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## *Editorial*

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"Scholars come and scholars go,  
The School goes on for ever."

The above remark is a truism, but, nevertheless, apt even if it is a parody on "The Brook." All of last year's Upper Sixth, and many of the Upper Fifth have left us, but still, owing to the influx of some two hundred new boys, the average attendance of the School is higher than it has ever been. It has therefore, been found necessary to erect new buildings, which are now in course of construction, while a new playshed has been completed.

The teaching staff has also been enlarged by the addition of Messrs. Kaepfel, Clark and Fischer, and we take this opportunity of welcoming them to the School.

The cricket season has now closed, and although we have not done quite as well as we might in the fixtures, we succeeded in defeating Toowoomba for the first time in five years. Since the commencement of the University year, we have lost our captain, A. F. Paton, who, judging by his recent performances, should be even more successful with the University XI. than with the B.G.S. XI. He has been succeeded in his captaincy by K. B. Fraser, who, judging by his popularity and knowledge of the game, should prove a worthy leader.

Football will now take the place of cricket, and judging by the keenness of the younger members of the School, the season ought to be very successful for the various XV's. Since last year, the football captain, L. A. A. Forbes, has left the School, and his place has been taken by A. J. Hammond, who, we have no doubt, will prove an enthusiastic and persevering captain.

On February 23rd, the "Trial Fours" was rowed, and medals have since been presented to the winning crew, by Mr. Bousfield. We offer them our sincerest congratulations.

Drill has again started, and owing to Captain Bousfield's appointment as Battalion Commander, F. Company is now commanded by Lieutenant Kaepfel. The work is now entered into with enthusiasm, as every day we see men who ere long will go to the front to defend the Mother Country. We are publishing in the present magazine a list of Old Boys who have offered their services in defence of liberty, and the Empire which is itself the personification of liberty; and the least we can do is to wish them a speedy and safe return. The list now includes one hundred and seventy three names.

We offer our congratulations to Aitken, Byth, Horn, Cooling and Mott, on winning their University Scholarships, and also to those who were successful in the Senior and Junior University Examinations.

We are pleased to report that Mr. J. N. Radcliffe has gained the Rhodes' Scholarship for this year, and that Messrs. Moiesworth, Gillies, Mursell, and R. M. Wilson have attained the high distinction of First Class Honours in their Final Degree Examinations at the Queensland University. Out of six first class honours awarded by the University this year, no less than four fell to Old Boys of this School. We offer them our hearty gratulations.

With the large increase in numbers for 1915, we have reason to believe that this year will be even more successful than previous years. We beg the more youthful members of the School to remember the School motto, "Nil sine Labore," and to increase the reputation of the School in scholarship and sport, so that the proud father when asking, "What shall I do with my boy?" will be answered by all, "Send him to the B.G.S.!"

In conclusion, we want to remind the scholar of the B.G.S. that he is not to sever his connection with the School after his three or five years' stay there. It is his duty to keep in touch with the School and old friends by becoming a member of the Old Boys' Association.

Owing to his increase of studies, last year's editor, E. B. Freeman, has been obliged to resign his position. We cannot estimate his success too highly, and his work for the Magazine has been appreciated by all.



## ***Speech Day, 1914.***

We are not going to tell our readers that the average school boy enjoys the ceremonies and exhortations of Speech Day, because we know from long experience that he does not. As a matter of fact, he usually wonders what all the speeches are about, and when they are going to stop. However, as the last speeches were quite of the ordinary run, and touched on matters of unusual interest to the boys, we are printing some of them for the information and instruction of our readers. We may say that we refer to the speech of Colonel Lee, who kindly presented the Ralston Trophy, and to those of Mr. Woolcock, the Chairman of Trustees, and Mr. J. D. Storey, the Under Secretary for Public Instruction.

