack and forcing Hale.

At half time the score was 2-1 in Christ Church's favour, but at about three-quarter time Hale equalised. Christ Church quickly got back into attack and Dix and Campbell each scored for Christ Church.

Best players: Campbell, Sanders, Dix.

Goal scorers: Campbell, 2; Dix, 1; Charlesworth, 1.

Christ Church defeated Hale, 4-2.

#### Second Round C.C.G.S. v. SCOTCH COLLEGE at Christ Church, June 18th

From the start Scotch appeared determined to win. They went all out to demoralise our team. Christ Church was late in starting but constantly fought back.

By three-quarter time it appeared that Scotch would win outright. In the last ten minutes, Christ Church hit three goals. The final whistle prevented a move which may have resulted in a fifth goal being scored for Christ Church.

Best players: Dix, Walker, Sanders. Goal scorers: Dix, 2; Charlesworth and Camp-

bell. Scotch defeated Christ Church, 5 - 4.

# C.C.G.S. v. WESLEY COLLEGE at Wesley, July 27th

The day was windy and wet, yet the hockey played was ruggedly exciting. The game was fairly even with both teams constantly attacking. Wesley scored its goal soon after the start of play. It was nearly full time before we equalised.

The goal was from a "short corner" cleverly arranged and well hit by  ${\bf L}$ . Charlesworth.

Best players: Johnston, Campbell, Sanders.

Goal scorer: Charlesworth.

Christ Church drew with Wesley, 1-1.

# C.C.G.S. v. GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL at Guildford, August 1st

Guildford played excellent hockey. Christ Church held them to half time, but after that our team was beaten all over the field. In the second half Guildford ran away and got three goals.

Our congratulations to Guildford for their fine standard and good sportsmanship.

Best Players: Charlesworth, Johnston, Jones. Guildford defeated C.C., 3 - 0.

# C.C.G.S. v. AQUINAS COLLEGE at Christ Church, August 8th

Our team was unlucky to have our Captain, Terence Dix, missing from the team.

The game was similar to the previous match but slower. The humidity had a severe effect on most players.

Aquinas got their goal from a "short corner" at about ten minutes to go.

Congratulations, Aquinas.

Best players: Fortune, Charlesworth, Sanders. Aquinas defeated Christ Church, 1 - 0.

# C.C.G.S. v. HALE SCHOOL at Christ Church, August 15th

The best match of the year was played vigorously.

Again our Captain, Terry Dix, was unable to play. The team regretted his absence.

Christ Church was on top all over the field, and we received our first goal from our "short corner".

Colin Sanders broke his jinx by scoring the second goal.

Best players: Charlesworth, Fortune, Sanders. worth.

Goal scorers: Charlesworth, Sanders, Hibble, Campbell.

Christ Church defeated Hale, 4 - 0.

#### Second XI

#### Captain: P. Browne-Cooper Vice-Captain: D. Beetles

Although the seconds did not have a very successful season, comparison of the first and second round results will show that there was progress made during the season. The main weakness was in coordination — the essential feature of hockey. Some of the talented members of the team are certain to graduate to the firsts next season but they must be

prepared to play as members of a team and not as individuals. Browne-Cooper and Beetles led the side well and the former was top goal-scorer, with six for the season. M. Broadhurst scored four for the season. Russell and C. Wall were consistent in the back-line and Clennett played some very good games when moved to full-back for the latter half of the season.

#### RESULTS

versus	1st Round		2nd Round			
Scotch			lost:	0 - 4	lost:	2 - 4
Wesley			lost:	1 - 9	won:	2 - 1
Guildford			lost:	1 - 4	lost:	3 - 5
Aquinas			lost:	3 - 5	lost:	1 - 3
Hale			won:	4 - 0	drawn:	1 - 1

#### Third XI

#### Captain: G. Mackintosh Vice-Captain: G. Smith

The thirds suffered a severe handicap in that no one was available to give them regular coaching. However, they battled on and won their last game. They showed commendable spirit despite a disheartening string of losses. Sherwood and Mackintosh scored five goals each for the season. Smith, Saleeba, Mackintosh and Sherwood were the most consistent players.

#### RESULTS

versus		1st R	ound	2nd	Round
Scotch	 	lost:	0 - 3	lost:	1 - 5
Wesley	 	lost:	0 - 7	lost:	0 - 9
Guildford	 	lost:	1 - 3	lost:	1 - 4
Aquinas	 	lost:	1 - 4	lost:	2 - 5
Hale	 	lost:	1 - 2	won	4-2

#### First and Second Year Teams

This year we entered two teams in the second year and one in the first year divisions of the Saturday morning competition run by the Hockey Association. Thanks to the enthusiasm of three Old Boys—Mr. Tom Flintoff, Mr. Graham Walker and Mr. Alistair Dowling—the teams were well coached throughout the season. Many promising young players will go on to strengthen the senior XI's in the coming seasons. Everyone was very pleased when Mr. Graham Walker

was selected for the W.A. Colts' team. The "B" Grade East Team (Captain, Carew-Reid) was the most successful team, winning four and drawing one of the nine matches played. Carew-Reid scored eight goals during the season and Michelides was the most consistent player. The "B" Grade West team (Captain, Carroll), won two and drew two of its nine matches. Pettit, Dawson, Guzder, Lloyd and Price

played consistently. Carroll scored nine goals for his team and one for the 2nd XI when he played one match with that team. The "C" Grade team (Captain, Parker) won four out of its ten matches. The last match was a memorable 9-1 win against Kent Street. Nicholson scored ten goals and Beetson scored nine. Parker, Beetson, Nicholson and Lewis all played consistently.



### INTER-HOUSE ATHLETICS

### Results

### **OPEN**

- 220 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, P. Atkinson (Q); 2, J. Muir (C); 3, M. Gordon (R); 4, Wilkins (W). Time, 24.3 secs.
  - 1st Div.: 1, C. Stevens (Q); 2, Browne-Cooper
    (W); 3, Horton (C); 4, Oakley (R). Time,
    23.7 secs.
- Long Jump.—2nd Div.: 1, P. Atkinson (Q); 2, B. Muggleton (R); 3, R. Jones (C); 4, Wilkins (W). Distance, 18ft. 11in.
  - (W). Distance, 18ft. 11in.
    1st Div.: 1, C. Stevens (Q); 2, Browne-Cooper (W); 3, Hibble (R); 4, J. Muir (C). Distance, 19ft.
- Shot Put.—2nd Div.: 1, A. Hibble (R); 2, Johnston (W); 3, R. Jones (C); 4, M. Lloyd (Q). Distance, 35ft. 1in.
  - 1st Div.: 1, M. Gordon (R); 2, C. Stevens (Q);
    3, Miall (C); 4, Lefroy (W). Distance, 43ft.
    3ins. (Record).
- 880 yards.—2nd Div.: 1. D. Culley (W); 2, B. Muggleton (R); 3, C. Sanders (Q); 4, Drok
  - 1st Div.: 1, P. Atkinson (Q); 2, Horton (C); 3, D. J. Cook (R); 4, E. Culley (W). Time, 2 mins. 7.1 secs.
- High Jump.—2nd Div.: 1, Grove (R); 2, C. Stevens (Q); 3, Jones (C); 4, Lefroy (W). Height, 5ft. 5ins.
  - 1st Div.: 1, J. Maddams (R); 2, P. Atkinson (Q); 3, A. Drok (C); 4, Smallwood (W). Height, 5ft. 4ins.

- 100 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, J. Muir (C); 2, E. Culley (W); 3, A. Hibble (R); 4, M. Lloyd (Q). Time, 10.9 secs.
  - Time, 10.9 secs.

    1st Div.: 1, C. Stevens (Q); 2, Oakley (R); 3,
    Browne-Cooper; 4, Horton (C). Time, 10.5
    secs.
- 440 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, C. Stevens (Q); 2, J. Muir (C); 3, E. Culley (W); 4, J. Garret (R). Time, 53.7 secs.
  1st Div.: 1, P. Atkinson (Q); 2, Horton (C);
  - 1st Div.: 1, P. Atkinson (Q); 2, Horton (C);
    3, D. J. Cook (R); 4, Browne-Cooper (W).
    Time, 54 secs.
- 120 yards Hurdles.—2nd Div.: 1, R. Jones (C); 2, J. Garret (R); 3, Watt (Q). Time, 18.4 secs. 1st Div.: 1, J. Maddams (R); 2, P. Atkinson (Q); 3, Horton (C); 4, Browne-Cooper (W).
- Time, 16.4 secs.

  4 x 220 yards Relay: 1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea; 3,
  Romsey; 4, Wolsey. Time, 1 min. 39.7 secs.

  Mile.—2nd Div.: 1, D. Culley (W); 2, Sanders
  - (Q); 3, Liu (C). 1st Div.: 1, Atkinson (Q); 2, E. Culley (W); 3, Horton (C); 4, Cook (R). Time, 4 mins. 52.7 secs.
- UNDER 17
  220 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, J. McManus (R); 2, G.
  Smith (C); 3, C. Wall (Q); 4, P. Walsh.
  - Time, 25.6 secs.

    1st Div.: 1, J. Thanos (Q); 2, J. Cooper (R);

    3, L. Charlesworth; 4, Pittendrigh. Time,

    24.4 secs. (Inaugural Record).
- High Jump.—2nd Div.: 1. J. Cooper (R); 2, V. Clennett (C); 3, P. North (Q); 4, P. Walsh (W). Height, 5ft, 1in.
  - (W). Height, 5ft. 1in.
    1st Div.: 1, J. Thanos (Q); 2, J. McManus (R); 3, R. A. C. Smith (W); 4, Pittendrigh. Height, 5ft. 2ins. (Inaugural Record).

- 440 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, V. Clennett (7C); 2, R. Annear (R); 3, Steadman (Q); 4, B. Cooper
  - (W). Time, 57.8 secs.

    1st Div.: 1. J. Thanos (Q); 2, J. Cooper (R); 3, H. Gillett (C); 4, L. Charlesworth. Time, 54.4 secs. (Inaugural Record).
- Mile.—2nd Div.: 1, D. A. B. Clement (W); 2, B. Beresford (R); 3, Tennant (C); 4, Wall (Q).
  - 1st Div.: 1, Hamilton (Q); 2, Rischbieth (W); 3, Copley (R); 4, M. G. Cann. Time, 4 mins. 57.3 secs. (Inaugural Record).
- Long Jump.—2nd Div.: 1, J. McManus (R); 2, J. Thanos (Q); 3, Charlesworth (W); 4, H. Gillett. Distance, 16ft. 9ins.
  - 1st Div.: 1, J. Cooper (R); 2, M. Leach (Q); 3, J. Bingham; 4, Easterbrook (C). Distance, 19ft. 2ins. (Inaugural Record).
- 100 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, J. McManus (R); 2, H. Gillett (C); 3, C. Wall (Q). Time, 11.5 secs.
  - Est Div.: 1, J. Thanos (Q); 2, J. Cooper (R); 3, Pittendrigh (C); 4, L. Charlesworth (W). Time, 10.9 secs. (Inaugural Record).
- Shot Put.—2nd Div.: 1, J. Thanos (W); 2, R. Williams (Q); 3, J. McManus (R); 4, H.
  - Gillett (C). Distance, 28ft. 1½in.

    1st Div.: 1, J. Cooper (R); 2, M. Cann (C); 3, P. Walsh (W); 4, R. Laney (Q). Distance, 37ft. 6in. (Inaugural Record).
- yards.—2nd Div.: 1, C. Wall (Q); 2, B. Beresford; 3, I. Fry (C); 4, J. Teasdale.

  1st Div.: 1, J. Thanos (Q); 2, B. Copley (R);
  3, M. Cann; 4, B. Clement (W). Time,
  2, min. 114 Seers (Inquigned Record) 2 mins. 11.4 secs. (Inaugural Record).
- 120 yards Hurdles.—2nd Div.: 1, L. Charlesworth (W); 2, J. Sutherland (R); 3, Clennett (C);
  - 4, Hines (Q). Time, 18.4 secs.

    1st Div.: 1, P. Walsh (W); 2, T. Cariss (R);

    3, H. Gillett. Time, 18.3 secs. (Inaugural
- 4 x 110 yards Relay: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea; 3, Craigie; 4, Wolsey. Time, 50.3 secs. (Inaugural Record).

### UNDER 16

- High Jump.-3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea;
  - 3, Craigie; 4, Wolsey. Height, 4ft. 8ins.
    2nd Div.: 1, J. McKenzie (W); 2, D. Cook (R);
    3, McNaughton (R); 4, Nicholson (C). Height, 4ft. 11ins.
  - 1st Div.: 1, P. Giles (R); 2, M. Broadhurst (Q); 3, R. Gawned (W); 4, McKenney (C). Height, 5ft. 1in.
- 100 yards Hurdles.-3rd Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Wolsey; 3, Romsey; 4, Craigle. Time, 17 secs. 2nd Div.: 1, K. Scott (Q); 2, J. McKenzie (W);
  - 3, Allison (R); 4, P. Campbell (C). Time,
  - 1st Div.: 1, P. Giles (R); 2, M. Broadhurst (Q); 3. Nicholson (C). Time, 14.3 secs.
- 220 yards.—3rd Div.: 1, Wolsey; 2, Craigie; 3, Queenslea; 4, Romsey. Time, 26.5 secs.
  2nd Div.: 1, K. Scott (Q); 2, K. Machar (W); 3, J. Quirk (R); 4, Nicholson (C). Time, 25.6 secs.

- 1st Div.: 1, D. Cook (R); 2, J. Rossiter (Q);
  3, McKenney (C); 4, P. Chivers (W). Time, 23.4 secs. (Record).
- 100 yards.—3rd Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey; 3,
  - Wolsey; 4, Craigle. Time, 11.2 secs. 2nd Div.: 1, Hamilton (Q); 2, J. Quirk (R); 3, Rischbieth (W); 4, Nicholson (C). Time, 11.3 secs.
  - 1st Div.: 1, D. Cook (R); 2, J. Rossiter (Q); 3, McKenney (C); 4, P. Chivers (W). Time, 10.4 secs. (Record).
- Long Jump.—1st Div.: 1, D. Cook (R); 2, M. Broadhurst (Q); 3, Yeo (C); 4, K. Machar (W). Distance, 17ft. 2½ins.
  2nd Div.: 1, Carr (R); 2, K. Scott (Q); 3, Nich
  - olson (C); 4, Marshall (W). Distance, 16ft. 24ins.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Watt (Q); 2, Coad (R); 3, A. Jones (C). Distance, 15ft, 21ins.
- 880 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, P. Chivers (W); 2, G. Waring (Q); 3, A. Jones (C); 4, Jordan (R). 1st Div.: 1, Hamilton (Q); 2, Rischbieth (W);
- 3, Campbell (C); 4, D. Smirke (R). Time, 2 mins. 11.9 secs.
- Shot Put.—1st Div.: 1, Szczecinski (Q); 2, J. Quirk (R); 3, Mackie (C); 4, K. Machar (W). Distance, 41ft. 7½ins. (Inaugural Record).
  - 2nd Div.: 1. Brazier (Q); 2. P. Giles (R); 3. J. McKenzie (W); 4, McKenney (C). Distance, 38ft. 7ins.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey; 3, Craigie; 4, Wolsey. Distance, 35ft. ½in.
- 4 x 110 yards Relay: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea; 3, Wolsey; 4, Craigie. Time, 48.7 secs. (Record).

