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Editorial.

**COLLOWING closely on last issue came busy times for the school; the Sydney Senior and the school examinations followed by the trip of the cricketers, rowers and tennis players to Maryborough.

In the Senior last year the candidates, who sat from the school, did exceedingly well, twelve out of fourteen passing, and Bythe in particular distinguishing himself.

The School's representatives to Maryborough had great success, each team winning in its department of Sport. The tennis team secured the honour of winning the first tennis match played between the two schools.

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While the teams were in Maryborough, a 100 yards race was run off between A. D. Forbes and a Maryborough representative, and in the second running of the race Forbes succeeded in winning. This was one of the events for the Chelmsford Cup, which was won by the school last year. This cup is the Challenge Cup, presented by H.E. Lord Chelmsford, to the Grammar School, which has the supremacy in Sport, last year being the first year of the competition. After the above-mentioned important events came the break of the Midsummer Vacation, considered by most boys equally important, if not more so.

Cricket has been taken up very enthusiastically this year, and this First XI. would have stood a very good chance of winning the B grade premiership had they not been obliged to forfeit several matches during the holidays. During the remaining matches of the season, they will feel severely the loss of their two brilliant members, G. C. Willcocks and Forbes, who have passed their Matriculation, and gone to the University. Soon after our return to school came Foundation Day with its Old Boys' Match, which was won this year by the present boys on the first innings.

The Boarders and Seconds have also been doing exceedingly well, especially the former, but the Thirds have not had the success which attended their efforts last year.

After last year's omission the Swimming Sports were held again this year, in the Booroodabin Baths, on March 6th. The entries were very poor, so poor that the committee were obliged to withdraw one of the races from the programme on account of the smallness of the entry. In spite of this fact, however, the swimming itself was good, Bob Willcocks again winning the School Championship and distinguishing himself also by securing first place in the Neat Header, and the 4th Form and Upper Modern Handicap, and by being leader of the winning Relay Team.

Football will be on us in a few weeks, and the First XV. will feel heavily the loss of such members as L. G. Brown, G. C. Willcocks, Forbes, and Newell.

On the river the rowers have been working hard. Since their victory over Maryborough, before the holidays, they have been in training, and won an "under 20" race at the Ladies' Regatta some weeks back. They also will feel the loss of L. G. Brown.

There have been changes, also, in the Cadet Corps, Captain Gross has been promoted to the rank of Major. The corps will miss the services of Lieuts, Plant, Wassell, and L. G. Brown, all of whom, having passed their matriculation, have gone to the University.

The rifle team of last year promises to be considerably weakened by the absence of Plant, Wassell, and Brown. This team came first out of the Schools in Australia in the Empire Match, which they shot off towards the end of last year, but the results from elsewhere are not yet available.

Malcolm Ellis, who ably discharged the duties of editor last year has joined the staff of the "Daily Mail." During his term of office he proved himself a capable and enthusiastic editor and carries with him our best wishes for his success in his new sphere of action.



Cup for Athletics.

Presented by His Excellency Lord Chelmsford, Governor of Queensland, for competition between Ipswich, Maryborough and Brisbane Grammar Schools. Won in 1907 by Brisbane Grammar School.

The Governor's Cup.

His Excellency the Governor has given a substantial proof of his keen interest in the annual contests which most of the Queensland Grammar Schools hold with each other in the different branches of Athletics, by presenting three very handsome silver cups for perpetual competition; and we are sure that all lovers of true sport and friends of the Schools will highly appreciate this generous action of Lord Chelmsford's. The original intention was to have one cup for all the six schools, but considerations of distance made it necessary to arrange three groups:

Brisbane, Ipswich, and Maryborough,

Ipswich and Toowoomba,

Maryborough and Rockhampton,

Townsville being relutcantly omitted on account of its isolated position. These cups are to be held each year by the Schools which have scored the greatest aggregate of points in the previous year, the points being allotted on the following scale:

Major Events (cricket and football), 2 for playing the match-2 for winning;

Minor Events (athletics, rowing, cadet, shooting, and tennis).

1 for the contest, 1 for winning.

The competition for these cups commenced last year; and we are proud to say that Brisbane is the first School to have its name inscribed on the cup for our group, as we won every one of our contests against both Ipswich and Maryborough during the year 1907.

The Trustees.

The announcement of the retirement of Mr. H. J. Oxley, from the position of Treasurer for the Boards of the Boys' and Girls' Grammar Schools will be received with very general regret, more especially because of the reason that has occasioned this step, namely continued ill-health such as prevents his retention of those manifold honorary offices with which he has been so widely associated in Brisbane. There has been no on this city who has done so much voluntary and honorary work as Mr. Oxley on behalf of hospitals, asylums, religious and educational institutions, and such like; and on account of his actuarial ability upon his shoulders has fallen invariably the position in each of these which entails the greatest anxiety and work, that of Treasurer. By all for whom he has thus laboured his work will be remembered with gratitude, not only because of his able administration, but still more because of the kindliness and consideration for others which have always characterised his actions. He has been our Treasurer since 1886, and his six sons

have all passed through the School and left honorable records here. The vacancy has been filled by the appointment of Mr. R. Chapman to the Board, and Lieut.-Col. Plant takes the duties of Treasurer.

Examinations Sydney Senior.

Name.	Hist. of Eur'pe	Anc. Histo y	En lish	French	German	Latin	Greek	Alg. bra	Geom try	Trigonometry	Mecharics	Chemistry	Geology.	Phys.ology
(a) Brown, L. G.			c		c	С	С	В	С	A	c	С		В
(b) (a) Bythe, G. L.	c		A		A	В	A	A	A	4	A	В		
(a) Clouston, W. K.	В	В	В	A		c	В	В	e	В	В			
Forbes, A. D.			С			С			С	С				
Hardie, J.			c	С		c								В
a) Hetherington, N. F.		В	В		A	В	В	c	В	С	В			
a) Macintosh, E. D.	В		A		В	В	С	В	В	A	A			
Powell, C. A.									В	С			С	В
a) Purcell, J. D.	В	В	В		A	A	В	c	c	٨		c		
Spowers, J. H.				c				С	c	В				
Wheatley, A W.	A	С	A		В	Е	c	3		c		В		
Willcocks, G. C.			c	В		c			c	c				

 ⁽a) Matriculated for Science, Medicine, Engineering, Law, and Arts.
 (b) Ger nan Medal. Tied for John West and Grahame Prize Medals for General Proficiency.