Colonel Lee, D.S.O., presented the military prizes—namely, the Ralston challenge trophy, for the champion cadet team of the first military district; "Courier" challenge cup; cadet and march past at hospital sports; special prize presented by the trustees to Lieutenant A. S. West; A.N.A. medal for champion rifle shot of Queensland cadets; and Lieutenant-colonel Hopkins' challenge trophy for the best rifle shot of the School. He pointed out that Major W. V. Ralston had presented his trophy, with a view to improving the musketry of the Queensland cadets, and he again pointed to the fact that the School held the cadet championships of both State and Commonwealth. In presenting the trophy awarded to Lieutenant West by the trustees, he said that no one more highly deserved recognition than the recipient. The way he had worked with his team, and the way he had handled it to advance its training, enabled it to win the competition. If the schools turned out officers of his description, then the defence forces would have nothing to complain of. The force would be officered by men of ability, courage, and indefatigable energy. In conclusion, Colonel Lee referred to the continued efforts of Lieutenant-colonel Hopkins in the development of musketry.

Mr. Woolcock said that all regretted the Governor-General could not find it convenient to be present. They were grateful to Colonel Lee and Colonel Hopkins for being present. This had been a very successful year for both schools, a very propitious year. He urged on his hearers, however, that there was a great deal to be said for those who did their work, humbly and thoroughly. Had the young men and young women of a certain nation, whose name he would not defile their ears by mentioning, received a true education in the British sense of the term, we should not have heard of the horrors we had read about. A school, he said, was not merely a school, it was an atmosphere. He had heard a story about the Brisbane Grammar School, which was worth repeating. A friend of his was travelling in a suburban train in London, and he heard two men talking. One man said that he was thinking of coming to a place called Queensland, but he was afraid that there

would be no school suitable for his boys. "Oh," replied the other man, "there is a fine school at Brisbane. It is called the Eton of Australia." When the School won the Meath prize regularly, as it had done, and when it put up the record it had put up, he believed that it might truly be put in the same class of the Etons and Rugbys of England. They should be proud that 93 old boys of the School had gone to the front. He proposed to have all the names blazoned on a parchment scroll, and that every parent should have a printed copy of the list, which thus would remain a permanent record. The girls were inculcating amongst themselves a spirit of patience and pride of doing well. He believed that there was a year of prosperity ahead for the School.

Mr. J. D. Story moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Woolcock. He said that the day he came to the School, there was a very strong contest for the position of captain of the School, and that position was won by Victor Sellheim, a man who, in the words of Newboldt, had "played the game," and a man who had risen to a high office in the Commonwealth military service. The two schools were fortunate indeed in having so pugnacious a gentleman as chairman as Mr. Woolcock, and possibly there was no man more able to say so than himself. He knew that at times he (Mr. Story) had been regarded as the bete noir of the Brisbane Grammar School, because when he had made attempts to send more boys to the Grammar School, it had been thought that those in the Education Department were making attempts to destroy its usefulness. On the other hand, he thought that it was only now that the Brisbane Grammar School was coming into its own, because a school of its kind, a school of its efficiency, a school with its traditions ought to be training for this State, and should be training for the Imperial service 600 or 700 boys, not 200 or 300. And indeed he hoped that the attendance at what Mr. Woolcock had styled the Eton of Australia, would continue to increase. He had much pleasure in moving a vote of thanks to Mr. Woolcock.

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### *"Dignis Detur Honos"*

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It is often the pleasing duty of this Magazine to give honour to the deserving, for achievements of various kinds; but none appear to us so deserving as those who offer to defend with their lives Our Land and Empire. However, the inveterate optimism of the Briton may tend to belittle it, it is clear that there is urgent need of men to carry on the work so gloriously begun by the British forces now in the field.

All honour, then, to our Old Boys who are offering all that men can offer, in defence of what we all hold dear. With eager interest we shall follow the fortunes of those whose services are accepted, and with pride we shall welcome them back, as we hope, on their victorious return.

## *The Roll of Honour*

"Contre nous de la tyrannie  
L'étendard sanglant est levé.  
Aux armes, citoyens! formez vos bataillons."  
"The Marseillaise."

The following "Old Boys" are members of the Expeditionary and other Forces now taking part in the great European war. Errors and omissions are bound to occur in such a list, and we shall be only too pleased to receive corrections or additional names. The "Roll of Honour" will be published regularly in the Magazine until the conclusion of the war.

### FIRST EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

#### *Divisional Headquarters—*

Colonel V. C. Sellheim, C.B.

Major C. Foott.