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- Shot Put.—lst Div.: 1, Atkinson (Q); 2, I. Sassella (C); 3, D. Rocchi (R); 4, Garvey (W). Distance, 33ft. 3½ins. (Inaugural Record).
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Dawson (C); 2, MacIntosh (Q); 3, Frazer (R); 4, Carew-Reid (W). Distance, 29ft. 61ins.

  - 3rd Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea; 3, Wolsey; 4, Romsey. Distance, 29ft. 7½ins.
    4th Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Wolsey; 3, Romsey; 4, Queenslea. Distance, 26ft. 7ins.
- 100 yards Hurdles.—4th Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Wolsey; 3, Romsey. Time, 18.5 secs.
  3rd Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea; 3, Romsey;

  - 4, Wolsey. Time, 18.6 secs.
    2nd Div.: 1, Weaver (W); 2, Grover (Q); 3,
    Dawson (C); 4, Faull (R). Time, 18.1 secs.
    1st Div.: 1, D. Rocchi (R); 2, Meecham (C);
    3, Carew-Reid (W); 4, Mackintosh (Q). Time, 15.3 secs.
- Long Jump.—1st Div.: 1, D. Rocchi (R); 2, Grover (Q); 3, Pettit (C); 4, Carroll (W). Distance,
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Fraser (R); 2, Meecham (C); 3, Atkinson (Q); 4, Growden (W). Distance, 14ft. 5ins.

- 3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Craigie; 3, Wolsey; 4,
- Queenslea. Distance, 15ft. 5½ins.
  4th Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey; 3, Wolsey;
  4, Craigie. Distance, 13ft. 10ins.
- 220 yards.—4th Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey; 3, Wolsey; 4, Craigie. Time, 28.2 secs.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey; 3, Craigie;
  - 4, Wolsey. Time, 27.5 secs. 2nd Div.: 1, Fraser (R); 2, Rossiter (Q); 3,
  - Stark (C); 4, Carroll (W). Time, 26.7 secs. 1st Div.: 1, D. Rocchi (R); 2, Grover (Q); 3, Growden (W); 4, Maclagan (C). Time, 25.5
- 100 yards.—4th Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Wolsey; 3, Craigie. Time, 12.2 secs.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Craigie; 3, Queenslea. Time, 12.2 secs.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Rossiter (Q); 2, Fraser (R); 3, Stark (C); 4, Carroll (W). Time, 11.5 secs. 1st Div.: 1, D. Rocchi (R); 2, Grover (Q); 3,
  - Growden (W); 4, Maclagan (C). Time, 11
- High Jump.—1st Div.: 1, Annear (R); 2, Rossiter (Q); 3, Meecham (C); 4, Weaver (W). Height, 4ft. 11ins.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Faull (R); 2, Fleay (Q); 3, Carroll
  - (W); 4, Slee (C). Height, 4ft. 10ins. 3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea; 3, Craigie. Height, 4ft. 10ins. 4th Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea; 3, Craigie.
  - Height, 4ft. 8ins.
- 880 yards.—4th Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Wolsey; 3, Queenslea; 4, Romsey.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Craigie; 3, Wolsey; 4,
  - Queenslea. Time, 2 mins. 35.4 secs. 2nd Div.: 1, Dawson (C); 2, Eyres (R); 3,
  - Growden (W); 4, Rossiter (Q). 1st Div.: 1, Meecham (C); 2, Grover (R); 3, Corteen (Q); 4, Thompson (W). Time, 2 mins. 27.7 secs.
- 4 x 110 yards Relay: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea; 3, Craigie; 4, Wolsey. Time, 51.7 secs.

### UNDER 14

- Long Jump.—1st Div.: 1, Lamb (C); 2, Tomlinson (Q); 3, Harrison (R); 4, Rees (W). Distance, 15ft. lin.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Flintoff (Q); 2, Lewis (C); 3, Bryan (R); 4, Nicholson (W). Distance, 14ft. 4ins.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Craigie; 3, Queenslea;
  - 4, Wolsey. Distance, 15ft.
    4th Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea; 3, Romsey. Distance, 13ft. 102ins.
- 220 yards.—4th Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Romsey; 3, Wolsey; 4, Queenslea. Time, 28.8 secs.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Queenslea; 3, Craigie. Time, 29.2 secs.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Lewis (C); 2, Foss (Q); 3, Harrison (R); 4, Leach (W). Time, 28.4 secs. 1st Div.: 1, Lamb (C); 2, Andrew (Q); 3, Bryan (R); 4, Rees (W). Time, 27.4 secs.
- 100 yards.-4th Div.: 1, Romsey; 2, Craigie; 3, Wolsey. Time, 12.9 secs.
  3rd Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie; 3, Romsey,

- Wolsey. Time, 12.3 secs. 2nd Div.: 1, Flintoff (Q); 2, Lamb (C); 3, Partridge (W); 4, Sutherland (R). Time, 12.2 secs.
- 1st Div.: 1, Foss (Q); 2, Harrison (R); 3, Lewis (C); 4, Rees (W). Time, 12.1 secs.
  75 yards Hurdles.—4th Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Queens-
- lea; 3, Romsey; 4, Wolsey. Time, 13 secs.
  - 3rd Div.: 1, Queenslea; 2, Romsey; 3, Craigie; 4, Wolsey. Time, 12.4 secs.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Cran (Craigie); 2, Foss (Q); 3, Partridge (W); 4, Freestone (R). Time, 12.1
  - 1st Div.: 1, Ryan (C); 2, Tomlinson (Q); 3, Williams (R); 4, Higham (W). Time, 11.7 secs. (Record).
- High Jump.—1st Div.: 1, Higham (W); 2, Cran (C); 3, Bryan (R); 4, Andrew (Q). Height, 4ft. 5ins.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, Ryan (C); 2, Tomlinson (Q); 3,
  - Batt (W), Fraser (R). Height, 4ft. 3ins. 3rd Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Romsey; 3, Queenslea.
  - Height, 4ft. 4ins. 4th Div.: 1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea; 3, Romsey. Height, 3ft. 11ins.
- 4 x 110 yards Relay: 1, Queenslea; 2, Craigie; 3, Romsey; 4, Wolsey. Time, 51.7 secs. UNDER 13
- High Jump.—1st Div.: 1, Ruse (C); 2, Treadgold (R); 3, D. Price (Q); 4, Darlington (W). Height, 4ft. 7ins. (Record).
- 2nd Div.: 1, Moir (C); 2, Morris (Q); 3, Pitt (W); 4, George (R). Height, 4ft. 4ins. 4 x 110 yards Relay: 1, Craigie; 2, Queenslea; 3,
- Romsey; 4, Wolsey. Time, 57.3 secs. (Re-
- 100 yards.—2nd Div.: 1, Lee (C); 2, Price (Q); 3, Treadgold (R); 4, Drok (W). Time, 12.7 secs.
- 1st Div.: 1, Maitland (C); 2, Coulter (R); 3, Sholl (Q); 4, Meharry (W). Time, 12.5 secs.

  75 yards Hurdles.—2nd Div.: 1, Maitland (C); Coulter (R); 3, Pitt (W); 4, Mercer (Q). Time, 13.2 secs.
  - 1st Div.: 1, Moir (C); 2, Treadgold (R); 3, Sholl (Q); 4, Meharry (W). Time, 12.3 secs. (Record).
- Long Jump.—1st Div.: 1, D. Price (Q); 2, Maitland (C); 3, Coulter (R); 4, De Wolf (W). Distance, 14ft. 3ins.
  - 2nd Div.: 1, A. Lee (C); 2, Treadgold (R); 3, Sholl (Q); 4, Pitt (W). Distance, 13ft 4ins. nior Mile: 1, Eastman; 2, Carew-Reid; 3,
- Hughes; 4, Moyes. Time, 5 mins. 47.5 secs.
- FINAL POINTS: 1, Romsey 2, Queenslea 1303 3, Craigie 1205 ..... 4. Wolsey 989

### QUADRANGULAR SPORTS

The Quadrangular Sports for 1959 were held at Guildford, on the larger of the Preparatory School ovals, on the 17th October. Cloudy skies and a light easterly made conditions pleasant, though the track was rather dry and consequently

loose, especially on the inside lanes. Wesley regained the Lynn Shield from Christ Church with a points total of 358. followed by Christ Church (312), St. Louis (206), and Guildford (202).

Christ Church dominated the Open and Under 16 divisions, winning the 100, 880, shot put and relay in both, the 120 yards hurdles (first division) in the Open and the 220 vards in the Under 16 division. Wesley submitted strong Under 17 and 14 divisions, winning all but two events in both. Guildford displayed her only concerted strength in the Under 15 division, while St. Louis, throughout the day, filled only the minor placings with an odd first in the Open. Under 16 and Under 15 divisions.

Wesley must be congratulated on a good, all round performance, and St. Louis on staying off a strong challenge by Guildford for third place.

### Results were as follows:

- Event 1.-High Jump: 1, S.L.; 2, W; 3, J. Mad dams, A. Grove (C.C.). Height, 5ft. 7ins.
- Event 4.—100 yards: 1, C. Stevens (C.C.); 2, D. Oakley (C.C.); 3, G. Time, 10.6 secs. Event 10.—880 yards: 1, P. Atkinson (C.C.); 2,
- S.L.; 3, R. Horton (C.C.). Time, 1 min. 59.4 secs. (Record).
- Event 12.—Shot Put: 1, M. Gordon (C.C.); 2, G; 3, C. Stevens (C.C.). Distance, 42ft. 1in. (Record).
- Event 18.-220 yards: 1, W; 2, G; 3, G. Time, 23.1 secs.
- Event 26.—120 yards Hurdles (Second Div.): 1, W; 2, R. Jones (C.C.); 3, G. Time, 17.3 secs. (First Div.): 1, J. Maddams (C.C.); 2, S.L.;
- 3, G. Time, 16.2 secs. Event 28.—440 yards: 1, W; 2, G; 3, C. Stevens (C.C.). Time, 51.1 secs. (Record).
- Event 30.—Mile: 1, S.L.; 2, G; 3, P. Atkinson C.C. Time, 4 mins. 28.8 secs. (Record). Event 36.—880 yards Relay: 1, C. Stevens, P.
- Browne-Cooper, R. Horton, D. Oakley (C.C.); 2, W; 3, G. Time, 1 min. 35.9 secs.

### UNDER 17

- Event 2.-Shot Put: 1, J. Cooper (C.C.); 2, G; 3, G. Distance, 40ft.
- Event 5.—100 yards: 1, W; 2, W; 3, S.L. Time, 10.7 secs.
- Event 11.-880 yards: 1, W; 2, G; 3, M. Cann
- (C.C.). Time, 2 mins. 9.8 secs. Event 19.—220 yards: 1, W; 2, W; 3, S.L. Time, 22.8 secs.

- Event 23.—Broad Jump: 1, W; 2, J. Cooper (C.C.); 3, S.L. Distance, 19ft. 11in.
- Event 27.—120 yards Hurdles (Second Div): 1. W:
  - 2, G; 3, S.L. Time, 16.5 secs. (First Div.): 1, W; 2, G; 3, S.L. Time, 16.8 secs.
- Event 29.—440 yards: 1. S.L.: 2. W: 3. G. Time,
- Event 31.—Mile: 1, W; 2, G; 3, W. Time, Event 35.—440 yards Relay: 1, W; 2, J. Cooker, J. Thanos, P. Pittendrigh, J. McManus (C.C.); 3, S.L. Time, 46.5 secs.

### UNDER 16

- Event 6.-100 yards: 1, D. Cook: 2, J. Rossiter: 3. G. Time, 10.6 secs.
- Event 13.—Broad Jump: 1, S.L.; 2, W; 3, W. Distance, 18ft. 71ins.
- Event 15.—880 yards: 1, D. Hamilton (C.C.); 2, W; 3, W. Time, 2 mins. 7.1 secs.

  Event 16.—100 yards Hurdles (Second Div.): 1, W; 2, G; 3, K. Scott (C.C.). Time, 13.8 secs. (First Div.): 1, S.L.; 2, W; 3, P. Giles (C.C.). Time, 14 secs.
- Event 20.—220 yards: 1, J. Rossiter; 2, D. Cook (C.C.); 3, W. Time, 24 secs.
- Event 24.—Shot Put: 1. Szczecinski: 2. J. Brazier (C.C.); 3, W. Distance, 40ft. 11ins.
- Event 34.—440 yards Relay: 1, D. Cook, J. Rossiter, P. Giles, K. Scott; 2, W; 3, G. Time, 47 secs.

#### UNDER 15

- Event 7.—100 yards: 1, G; 2, D. Rocchi (C.C.); 3, W. Time, 11.2 secs.
- Event 17.-100 yards Hurdles (Second Div.): 1. A. Meecham; 2, S.L.; 3, W. Time, 16.1 secs. (First Div.): 1, D. Rocchi (C.C.); 2, S.L.; 3, G.
  - Time, 14.5 secs.
- Event 21.-220 yards: 1, G; 2, W; 3, W. Time, 24.4 secs. (Record).
- Event 25.—High Jump: 1, G; 2, W; 3, S.L. Height, 5ft. 2½ins.
- Event 33.-440 yards Relay: 1, W; 2, D. Rocchi, W. Grover, H. Fraser, C. Rossiter (C.C.); 3, G. Time, 48.9 secs. (Record).

### UNDER 14

- Event 3.—75 yards Hurdles (Second Div.): 1, W; 2, S.L.; 3, G. Time, 11.4 secs. (First Div.): 1, D. Ryan (C.C.); 2, S.L.; 3, W. Time, 11.4 secs.
- Event 8.—100 yards: 1, W; 2, S.L.; 3, Andrew (C.C.). Time, 11.2 secs. (Record).
- Event 14.—High Jump: 1, S.L.; 2, W; 3, A. Ruse (C.C.). Height, 4ft. 11ins.
- Event 22.—220 yards: 1, W; 2, S.L.; 3, P. Lamb C.C.). Time, 25 secs. (Record).
- Event 32.-440 yards Relay: 1, W; 2, P. Foss, R. Harrison, W. Flintoff, P. Lamb (C.C.); 3, S.L. Time, 50.8 secs. (Record).

### UNDER 13

Event 9.—100 yards: 1, G. Maitland (C.C.); 2, W; 3, S.L. Time, 12.4 secs. (eq. record).