Successes of Old Boys.

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY. Medicine, Final for Degree of M.B., G. A. Brookes, Second Class Honours; C. J. Weedon, Second Class Honours. Second year: A. W. Holmes a'Court, N. Markwell, H. Bourne. First year: C. H. Clatworthy, J. A. James, H. S. Walsh, E. M. Lilley.

Engineering: 3rd year, W Ro 2nd year, W Sachs

Arts: Final B.A., S B Snow.

Law: Final L.L.B. M. Hertzberg, B.A.

EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY. 1st year Medicine, G. A. Douglas. 1st place in Anatomy. 2nd Class Honours in Physics and Chemistry.

MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY. S. F. McDonald, 3rd year Medicine, Physiology, 2nd Class Honours; Anatomy, 3rd Class Honours; Senior Kent Hughes Prize for Practical Anatomy; Warden's Scholarship at Trinity College.

Sydney Matriculation Exam. (March, 1908), H. Plant, C. Was-

sell, A. D. Forbes, C. Willcocks.

Solicitors' Examinations. Final, L. E. Osborn. Intermediate, R. Mowbray.

MEDICAL. R. L. Bridgeman passed Entrance Exam. to St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London; also passed in Pharmacy.

ROYAL SCHOOL OF MINES (London). First year, A. C. Macartney, Mathematics, 1st Class; Chemistry, 1st Class; Chemical Calculations, 1st Class (Special Credit); Drawing, Pass.

School Songs.

A few months ago a request came from the University of Sydney to Mr. Roe that he would supply them with the words and music of the school song of the Brisbane Grammar School, for insertion in the Book of Australian School Songs, which the University intended to publish. As we do not possess either words or music for a school song the University's request could not be complied with, but to remedy our deficiencies in this respect (for school songs have considerable power in fostering school loyalty and affection) several of the old boys have been communicated with, and two have been good enough to help us by writing songs which we venture to publish here. Mr. W. J. Byram's has been set to music by Mr. J. Cowan, and is now being learnt by the school singing class. Mr. Love's will also be subjected to the same test. It will be much easier to judge which is the most effective when we hear them sung by 100 boys than it is possible to do from mere scholarly criticism. Other old boys have promised to write, but their compositions have not yet come to hand. If any of our readers, on seeing these poems. feels the divine afflatus come upon them, we shall be grateful for their verses. This is a fine chance to gain immortality in the annals of the School.

NIL SINE LABORE.

καὶ ἀνθρώπεια δράσαντες ἀνεκτὰ ἔπαθον. Thuc. VII., 77.

As time wings his flight, let our motto ring clearer,
 The guide of our life, as our watchword in youth!
 Years fade into years, but we hold ever dearer
 Its lesson of labour, its lesson of truth.

- 2. When life's struggle grows hard and fierce cares assail us, Be its rallying call like a trumpet heard!
- Then "nought without labour!" our hearts cannot fail us,
 And "All for the truth!" boys, in thought, deed, and word.
- Dear comrades still with us, now pledge we each other,
 Ere each must go forth on his separate way;
 We give each for all time the fond name of brother,
 And pray for the weal of each friend of to-day.
- 4. The various scenes amid storm and bright weather;
 The tasks overcome and the failure and fret;
- The sports that we shared and the games played together. The pleasure, the pain, can we ever forget?
- 5. Companions of old time! "Nil sine labore!"

 For aye are we linked in true fellowship's bond.

 Hurrah for our school! et sit semper in flore!

 Our voices shall cheer and your hearts shall respond.
- 6. Yes, life is worth living, the world full of beauty; Let us strive for the good that ever lies near; And seek our reward in the call of our duty, Not swayed by wild hopes and not trammelled by fear.
- 7. And when shadows of night shall deepen around us, And the toiler comes to his guerdon of rest, May death find us then as life's morning hath found us, Our work in our hands and still striving our best!

-W. J. BYRAM.

FLOREAT "B.G.S."

Sons of this Sunny Northern Land from Gulf to Tweed,
United in one Brotherhood—
Sing of our happy youthtide days
Before the parting of our ways,
Sing aloud in grateful mood—
Floreat semper "B.G.S."!!!

All that we owe her for her care for guidance given,
Can we ever hope to pay,
Can the sowing of the seeds
Pregnant of our future's deeds
Be forgotten as we say?—
Floreat semper "B.G.S."!!!

Honor and athletic fame writ on her scrolls, Classic laurels hardly won,
Moral standards planted firm
Expanding each successive term
Lots of work and lots of fun—
Floreat semper "B.G.S."!

Ever may our dear old School, and masters too Fruitful, prosper in this clime, Ever from each boyish heart Trained to act a manly part Echo forth to end of Time Floreat semper "B.G.S."!!.

'As Time flies past on tireless wing
May we look back amid the strife
Through Memory's glass to early life,
Forget our cares and always sing—
Floreat semper "B.G.S."!

-JAMES LOVE.

Rhodes Scholar, 1908.

The Rhodes' Scholarship for 1908 has been awarded to Stanley Castlehow, an Old Boy, whose distinguishing career at school has been followed by one of equal distinction at the Sydney University.

Castlehow entered the school in 1901, passed the Sydney Junior in 1902, gaining the University for General Proficiency and passing with seven A's.

In 1904 he passed the Sydney Senior in 10 subjects with seven A's and 3 B's, gaining the John West Medal for General Proficiency and the medal for Greek, and being proxime accessit for the medals in Ancient History and Latin. This excellent performance secured for him the First University Exhibition, and at the University of Sydney he won the Bowman Cameron and Coutes Scholarships. His University career has been an unbroken success and he has specialised in Classics, in which he has gained the highest Honours.