Lieut. E. C. Plant.

#### *Second Light Horse—*

Lieut.-Colonel R. M. Stodart.

Major T. J. Logan.

Major G. H. Bourne.

Lieut. A. Chisholm.

Lieut. A. B. Steele.

Lieut. R. Robinson.

Sergt. K. McSwaine (Divisional Ammunition Park).

Sergt. H. H. Perkins (Divisional Ammunition Park).

Corp. A. R. Macdonald (Divisional Ammunition Park).

Lance-Corporal W. McLennan.

Gunner C. Park (Divisional Ammunition Park).

Privates A. W. Smith, A. D. Abercrombie, H. G. Faulkner, R. A.

Whipham, G. L. Wilson, R. T. Challinor, W. H. Woolley.

#### *Machine Gun Section—*

Lieut. M. C. Trotter.

Corporal R. Johnston.

Privates W. S. Ferguson, G. W. Wilson, S. W. Smith.

#### *Army Service Corps—*

Sergt. H. Dinning.

Corporal A. F. Noyes.

Drivers L. C. Boden, A. W. Borjeson, C. R. W. Partridge, C. R. Bray

Privates H. Tinley, A. F. Fraser, E. Hobbs.

#### *Third Infantry Brigade Headquarters—*

Captain and Adjutant T. V. Brown.

Sergt. W. Mactaggart.

#### *Machine Gun Section—*

Lieut. J. Costin.

#### *Company Officers—*

Captain J. F. Ryder.

Lieut. W. R. Chambers.

Lieut. W. J. Rigby.

Lieut. D. Chapman.

Lieut. F. G. Haymen.

Lieut. A. J. Boase.

Sergeants F. W. Houston, J. V. Atkinson, B. W. Curtis.

Corporals G. H. Rigby, T. Ford, H. Wilson.

Lance-Corporal R. F. Shirley.

Privates G. R. Gray, O. Ulcoq, G. Harris, E. M. Little, W. B. Young,

A. S. Radcliffe, A. E. Hansen, H. Mercer-Smith, H. H. Smith.

#### *Third Field Artillery Headquarters—*

Captain and Adjutant A. H. K. Jopp.

*Seventh Battery—*

Captain W. A. Leslie.  
 Lieutenant W. J. Urquhart, Lieut. Harry Webb.  
 Q.M.S. L. Augstein.  
 Drivers F. L. King, J. S. Allen, J. Julius, H. A. Perkins.  
 Gunner G. H. Lahey.

*Ammunition Column—*

Sergt. W. V. Diamond.  
 Gunner A. Leslie.

## SECOND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

*Fifth Light Horse—*

Lieut.-Colonel Hubert Harris, V.D.  
 Major L. C. Wilson.  
 Captain Donald Cameron.  
 Lieut. and Quartermaster T. J. Brundrit.  
 Armourer Sergt. J. Don Macansh.  
 Sergt. R. Plant.  
 Corporal H. A. Crawford; J. N. Allom (signaller).  
 Troopers G. S. Millar, A. M. Morrison, A. P. Brand, N. C. Nevitt, L. D. Sinclair, G. Love.

*Infantry—*

Lieut.-Colonel Cannan.  
 Major H. Carter.  
 Captain D. H. Cannan.  
 Lieut. L. Collin.  
 Sergeant-Major D. N. Macgregor.  
 2nd Lieut. T. Robinson.  
 Sergeants W. Taylor, C. E. Scott, R. G. Young.  
 Corporal K. Watson.  
 Privates C. M. Fortescue, K. Hoge, J. Chandler, B. J. Stevens, R. M. Bernays.

*Light Horse—*

## REINFORCEMENTS.

Lieut. C. Stodart.  
 2nd Lieut. T. N. W. B. Steele.

*Infantry—*

Lieut. H. B. Hempstead.  
 Lieut. S. S. Bond.  
 Lieut. L. Brydon.  
 Lieut. G. Wareham.

*Engineers—*

Sappers N. A. Lloyd, W. P. Avery.

*Australian Expeditionary Force for Service in the Pacific Ocean—*

Sergt. E. H. Jones.  
 Corporal K. Watson.  
 Privates N. N. Watts, W. G. Hodges, J. Ledlie, W. Müller.