### P.S.A. INTERS

Only one record was broken at this year's "Inters". Performances were adversely affected by the heavy track and windy conditions. Generally speaking, the efforts of our athletes were a little disappointing. Certain individual results deserve mention. A. Gladwin-Grove set a new school record for the Open High Jump with a leap of 5ft, 7 ins. He won the 2nd Division High Jump with comparative ease. J. W. S. Maddams hurdled well in the Open division but was beaten on the line by A. Lamb of Scotch. Horton ran well to win comfortably the 2nd division of the Open 880 yards. M. Gordon, who putted consistently throughout the season, won the 1st division Open Shot Put with a distance of 40ft. 5½ins. For the second year in succession D. A. Oakley won the 2nd division of the Open 100 yards and C. W. Stevens finished second in the 1st division. Others to show out in the under-age divisions were:

1st Div.: J. Cooper, Under 17 Shot Put (1st).

1st Div.: J. Thanos, Under 17 440 yards (3rd) and 880 yards (2nd).

1st Div.: D. Cook, Under 16 220 yards (1st) and 100 yards (3rd).

2nd Div.: J. Rossiter, Under 16 220 yards (2nd) and 100 yards (2nd).

The relay events were our downfall. The baton-changing was inefficient and this alone cost us any hope of a relay win.

Congratulations to Scotch College on a successful athletic team.

--- P. A.

"INTERS" RESULTS Places obtained by Christ Church athletes: Event 1. High Jump Under 17 2nd Div.: P. J. Pittendrigh (6th).

1st Div.: R. A. C. Smith (5th).

Event 2. Shot Put, Open

2nd Div.: C. W. Stevens (5th). 1st Div.: M. J. Gordon (1st), distance, 40ft. 51ins.

Event 3. 220 yards, Under 14 2nd Div.: R. W. Lee (equal 3rd). 1st Div.: P. L. Lamb (5th).

Event 4. 220 yards, Under 15 2nd Div.: H. L. Fraser (5th). 1st Div.: D. R. Rocchi (3rd).

Event 5. 220 yards, Under 16 2nd Div.: J. R. Rossiter (2nd). 1st Div.: D. M. Cook equal 1st). 24.4 secs.

Event 6. High Jump, Under 14 2nd Div.: A. L. Ruse (4th). 1st Div.: R. W. Lee (6th).

Event 7. 220 yards, Under 17 2nd Div.: R. J. Cooper (5th). 1st Div.: J. J. Thanos (5th).

Event 8. 220 yards, Open 2nd Div.: D. A. Oakley (4th). 1st Div.: C. W. Stevens (5th).

Event 9. 100 yards Hurdles, Under 15 2nd Div.: A. G. Meecham (3rd). 1st Div.: D. R. Rocchi (3rd).

Event 10. 100 yards Hurdles, Under 16 2nd Div.: M. R. Broadhurst (6th). 1st Div.: P. S. Giles (4th).

Event 11. High Jump, Open 2nd Div.: A. E. Gladwin-Grove (1st). Height, 5ft. 7½ins.

1st Div.: J. W. S. Maddams (4th).

Event 12. Shot Put, Under 17 2nd Div.: P. H. Walsh (6th). 1st Div.: R. J. Cooper (1st). Distance, 38ft. 2½ins.

Event 13. Broad Jump, Under 16 2nd Div.: M. R. Broadhurst (6th). 1st Div.: D. M. Cook (2nd).

Event 14. 75 yards hurdles, Under 14 2nd Div.: D. C. Cran (4th). 1st Div.: D. P. Ryan (6th).

Event 15. 880 yards, Open 2nd Div.: R. P. Horton (1st). Time, 2 mins. 3.9 secs.

1st Div.: P. R. Atkinson (2nd). Event 16. 880 yards, Under 17

2nd Div.: M. G. Cann (4th). 1st Div.: J. J. Thanos (3rd). Event 17. 880 yards, Under 16

2nd Div.: I. R. Rischbieth (2nd). 1st Div.: D. J. Hamilton (5th). Event 18. 100 yards, Open

2nd Div.: D. A. Oakley (1st). Time, 10.7. 1st Div.: C. W. Stevens (2nd). Event 19. 100 yards, Under 17 2nd Div.: J. C. McManus (2nd). 1st Div.: R. J. Cooper (4th).

Event 20. 100 yards, Under 16 2nd Div.: J. R. Rossiter (2nd).

1st Div.: D. M. Cook (3rd). Event 21. High Jump, Under 15 2nd Div.: D. E. Annear (5th). 1st Div.: R. W. Faull (5th).

Event 22. Shot Put, Under 16 2nd Div.: J. E. Brazier (6th). 1st Div.: G. Szczecinski (4th).

Event 23. Broad Jump, Under 17 2nd Div.: M. H. Leach (6th). 1st Div.: R. J. Cooper (3rd).

Event 24. 100 yards, Under 15 2nd Div.: H. L. Fraser (6th). 1st Div.: D. R. Rocchi (equal 2nd).

Event 25. 100 yards, Under 14 2nd Div.: R. W. Lee (3rd). 1st Div.: J. R. Andrew (5th).	SCHOOL RECORDS Athletics
Event 26. 100 yards, Under 13	OPEN
2nd Div.: M. B. Lefroy (5th).	Cross Country:
1st Div.: G. J. Maitland (3rd).	18 mins. 58.8 secs P. R. Atkinson
Event 27. 120 yards Hurdles, Open	High Jump: 5ft. 7½ ins A. E. Gladwin Grove
2nd Div.: R. J. Jones (6th). 1st Div.: J. W. S. Maddams (2nd).	Shot Put: 43ft. 3ins M. J. Gordon
Event 28. 120 yards Hurdles, Under 17	880 yards: 1 min. 59.4 secs P. R. Atkinson
2nd Div.: J. C. McManus (4th).	
1st Div.: P. H. Walsh (6th).	UNDER 17 (Inaugural Records)
Event 29. 440 yards, Open	Cross Country:
2nd Div.; D. J. Cook (5th).	21 mins. 54.5 secs B. W. Cooper
1st Div.: R. P. Horton (6th).	100 yards: 10.9 secs J. J. Thanos
Event 30. 440 yards, Under 17	220 yards: 24.4 secs J. J. Thanos
2nd Div.: F. H. Gillett (5th).	440 yards: 54.4 secs J. J. Thanos
1st Div.: J. J. Thanos (3rd).	880 yards: 2 mins. 11.4 secs J. J. Thanos
Event 31. High Jump, Under 16	1 mile: 4 mins. 57.3 secs. D. J. Hamilton
2nd Div.: R. E. Gawned (4th). 1st Div.: M. R. Broadhurst (6th).	High Jump: 5ft. 2ins J. J. Thanos Long Jump: 19ft. 2ins R. J. Cooper
Event 32. Broad Jump, Open	Shot Put: 40ft R. J. Cooper
2nd Div.: R. J. Jones (4th).	120 yards Hurdles: 19.3 secs. P. H. Walsh
1st Div.: C. W. Stevens (6th).	Relay: Romsey, 50.3 secs.
Event 33. One Mile, Under 17	,,
2nd Div.: D. A. B. Clement (6th).	UNDER 16
1st Div.: B. Copley (6th).	100 yards: 10.4 secs D. M. Cook
Event 34. One Mile, Open	220 yards: 23.9 secs D. M. Cook
2nd Div.: E. E. Culley (3rd).	880 yards: 2 mins. 7.1 secs. D. J. Hamilton
1st Div.: P. R. Atkinson (2nd). Event 35. Old Boys' Relay, 440 yards	Shot Put (8 lbs. 13 ozs.):
(4th) D. K. Sewell, J. Utting, P. Matthews.	41ft. 7½ ins G. A. Szczecinski
C. A. Edwards.	Relay: 48.7 secs Romsey
Event 36. 440 yards Relay, Under 14	
(4th) R. W. Lee, W. T. Flintoff, J. R. Harri-	UNDER 15
son, J. R. Andrew.	100 yards Hurdles: 14.5 secs. D. R. Rocchi
Event 37. 440 yards Relay, Under 15	Shot Put: 33ft. 3½ins D. V. Atkinson
(5th) D. R. Rocchi, H. L. Fraser, W. J.	
Grover, E. J. Wheatley. Event 38, 440 yards Relay, Under 16	UNDER 14
(4th) D. M. Cook, K. S. M. Scott, D. J.	75 yards Hurdles: 11.4 secs D. P. Ryan
Hamilton, J. R. Rossiter.	
Event 39. 440 yards Relay, Under 17	UNDER 13
(5th) J. C. McManus, R. J. Cooper, J. J.	75 yards Hurdles: 12.3 secs D. B. Moir
Thanos, P. J. Pittendrigh.	High Jump: 4ft. 7ins A. L. Ruse
Event 40. 880 yards Relay, Open	Relay: 57.3 secs Craigie
(6th) C. W. Stevens, P. J. Browne-Coper,	Cross Country:
D. A. Oakley, J. C. Muir.	5 mins. 37.4 secs R. G. Smith



This year I would like to say something about Freestanding exercises as I have dealt with Gymnastics in general previously.

Freestanding exercises form the basis on which the rest of apparatus gymnastic is built. Careful training in movement and development of every part of the body is the foundation of technically and aesthetically sound apparatus work. Consequently, freestanding always occupies a prominent position in the training programme of our gymnasts. Being a separate discipline of its own it controls and stimulates all progress elsewhere.

The actual content of freestanding work can be roughly divided into two sections: (1) building up the fundamentals of movement and physique and (2) the movements and disciplines needed for a full freestanding exercise for competitive work. Although much of it may be dull and repetitive it is interesting because it is leading somewhere. Eventually the beautiful and complete movements of a mature freestanding exercise will be the fruit of the elementary discipline and training. Similarly, the physical develop-

ment is accelerated and slowly allows more and more advanced movements on all apparatus, in fact, in all sporting fields, to be safely performed. Through this fundamental build-up, the boys learn freedom, control, relaxation and position—the major elements in all movements.

The complete freestanding exercise, which is the end-product of the gymnast on the ground, is composed of four differ-

ent types of movement and position. The jumps and agilities, which give life and flow to an exercise are self-explanatory. The static positions break it up and give a sense of contrast while the gymnastic movement links the other three elements together to produce a whole entity rather than a series of separate parts.

The year again found our gymnastic club members working diligently. The competition in the W.A.A.G.A. was with a reduced number of teams. Our club proved itself enthusiastic by putting in the usual three teams. This being the fourth year in competition with the W.A.A.G.A. and we were indeed successful in winning the Under 16 Shield for the third time in succession, scoring 198.55 points.

Winners of the Shield were: P. Driscoll, C. Rossiter, B. Weaver, R. Faull and R. Synnott.

There were many young gymnasts in our club this year, so we were able to enter three teams in the W.A.A.G.A. Novice Championship. They won first, second and fifth places amongst nine competing teams.

Winners of the Novice shield were: P. Watt, J. Bookless, J. Macartney, R. North and G. Blackburn. P. Watt also went on to win the Novice Individual Championship with R. North second. They were the most improved gymnasts of the year.

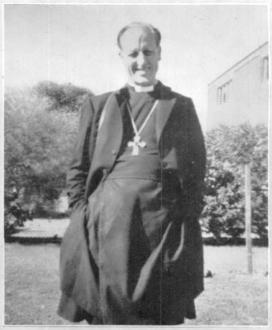
In the Under 18 division, C. Stevens represented us as individual competitor. He is the Under 18 Champion of W.A., having scored 107.5 out of 120 points.



R. Horton winning the 2nd. Division of the open 880 yards at "The Inters".

(The "Sunday Times")





Above: The Rt. Revd. The Bishop of Coventry.

Left (top): At the start of the 100 yard track.

Left: Table Tennis.

C. Rossiter is the Under 16 Champion of W.A., with 101.1, narrowly beating P. Driscoll who scored 100.5. We won the first five positions in the Under 16 Individual championship.

Our Home championship was held for the first time. This consisted of Open and Under 15 Individual championship in the Senior School, and Inter-House championship in the Preparatory School.

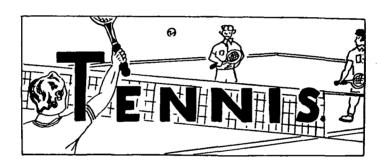
Winners were: C. Stevens, Open Champion of the School, winner of the C. C. R. Maclagan cup, with 106.25 points.

P. Driscoll proved himself to be the Under 15 champion by defeating C. Rossiter, the former State champion. P. Driscoll, 104.6; C. Rossiter, 103.3. P. Driscoll won the A. W. Walker cup.

In the Prep. School Romsey House won the Inter-House team championship and J. Macartney proved himself the best, scoring 51.15 points.

We, the gymnasts, wish to express our most sincere thanks to all members of the teaching staff who, with their help, made our work and rather full programme easier and more successful.

We would like to thank particularly Mr. A. Blackwood, Mr. W. Rucks, Mr. A. Burns, Mr. N. Antal, Mr. B. Moncur, Mr. E. Heidrich for their contribution to the successful running of the first Home championship of our School.



Tennis this year has not been a P.S.A. sport, but a few matches were played against Scotch College and a social game against M.L.C.

We also played in the Mursell Shield at Kitchener Park, where we met Scotch, and were put out in the first round.

Although we were beaten, we all had a very good day's tennis, but the weather conditions were not good.

The match played against M.L.C. was very enjoyable, and the games ended up about even at the end of the afternoon. We were also provided with a squash and eats after the match.

When we played against Scotch the first time, we were beaten very badly, but won a few more games when we came against them in the Shield.

Our coach and organiser of the matches throughout the year has been Mr. Jones, who has been assisted by Mr. Naish.

We thank Mr. Jones and Mr. Naish for the matches they have organized for us throughout the year. We have enjoyed them all, and we hope that tennis next year is a P.S.A. sport.

### HERBERT EDWARDS' CUP

The Christ Church junior team to play Midland High in the Herbert Edwards' Cup Competition was Rocchi, Halleen, Pollock and Allen.

Rocchi and Halleen paired for the first doubles, the first of the matches against Midland High School, and Pollock and Allen paired for the second.

Rocchi and Halleen played some good tennis compared with their previous efforts as a pair, but were still not up to the standard needed to beat their powerful opposition, and lost 6-2, 6-1.

Pollock and Allen paired well from the start and a high standard of play was witnessed on both sides. Unfortunately, Midland once again proved herself powerful in the tennis field and the Christ Church pair was well beaten 6-2, 6-2.

Pollock played in the closest of the four singles matches when he narrowly lost his first set. He looked to be playing good tennis, when he lost his second set and Midland took the match 6-4, 6-2.

The three remaining singles matches proved no better and Midland High took each 6-2, 6-1; 6-1, 6-0, 6-0.