While at school Castlehow was a member of the First Cricke Team and Editor of this Magazine. At the University he hat taken an active part in Sports such as Tennis, Rowing, Cricket, &

Queensland Government Exhibitioner.

G. L. Bythe entered the Brisbane Grammar School in January, 1903, as the holder of a state school scholarship, which he had won from the Petrie Terrace State school, coming top of the list. took a good place in the school classes, but it was not until his third year at the Grammar School that he established his undoubted superiority to the rest of his contemporaries, for he then passed the Sydney Junior (in 1905) with 7 A's, being proxime accessit for the Greek and German medals, and winning the Byrnes Memorial Medal for the best Queensland pass of the year. At Christmas in this year he gained the Lilley Silver Medal for the best boy in the Vth form and the first place amongst the extension scholars of the year. In 1906 he gained the Lilley Gold Medal as head of the school in his first year in the VIth form, repeating the success in 1907—a double distinction only gained five times before in our history, by Sampson, Roe, Fowles, Hay, and Byrnes. This list of school victories he has now suitably rounded off by his success in the Sydney Senior, gaining the Silver Medal for German and dividing with Duhig, of Nudgee College, the John West Medal and Grahame Prize for General Proficiency, and likewise the University Scholarship for General Proficiency, and a Queensland University Exhibition. He has entered St. Andrew's College, at Sydney University for the Arts Course, and his school looks to him with confidence for a continuance of these brilliant successes which have been won by his ability and industry and his genuine love of knowledge.

Cadet News.

MAJOR GROSS.

The Commonwealth Gazette of Australia this month contains the news of the promotion of Captain Gross to the rank of Major. Mr. Gross joined the school as successor to Mr. Hermann Schmidt, as German master, in January, 1886, and at once joined the school cadet corps at an officer next in command to the Head Master. During the last 22 years he has been associated closely with all the work of the corps, in outpost work, in camp, in the drill ground, and above all, on the rifle range, where his unstinted devotion of time and attention has been a most important factor in the production of the high standard of shooting which has kept this school in rifle competitions almost continuously at the head of Australian schools. His zeal for his cadet work led him to devote three weeks of his Christmas holidays to a close course of study at the Southport training camp, with the result that he has made himself thoroughly conversant with the new drill and with all matters relating to the

organization of cadets. Those who have been connected with him in military matters recognise that he possesses natural gifts of character which make him the type of officer with whom they would wish to serve in the hour of danger, and the news of hiss well-earned promotion will be received everywhere with satisfaction, but nowhere more cordially than at the Brisbane Grammar School.

THE B.G.S. CADETS.

The B.G.S. Cadets now all work as one Company, which is A. Comp. No 1 Battallion Q.S.C.C. Captain Gross has been promoted to the rank of Major. This year we have lost Lieuts. Wassell, L.G. Brown, and H. Plant, all of whom served in the corps for six years, and were prominent and useful members of the shooting team, besides being capable and diligent officers. The annual examination for promotion of privates and N.C.O.'s takes place in March. The competition for best shot of the school was decided last December after a keen contest. Sergts. H. J. Armstrong and Lilley tied with a score of 65. In the shoot-off Armstrong won with a score of 15, Lilley obtaining 14. A gold medal was presented by the Rev. W. P. Brown for the best shot. For this year's competition a trophy has been offered by Lieut.-Col G. B. Faskally, M.D., F.R.G.S., The Australian results for the Empire Match of 1907 are as follows:

			200 yds	s. 500 ye	ls. Total
Brisbane G.S			0-1	239	490
Wesley College (V.)			235	234	469
Geelong College (V.)			232	233	4 165
Newington College (N.S.W	7.)		230	226	456
Scotch Coll. (V.)			240	212	452
C.O.E.G.S., Geelong			222	200	442
Hawthorn Coll. (N.S.W.)				216	437
King's Coll. (N.S.W.)			1000	216	428
Maryborough G.S			209	217	426
Armidale (N.S.W.)			217	200	417
The Scores of the B.G.S. w	ere	as fol	lows:		
		200 1	ds. 500	yds. 1	fotal.

		200 yds	. 500 yds.	Total.
Lieut. Wassell		33	34	67
Sgt. Lilley	 	32	34	66
Corp. Snelling	 	31	32	63
Sgt. Armstrong	 	32	30	62
Sgt. Denham	 11.5	33	29	62
ColSgt Jopp	 -	32	28	60
Lieut Brown		30	27	57
Lieut H Plant		28	25	53
		-		-
Total		251	239	490

Major Gross has been occupied in training a squad to take part in the naval and military display in aid of the Faller Soldiers' Memorial Fund.

Rowing.

The school four, which represented us against Maryborough on the Mary in December contained two veterans in the persons of Denham and L.G. Brown and the two new comers, C. Lilley and G. S. Wilson, acquitted themselves right worthily in the vacant places as bow and two. We are much indebted to Mr. Swensson, the captain of the B.R.C. for the time and trouble he gave to the crew in their preparation for the race. The crew was an unusually strong one and after the first hundred yards the race was never really in doubt, as we drew steadily away from our opponents, although the comparatively narrow margin of four lengths, by which the race was won, shows that the Maryborough crew stuck pluckily to their work, and though defeated were by no means disgraced. Herewith are given the names and weights of the crews.

		st.	lb.
Bow-	C. M. Lilley	 10	0
2	G. S. Wilson	 10	2
3	L. G. Brown	 12	0
Strok	ke H. K. Denham	 10	0
Cox	G. Reichelmann	 8	3

This crew has kept together since Christmas and defeated the under twenty crew from the Commercial Shed at the Ladies' Regatta in February. On Monday, March 23rd, they had a race with the under twenty crew from Maryborough, who had failed to meet them in the Rowing Association Regatta on the previous Saturday. Bundaberg had the advantage of rowing in a lighter boat, but they could not stay the distance; and our boys were loudly cheered for their sportmanslike spirit and pluck as they rowed home in triumph to the shed.