*Special Force for Service in the Tropics—*

Lieut. A. B. D. Brown.

*Medical Department—*

Major G. P. Dixon.  
 Captains A. H. Marks, J. E. Dodds, F. V. Foxton, H. Plant, R. O. Bridgman, C. Wassell, L. J. Nye, E. Culpin.  
 Staff Sergeant W. E. Donaldson.  
 Corporal J. D. O'Hagan.  
 Lance-Corporal W. Webb.  
 Privates M. H. Archdall, G. Rendle, J. Hayes, S. Clark, A. D. Hetherington, O. W. O'Brien, Bruce Foster, H. Justelius.

*British Navy—*

Lieutenant Nigel Miles.

*Australian Navy—*

Lieutenant Stuart Cameron.



*Service in the British Forces—*

Majors C. H. Foott (P.S.C.), J. D. Lavarack (P.S.C.)  
Captain R. C. Roe (6th Lancashire Fusiliers).  
Corporal J. Brown.  
Privates J. W. Slack (10th Royal Fusiliers), J. B. Higginson.

*British Medical Service—*

Drs. S. F. Macdonald, L. G. Brown, E. Herga, Marshall Allan, H. K. Denham, A. W. G. Murray.

*Serving in Other Australian Forces—*

*6th Light Horse (N.S.W.)—*

Captain and Adjutant G. C. Somerville.  
Motor Driver David Parry-Okeden.  
Trooper Gorrie.

*Veterinary Corps (N.S.W.)—*

Captain E. S. James.

*South Australian Force—*

Sergeant Godfrey White.

*Victorian Force—*

Artillery Captain Norman Miles.

*Australian and New Zealand Ammunition Headquarters—*

Lieut. W. E. Parry-Okeden.

The following are on active service, but we have been unable to obtain particulars about them :—

Lieut. F. G. Newton.

Wilfred Hall, J. Grant, H. S. Smith, H. L. Marsland, H. S. Davey, F. L. Armstrong, H. W. Barnett, A. J. Wallace, H. Wetherell.

*Fourth Brigade—*

2nd Lieutenant L. Brydon.

Privates J. A. Forbes, V. Cooper, J. Ledlie, A. H. Jones, R. Sword, and Thelander.

TO MEMBERS OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCES.

The Head Master and the Business Manager of this Magazine have each received several letters and postcards from Old Boys serving at the front, to which they are unable to reply owing to the transfer of the Forces to a fresh and unknown sphere of activity. The receipt of these communications has afforded much pleasure to the Head Master and to the Business Manager, and they take this opportunity of conveying their good wishes to any Old Boys in the Oversea Forces into whose hands this Magazine may fall.

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## *War Notes.*

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It is difficult to obtain information from the theatre of war. For the present, the information is withheld from us for our own good. Eagerly, as our readers desire to follow the fortunes of our Old Boys at the front, we are unable to place much news at their disposal. The following items of news, however, will doubtless interest our readers.

To Lieut. Nigel Miles, of H.M.S. "Theseus," belongs the honour of being the first "Old Boy" under fire in this war. His ship was attacked by a German submarine at the same time that the Hawke was sunk in the North Sea.

The following members of the Expeditionary Force also served in the South African War :—Colonel V. C. Sellheim, Lieut.-Colonel R. M. Stodart, Lieut.-Colonel H. Harris, Major H. Carter, Captain J. E. Dods, Lieut. Frank Newton, and Private R. A. Whipham.



Lieut. Stuart Cameron, Royal Australian Navy, took part in the seizure of German New Guinea.

Lieut. F. G. Haymen and Corporal K. Watson, now of the second Expeditionary Force, and also E. H. Jones and Bruce Foster, have already done active service in New Guinea.

Captains J. D. Lavarack and H. Carter have been promoted to the rank of Major. Major Lavarack is a staff officer to and assistant C.I.G.S.

Corporal C. E. Scott and Private R. G. Young have been appointed Sergeants.

Lieut. U. E. Parry-Okeden holds a responsible position in Egypt, as officer in charge of Ammunition, Australian and New Zealand Army Corps.