A totalling of scores at the end of the morning's play saw Midland High easy winners, but it can be assured that our young team fought every inch of the way and gave little in defeat.

### MURSELL SHIELD

Once again Christ Church entered into the Mursell Shield competition held at Kitchener Park on Sunday, 12th April, with two senior teams.

1st team: Walsh, G. (Capt.); Boland, R. 2nd team: Tennant, T; Cooper, B.

Our opponents were Scotch College and the result of the matches were as follows:—

Walsh defeated Scotch captain Sebo after some very convincing play. Score: 6-4, 6-1.

Boland was defeated by their No.2 player, Scott, who served and played hard to take the match 6-1, 6-0.

Tennant played their No. 3 player and, although he strove hard, was beaten 6-0, 6-0.

Cooper's match proved to be the most interesting singles of the day. Both boys played extremely good tennis and it was unfortunate that he was beaten, very narrowly, 7-5, 7-5.

In the doubles, Walsh and Boland paired against Scotch's No.1 and No.4 players; Cooper and Tennant paired against our opponent's No.2 and No.3 players.

Cooper and Tennant found the odds against them and were beaten very convincingly 6-0, 6-1.

Walsh and Boland paired well to beat Scotch after play had been interrupted by rain. Scores: 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Scotch College, 4 rubbers, 9 sets, 65 games, defeated Christ Church, 2 rubbers, 4 sets, 40 games, all due praise going to the Scotch teams.

— R. B.

# RUGBY

Rugby has made a successful debut at Christ Church.

Although this was the first year we were able not only to field a first but also a second XV. This, besides showing the enthusiasm with which the sport was received, made Christ Church the only school to have two teams playing in that one division.

The first XV managed, through great efforts on the part of all players, to attain the semi-finals, beating Midland, Kent Street, Scotch, Perth Modern and Guildford enroute, but were beaten in the end by Midland and Perth Modern.

The second team, although they had few victories, tackled all their games,

against far stronger and more experienced teams, with great determination, and were encouraged greatly in the same by the example of their captain, E. G. M. Antill, who was later rewarded with a medal for the most consistent player.

Other achievements in the first XV included the picking of five boys to represent the School in the Western Australian Schoolboys' practice squad from which P. R. Atkinson was picked as five-eighth and M. Gordon as left-prop in the scrum.

Regarding aspirations for the future: With luck, something may be done about the training ground, ironically called the "Cow Patch" (a rough, sandy piece of ground about a mile from the School).

Finally, any credit these teams may have received goes in the main to the coaches: Mr. C. Stoate and Mr. P. Naish, aided by Mr. J. Rolfe from whose advice the teams benefited greatly.

### Results

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v. Guildford	C.C.G.S. won 39 - 0		
v. Kent Street	C.C.G.S. won 10 - 8		
v. Midland	C.C.G.S. won 8-6		
v. Modern School	C.C.G.S. won 3-0		
v. John Curtin	C.C.G.S. lost 33 - 3		
v. Scotch	C.C.G.S. lost 19 - 3		
v. C.C.G.S. (2nd XV)	C.C.G.S. won 60 - 0		
v. Scotch	C.C.G.S. won 18-5		

## BASKETBALL

### Captain: J. L. Tytherleigh

This year basketball proved to be a very popular sport. A great many boys were given the opportunity to play the game as it is now a House sport. The School team of Open players had two games in second term. The first against St. Louis was an excellent game as was the other game against the Old Boys. The School was undefeated. The Under 16 team had no chance for a game until third term when they trounced St. Louis. Both teams are to play return games against the teams they have played during the year.

The credit for the introduction of basketball into the School is due to Mr. Kovacs, who has given up his leisure hours for the game. His umpiring and coaching have proved invaluable.

- J. L. T.

#### Final Four

C.C.G.S. lost in Semi-Final to John Curtin, 3-0.

#### 2nd XV

v. Guildford	C.C.G.S. lost 9-3
v. Kent Street	C.C.G.S. lost 24 - 0
v. Midland	C.C.G.S. lost 18 - 0
v. Modern School	C.C.G.S. lost 21 - 0
v. John Curtin	C.C.G.S. lost 52 - 0
v. Scotch	C.C.G.S. lost 21 - 0
v. C.C.G.S. 1st XV	C.C.G.S. lost 60 - 0
v. Guildford	C.C.G.S. lost 16 - 9

### SHOOTING NOTES

The shooting team this year has satisfied the ambition of every Christ Church shooting team for the last nine years. We won the 5 Cadet Brigade Challenge Cup.

The team shot very well in the difficult conditions encountered at the 300 and 500 yard mounds to narrowly beat C.B.C. Geraldton by one point.

It was noticeable that, although our individual scores were not outstanding, the whole team maintained a steady average. It was due to the continual dry practices during the two weeks prior to the competition and the help of W.O.II Stone, that we were able to maintain this average and bring the Cup home.

Congratulations must go to the whole team for an excellent all-round effort.

### LIFESAVING

The weather this year for the examination day was very fine indeed—a complete reversal of the previous year's. With the good weather and the improved standard of swimming, many boys were successful. Indeed, the number of boys who attained their Bronze Medal doubled, while others attained even higher awards.

N.B.—The examiner who put the boys "through their paces" was so pleased with the general conduct of the boys at the baths that she personally sent a letter of praise to the school.

P. J. R. C.

#### BRONZE MEDALLION

J. Batt	D. Jordan
R. Calder	J. Lewis
J. Colley	G. Martin
H. Craig	G. Meecham
D. Cran	I. McGregor
P. Driscoll	D. Mackintosh
K. Eatt	P. Payne
D. Eyres	S. Price
T. Flintoff	M. Rees
H. Gullett	M. Slee
G. Griffiths	D. Stewart
B. Guzder	D. Sutherland
P. Haabjoern	D. Thomson
J. Harriot	J. Vernon
R. Hugall	A. Wray
J. James	

### INTERMEDIATE STAR

W. Bird	P. Lamb
R. Cann	G. Maitland
I. Dawson	J. Mercer
J. Darbyshire	E. Munro
J. Evans	J. Oliver
B. Haig	M. Pearce
P. Hill	R. Pettit
G. Harrison	

### AWARD OF MERIT

P. Chivers	J. Sutherland
R Hines	

### BRONZE CROSS R. Hines

### **PROFICIENCY**

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A. Ben C. Ros		R.	Cook

Total: 53

P. J. R. C.

### TABLE TENNIS

It is difficult to understand the lack of combined enthusiasm in the continual stream of table tennis tyrants, mainly from "6B", flocking at every opportunity to the green slab to join the circular queue of "bat-kinis" all vying for a winning run. Certainly the lads have their own makeshift rules (a maximum of three consecutive games, for instance) and the thought of a club has been suggested, but sadly ignored.

Conditions are bearable, though the table is bolstered on one side because of a slope in the floor and the net is a little aged and worse for wear. Play is a little cramped as regards width, a spectators' bench being mainly responsible, but with concerted organisation, rosters could be arranged to regulate the number of waiting "noise boys" on the sidelines. Funds, organised from members, would assure a regular supply of balls, and bats if necessary) and a committee could organise tournaments and a bumper-board.

A club must surely be formed in the near future; a competent coach might even be found—who knows?

M. H. L.

The Table Tennis team played in the High Schools Competition in Boans on Saturday mornings during second term.

The team had a successful season, winning seven of the nine matches played. This record put us in the semi-finals. Playing Wesley, we were narrowly beaten 6-5 in a close match. Wesley went on to beat Scotch by a larger margin in the final.

G. Long was captain of the team; the other players being G. Waring and H. Read. Mr. Long obliged by taking us and bringing us home from town.

— G. W.

### ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

ROUGH JUSTICE
B. Clement, VI B-H
(Awarded First Prize)

The old chieftain rose slowly to his feet, his wrinkled face grim. The elders, a line of white-haired old sages, sat in an immovable row behind him.

Before the council, very sulky of countenance, stood a large aborigine, securely held by two young bucks whose usually smiling faces now showed the solemnity of the occasion.

As the chieftain drew himself up a murmur of anticipation and fear ran through the tribe, assembled to hear the sentence.

Quietly, deliberately, the old man began to speak. As his speach progressed his voice rose and he became more and more excited, gesturing wildly all the while. Nearing the finish of his harangue his voice rose to a furious crescendo and he stabbed with a trembling index finger towards the rugged line of hills to the west.

A sigh escaped the group of warriors and lubras who looked on. The two bucks released the sulky one who, without a backward look turned and began to run with a long, mile-consuming stride, towards the west.

The tribe and elders turned once more to their camp-fires beneath the mulga trees. The accused had four hours—till sundown.

(Perhaps the above needs some explanation. It is the custom amongst certain aboriginal tribes dwelling in Central Australia, to sentence their murderers and those who have committed other such heinous crimes to "run from death". This "run from death" means literally what it says. The accused person is given a cer-

tain amount of time to get clear of the camp, and on the expiration of this time, the warriors and young bucks are set on his trail. Their job is to run the victim down and slay him. The pursued is allowed no weapons. If the fugitive escapes —well and good, but he is banished from the tribe. But to escape such trackers as the aborigines one would have to be either lucky or very skilful. The sulky aborigine above was sentenced to run from death as a punishment for defiling a sacred place which was taboo to him.)

Slowly the flery ball of the sun dropped towards the western horizon. The warriors collected their spears and moved towards their chief.

The old man shouted an order, the natives raced off towards the west, the sun had touched the hills—the hunt was on.

Like dingoes on the trail of a wounded sheep the huntsmen sped along their quarry's track. Silent, purposeful, they rushed on. There was honour in killing the fugitive, and all were eager to earn it. Besides this man had disgraced their tribe with his deed.

Suddenly they stopped and then deployed. The hunted had taken to an outcrop of rock, fully fifteen miles in circumference; he could have left it anywhere.

Painstakingly the aborigines began to comb the perimeter of the outcrop. Little groups moved hither and yon in their search. The light began to fail, soon it would be too dark to see, the search quickened. At last a man gave an exclamation and bent double over something caught on a low bush. It was part of the fugitive's anklet. Here he had crossed to a further belt of rocks to continue his flight.

The natives re-gathered as darkness fell and prepared to camp the night. In the morning they would have to encircle the boundaries of this new outcrop of stone.

Nightfall the following day saw the hunters thirty miles beyond their previous night's camp. At mid-day they had crossed the range of hills and they were now on the sandplain beyond. The hunted man had shown great caution up till now. He had taken advantage of every outcrop, every stone, every irregularity of the ground to hide his footsteps.

But now, on the open sandplain, he had thrown caution to the winds and, obviously thinking his twistings and turnings on the rocks in the hills enough to slow considerably if not stop his pursuers, had begun to rely on his speed to outdistance those behind.

The hunters again made camp, as it was useless to try to track in the dark. Their prey would not be spending much time sleeping. By morning he would have gained about ten hours' journeying on them.

At dawn they again loped off on the spore. No-one had eaten for almost two days now, although they had managed to obtain water. It was the law that they should not eat till they either caught the fugitive or gave up the hunt.

Soon the watchful eyes of the swiftly moving natives noted a buzzard drop from the sky, and another, then another. They gradually neared the spot where the birds had dropped.

As they approached the scavengers rose with a flurry of wings from a narrow gully in the rocks.

One by one, as silently and as purposefully as the buzzards, the blacks dropped into the gully. There beside a small water hole lay what remained of a man.

Here was their fugitive (for his anklets compared with the piece found on the bush); after nearly sixty miles of chase he had evaded their vengeance.

A brief council was held—what had killed the man?

Under a bush on the side of the gully lay coiled six feet of sinuous fury. Disturbed by the murmur of voices the taipan slid easily away.

### ODYSSEY

G. L. Dunham, VI A-S
(Awarded Second Prize)

The pink reflection of a whale-oil lamp hung suspended in a small reed-fringed pool, and now and again was shattered by a swirl of wind. The features of the solitary man seemed to waver and contort as the lamp flickered. The lords of the little pools, the bullfrogs, answered one another with a pompous "boom!", they seemed, to the waiting figure, like the drummers of an invisible army which surrounded him and leered at him, for the light of his lamp was reflected by the eyes of unseen Beings which glared at him malevolently, at first from a distance, then growing bolder.

He repeatedly told himself that there were no predators harmful to man near the Swan River Colony—unless you considered the aborigines as predators—but a small insistent voice, known as the "sixth sense" or "instinct" alerted his other five senses, and to add to his discomfort the wind dropped and an unfriendly grey mist rolled off the Swan River.

Bewildered by the strangeness of it all, dulled by the strong fumes from the lamp. he pictured the last year in his mind. He had lent some of the firm's money to a "friend" who had promptly disappeared he had been given the choice of Dartmoor and publicity of an unpleasant nature, or the Swan River Colony and obscurity. His family chose the latter, settled the account with the firm and bundled him on the next packet bound for Fremantle. He remembered vividly the bleakness of Fremantle about 1850 and his subsequent arrival, after a day's journey by bullock waggon, at the infamous Swan River Colony.

He, who a few months before had been addressed perhaps "The Honourable ——" and destined for a distinguished career as a banker or barrister in England, was now reduced to living in a small stone hut on the eastern bank of the Swan amongst

other "remittance men", menaced by natives, snakes and other horrors (as they seemed to him), far from the culture of England, and supported by a meagre remittance from his family, which arrived on the mail-packet twice a year.

However, he thought, there was one thing that lightened the gloom. Saturday night, dressed in their best (which had seen better days), he and four or five other remittance men met, and by the light of a lantern slowly walked in single file for a few hundred yards, crossing the muddy track which is now the approach to the eastern end of the Causeway, and continuing for two hundred vards until they reached a large white stone house, well back from the river and standing on sloping ground. Fruit trees brought from England surrounded the house on three sides and the front commanded a fine view of the river.

The remittance men would pause to make sure that they were presentable, then summoning their courage they would knock at the front door and be admitted by a servant. Passing near the kitchen. the warm smell of baking bread assailed them and they glimpsed the lady of the house busy at the stove. They recalled all that they had heard about her. Once when the master of the house was away on business, a small band of natives attacked the house, hurling their spears on the roof. She did not know one end of a gun from another, but she pushed it through a window-luckily barrel firstand pulled the trigger, scattering the natives in terror. On another occasion she had caught Sam, the local bad boy, stealing food in the kitchen. As he made through the window she hurled a loaf of bread at him, hitting him on the head. Sam, being slightly simple, was so impressed with this lady's unerring aim that he returned to congratulate her and was soundly lectured.

But this is digressing, and the men continued on their way to the master's study, glancing around them and taking in every detail, for this one night a week was their only link with a life they missed so much. Little can be said about their appearance, except that it was noticed by the servants that each man clutched something in his pocket, and the servants would not have dared to ask what their business was, such was the social system of those days. Their names are not known nor anything about their past lives, except that they had been banished by their families, usually for the most trifling misdeeds.