This year we shall at least be without the valuable services of L. G. Brown, who is now working as a Junior Master at the Ipswich Grammar School. But there is good material coming on. As a heavy-weight J. Nimmo, who rowed very creditably in the Southport four last year, is a promising man for the middle of the boat, while K. Watts and M. G. Sutton will be quite worthy of a seat in the boat should vacancies occur from any cause, and N. Lloyd is a promising beginner.

Several others from the sixth form have joined the club, and are practising with some regularity. Recruits are wanted to keep up the supply for future years, for rowing in light boats is not to be learned in a few weeks, and as with riding and most other sports, the earlier it is begun the better is the prospect of gaining rare combination of skill and experience, which constitutes good waterman-

hip.



B. G. S. Crew, 1907.

C. M. Lilley (bow). G. S. Wilson (2). L. G. Brown (3). R. H. Roe, Esq. (coach). H. K. Denham (stroke). G. Reichelmann (cox).

George Rylatt.

In the middle of February George Rylatt, our school Janitor and Messenger, went to England for a well-earned six months' holiday, granted him by the Trustees as a recognition of his faithful services during the past 36 years. During all this period he has won the affection of the succeeding generations of boys by his kindliness and cheeriness, by his readiness to help any new comers in difficulties, by his devotion to the school, and his pride in its progress and successes. Before his departure at the close of afternoon school, the Head Master in the presence of the boys and masters presented him with parting gifts from the masters and from the present boys, and, wishing him on behalf of all a happy holiday and safe return, spoke very warmly of his kindliness and his loyalty shown alike to boys, Masters and Trustees. It has been a prominent characteristic of George, as he is called almost throughout Queensland, that while always ready to help and sympathise with the boys in their pleasures and difficulties, he has never forgotten his duty towards the Masters and the Trustees, and no boy has ever imagined that George would connive at or pass over any action contrary to the interests of the school. His long career in the school service has been a striking example of fidelity in the quiet discharge of duty, which all may well take to heart. His visit to England is brightened with the prospect of seeing his mother, who is still alive, and we all hope that his highest expectations of his holiday may be realized and that he may return with renewed health of body and mind for the continued discharge of his old duties.

Cricket.

While congratulating our popular captain, G. C. Willcocks, on his recent pass, and wishing him every success in his new sphere we regret to lose one who has so often led the school team to victory in the cricket field. For the last few seasons the team has not only had the benefit of his advice and direction, but also his assistance in "running up" a score and in "knocking down" our opponents' wickets. One of the best bats that has ever attended the school, he is undoubtedly the best in the present team, the scoring strength of which will be considerably reduced by his departure, while the loss of his work with the ball and in the field will be greatly felt.

In addition to this loss the success of another of our "boys" A. D. Forbes, robs us of a player who has so frequently assisted, both by his batting and bowling abilities, in bringing victory to the school team. We have not the least doubt that they both will do credit to any team with which they may play, and will always do bonour to the B.G.S. We wish them both every success.

FIRST TEAM.

Owing to our Midsummer holidays and to arrangements made by the Q.C.A. during the holidays, we have had to forfeit four of our Grade matches since the last Magazine was published. owing to rain we have had to play two "one day" matches, against St. Joseph's College and Valley (B). It is unfortunate that we have to forfeit so many matches, as it spoils our chance of being premiers. This season we would have been very near the Premier position if we had not been compelled to forfeit so many matches on account of our holidays and our inter-school matches; for we have not lost a match except those which we have been compelled to forfeit for those Up till Christmas we had an unusually strong batting and bowling team, but when we returned to School we found that Casey, J. W. Forbes, Darley, and Anderson had left. four, Anderson and Forbes were both good bats and were well up in the averages, Forbes having the highest average in the team. also Anderson was the best wicket-keeper the School has had for a great many years. Casey and Darley were both batsmen who were improving quickly and were also very useful in the field.

The following is detailed list of the matches.

B.G.S. v. M.G.S.

The team left Brisbane for Maryborough on Tuesday morning and arrived at 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. We changed as soon as we arrived, and after a cup of tea indulged in practice. Wednesday morning the weather was hot and clouds were gathering Willcocks (B) won the toss from Braun (M.) and sent Maryborough in to bat. Forbes and Long opened for Brisbane. but after two or three overs it was evident that no fast bowler could keep his footing on the conrecte, which extends right up to the bow-The run to the wicket at one end is down hill, and so a fast bowler is carried over the bowling crease by the force of his run, and then he slips on the concrete. At the other end the run is uphill and the only bowler who could keep a length at this end was Maryborough made 54 for 3 wickets and then the other wickets fell quickly and all were out for 82. Long (4 for 22) and Willcocks (4 for 16) obtained the best averages for Brisbane. For les and Willcocks opened for Brisbane; 3 runs only had been scored when Forbes cut a bumping ball from Morrow into third man's hands. Newell had only made 9 when he also cut a ball straight Long and Willcocks remained together for a good to third man. while, but scoring was slow as the balls were rising very high. Just before lunch the heat was terrible, and the batsmen and bow is both were exhausted; after lunch it was still very hot, and at mtervals there were a few drops of rain. Brisbane's innings cloud for 131, Willcocks (23), Long (22), Casey (16), and Reinhold (4), being the chief run-getters. In their second innings Maryboro ch

started to hit in the hope of putting up a good score quickly, but none of them could get hold of the bowling, and six wickets were down for 24 runs, when rain came on and stopped play for the rest of the afternoon. Long (3 for 12) and (Willcocks (2 for 12) were the bowlers. We thus won easily by 49 on the first innings. The following are the detailed scores:-

B.G.S.—1st Innings.