It is interesting to notice that our Old Boys at the front include one Colonel, three Lieutenant-colonels, and five Majors.

Drs. S. F. Macdonald and Marshall Allan, who hold commissions in the British Medical Service, are stationed at base hospitals in France.

Lieutenant and Adjutant A. H. K. Jopp has been promoted to the rank of Captain.

Captain G. P. Dixon has been promoted to rank of Major.

Mr. H. K. Denham has been appointed a surgeon on board of H. M. Destroyer Lark.

Dr. A. W. G. Murray has gone to the front. His uncle, Sir Archibald Murray, is Chief of Staff to Sir John French.

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### ***Mr. R. A. Kerr, M.A., B.Sc.***

Mr. R. A. Kerr, M.A., the newly-appointed Headmaster of Ipswich Grammar, is an "Old Boy" of this School. He entered the Brisbane Grammar School in the year 1890 and soon showed that he was possessed of mathematical abilities of a very high order, winning mathematical medals both at the Junior and Senior Examinations of the University of Sydney. He closed his successful school career by winning a Queensland University Scholarship, and entered the University of Melbourne. Mathematical Honours and the Mathematical Scholarship at the final B.A. examination were awarded to him. Since leaving the University, Mr. Kerr has been engaged in educational work, but has, nevertheless, found sufficient time to add the degrees of M.A. and B.Sc. with honours in Physics to the B.A. already obtained. For some years Mr. Kerr did excellent work as an assistant master in the Ipswich Grammar School, and after a short period as Headmaster of a Victorian school, the position of Headmaster of the Ipswich Grammar School was offered him by the Trustees. The earnestness of purpose which has always distinguished Mr. Kerr, is a good augury of his success in his new position, to which he carries the good wishes of all members of the B.G.S. who knew him in his school days.

## *Wilson Chapman Memorial Tablet.*

A brass memorial tablet has been placed in the Hall, to the memory of Messrs. H. B. Wilson and H. S. Chapman, who were drowned at Southport in December, 1912.

The inscription on the tablet reads as follows:—

ERECTED BY OLD SCHOOLFELLOWS  
AND FRIENDS IN MEMORY OF

WILLIAM BENJAMIN WILSON  
AND HENRY STANLEY CHAPMAN,

OLD BOYS OF THIS SCHOOL WHO LOST  
THEIR LIVES IN THE SURF AT SOUTHPORT,  
DECEMBER 28TH, 1912, WHILE ASSISTING  
TO SAVE THE LIVES OF OTHERS, AND  
CROWNED A HAPPY LIFE WITH A FAIR DEATH.

W.B.W. BORN OCT. 14TH, 1891.

H.S.C. BORN DEC. 9TH, 1892.

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## *Our Four University 1st-class Honour Men.*

At the Final Degree Examinations recently held at the University of Queensland, four Old Boys of this School won the high distinction of First Class Honours. A brief summary of the career of each will, doubtless, be interesting to our readers.

MR. R. M. WILSON, First Class Honours in Engineering. The Walter and Eliza Hall Engineering Fellowship of the University of Queensland.

The above fellowship is available for three years. During the first two years, the holder must study a selected branch of engineering abroad, and during the third must give the benefit of his experience by lecturing and demonstrating in the engineering school of the University.

Mr. Ronald Martin Wilson has been nominated as the first fellow, and has chosen as his subject for study, "Modern developments in architectural engineering, with special reference to reinforced concrete, and the planning of factory buildings."

Mr. Wilson is the eldest son of Mr. Alex. B. Wilson, A.R.I.B.A., F.Q.I.A., a former President of the Queensland Institute of Architects, and is a native of Brisbane.

Having won a Scholarship at the Normal school, he became enrolled as a B.G.S. boy for three years, passing the Junior with the medal for Physiology.

He then entered the office of his father, where he had obtained professional experience in architecture for six years, had been admitted as a "probationer" of the R.I.B.A., and was preparing for the "intermediate" when the University of Queensland commenced operations.

He was then released from business, and, under the guidance of the Central Technical College staff, matriculated in the Senior.

He became admitted as one of the first undergraduates, and was one of the first to obtain the B.E. degree, having passed with First Class Honours in Civil Engineering.