Entering the study, they greeted the master of the house who asked them to be seated. Then came the great moment they had all been awaiting eagerly. Each man produced from his pocket his one treasure, a copy of Homer's "Odyssey" or the works of Aristotle or those of Socrates, written by Plato, and the works of other writers of ancient Greece. The six men took turns to read aloud in Greek and then they would discuss and criticise what they had read.

Late at night the remittance men would quietly leave, and each silent with his own thoughts, they would walk back to their huts like five grey ghosts—their "Odyssey" over for the week.

All this happened about 110 years ago when Perth was little more than a few houses built around a swamp. About 20 years ago the white house was demolished, the remittance men had long since died.

Should you pass over the Causeway, on a Saturday night, you may even yet see five dim figures, one carrying a lantern, and slowly wending their way in single file along the eastern bank of the Swan, their thoughts removed to the days of ancient Greece.

### VARIATION ON A SIMPLE THEME

F. H. Gillett, VIB-H
Awarded 3rd Prize

Although, if the truth were to be known, only a relic of the earliest days, Constable Droplet was admired and respected by everyone who visited the great holiday island of Rottnest. Not only the people loved him, but almost every ani-

mate creature worshipped his grace and his just ways: for it was he who was the sole representative of the law.

Every evening, as the larger hand of the island's only reliable clock moved towards the uppermost portion of the clock face—thereby signifying the time for admission to the pub, Archibald, as he was affectionately known by the holidaymakers, would proceed towards the bar. With a sweeping gesture of his gnarled hand, he pushed his cap back from over his eyes and rose from the position he had occupied since early morning. beach was his haven and even the most gruesome crimes would not budge him from that delightful spot. He continued his activity by ambling across the road and raising his cap to every female inhabitant who was under the age of thirtythree. Thus he cultivated extreme popularity towards himself by merely maintaining the standard of his life of somnolence.

Then old age took its toll. All the people and animals turned out and went to the funeral, and all the quokkas solemnly bowed their heads as the fruit case, bearing the lifeless body, was lowered into the grave on the summit of Quokka Hill. Even the ants had admired old Archibald and their leader—a small, lively individual whose fame stretched all over the island domain of the ants—made a pact with the quokkas to the effect that the grave would be left untouched and that the old man's bones would be eternally honoured.

Meanwhile, in the hustle and bustle of Perth, the Chief of Police busied himself and appointed a successor to Archibald. Unfortunately the Chief chose a man who was conscientious and who would work hard and maintain the apparent reputation of the Rottnest police force. But the Chief appointed him on the assumption that there were no sinners on the fabulous "Isle of Girls", as no crimes were reported by Constable Droplet. Nevertheless, he appointed Sergeant Bazooka to the post and, at the same time, turned the feelings of the inhabitants directly against Law and Order.

Initially, Sergeant Bazooka stipulated that the pub should not be open for more than five hours a day—a vast change from the almost constant availability of liquor in the "good old times", and made great attempts to civilize the people.

However, the leader of the quokkas came to the rescue and again united with the ant, in order to have the arrogant policeman recalled to the mainland, where his zealous attitude might be put to some use.

By day, he was constantly pestered by the ants, and by night he was harried by the valiant quokkas. At the break of day, the ant would attach himself to an article of Bazooka's clothing and would proceed to wear down his patience gradually to reduce him to fits of anger and wrathful cursing.

The quokkas would continue the attack on Bazooka's nerves just after he had settled down in bed, prepared himself for a peaceful sleep. Firstly, the bedclothes would be tugged off the bed and then, while Bazooka was gathering up the sheets, the quokkas would set to work on his mattress.

Still the Sergeant hung on to his post and it seemed as if the efforts were in vain. Obviously greater forces were needed, so the complete ant population united with the quokkas in a last desperate attempt to oust the scoundrel who was limiting their freedom.

The time chosen was perfect. Just before the "Islander" was due to sail for Perth, the quokkas and ants surrounded the Sergeant. The ants swarmed onto his clothes and the quokkas, in a violent rush, herded him to the boat. There was no chance of a fight, for the ants didn't remain idle and the Sergeant could only run for his life.

On their return to the settlement the quokkas and ants were lauded for having saved the island; but modestly turned down offers of reward by merely stating that "Unity is strength".

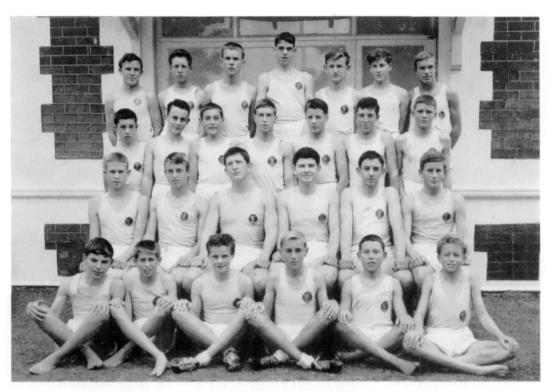


THE ATHLETIC TEAM, 1959
(1) Open and Under 17

Back Row (l. to r.): J. C. Muir, P. Pittendrigh, P. Browne-Cooper, R. A. Smith, M. Gordon, P. Walsh, B. Clement, R. J. Cooper, J. McManus.

Middle Row (l. to r.): C. Stevens, A. Gladwin-Grove, F. Gillett, M. Cann, J. Thanos, R. Jones, E. Culley.

Front Row (l. to r.): R. Horton, J. W. S. Maddams (Vice-Capt.), P. Atkinson (Capt.), D. Oakley. M. Leach.



THE ATHLETIC TEAM, 1959
(2) Under 16 Age Groups

Back Row (l. to r.); D. Rocchi, D. Ryan, H. Fraser, R. Gawned, R. Lee, J. Andrew, J. Rossiter. Middle Row-Standing (l. to r.); I. Rischbeith, E. Wheatley, D. Cran, D. M. Cook, D. Annear, W. Grover, P. Lamb. Middle Row-Seated (l. to r.): A. Meecham, D. Hamilton, J. Brazier, K. Scott, P. Giles, M. Broadhurst. Front Row (l. to r.): W. Flintoff, R. Faull, J. Harrison, G. Maitland, A. Ruse, M. Lefroy.

### THE TROUBLE WITH BEING SICK

### B. Beresford, VIB-H

Before anything else I would just like to point out that my grandfather is not the type of man who is given to idle chatter. He is, however, ready, at all times, to give you his views on one subject—"Sickness".

Now last Sunday evening the doctor left us with the knowledge that my young sister, Sylvia, who had been off-colour for about a week, was suffering from a mild attack of Tonsilitis. Nothing really serious, you understand, but nonetheless enough to keep her away from school for a few days. When my younger brother, Roger, realised this he became green with envy. He made some cutting remark (in that horrible whining tone he always uses when annoyed or exasperated) about certain people who "put things on" just so that they can miss a day or two of school. He was just about to say some other nasty thing when my grandfather, who had dropped in for a chat, seized this opportunity to "take up" his pet subject and said, "You will have a better time at school than she will at home, my boy, she will be sick, and nobody enjoys being sick. In fact, that is the main trouble with being sick; one is never well enough to enjoy it.

"I remember," he continued, "when I was a child of four, that my one great desire was to have my tonsils removed. I used to visualise myself sitting happily up in one of those large comfortable hospital beds, laden with various kinds of sweets, new books, and other assorted presents bestowed upon me by my generous friends and loving relations. Yes, I could just see that big jug of icy cold cordial within easy reach, and that kindly nurse gliding towards me with a large plate of jelly or ice cream.

"When, however, shortly before my fifth birthday, I found myself sitting up in that large, comfortable, hospital bed with my tonsils removed, I realised, for the first time, that I had forgotten about one thing: the condition of my throat.

Was it sore! I did not feel like eating jelly, or ice cream, or sweets, or, for that matter, anything. I did not feel in the mood to play with my new toys, or read my new books. Yes, I had everything that I had once longed for but, unfortunately, I was too sick to enjoy it.

"As I grew older and began to think about other things beside pictures, cool drinks, and all-day suckers, sickness held only one attraction for me. That one attraction, which was the though of spending a week or two in hospital with some of the delightful little nurses was, however, enough to make me do my level best to catch a form of 'flu' which was going around at that time.

"It was not until I had succeeded in catching this sickness, and had spent an hour or two in hospital, that my eyes began first, to water, then to close up. Soon after I discovered, to my horror, that this was the main effect of the 'flu. The following fortnight I spent in trying to make out, through my misty, 'clogged-up' eyes, the shapely figures of one or two of the trainee nurses. Yes, once again, I was too ill to benefit from the promising situation in which I found myself.

"The only other time in my life that I really wanted to be sick," my grandfather went on, "was once during the war, when, after a few days hard fighting I thought that a few days rest would not go astray. Therefore, pretending to be sick, I hobbled along to the R.A.P. The doctor who examined me, however, must have known even less than the average army doctor, because, after a quick examination I was rushed into hospital in what he said was a very serious condition. Thus, with everybody about me convinced that I was at death's door, 'my week's rest' consisted of about forty injections, ten X-rays of various parts of my anatomy, and a blood transfusion. I was, it seemed, too sick to be given any rest whatsoever, and when they eventually discovered that there really wasn't anything wrong with me at all I was overjoyed to be able to return, once more, to the comparative peace and quiet of the front line."

My grandfather stopped talking at this point, and Dad, making the best use of this, the first opportunity which had afforded itself, pointed out that time had marched steadily on and it was high time we all went to bed. My grandfather reluctantly agreed and ten minutes later the lounge room was deserted.

If nothing else, my grandfather's lengthy discourse succeeded in convincing young Roger that Sylvia was not so lucky after all, and the following morning he went quite willingly off to school.

## THE BABOON AND THE LION J. Carr, V L

One day, in the wild jungles of Africa, a baboon was basking in the glorious sunshine when he became aware of his old enemy, the lion, prowling around at the base of his gum tree. Pretending not to see the lion he watched the cunning beast draw a dead deer over to the tree. Now, the baboon liked deer more than anything, and as he watched the lion hide, he began to wonder how he could play a trick on the lion and get the deer as well.

The baboon had played many tricks on poor old Leo, and their relationships were not the best. This trick, however, really sealed the lion in hate and everlasting revenge.

In the jungle, there lives a very small insect, so very small that one would never expect all the jungle land animals to be afraid of it. Such a small insect, but—a man-eater! This flesh-eating insect is none other than the "driver ant". Every time it places its fierce jaws into the flesh of an animal, the animal acts by instinct and makes a beeline for the water, in order to drown his foe.

Now, who should be coming towards the dead deer, but a swarm of driver ants (they always tramp in immense numbers). The baboon spied the foes and had an inspiration. Swinging down to the ground, the baboon placed himself between the ants and the lion, so that it gave the lion the impression that the baboon was eating the deer, and so that the lion could not see the ants.

"Ah!" thought the lion, "sweet revenge at long last!" And so saying, he prepared to strike.

The baboon, watching the lion secretly, saw the evil leer appear and the nails flash.

The baboon, with nerves a-tingling, watched the lion, and at the same time made sure to keep clear of the ants and pretend to be studying the deer.

The lion made up his mind and, with body a-quiver, he crouched, balanced, and sprang!

In the same instant, the baboon sidestepped and swung up into the trees to watch the lion's plight. For the lion had landed amidst the ants and was already on his way for the river! "Out of sight, out of mind!"

### CRAGG TOPS

R. M. Sassella

I shall always remember that sight.

I arrived at Cragg Tops on a beautiful, clear, sunny day. The sky was a beautiful pale blue with hardly a cloud to mark it. The hot sun shone down on the mountains of rock which looked like the battlements of an ancient castle after a battle.

Nestled between two great mountains of rock was a big, old house, battered by many years weathering. It's crumbling down, making it look like a dignified, battle-scarred old General. stone walls, also, like the towers, were crumbling, its many broken windows overlooked the great cliff and the sea below. The spray from the sea sometimes reached the windows, wetting your face when looking out to sea. Thousands of sea birds of all kinds cried and circled around, all their cries mingling together creating a deafening sound that made you cover your ears. If you could stand the noise you might be able to distinguish the cry of a seagull or of a mollyhawk.

### THE TIMIDITY OF THE FINCH

C. J. Nicholson, IV L

The zebra finch is one of the most timid of cage birds that I know.

If any person should walk past their cage, or stop to watch them, they will immediately flutter around, jumping from one perch to another, twittering loudly, pausing to survey the "intruder" for a second, only to fly into another tantrum. After the person has passed, they sit on the edges of the nests in the furthest corner of the cage, their little chestnut breasts heaving like miniature bellows and with startled glances watch for further "intruders".

Having calmed down, normal daily tasks are resumed, one bird perhaps greedily gobbling large quantities of panicum, having one last enormous feed before beginning a long fast of about two hours. Perhaps another is busily pecking and scratching at remaining scraps of their daily ration of grass, while one selects choice pieces for adding to the three or four layers of rotting nesting materials and eggs, in a nest, vainly cleaned out a few weeks before, only to be pounced upon by a female finch, which would seemingly lay an unending quantity of eggs, some of which would perhaps hatch into more finches, just as timid as their ancestors.

### THE SKY WRITER

(Awarded the Middle School Poetry Prize)

Once I saw an aeroplane, Writing up there high: Curves that stretch and stretch again, White upon the sky. Like a graceful swallow there, Darting in its flight; As it turns and banks and wheels. It flicks a silvery light. Like a graceful flying sloop, Leaving in its wake; Purest white in winding loop, Across the sky's blue lake. But look! As thawing snow its trail Quite soon melts away; The little silver bird has gone, Until another day. -B. Stewart, S.J.G.

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### MY LITTLE DOG

J. Douglas, S.J.E.

I have a young dog all black and brown, The things he does would make you frown. Today he killed a neighbour's chook, They said if it happens again they will give him to the cook.

### GOLDFISH

Robert Broertjes, IV L

Goldfish are definitely the most beautiful of all the aquarium fish. They range from highly coloured tropical fish to the rather dull golden ones. There are countless varieties all over the world. Goldfish originated in China although the most beautiful ones now come from Japan.

If you wish to keep many goldfish and go in for breeding in a big way you must have two large outside pools, a large one and a small one. Both pools must have a deep end of about seven feet. The best spawning weeds are Ambullia and Cabomba. The fish have a strange way of spawning. When the female has a large supply of eggs the male crushes the female against a rock and squeezes the eggs out. After this has happened the male puts a thin white liquid over the eggs. The breeder must then put the eggs into a separate pool otherwise the other fish will eat them.

When the eggs hatch they are usually fed on raw egg yolk. Gradually, as they get older, you can start feeding them on rough foods. Great care has to be exhibited in feeding goldfish because more fish die of overfeeding than any other malady.