D.G.	515	t mini	183.			
Forbes, A. D., c. Wi	lson, b	. Morro	w			2
Willcocks, G. C., b. C						23
Newell, W. G., c. Bra						9
Long, B. G., b. Gre						22
Anderson, F. B., c.						0
Reinhold, W. J., c. !			bson			14
Casey, H. N., c. Hes	keth, l	o. Morre	ow		44	16
Forbes, J. W., c. &						6
Smith, H. G., not o						9
Darley, F. c. Green,						0
Jopp, H., c. & b. Gi						5
						25
Total						131
		Ist In				
			-			5
H. Morrow, b. Long G. Wilson, c. A. D.	Forbes	, b. Ne	well			23
L. Braun, b. Long						4
S. Scougall, c. A. D.				S		20
N. Randall, c. A. D.	Forbes	s, b. Ne	well			6
H. Gibson, c. Casey,	b. Wi	llcocks				0
H. Smith, stumped A	Anders	on, b. V	Villcoo	ks		6
R. Hesketh, c. J. For	rbes, b	. Long				2
V. Green, stumped A	nderse	on, b. V	Villcoc	ks		0
E. Knipe, b. Long						3
R. Negus, not out						0
						13
Total						82
		2nd In				
Morrow, H., c. & b. V	Willcoo	cks				2
Gibson, H. c. Anderse	on, b.	Long				2
Braun, L., run out						2
Wilson, G., b. Long						3
Randall, N., c. Long.				3.5		1
Scougall, S., not out		**	200			5
Smith, H., b. Long		2.4		3.3		2 3 1 5 4 5
Negus, R., not out		**		2.2	**	
						-
Total 6 wie	ckets t	for		18.6	+1	24

B.G.S. v. St. Joseph's College, Nov. 16 and 22nd, 1907.—This match was played at Nudgee. The wicket on the first Saturday was soft. B.G.S. won by an innings and 151 runs. Scores: B.GS., 244. (Newell 74, Willcocks, C., 45, Forbes, J. W., 40 not out, Long 23).; St. Joseph's Coll., 1st innings, 48; 2nd innings, 45 (Barron 12, Fanning 15). Bowling for B.G.S.: Forbes, A. D., 9 for 32; Long, 4 for 30.

B.G.S., Present v. Past, Feb. 28th, 1908.—The annual match between the present team and a team of past boys was played on the Woolloongabba ground in perfect weather. The wicket in the morning was true, but in the afternoon became crumbly. The Past boys won the toss and decided to bat. This was evidently a mistake on their part, and perhaps next year they will again send the school team in first, as they were all dismissed for 89. Willcocks (6 for 31) got most of the wickets. Reinhold and Forbes also bowled well, but owing to a sore arm Forbes could not bowl at full pace. school in their 1st innings got 116 (Reinhold 44, Willcocks, C., 37). Mr. E. R. Crouch, 3 for 29, and J. Anderson, 3 for 18, bowled best for the Old Boys. The Old Boys in their second innings gave a good exhibition of hitting, and when stumps were drawn had scored 238 for the loss of 9 wickets. Mr. E. R. Crouch 50, J. Anderson 49, A. Stewart 32, B. Papi 49, and Roberts 39 were the chief scorers. Forbes, 2 for 39, and Willcocks, 5 for 99, bowled best for the school. The following are the scores.

st Inn	ings.			
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				1
				26
				0
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nn, b.	G. C.	Willcoo	ks	14
				2 2
				2
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			**	4
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				0
				37
				44
				4
				0
				1
				0
	s nn, b. ss s.—Ist derson b. And			nn, b. G. C. Willcocks ss s.—1st Innings derson b. Anderson

R. Willcocks, c. Hi	iron, b.	Crouch				3
J. P. Miller, l.b.w.						5
Kent, b. Clatworth						10
Hurlbutt, run out						1
E. Herga, l.b.w. C						4
				2.2	X =	0
Barriskill, not out			*	1.7	1.0	
Sundries					9	11
Total						120
OLD	Boys.	-2nd	Innings	š.		
E. R. Crouch, b. G.	. C. Wil	lcocks		××-	**	50
Clatworthy, b. Rei	nhold					()
McCowan, b. Forbe						12
J. Anderson, c. Rie						49
Stewart, b. R. Will						32
Papi, stumped Mill						49
Roberts, b. G. C. V						39
Graham, c. Miller,						2
Newton, b. G. C. V						0
Hiron, not out						0
Sundries						5
Sundities	**					
T-1-1 0 -		for				999
Total, 9 v	wickets	101				238

B.G.S. v. St. Joseph's College, Feb. 29th.—Owing to rain on the first Saturday the pitch at Nudgee was under water and we could not play. On the 2nd Saturday the pitch was still soft owing to rain during the week. B.G.S. batting first scored 72, of which Forbes, A. D., made 21. St. Joseph's, made 56. Bowling for B.G.S., Forbes, D., 3 for 17, Long, B. G., 6 for 27. We thus won this match on the 1st innings by 16 runs.

B.G.S. v. Valley B., March 7th, 1908.—This match was played on the school ground, and owing to rain on the sceond Saturday could not be finished. B.G.S. made 144 (Forbes 48, Willcocks, C., 54, and Willcocks, R., 11 not out, were the chief run-getters). Valley made 67 for 6 wickets. Long (3 for 22) got the best average for the school.

BOARDERS C.C.

Since the last edition of the magazine, the Boarders have greatly improved in every department of the game, chiefly owing to the able coaching of Mr. S. J. Redgrave. Since the holidays we have not had very much coaching, as it rained on many of our practice days, but when he did come Mr. Redgrave did good work amongst us. We have done much better than we anticipated, for although a number of our best players were promoted to the First eleven, we have won five and lost four matches since the beginning of the season. All through the season the team has shown great enthusiasm, and has gone down to practice regularly. The following are the details of

the matches played since last edition. On 16th Nov. we played Nudgee College and won by 7 wickets and 2 runs. Nudgee made 67 and 65. Boarders' 1st innings, 110 (G. Riechelmann, 56), G. Hurlbutt, 21); 2nd innings, 3 wickets for 22. Bowling for Boarders, B. Powe, 10 wickets for 68 runs.

In a match again Kelvin Grove, played on 8th Feb., 1908, the Boarders made 31 and 23, and the Kelvin Grove team made 56,

thus winning by an innings and 2 runs.

B.G.S. Boarders, v. Second XI.—Played on the B.G.S. turf, 23rd Feb. Boarders won by an innings and 35 runs. The Second XI. made 21 and 58, and the Boarders made 114 (G. Riechelmann 52, B. Powe 26). Bowling for Boarders, G. Riechelmann, 8 wickets for 11 runs, R. Willcocks, 2 wickets for 7 runs.

B.G.S. Boarders v. Albion Baptists.—Albion won by 70 runs on the first innings. Boarders made 49 and Albion made 119. Bowling for Boarders, G. W. Barriskill, 7 wickets for 45 runs.

B.G.S. Boarders v. Waratah.—Played in Sutton's Paddock on March 21st. Boarders won by 17 runs on the first innings. Boarders, 1st innings, 51 (B. Powe 18). Waratah, 1st innings, 34, and 2nd innings, 6 wickets down for 56 runs. Bowling for Boarders, G. W. Barriskill, 9 wickets for 43 runs, B. Powe, 7 wickets for 41 runs.

SECOND CRICKET ELEVEN.

The Second Cricket Team has been more successful towards the end of the cricket season than at the beginning. Since our last report we have won 3 out of 5 matches played, although the strength of the team has been weakened through some of the members leaving the School this year. The following have played in the various matches: Hockings, N., Snelling, W. M., Rigby, J. W., Bridgman, A. L., Herga, E., Waraker, N., Campbell, C., Macintosh, E., Macintosh, H., Pearce, T. R., Hood, E., Chambers, P., Chapman, F. G. The following is a list of matches played:

Dec. 14th and 21st.—v. B.G.S. Boarders. Won by B.G.S. by 30 runs on 1st innings. Scores: B.G.S., 82 (Waraker 24)

Boarders, 52.

Jan. 11th and 18th.—v. Waratah. Won by B.G.S. by 32 runs on 1st innings. Scores: B.G.S., 84 (Hockings 16); Waratah. 52.

Jan. 25th and Feb. 1st.—v. Yeronga. Won by B.G.S. by 6 runs. Scores: B.G.S., 74 (Herga, 17) and 43 (Pocock 10); Yeronga. 69 and 42.

Feb. 22nd and 29th.—v. B.G.S. Boarders. Won by Boarders by an innings and 35 runs. Scores: B.G.S., 21 and 58 (Snelling 22) (Boarders, 114.

March 7th and 14th.—v. Yeronga. Won by Yeronga by 57 runs on 1st innings. Scores: B.G.S., 51 (Herga 13), and 2 wickets for 21 (Bridgman, 10 not out); Yeronga, 108.



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THE THIRDS.

So far the Thirds have met with but moderate success, winning

six matches and losing 7.

Versus New Farm, October 5.—B.G.S. won by 59 runs. B.G.S., 49 and 45. New Farm, 14 and 21. Dean secured 13 wickets for 11.

Versus West End, Oct. 12.—Won by West End by 6 wickets. West End, 26 and 4 for 27. B.G.S., 35 and 10. In this match Dean did the "hat trick."

Versus Junction Park, Oct. 19th.—Junction Park won by 5 wickets. Junction Park, 39 and 5 for 13. B.G.S. 21 and 29.

Versus Taringa, Oct. 26.—Taringa won by 8 runs. Taringa, 28 and 60; B.G.S., 9 and 71.

Versus Toowong, Nov. 16.—B.G.S. won by an innings and 46.

B.G.S., 109; Toowong, 29 and 34.

Versus Nudgee College, Nov. 23.—B.G.S. won by 45 runs on first innings. B.G.S., 111. Nudgee, 66 and 3 for 55. Shirley batted well for 47.

The match against Kangaroo Point was forfeited, owing to the members of the team being away for the Christmas holidays.

Versus South Brisbane, Feb. 8, 1908.—Won by S. Brisbane by 10 wickets. S. Brisbane, 49 and no wickets for 2. B.G.S., 23 and 26.

Versus Junction Park, Feb, 15. Won by B.G.S. by an innings and 28 runs. B.G.S., 62, Junction Park, 7 and 27. The feature of this match was the bowling of Dean and Park. The former took 18 wickets for 15, and both got "hat tricks."

Versus Toowong, Feb. 22.—B.G.S. won by 35 runs. B.G.S.,

35 and 40; Toowong, 24 and 16.

Versus Taringa, March 7.—Taringa won by 3 wickets. Taringa, 30 and 8 for 51; B.G.S., 41 and 37.

Versus South Brisbane, March 21st.—S. Brisbane won by 21

runs. S. Brisbane, 40 and 20; B.G.S., 20 and 19.

Dean bowled well for us, and took the hat trick—his third this season.

Grammar School Swimming Carnival.

The annual swimming carnival of the Brisbane Grammar School was successfuly held in the Booroodabin Baths on Friday, March 6th, The large attendance included the visiting lady swimmers. The officials were:—Referee, Mr. R. H. Roe, ; judges, Messrs. F. S. N. Bousfield, J. G. Cribb, J. Cowan, G. Cross, B. Porter, F. Berry, O.B.A.; starter, Mr. T. E. Jones; check starter, Mr. R. L. Mason; timekeepers, Messrs. A. J. Mason and I. A. Dakin; committee, Messrs. G. C. Willcocks (captain), A. D. Forbes, M. G. Sutton, H. B.

Smith, C. E. Wassell, and K. A. Watts. Following were the results of the racing:—

NOVICE RACE, 60 Yards.—First heat: G. S. Wilson 1, V. Cooper 2. Second heat: Holmes 1, T. Watts 2. Final: Wilson 1, Holmes 2, Cooper 3. Time, 42sec.

CHAMPIONSHIP, 60 Yards.—R. Willcocks 1, P. Lahey 2. Won easily. Time, 35 sec.