Perhaps the strangest type of goldfish is the Chinese-bred Telescope-eyed Veiltail. Unfortunately the expensive tropical fish are very susceptible to diseases. Sometimes goldfish are attacked by fish lice. These are tiny creatures which suck the fish's blood. The best way to get rid of them is by taking them off with tweezers. After this, if a large area was damaged, paint it with mercurochrome. The most dangerous disease is tuberculosis.

The most profitable time to sell gold-fish is when they have matured and have plenty of colour. If you have to sell them when they're young the buyer will not pay more than 2/6 which is about one-quarter of the price of a matured fish.

### ACROSS THE AUSTRALIAN BIGHT

(Published anonymously in the interests of domestic harmony.—Editor.)

I was travelling with my family on board the "Westralia". We were journeying to Sydney to visit my grandmother whom we had not seen for quite some time.

We had left Fremantle two days previously and had by this time begun to cross the Great Australian Bight.

As usual at this time of the year the weather was unreliable and after two days of flat, almost glassy, sea, the wind suddenly sprang up and caused the sky to change to a rough foaming mass of water. The "Westralia's" crew seemed to become much busier with this change, while the ship itself rose and plunged into the oncoming waves.

Meanwhile in my cabin everything from the chair to the glass on the ledge had begun to move with the motion of the ship. To my great surprise something dropped to the floor, missing my head by a matter of inches: it was my father's false teeth which had fallen from his mouth as he leaned over to speak to me from the upper bunk.

Poor Dad could not leave the cabin until we reached Sydney because the denture had broken and he looked so funny without his teeth.

### A HUMOROUS INCIDENT

Tony Allan, S.J.E.

I was sitting outside our place in Dalkeith watching my dog, Ginger, who was playing with a lump of weathered cardboard, when through a small hole in the fence came an equally small, but impudent young pup. Now pups, as you know, like to play and this one knew well how to start some mischief. Ginger, who was quite an experienced and wary old hand and consequently had an eye for trouble, didn't think much of this little bit of fur

and fat, so instead of paying any attention he went on playing. Evidently this did not please the pup at all and very soon the pup nipped him for encouragement.

As I have already mentioned, Ginger is aging, and the nips only infuriated him further. He tried without any success to strike back at the elusive ball of fur. But not so. The pup was all over him, nipping his ears, flanks, legs and nose. The pup had won the first found but the second was just starting, for the two fighters were now chasing each other around the yard, through the shed upsetting tins of nails and other tools, under shrubs and trees, the elder dog trying to get a snap at the wagging tail ahead. Eventually he got his wish for, from the back corner of the yard, I heard yelps of pain from the pup. Five minutes later through the same hole in the fence went the same pup, but in a much sorrier state than when it had previously made its entry. It not only had its head and tail hung low, and some lumps of grey fur missing from its hindquarters, but also, I'm sure, the pup had a much subdued sense of its original humour.

Behind stood the victor, watching the vanquished making a quick exit.

That pup, I am sure, will think twice about making its appearance in our back-yard again.

## THE LOSS OF THE CITY OF YORK G. Haberfeld, V L

A few years ago, a team of skin-divers from Perth found the wreck of an old sailing ship, crumpled in the reefs, off "West End", the most western point of Rottnest Island. The wreck was that of the "City of York", a British barque of 1,218 tons bound for home with a cargo consisting chiefly of dressed timber.

The 12th of July, 1899, had been a wild day. Huge seas had crashed over the long chains of reefs guarding the western end of the island and all day long rain squalls accompanied by strong gusts of wind had swept across the island.

As the day drew to an early close, Lighthousekeeper Baird, on watch at the main lighthouse, saw the dim outline of a ship under full sail rapidly heading for the island from the North-West. Accordingly, as was his duty, he rang the pilot station and reported the approach of this unidentified vessel.

Meanwhile, the pilot boat had been launched, and headed for the boarding ground. This boat was under the command of Captain Abrahamson, who had with him Captain Scott. Both men were experienced pilots!

By the time the pilot boat had reached the boarding ground night had fallen, but the crew sighted a ship, which happened to be the barque "America". Captain Abrahamson boarded her, and the pilot boat headed for the station once more. Soon after leaving the "America", the pilot boat sighted a second ship, a Norwegian barque. After giving instructions to the pilot boat's crew to head for Fremantle, Captain Scott boarded her.

A huge signal fire was observed on Lighthouse Hill and, since the pilot boat was not yet out of hailing distance from the barque, Captain Scott shouted instructions to the pilot crew not to sail to Fremantle but to make for their station at all possible speed to find the cause of the fire

It is to be inferred that neither the pilot crew nor Captain Scott connected the fire with the ill-fated "City of York", for it will be remembered that, just before dusk, Lighthouse Keeper Baird reported the approach of the vessel, but the only pilots at the station were already aboard two other ships. Before the turn of the century there was no means of signalling between the mainland and the island. Any urgent messages were sent to the mainland by heliograph during the day, and by fire by night. This fire was therefore thought to be the result of a serious accident on or near the island.

It was the duty of the crew of the pilot boat to sail to the island, find out the reason for the fire and then, in accordance with Captain Scott's orders, sail to Fremantle and report.

It was midnight when the pilot boat finally arrived at Fremantle with the tragic news that the "City of York" had run upon the reef just after 7.30, and was being battered by heavy seas.

The "City of York" burnt a blue light, a ship's call for a pilot, which was answered by a flare-up from the lighthouse, which stood about 2 miles back from the shore. The watch on board mistook the flare-up for an answering signal from the pilot crew and the "City of York" stood towards it! That moment, at which those on board thought themselves to be safe, was in reality fraught with the gravest danger. Little did they realize that between them and the signal flare, which they thought to have been fired by the pilot boat, was a raging, rushing, torrent of surf.

Too late they learnt the truth! Too late came the frantic frightened order, "'bout ship!" But there was not enough room to come about, and with a great shuddering jarring crash, the "City of York" grounded on the dangerous reef.

Those on board quickly launched two boats. Those in the mate's boat reached safety unhurt, with the exception of the apprentice who was injured when the boat was buffeted among the rocks. The captain's boat, however, was overturned and the captain, along with the second mate and nine other seamen, was drowned. The remaining five of the sixteen men who were in the boat were rescued by their West Indian cook who managed to haul them back on board. As it turned out, the "City of York" did not break up until some time afterwards, and had the whole ship's company stayed on board, probably none would have lost his life.

That is the story behind the wreckage discovered at West End recently.

### A MALAY WEDDING Y. K. Watt. IV L

It was a strange wedding and everything that happened during the ceremony astonished me. This was the first Malay Wedding I have been to. This wedding lasted seven days. It might seem queer to you that a wedding should last seven days.

A throne was made for the bride and bridegroom. The throne was composed of two chairs placed together. It was painted gold. This throne was placed at one end of the living room. The living room was meant for women only.

This wedding was like a torture for the young couple who were going to be married. The bride had to sit on the throne for three nights in succession. The bride sat from seven o'clock to 12 midnight. The groom had to sit two nights. On the sixth night the young couple were pronounced man and wife by a priest.

During the first night when I attended the wedding I was introduced to some of the people whom I met. At eight o'clock I had my dinner outside the house in the tents which were put up for this purpose. The women had their dinner in the living room. When they had finished their dinner they went out and the men went in to watch the bride or her groom who was sitting on the throne. The women resumed their places for the rest of the night, while the men spent the rest of the night playing cards, drinking, smoking in the tents. Each night the ceremony finished at one o'clock in the morning. On the fifth evening I wore my old clothes and brought the ones which I wore with me. The ceremony started by all the people throwing pails of water at each other.

On the sixth night the young couple are married. This was a very solemn night. The priest asked them questions—which were answered by the groom. It took two hours before they were actually pronounced man and wife. On the seventh evening there was a sort of tea-party where the couple entertained the guests and drank with them. This was the happiest day for the young couple.

## THE SNOW RESCUE A. A. Treadgold, IV L

### (Awarded the Middle School Prose Prize)

Rocketing down the side of Mt. Arthur, on skis, was John Langdon, with the wind whistling through his hair, and the ends of his scarf streaming out behind him. With a flurry of snow, he turned a bend, and ahead of him he could see the crevasse he had been over so many times before. As he watched, the great long hole seemed to rush at him. Almost at the last moment he pushed his sticks into the snow, and with the grace of a gliding eagle, fairly sailed over the crevasse.

Something deep down inside the great hole caught John's eye. It looked like a large red stain, like blood, but before a split second, he had landed, and was off down the mountain again. He thought no more about it as he was nearing the skilodge, and came to a stop in an enormous mound of powdery snow.

He casually took off his skis, and went into the lodge. Inside there was a great commotion. A new arrival at the skilodge had been missing for ten hours. He had been believed to be a bad skier, and a search party was just being organised.

In a flash John remembered the large red patch he had seen in the crevasse. It might have been blood from a gash in the head of a person, if he had fallen into the crevasse. John quickly told the party what he had seen as he grabbed a coil of rope, stuffed it into his belt, and started off towards the crevasse, with the whole search party following him.

The sun was setting in a blaze of yellow-gold and orange as they reached the great hole. About twenty-five feet down the side of the crevasse, was a thin ice ledge, stained with bright red blood, and on it a small limp figure, wearing skis.

John was slowly lowered down to the ledge, where still clutching the rope, he slung the person over his shoulder. The body felt cold and stiff, but was still alive, for John saw his eyes flicker open and shut. Giving the okay single, they were

slowly hauled up, and then came disaster. The rope snapped when only a few feet above the ledge. He fell heavily to it, with the person on top of him. Beads of perspiration broke out on John's forehead, as he felt the ledge shudder. By now it was too dark to see another rope, if it was lowered. So, taking a ski off the person, he tied an end of the rope he had in his belt to the ski, and hurled it up the side of the crevasse. Ten minutes later, after dozens of throws, the ski hooked on to something firm, and before long he found himself being slowly hauled up the crevasse once more. Upon reaching the top, many eager hands pulled them out. Suddenly there came a low roar from the inside of the crevasse, as the ice ledge collapsed. If he had been a minute later two lives would have been lost, but John had been lucky. As for the missing person, he was taken to hospital with a gashed head and fractured leg, he nearly lost his life, but thanks to John Langdon he was still alive.

### THE "BOTTOMLESS" WELL

B. R. Beetson, IV L

When we first shifted into 63 Lock St. it was a big ancient spectacle with a garden overgrown with shrubs and roses.

About 90 per cent. of the population of Lock St. are old people who have lived all their lives there and have remarkable memories.

One lady told us there had once been a windmill on our property, and it had to go down seventy feet before reaching water. The former owner of No.63 had poured tons of sand and bricks into the well left by the windmill but could not fill it.

We paid no attention to this rumour because there was no sign of the well then. We forgot about it until a few weeks ago during a heavy downpour of rain. A circular area of earth outside our kitchen window was starting to sink, leaving a round hole. We thought that the rain was causing the well to cave in. Dad noticed

that the water meter had recorded a loss of forty gallons of water overnight. There was also a "hiss" coming from under the ground near the collapse in the earth. Dad dug down over the noise, and discovered that a waterpipe had broken, water was pouring from it and washing the sand which was filling this "bottomless pit" between the cracks between the bricks. This explained the "caving in" process.

Now the pipe has been fixed, the small hole has been filled and everything is normal again.

### A JOURNEY TO THE TOP OF S. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL P. Foss, IV L

S. Paul's Cathedral, which is famous for its self-supporting dome, is the same colour as everything else in London—dirty grey. Inside in places it is quite light as the sun streams in from all over the place. But most of it is damp, dark and musty. Here are the entombed mortal remains of one or two people who were famous once and who have now faded into obscurity. Some dozen of those buried here are still famous. Up till not so long ago the remains of Dick Whittington's cat were embalmed in an air-tight case. Tests proved that it wasn't Dick Whittington's cat. I don't know what happened.

In the tourist season you may see a queue (the English simply love queues) outside a little door six feet by about one foot six. A little old man is seated outside on an old stool, while an equally aged man is seated inside the door in a little box-like room. The man outside croaks to the man inside that there are — adults and — children in the party. Now taking that you are a child and you want to go up a few galleries you have to pay sixpence.

You then can go up a few galleries as the different stories are called. Then you have to pay again. The fee is sixpence.

The next few galleries include the famous whispering gallery. All these galleries are round and this particular gallery is so shaped that when someone whispers it can be heard on the other side of the gallery.

The process of paying sixpence goes on till you have payed about five shillings, then you reach the top dome and look out across London. Some of the preceding galleries have doors out onto balconies. On these there are only wrought iron "fences" to save you from falling over the edge. Rather a tummy-turning experience.



Ist XV, 1959

Back Row (l. to r.): J. Quirk, J. Akerman, A. Drok, J. Miall, M. Gordon, B. Copley.

Middle Row (l. to r.): E. Antill, I. Griffith, R. Laney, I. Fry, D. Straham, G. Samson, J. Thanos.

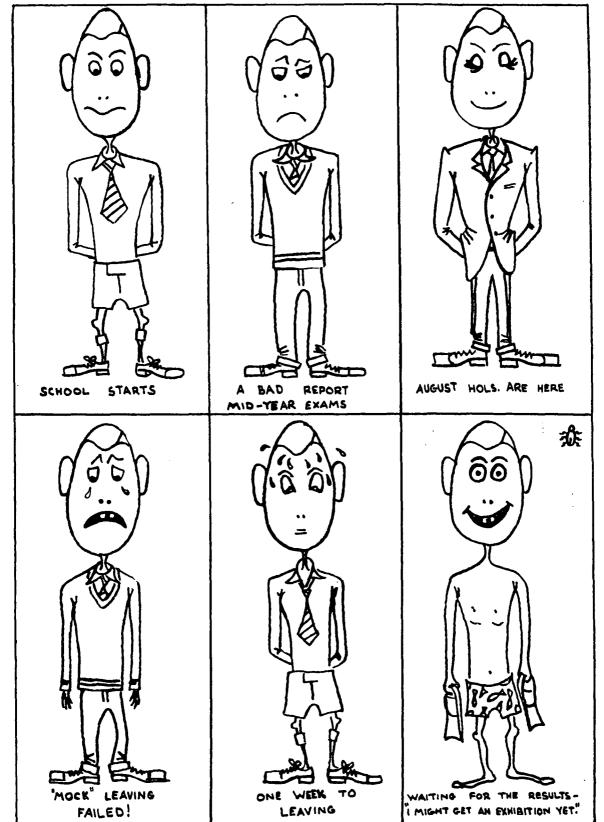
Front Row (l. to r.): E. R. Stanley, R. Horton, Mr. P. Naish, P. Atkinson (Capt.), Mr. C. Stoate, D. Jenkins,

J. Sutherland.



TENNIS TEAM. 1959

Back Row (l. to r.): M. Halleen, A. Allan, J. Tennant, B. Cooper, T. Pollock.
Front Row (l. to r.): D. Rocchi, Mr. P. Naish, G. Walsh, (Capt.), Mr. J. Jones, R. Boland.