CADETS' HANDICAP, 60 Yards.—R. Mahoney (6 sec. behind) 1, J. Barriskill (4sec.) 2, P. Lahey (10sec.) 3.

LONG DIVE.—J. P. Miller (106ft. 63in.) 1, G. Millar (105ft. 83in.) 2.

UNDER 16 YEARS RACE, 60 Yards.—V. Cooper 1, R. Mahoney 2. Time, 434sec.

OBSTACLE RACE, 39 Yards.—First heat: V. Cooper (4sec. behind) 1, Atthow (5sec.) 2. Second heat: C. Scott (3sec.) 1, Lilley (7sec.) 2. Third heat: Chapman (4sec.) 1, T. Watts (4sec.) 2. Final: Cooper 1, T. Watts 2.

SCHOOL HANDICAP, 120 Yards.—Lilley (18sec. behind), 1. Lahey (25sec.) 2.

NEATEST HEADER.—R. Willcocks 1, G. Wilson 2.

VI. AND V. FORMS' RACE, 60 Yards.—Pocock (3sec. behind) 1, N. Sutton (4sec.) 2.

IV. FORM AND U.M.S. RACE, 60 Yards.—First heat: R-Willcocks (10sec. behind) 1, R. Cameron (6 sec.) 2. Second heat: Cooper (6 sec.) 1, T. Watts (6sec.) 2. Final: Willcocks 1, Cooper 2. Won easily.

LOWER SCHOOL AND UNDER 14 YEARS, 30 Yards.—First heat: Boden (6sec. behind) 1, Barnes (2sec.) 2. Second heat: Mahoney (5sec.) 1, D. Cameron (3sec.) 2. Final: Mahoney 1, D. Cameron 2.

RELAY RACE, 120 Yards.—R. Willcocks, R. Cameron, Millar, and Costin.

OLD BOYS' RACE, 60 Yards.—First heat: Wilson (go) 1, J. S. Wood (11sec.) 2. Second heat: F. J. Needham (go) 1, E. Sparkes (12sec. behind) 2. Third heat: C. Holdsworth (8sec.) 1, E. Spence (14sec.) 2. Fourth heart: W. S. Dixon (10sec.) 1, L. Brown (11sec.) 2. In this heat an attempt was made to lower the world's record for that distance, but presumably failed, as no announcement was made. Semi-final.—First heat: Holdsworth 1, Wilson 2. Second heat: Brown 1, Spence 2. To a number of the spectators Spence appeared to win by a touch. Final: Holdsworth 1, Spence 2. Time, 51 4/5sec.

CONSOLATION RACE, 60 Yards.—Meyers 1, Kaye 2. LIFE-SAVING COMPETITION.—Holmes.

Jennis.

The tennis season will probably commence in April. The school will be represented by only one team this year. C. Powell, who did a great deal for tennis at the school, has left, but I hear still intends to carry it on at home. A number of the new boys are taking up the game, and the courts present a lively appareance every dinner time. Tennis in Australia should receive a stimulus by the visit of players from England and America to try their skill against the Australians for the Davis Cup.

Library.

Since the Christmas Holidays the Library has not been so well patronised as last half-year, probably owing to the fact that the candidates for the Sydney Junior Exam., who patronised the Library exceedingly well last year, have now settled down to hard work and have no spare time. The Lower School boys, however, still continue to show interest in exciting literature. Our thanks are due to F. G. Haymen for the contribution of several interesting volumes.

Gymnasium.

Owing to the approach of the Junior examination, a great many of the best gymnasts are unable to attend the gymnasium during the dinner hour. The "gym" has lost a good man in L. G. Brown, who has left the school. The committee now are G. Bell and T. Watts. The promising gymnasts are as follows: G. Bell, W. G. Kirkland, F.L. King, J. L. Briggs, N. N. Watts, H. R. Huntington, N. A. Lahey, and N. G. Sutton.

School House Notes.

At the end of last year, a few boys left, among who,n was C. A. Powell, who was senior boy and had been here for five years, A. D. Forbes, and G. C. Willcocks have just passed the matriculation examination, and are leaving for the University in a few days time. A large number of new boys took up their residence in the House at the beginning of this year, and there are now altogether forty boys in the House. At the end of last year Mr. Gill left us.

He returned to Toowoomba, where he married, and is now on the staff of the Toowoomba Grammar Shcool. Before he left, he was presented by C. A. Powell on behalf of the Boarders, with a small token of their esteem and of their good wishes for his future happiness. Mr. Gill's place was filled, at the beginning of the year by Mr. R. Lorimer Mason.

At the suggestion of Mr. R. L. Mason, we all subscribed to the purchase of a Phonograph. Every Saturday evening and on wet afternoons the tuneful renderings of this wonderful instrument can be heard even in the remotest corners of the house. It is the source of great amusement to many of the boys, especially when the comic records are put on.

One Saturday night we had a mock trial. Mr. Mason made up the case for us and we were indebted to Mr. Ryan for many hints as to the proceedings. The prisoner, F. Little, was tried before His Honour, Judge H. G. Selwyn Smith, on the charge of having wilfully set light to the township of Murwillumbah. A. P. Powe won the case for the crown from R. Willcocks and J. Newell, the counsel for the defence.

At the Annual Swimming Sports, R. Willcocks, by again winning the Championship, retained the laurels for the House.

The House Library has been well patronsed so far this year, especially by the senior section of the boys. We take this opportunity of thanking Mrs. Bousfield for presenting some more very good books to the library.

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The first billiard tournament of the year started on 17th February, when Mr. A. D. Graham (owe 100) beat Mr. C. W. Costin (owe 10) by 250-112. The former was in his most brilliant humor, scoring 52, 27, 23, 23, 19 in quick succession.

The P.G.S. Football Club held its annual meeting on Wednesday, 18th March, in the Old Boys' Rooms. The following officers were elected: President, Mr. R. H. Roe, M.A.; Vice-Presidents, Messrs. A. G. Stuart, A. Henry, W. P. Woods, P. P. Fewings, F. S. N. Bousfield, M.A., C. E. Graham, B.E., S. D. Tozer, B.A., L.L.M.; Secretary, M. V. Parker; Asst. Secretary, D. Corrie; Treasurer. F. Cleeve.

Mr. T. J. Brundritt is relieving at the Q.N. Bank, Ltd., Mount Morgan.

Mr. Fred. Connah was in Brisbane for a month's holiday, February-March. He speaks highly of Townsville and its people; he is one of a very few Old Boys that prefers the Northern part to the metropolis.

Mr. Stanley Castlehow has won a "Rhodes" and has the congratulations of the B.G.S.O.B.A. to a man.

Mr. Charlie McCowan was down from Georgetown in February and took part in the "Past v. Present" cricket match.

Congratulations to Mr. S. D. Tozer, B.A., L.L.M., on his engagement to a Sydney lady.

- Mr. G. S. Crouch leaves at an early date on a tour of the world. He is heading the batting averages in First Grade cricket, and has batted brilliantly throughout the season making several centuries.
- Mr. R. W. Mowbray, B.A., was in town from Gympie for intermediate (Solicitor's) exam. He took a hand in the Foundation Day cricket match, but was out of practice, and did not do much. The Whist Club, however, found him in good form, as on his one visit he scored 27 points in an hour and a half. He reports "bridge" as very healthy in Gympie.
- Mr. C. S. Graham, B.E., has taken to bowls, and from accounts received will be very soon one of the State's leading players.

The Debating Club is preparing its programme for the Winter, and on the return of Mr. Harry Wetherell, the popular secretary, from his holidays, will make a start on the 1908 session.

Mr. Charlie Martin has returned from Townsville after relieving the Resident Secretary, A.M.P. Society for three months in that city.

Mr. L. Lukin, barrister-at-law, spent the vacation in Melbourne and at Mt. Kosciusko. He did some snowballing at the latter place on Christmas Day.

Mr. Reg. Holmes a'Court has returned from South Africa and is at present in New Guinea looking at some "rubber" country. Though not speaking well of South Africa, he is a picture of health.

Mr. W. T. Forrest is now at Vernon Downs Richmond (N.Q.), and described the country as magnificent, when home for Christmas.

Mr. Alf. Thurlow has quite recovered from his recent illness.

Billiards is now claiming more devotees than during the last few months at the Rooms, though whist at lunch time and five p.m. has many supporters.

Mr. W. J. Vowles has been re-elected Mayor of Dalby.

Mr. Bertram de Conlay has been re-elected Mayor of Warwick.

Mr. E. E. Edwards, B.A., left for Egypt, "the Continent," and America by R.M.S. "Ophir" on 4th March He is accompanying his father, Hon. R. Edwards, M.H.R.

Mr. W. R. Parker, L.D.S., is in town again after a holiday in

Toowoomba.

The Old Boys present at the cricket match on Foundation Day were delighted with the improved batting and bowling form shown by the present boys. The fielding, however, as regards catching, in the second innings of the Old Boys left a good deal for improvement. Mr. S. J. Redgrave is evidently putting in some good work as coach.

Mr. A. D. Graham, B.A., L.L.B., barrister-at-law, has been engaged in a big case before the High Court in Melbourne.

Congratulations to Mr. Hardy Frew, now "B.E., B.Sc."

Mr. J. K. Cannan was in town from Longreach during the Christ-

mas holidays.

Mr. Jas. Love has been re-elected as President of the Queensland Lawn Tennis Association. Mr. R. H. Roe, M.A., has been re-elected Vice-President.

Messrs. T. Troedson and G. A. Austin visited the Southern

States for their holidays.

Mr. H. Norman Berry, F.F.I.A., was in Brisbane for a few days at Christmas time. He has been elected a director of the Federal Institute of Accountants, Sydney. Mr. Berry has the leading practice in his profession at Newcastle.

Messrs, A. L. Stewart (Vice-President, B.G.S.O.B.A.) and R.

Gailey, Jr., have been appointed J.P.'s.

Hon. J. Bell, and Messrs. Gunn and Moore have been re-

elected to the Legislative Assembly.

Dr. Jack Thomson and Mr. M. Ellis, "Daily Mail," have been elected members of the Old Boys Association.

Capt. Gross was in camp at Stradbroke with the cadets during

the vacation.

Congratulations to the School on heading the shooting list in Empire Match, among Australasian Schools.

Jottings.

Dr. C. J. Weedon has been appointed a Resident Surgeon in the Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney.

L. G. Brown has joined the staff of the Ipswich Grammar School.

C. A. Powell is engaged in rural pursuits at Traveston. He is still a tennis enthusiast, and is taking an interest in the Farmers' Association and other local institutions.

W. G. Newell has started work at Brabant & Co.'s.

Harry Casey is at work on his father's station, near Longreach.

F. Darley is qualifying for a chemist at Nanango.

J. Hollis has joined the Q.N. Bank at Gympie.

J. Forbes has started work as an engineer at Sydney.

S. B. Snow, B.A., is on the staff of the Chatswood Preparatory School, Sydney.

Dr. S. Lightoller is Anatomical Demonstrator at Sydney.

T. V. Brown, E. Plant, B. Perry, and A. Perry have been appointed lieutenants in the Moreton Regt.

F. C. Woosley has attained to the important position of editor

of the "Daily Mail."

E. Greenfield is engaged in mining pursuits at Eidsvold.

C. Greenfield is at Townsville, engaged in the optical business.

M. Aberdeen has entered the office of the Norwich Insurance Co.

R. Cobden has joined the staff of the A.M.P.

- H. Macintosh has started on a commercial career at Dalgety's.
 W. Clouston has joined the staff of the Southport High School.
- G. L. Byth, A. D. Forbes, C. Wassell, H. Plant, J. Hardie, C. Willcocks, and K. Brunnich have entered as students at the Sydney University.

H. S. Spowers has started work in a surveyor's camp.

MARRIAGES.

Jackson-Workman. On August 21st, 1907. Mr. J. S. Jackson to Miss B. J. Workman.

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