### PREPARATORY SCHOOL SECTION

Again we can claim a successful year and now have more than 250 boys in the Preparatory School. A record 71 will move into Middle School next year.

Mr. Brenton-Coward left at the end of 1958 to enter Theological College and we welcomed Mr. Pate to the Staff. The fact that Mr. Pate is a former Captain of the School has been of particular interest to us.

One of the main reasons for each year being so happy in the Prep. School is the help given by parents in providing transport for various events and in acting as officials at sporting events. This year has been no exception, and we are grateful for their interest.

### CHAPEL NOTES

Chapel this year has run very smoothly. Every Friday we have gone down to Christ Church Chapel for morning prayers. We have been helped by the Safety Club in Queenslea Drive where the boys cross.

During the rest of the week we have chapel in the Hall. The lesson is read every day by different boys from P7 P and P7 R. On Thursday we have hymn practice with Mr. Woodend.

Each Friday we have a collection which goes to the Missions.

P7R act as choir throughout the year.

The year has run very smoothly and the monitors did a good job.

### THE LIBRARY, 1959

The Prep. School Library has been a great success during this year.

Mr. Rolfe has organised it very well, and a great number of books have been added to its shelves.

A new system has been introduced recently which is more helpful to both boys and Librarians.

The new S.R.A. system has increased the standard of the boys reading, and the number of books read. Yes, on the whole, the library has been a great success.

-T. A. Holmes.

### CONCERT

Attractive costumes made by the mothers, some excellent acting by boys, and outstanding class singing were features of this year's concert.

"The Trail of the Knave of Hearts", presented by P4; "St. George and the Dragon" by P6, and "Androcles and the Lion", by P7, kept the large audience in a happy mood.

## CHRIST CHURCH GRAMMAR SCHOOL SAFETY CLUB

by Captain, E. Drok

The aims of the "Safety Club" are, amongst other things, to check cycles and to see that hand signals are given at the right time and place.

My lieutenants and myself have had several bicycle inspections this year, all of which were highly successful as many cycles didn't have registration plates or bells. All brakes were in order, which was rather a surprise.

Other jobs that we do are: bring the boys to chapel in Friday morning; to change safety posters each week; and to have a court on Friday lunchtimes.

On Monday we change safety posters from one class to another, which gives each boy a chance to take heed of them.

On Friday we have a court for the boy we find "scooting" or not giving hand signals or committing other similar offences. The punishments or fines are to clean up the rooms or grounds.

It is often hard to please both masters and boys, but we try our hardest at all times.

### CRICKET, 1959

The cricket programme for the first term was stimulated by the introduction of an inter-house competition with all boys taking part. Each of the four houses were divided into three teams and each team played in its own age group. Interest was well maintained and a close competition resulted. Romsey House narrowly defeated Craigie in the final count.

A full round of inter-school matches was completed. The school continued its policy of giving as many boys as possible games against other schools. We were still able to win as many games as we lost. The most successful teams were the Under 12 "B" and Under 10 "A". Both these teams played five games and won four.

There are too many good individual performances to mention all; however, John Macartney had a very good season and ably captained the 1st XI. John Maley deserves congratulation for a capable 62 against Guildford early in the season and we hope all those other promising batsmen, bowlers and fielders will be better than ever next season.

### **FOOTBALL**

A total of 36 inter-school matches were played, making a very busy season when added to House matches.

The House competition was won by Queenslea, due in no small part to the excellent play of Criddle and Sands.

Criddle, Sands, Pitt, Gilchrist and Ashley House were the outstanding players of the season.

### ATHLETIC MEETING, OCTOBER, 1959

On the 20th October, Hale School, Scotch College, St. Louis School, Guildford Grammar School and Christ Church held an eventful athletic meeting, at Guildford Grammar School. The races were from the age groups Under 9 to Under 13 and Open.

All teams were well represented, a credit to the hardworking sports masters, and although in most races there was a strong headwind it did not affect any team greatly. The boys from the various schools, and the competitors, presented a colourful scene with their brightly coloured uniforms and singlets.

The Christ Church entrants for the Under 13 100 yards met very keen competition and were unable to gain a place; but M. Lefroy and J. Henderson, our Under 12 runners in the "A" and "B" Divisions respectively, 100 yards, both gained first place, with quite fair times in spite of the headwind. D. Coulter, Under 13 "B" Division 100 yards, came a close second in his race; our congratulations to the Hale boy, who won with a really splendid performance. Under 11 runners from Christ Church managed to obtain good positions in their races, and the Under 10, Under 9 runners put up a determined effort, too.

In the hurdling events it was evident that all the competitors were extremely keen, M. Lefroy winning the Under 12 60 yards Hurdles, "A" Division. However, we missed L. Criddle for the Under 13 hurdles, as he injured himself while broadjumping.

High jump and Broad jump events were not conspicuously successful for Christ Church, although J. Henderson did very well to come second in the Under 12 Broad jump; however, the school was well satisfied with the team spirit shown by its representatives in these events.

Shuttle relays were run by the Under 9, Under 10 and Under 11 age groups, and great enthusiasm was shown by both competitors and spectators. The circular relays were distinguished by the fighting spirit shown by all teams. In these age groups, Open, Under 13 "A" and "B", and Under 12 "A" and "B", Christ Church was outclassed a few times in speed but not in determination.

All in all the afternoon was a great success, and attracted a large crowd. The meeting was splendidly organized, each event going without a hitch; our congratulations to Guildford for preparing such a smooth-running meeting, and to our four rival schools for the keen competition that they gave us.

> J. Henderson. M. Mackie. D. Coulter. C. Little.

### ATHLETICS

Medallions were awarded this year to the following boys:

- M. Kirkman, Under 6 50 yards, 9.5 secs. C. Burridge, Under 7 50 yards, 8.7 secs.
- R. Cooper, Under 8 50 yards, 8 secs.
- C. Robinson, Under 9 50 yards, 7.8 secs.C. Bowers, Under 10 50 yards, 6.9 secs. (Rec.)
- M. Bibby, Under 11 75 yards, 10.6 secs.
- A. Lee, Under 13 100 yards, 13.2 secs.
- I. Cook, Open 100 yards, 13.5 secs.
- I. Mitchell, Under 11 Hurdles, Broad Jump
- and High Jump. M. Lefroy, Under 12 100 yards, Hurdles, Broad Jump and High Jump.
- L. Criddle, Under 13 Hurdles and Broad Jump.
- A. Ruse, Under 13 High Jump, 4ft. 9ins. (Record).

### INTER-HOUSE SWIMMING

by J. Macartney

The day was very favourable for our inter-house swimming sports.

The swimming was excellent in this exciting competition. Many records were broken too. Age groups right through the Prep. School competed, and most of the races were excitingly close.

Probably the most impressive swim was the Under 11 Freestyle, when the record was broken by an amazing three seconds. C. Riley was first, and Cann very close behind.

The faults were few in the swimming, except that in the breaststroke the boys were inclined to look sideways. A lot of the fathers helped to time-keep and an-All the boys expressed their thanks to the fathers. Everybody enjoyed these exciting swims and were leaping with excitement almost all the time. Romsey came first and Craigle came second to end the very pleasant morning's swimming competition.

### **SWIMMING**

Prep School champions were:

- J. Bookless, Under 13 Freestyle, Breaststroke and Diving.
- A. Ruse, Under 13 Backstroke.
- D. Gilchrist, Under 12, Freestyle and Backstroke. J. Macartney, Under 12 Breaststroke.
- C. Riley, Under 11 Freestyle.
- J. Cann, Under 11, Breaststroke and Backstroke.
- M. Bibby, Under 10, Freestyle.
- J. Rolfe, Under 10 Breaststroke.
- M. Price. Under 10 Backstroke.
- J. Henderson, Under 9 Freestyle.



PREPARATORY SCHOOL SWIMMING TEAM

Back Row: J. Wright, A. Ruse, G. Flintoff, I. Cook, N. Levinson, A. Lee, C. Riley, D. Law.
Third Row: J. Thomson, J. Loh, J. Rolfe, J. Macartney, G. Snook, R. Rudyard, R. Hammond, J. Henderson.
Second Row: J. Price, P. Goyder, R. Riley, J. Bookless, M. Bibby, M. Trimby, R. Sharpe.
Front Row: C. Bowers, T. Wyatt, G. Hanson, D. Gilchrist, J. Henderson, G. Cann.



PREPARATORY SCHOOL ATHLETIC TEAM, (1) (Senior)

Back Row: L. Scott, J. Dowson, R. Nixon, R. Darlington, B. Morris, I. Cook, D. Coulter. Third Row: W. Macartney, L. Criddle, T. Barber, A. Lee, N. Clancy, A. Stephens, R. Eatell, G. Higham, A. House. Second Row: P. Hopkin, R. Smith, J. Turner, J. A. Leach Esq., M. Lefroy, D. Gilchrist, A. Ruse. Front Row: C. Morris, J. Thomson, A. Scurry, J. Henderson, J. Loh.

## Preparatory School Original Contributions

### THE MAN FROM CALCUTTA

There was an old man from Calcutta,
Who spoke with a terrible stutter.
When he tried to say grace
He fell on his face,
And blew his false teeth in the butter.

- C. A. Little.

When the sharks swam off he saw something glittering in the sand. He swam down and picked it up. It was a large diamond brooch. At first he thought it was a piece of broken glass, but he soon saw it was a brooch, perhaps worth hundreds of pounds. He swam back to the lugger a happy man.

### MY PET

### R. Hammond, P6 K

My pet it is the queerest
That God has ever made,
But to me it is the dearest
With which I've ever played.
It sleeps under my pillow
At night in the dark,
My pet, a baby Armadillo
Who thinks life such a lark.

### THE LUCKY DIVER

C. Miles, P6 K

I once met a diver in the town of Broome who told me of his adventures under water.

One day in July he was going to dive for pearls about three miles out from Broome. When he reached the ocean floor he tripped and cut his oxygen tube. At first he was panicky and to make matters worse there were sharks. After a few seconds he calmed down and called the people on the lugger. He called again and again but it was useless. He had always carried a pair of aqua-lungs with him and he put them on. The only trouble now was to get clear of the sharks which were swimming around looking quite fearful. Suddenly one of the sharks charged at him; he ducked and was just in time because the shark was out to kill him.

### SHOW DAY M. Bibby, P6 K

On Saturday, it was bright and gay, And everyone was preparing for show day. The cattle, the horses and the sheep, And the strident blare of cars going "beep-beep".

It's such a hustle and a rush, With the cows and horses, food and mush. The excited chatter of the crowd, Makes the owners feel quite proud.

### TO LITTER BUGS

Banana skins and luncheon scraps; Paper bags and chocolate wraps; Broken bottles, orange peel, Do not make the place appeal. Visitors who see the place Go elsewhere and will tell About the paper and the smell, So put the paper in the bin And leave it nice to picnic in.

### MY CAT

W. T. Rischbieth, P6 K

I had a cat,
 Its name was Meow,
He caught a rat,
 While on the prowl.
One dark night,
 At about half past eleven,
He had a fight,
 And arrived in heaven.

### JIMMY JONES

There was a boy called Jimmy Jones, Who used to sing in very high tones, Once when he tried to sing very high, He opened his mouth and swallowed a fly.

### THE SEA

The sea is green, hiding schnappers and sharks.

And deep sea fish with eyes like sparks. The sea has corals, pink and white, And fish that shine all through the night.

The sea has whales and slippery eels, And wrecks of ships and old yacht keels. The sea has crayfish, lobsters and crabs, And many an octopus waiting to grab.

Deep down on the sandy ground Is where lustrous pearls are found. Although I think some pretty odd; They are all wonders made by God.

-Robert Garton-Smith, P7 R.

### MY PET

My pet is, or was, a black cockerspaniel. Dad bought him in Fremantle and named him Sambo, but his pedigree name was Black Baron. He was very small, thin and lively in his youth, but as his age extended he began to develop a sag in the middle and he used to sleep all day long.

One amusing incident in his latter days was when he was lying in the lounge room. It was at night and Mum was heading for the light switch on the other side. She had almost reached it when... "Ooops!"... She had tripped over something. She turned on the light switch but that revealed nothing to cause the trip across the floorboards. Then she took a glance behind a chair nearby, and there, whining softly to himself, was an innocent looking Sambo!

However, at the age of six some earlier sprightliness still remained and another amusing incident befell. At that time, our

new house had no clothesline, so we hung our washing on a clothes horse on the cement courtyard outside. Sambo, realizing that the courtyard had a warm surface, trundled across to a nice spot near the steps. He walked under the horse and a high arch in his back caught onto a rung. Then the clothes horse tipped and Sambo uttered a short, sharp cry, then continued on his voyage.

Mum heard the cry and raced out to see what it was. There, sitting as solemn as could be, was Sambo with a pair of underpants neatly balanced between two long, droopy ears.

Getting on to a cooler subject, Sambo loved swimming. He was always ready to dash in with great gusto, and have a lovely roll in the cool, tempting, refreshing water.

Whenever Sambo came out of the ocean or river he would arch his back then shake, and did he shake! Once we were rudely insulted by a lot of wet, soggy sunbathers.

Well, everything must come to an end. At the age of ten Sambo took his last visit to the vet, and even our housekeeper missed him. For every time she'd come into the lounge room and notice that there were no grass seeds on the lounge room carpet, she'd remember Sambo.

-Robert Garton-Smith, P7 R.

### THE STORM

The dawn is dark and overcast, Great rainclouds drift on high; The thunder travels far and fast Across the treacherous sky.

Forked lightning streaks out brilliant gold And lights the darkened skies; The pounding rain pours down threefold

And when the rain has passed away
The sun shines down once more,
And little robins chirp and play
Across the sunny moor.

And floods across the rise.

—P. F. Wetters, P7 R.

### THE SHOW

The Show is a very wonderful place, You wander round at a steady pace. A big arena as big as can be, We sit to watch, there's much to see.

To the sideshow alley we make our way, To watch an artist perform in the hay. Then to the Ghost Train we change our march,

To jump in a rail car and go under the arch.

People standing here and there, With microphones that blare, blare, blare. Fairy Floss from ear to ear, On thrilled spectators that shout and cheer.

Exhibitions from north to south, With many sweets to fill your mouth. Keep on going toe to toe, There's lots to see around the Show.

-B. J. A. Thurn, P5.

### "ROCKET"

Upon a town hall wall, one day, A notice there was boarded; To anyone who'd build a train Five hundred be awarded.

So Stephenson then set to work
To build one which was fine,
For thirty miles an hour 'twould go
Across a rugged line.

And when the first line opened,
The people flocked below
To see these early engines,
Which were thought to never go.

Four engines ran in this short race, But two of them just crawled. One small one would never start, Then it had to be hauled.

But Stephenson's train was the fastest, And Stephenson's train was the best. For thirty miles per hour it went; It surely passed the test.

-Robert Garton-Smith, P7 R.

## HOW I SPEND SUNDAY AFTERNOONS AT HOME

William Derham, P5

On Sunday afternoons I often go on outings to the beach. But when we do not go to the beach my parents, brothers and I generally go to the Darling Range.

On some occasions, however, I stay at home and it is at these times that I enjoy myself most.

Dad has a delightful selection of classical recordings which I enjoy listening to. Most of the time I don't just sit and listen but play chess or talk to Dad about sport, how I am getting on at school, music, or chess.

But pleasures such as these don't last for ever and soon I find myself feeding my fowls, doing my prep if I have not already done so. And then off to bed after a very enjoyable weekend.

### MORN AND NIGHT

Blooming of the peach,
And apples for to reach;
Little birds chirping this merry day,
All is so bright and all is so gay.
Furry field mice are rustling the corn,
And all this is happening this very morn.
The dew has risen from the ground,
The trees look tiredly around.
The little chirping birds are off,
And eagles no longer hover aloft.
No clouds stain the sky
And the moon has risen high.

-R. Eattell, P7 P.

## OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION

The Annual General Meeting was held in the Memorial Hall at the School on Monday, 23rd February, 1959. Forty-eight Old Boys attended, including many of the increasing number of younger Old Boys whose enthusiasm is helping to revitalise the Association. Five of these "new Old Boys" were elected to the Committee. The following Office Bearers were elected for 1959:

Patron:

The Headmaster, Mr. P. M. Moyes

Vice-Patrons:

The Archbishop of Perth

Past Headmasters, Mr. W. J. McLemans and Rev. L. R. Jupp

Messrs. J. E. D. Battye, G. D. Clarkson, H. N. Giles, G. E. Russell and M. S. Brooking

President:

Mr. P. Bowers

Immediate Past-President:

Mr. S. J. Simmons

Vice-Presidents:

Messrs. A. E. Lovegrove, R. Minchin and T. W. Flintoff

Secretary:

Mr. C. H. Armstrong

Assistant Secretary:

Mr. N. Mason-Jones

Treasurer:

Mr. W. R. Crookes

Auditor:

Mr. L. L. Harrison

Committee:

Messrs. C. A. Edwards, J. Fitzhardinge, I. Lewis, T. R. C. McKenzie, A. Pascoe, T. Russell and N. Stephenson

### FUNCTIONS DURING THE YEAR

Besides the usual sporting functions, of which more is said in the news section below, we again held successful Boatrace Night and Inters Night Parties, the Annual Golf Match (v. the Parents) and the Annual Dinner.

### **NEWS OF MEMBERS**

"Bud" Byfield won the batting trophy for a Cricket Carnival in the Northam District early in the year. Tony Burns and Arthur Pate have joined the School Staff—Tony to be Senior Chemistry Master and Arthur to teach in the Prep. School.

Dick House has moved up to Perth with Elders after more than ten years in the bush with that firm.

The Cricket Matches against the School 1st and 2nd XI's were more successful than ever. Although we lost the main game and drew the 2nd XI match, there was a record attendance of Old Boys. So many turned up for the 2nd XI match that we fielded 16. Three Old Boys who are on the School staff swelled the School 2nd XI to a total of 14. In all, about 50 wickets fell during the day's cricket on the top oval.

Frank Bazely is in his final year at Wollaston College. He was made a Deacon on February 24th by the Archbishop.

"Buster" Speldewinde returned recently from England, with a new wife. He went on to a job in the Eastern States.

John Howlett, a Patrol Officer in New Guinea, was down during March, sporting a luxuriant moustache. He sat for law examinations while down as his duties include administration of the Territory law. "Butch" Schupp has also enlisted as a Patrol Officer in New Guinea. We hope that no headhunter will claim Butch's red thatch.

There was mention of some Old Boys in the Christ Church Parish Paper. We quote: "We continually have the pleasure of welcoming back Old Boys and their families, especially in the summer months and at Show time. Robert Biltoft, Ron Oliver and Barry Payne have each recently made it possible by taking unto themselves a wife and doing so here in their old church and chapel."



 $\begin{array}{c} {\bf PREPARATORY~SCHOOL~ATHLETIC~TEAM,~(2)}\\ {\bf (Junior)} \end{array}$ 

Back Row: A. Kiernan, M. Bibby, C. Bowers, G. Iles, R. Sharpe, B. House.
Third Row: W. Derham, M. McHenry, G. Blight, G. Snook, M. Kiernan, I. Mitchell, J. Rolfe, R. Merrells.
Second Row: N. Mason-Jones, B. Pope, A. Cuming, J. A. Leach, Esq., J. Grant, P. Coyder, J. Fisher.
Front Row: M. Burt, C. Miles, F. Venn, C. Redelift, D. Rolfe, R. Hagen, M. Draper.



Mr. PETER BOWERS
President of the Old Boys' Association

Tom Flintoff, Alistair Dowling and Graham Walker helped to coach the three "under age" hockey teams. The School will be glad to hear from other Old Boys who would like to help with coaching in the next season.

Graham Walker was selected to represent the State in the Colts Hockey Team. Congratulations, Graham!

Frank Bell is now head of a twoteacher school at Quinninup via Manjimup. He and his wife celebrated the arrival of their second child in March. Congratulations to them!

Kim Sears is working in the Mines Office in Southern Cross.

Barry Smith has joined his brothers on the family farm at Merredin.

Congratulations to Richard and Deirdre Stephenson on the birth of a daughter, and to David and June Hutchison on the birth of a son (their second child).

Alan Lapham has left the Army and is now managing the Boomerang Hotel.

Dr. George Gibson has donated £100 to the School to endow a prize for Vth Form English. This prize will commemorate Dr. Roy Gibson, perhaps the first Old Boy to graduate in Medicine. Roy and his wife devoted themselves to establishing a Medical Flying Service based at Ceduna. Roy died in 1948, mourned by many in a vast area from Port Augusta to Eucla and well to the north of Ceduna.

Denis Hodges has gone to England for an indefinite period.

Robert James is on his father's farm at Wongan Hills. Also in that district are Graham Armstrong, Winston Scotney and Harry King.

Peter and John Fleming (who left in 1958) are now at St. Peter's, Adelaide. Their father was transferred to a S.A. parish. Peter writes that he has met

Laurie Jupp and "Crim" Cramer, both of whom are at S. Peter's. Ross Fleming, the eldest of the family, also moved to Adelaide with the family, transferring to the Adelaide Office of the Department of Civil Aviation. Peter met Howard Liu in Adelaide. Howard is now studying Economics at Adelaide University.

John Chilvers was recently in W.A. from Port Pirie where he works for B.H.A.S.

Campbell Armstrong, our "perpetual Secretary", recently made a quick trip to the East by cargo ship—as far as Melbourne. He regretted having only limited time in which to look up a few Old Boys: Dr. George Gibson and John Bell in Adelaide and Clayton Bickford in Melbourne.

C. E. Jumeaux now has his accountancy degree and has returned from Malaya to settle in W.A. permanently. He is with Cooper Bros., Goyder and Co.

Taffy Miller is now a Sub-Editor of the "Advertiser" in Adelaide.

Michael Coales is a commercial trainee with the Broken Hill Pty. Ltd. in Perth and is also attending the University as a part-time student in Economics.

Malcolm Halleen has been transferred to Geraldton as Dalgety's auctioneer. He met Dale Boys who represents National Mutual Life in that town. Dale, incidentally, was the first son of an Old Boy to attend Christ Church.

Matthew Duncan is now at Winchester (W.A.).

Fred Connell, former Fauna Warden and Inspector with the Fisheries Department, is now Manager of Trimmerwheel Fishing Co., operating out of Geraldton. In spite of early setbacks he now reports some of the largest catches in the fleet.

Stan Simmons has left Albany to manage the R. & I. Bank at Moora.

Brian Lawrence is a Cadet with the BP Tanker Co.

Congratulations to the Old Boys' Crew—David Evans (stroke), R. J. Patterson, W. A. White, J. S. Airey, Alan Edwards, John Fitzhardinge, John Martin, Peter Brazier and J. Bevan—who helped to add to the School's honours on Boat Race Day.

A Tennis Match was played against the School on Sunday, 19th April. This was a very successful day and the School won by three games only.

Irwin Lewis was one of the regular good players for the Claremont League side during the year.

David Evans stroked the University of W.A. crew at the Universities' Regatta this year. If only he had had a full complement of Christ Church Old Boys the crew might have won!

John Sears is now flying DC3's for M.M.A. on the North-West run.

Grant Fergusson-Stewart, who is studying Medicine, coached one of the School under-age football teams this year again. He also helped to coach the high-jumpers.

Hector Fuller, an original member of the School in 1910, has recently returned to the metropolitan area after managing stations for the past 36 years. He has retired to a small property at Armadale.

Taffy Miller reports that the faces of two Old Boys appeared on consecutive days in the Adelaide newspapers in June. One evening "The News" had a photo of George Gibson, newly elected President of the S.A. Branch of the B.M.A. Next morning the "Advertiser" carried on its front page the photo of H. N. (Skinny) Giles, new member of the Board of the Commonwealth Banking Corporation.

Des Cunningham has joined the National Bank in Kalgoorlie and in his spare time goes flying with the local branch of the Royal Aero Club. Des was the cox of the winning eight in the 1958 Head of the River. He said that he looks forward to the completion of a hat-trick in 1960.

John Bell, with B.H.P. in Adelaide, recently passed through Perth after a flying leave to Singapore, Thailand and Hong Kong.

Anson Sewell has left Singapore to commence duty with the Cumberland County Council in N.S.W.

The Old Boys' Football team beat the School 1st XVIII in second term.

The Old Boys' Hockey team beat the Hockey 1st XI on the same day.

The Old Boys defeated the Parents in the Golf Match on August 11th. There was a record attendance for the golf—approximately 28 from each Association. Eighty-two attended the Dinner, including 20 parents. Trophies were won by Barry Crommelin (Old Boys) and Col. A. Hobbs and Peter Russell (Parents). Consolation prizes went to Mr. Hughes, Dr. Taylor, Dr. Hill, Ray Ellershaw and Anson Sewell. The Golf and Dinner Sub-Commitee, led by Tom McKenzie, are to be congratulated on the success of the day.

It is hoped to publish a History of the School at the beginning of 1960. Committee members and Old Boys of all vintages are working on it. Members are asked to search their cupboards for an Old Boys' Association Minute Book for the period 1945/48. This Book has been missing for some time. The School still requires copies of the following "Mitres" to complete its collection: 1922 (Easter and Christmas terms), 1924 (Easter and Christmas), 1927 (Trinity term) and 1930 (Trinity and Christmas).

Would anyone interested in the formation of an Old Boys' Masonic Lodge please contact Tom Flintoff, 220 St. George's Terrace, Perth.

Ray Blake won a Commonwealth Scholarship to study Communications Engineering at Perth Technical College.

Mark Synnott has gone farming at West Brookton.

Doug Jarvie called at the School during the year loking very fit and smart in the S.A.S. uniform.

Roley Eggleston, who left his job with the Johannesburg paper to become a Senior Sub-Editor with the South African Broadcasting Commission, has recently been on an adventurous trip through parts of Africa. Roley's brother Derry is studying Medicine in London.

George Hill, studying Medicine, has joined the R.A.N..R. with the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. He had a trip to the Flinders Naval Depot during the University vacation. John Bevan and Jon Minchin have also joined the R.A.N.R.

Lionel Ward was awarded a half blue for Rugby at the University.

Rod Lohoar of Gnowangerup, who became engaged to Elsie Parker last Christmas, sent us some news of other Old Boys. He met Monty Walker of Marra at the Ongerup New Year's Eve Ball. John Drummond (Merchant Navy) was holidaying in the area. Alan Coad is playing cricket with the Lake Grace Association. Thanks for the news, Rod, and congratulations on your engagement.

Brian Gidney is now living at Wembley Downs and recently joined the Association.

David Hutchison was selected to represent the Science Teachers' Association at a Nuclear Science Summer School at the University of Sydney in January, 1960. During the ANZAAS Congress at the University in September, David met Jim Thompson at a cocktail party organised by the Guild of Undergraduates to entertain ex Guild Presidents. Jim is now with the CSIRO (Fisheries) at Cronulla. He delivered a paper during the Congress.

Paris Drake-Brockman, who has been an Engineer at the Woomera Rocket Range for some years, came over to Perth with his wife and family for an extended visit.

David Sadique was married in October. Congratulations and best wishes for the future, David. David's younger brother, Brian, is working with Winterbottom's.

Keith Currie, now the principal of Bridgetown Junior High School, has won an Imperial Relations Trust Fund Research Fellowship to study at the Institute of Education, London University. Congratulations, Keith!

Just as we go to Press we have heard that Bill Heseltine has been appointed Assistant Information Officer to the Queen. Bill has been Prime Minister Menzies' Private Secretary for a few years. If any Old Boys go to London they will find Bill working at the Palace.

Graham Tucker is now working for the Australian National Travel Association in Melbourne. He came over to Perth to marry Jennifer Harrison (daughter of Old Boy Eric Harrison) on 21st November. Congratulations and best wishes to them. Graham's brother John is an Engineer with W. D. Scott and Co. in Queensland. Elder brother Ernest is still carrying on the good work of trying to convince the Federal Government that we should have decimal coinage.

We regret to announce the death in Adelaide, at the end of September, of Hedley Porter, aged 55. Hedley had suffered a long illness during which it had been necessary for him to conduct his sharebroking business from his home, assisted by friends in the city. Old Boys extend their sympathy to his widow.

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Once again the year is drawing to a close. This year, as far as we are concerned, is a little different as it marks the close of an era. In February, 1960, the school is 50 years old. Quite an achievement, particularly as now Christ Church is the largest of the Independent Boys' Schools in Western Australia.

The growth over the last few years is largely due to the vigorous-School Council and the leadership of the Headmaster, P. M. Moyes, but undoubtedly the foundation for the growth was established 50 years ago and has been consolidated over the years since. The traditions of the school have been carried on most successfully by pupils and past pupils of the School since its foundation. We can be proud to be associated with such a success story.

Now I would like to offer congratulations to the School on their fine performances in Public Examinations and on the sporting field (or river). As mentioned last year, the School is now the owner of 20 acres of land near Cottesloe Golf Club. Playing fields are to be laid out immediately. There will be plenty of work here for vigorous Old Boys.

Once again I have the privilege of thanking all members of the Old Boys' Committee for the untiring work they have done during the year. Without this help and loyalty our Association could not keep growing—and this we are doing. This year our membership is once more a record. I cannot complete this message without special thanks to Campbell Armstrong for his work as Secretary, and Ray Crookes as Treasurer.

In closing I wish all a Merry Christmas and particularly those boys who will be leaving School this year. The Old Boys' Association looks forward to meeting these chaps as new members in 1960.