Although not prominent in land sports, Mr. Wilson, in conjunction with his father, and brothers Allan and Lex, built, sailed, and raced the 36ft. auxiliary yawl "Heatherbell," a craft well-known amongst the yachting fraternity during the last ten years.

MR. CLYDE D. GILLIES, First Class Honours in Biology, entered the Brisbane Grammar School in 1909, and passed the Sydney Junior in 1910, qualifying for the Music Medal. In December of the same year, he matriculated, and entered the University of Queensland when it opened in 1911, as a student in the Faculty of Science, and graduated as a Bachelor of Science in 1914, being one of the first graduates of the University. In the recent Final Honours Examination, he obtained First Class Honours under Dr. T. Harvey Johnston, and Prof. Haswell, University of Sydney. He was appointed junior demonstrator in Biology in 1912, a position which he still holds.

MR. J. L. MURSELL, First Class Honours in Philosophy.—Mr. Mursell entered the School in 1909. During his school career he showed marked proficiency in literary subjects, winning the Earl of Meath's Empire Essay Challenge Cup. In 1912, he entered the Queensland University, and finished a successful career by graduating with First Class Honours in Philosophy, besides winning the Archibald Scholarship for an Essay on an Economic Subject.

MR. B. MOLESWORTH, First Class Honours in History.—Mr. Molesworth entered the B.G.S. in 1906, having won a State Scholarship. During his school career he showed a decided inclination for historical studies. Having entered the University in 1912, he selected the Honours Course in History, which he pursued with so much zeal, that he has graduated with First Class Honours. Mr. Molesworth has been appointed a lecturer in History at the Queensland University.

## *The Rhodes Scholarship.*

Once more the Rhodes Scholarship has fallen to an Old Boy of this School, the successful candidate this year being Mr. J. N. Radcliffe, B.A. Mr. Radcliffe entered the School in 1907 with a State Scholarship. In 1910 he won a Trustees' Extension Scholarship, which carried him on to the close of his school career. At the Senior Examination in 1911, he won a University Scholarship tenable for three years. Always strong on the classical side, Mr. Radcliffe specialised in Classics, and took his B.A. with second class honours. As a sportsman, Mr. Radcliffe stands in the first rank of tennis players, having represented Queensland in interstate competitions. Of cricket also, Mr. Radcliffe is a capable exponent.

## *Successes Won by Boys*

IN ATTENDANCE AT THE SCHOOL IN THE YEAR 1914.

University Scholarships	..	..	..	..	5 successful candidates
University Matriculation—Arts	..	..	..	10	..
Science	..	..	..	9	..
Engineering	..	..	..	3	..
Medicine	..	..	..	1	..



MR. C. D. GILLIES, B.Sc.  
First Class Honours in Biology.



University Senior Examination .. .. .	9 successful candidates
Teachers' Scholarship, N.S.W. .. .. .	1 " "
University Junior Examination .. .. .	35 " "
Federal Civil Service .. .. .	2 " "
State Civil Service .. .. .	5 " "
Railway Engineering Cadet .. .. .	1 " "
Entrance to Royal Australian Military College ..	1 " "
Entrance to Royal Australian Naval College ..	1 " "
Solicitors' Preliminary Examination .. .. .	6 " "

## *University and other Distinctions*

WON BY OLD BOYS IN THE YEAR 1914.

One Doctor of Science.  
 Nine Bachelors of Medicine.  
 One Bachelor of Engineering.  
 Five Bachelors of Arts.  
 One Bachelor of Science.  
 Sixteen passed Examinations forming part of University Course.  
 One Rhodes' Scholar.  
 One Queensland University Travelling Scholarship.  
 One Barrister.  
 One Solicitor.  
 One Graduated at Staff College, England.  
 Two obtained Commissions for after Studies at Royal Australian Military College.

## *University Successes of Old Boys.*

### UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD.

Final B.A. Exam. Science Honours : H. K. Denham (1st on list).

### UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

Final Exam. for Bachelor of Medicine :

Honours Class II.—H. H. Ridler.

Credit : L. J. Nye ; A. M. Davidson.

Pass.—A. W. G. Murray.

### UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM.

Final Examination for Bachelor of Arts : Rev. Harold Ayscough.

### UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND.

Final Examination for Degree of Bachelor of Arts :

Classics, Honours, Class II.—J. N. Radcliffe.

Class III.—J. W. Nommensen.

Pass.—A. H. Jones.

History, Honours, Class I.—B. H. Molesworth.

Philosophy, Honours, Class I.—J. L. Mursell.

Final Examination for the Degree of Bachelor of Science :

Biology, Class I.—C. D. Gillies.

Third Year of Arts Course :

W. M. Kyle (3 subjects).

First Year Science : J. G. Wagner ; Alan S. Hurwood.

Second Year : A. F. Frankel ; E. W. Kennedy.

Third Year : Charles E. Lewis ; Frank G. Haymen.

### ENGINEERING.

Final Examination for Bachelor of Engineering (Civil) :

Honours, Class I.—Ronald M. Wilson.

Mechanical Engineering : Stanley J. Millar.\*



## SCHOOL OF MINES, Charters Towers :

Chemistry (Theoretical), Class II.—E. H. Jones.

Chemistry (Practical), Class II.—E. H. Jones.

Engineering Chemistry, Class I.—E. H. Jones.

Assaying, Pass.—E. H. Jones.

Metallurgy, Class II.—E. H. Jones.

Mineralogy, Class II.—E. H. Jones.

Mining Geology, Class II.—H. Dean.

Surveying, Class II.—H. Dean.

Mining, Class I.—H. Dean.

Ore Dressing, Pass.—H. Dean.

Winner of Bursary.—H. Dean.

RHODES SCHOLARSHIP.—J. N. Radcliffe, B.A.

WALTER AND ELIZA HALL TRAVELLING FELLOWSHIP IN ENGINEERING.—

R. M. Wilson, B.E.

MATRICULATION ARTS.—W. R. Gripp.

SCIENCE.—Neville H. Young.

## OTHER EXAMINATIONS.

Dentists' Intermediate Examination.—T. Jack ; H. L. McComb.

*University Scholarships.*

The following members of the School have been awarded Scholarships tenable at the University of Queensland for 3 years :—

Noel C. Aitken.

George Cooling.

Herbert V. Byth.

Harold W. Horn.

Charles B. Mott.

*University of Queensland.*

## SENIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER, 1914.

Name.	Mod. History	Anc. History	English	French	German.	Latin	Greek	Algebra	Geometry	Trigonometry	Mechanics	Chemistry	Physics	Physiology
Aitken, N. C. ..				P				M	M	M	M	M	M	
Boyce, G. F. ..		M		P		M	P							P
Byth, H. V. ..		P	P		M	M	M	P	P	P				
Cooling, G. ..			P	P				P	P	M	P	M	M	
Horn, H. W. ..		M	M		M	M		P	P	P		P	P	
Jones, W. L. ..				P				P	P		P	P	P	
Lukin, L. G. ..				P		P		P	P	P	P			
Mott, C. B. ..			P					P	P	P	P	M	M	
Paton, A. F. ..	M		M	P		P		P						

M denotes "Merit."

P denotes "Pass."

## MATRICULATION.

The following members of the School have qualified for Matriculation in the University of Queensland :—

H. V. Byth—Arts, Science.

G. Cooling—Arts, Science, Engineering.

H. W. Horn—Arts, Science.

C. B. Mott—Arts, Science, Engineering.

L. G. Lukin—Arts, Science.

A. F. Paton—Arts, Science.



WINNERS OF UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

G. R. Sumner—Arts.  
 G. F. Boyce—Arts, Science.  
 L. A. A. Forbes—Arts, Science.  
 W. P. Simmonds—Arts, Science.  
 C. F. Hughes—Arts.  
 N. C. Aitken—Science, Engineering.

UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE: L. A. A. Forbes—Medicine.

TEACHER'S SCHOLARSHIP, N.S.W.—A. S. West.

ENTRANCE TO THE AUSTRALIAN ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE.—E. G. Scriven.

SOLICITORS' PRELIMINARY.—G. Down; R. S. McNab; T. G. Gaydon; E. G. Wilde.

### JUNIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER, 1914.

NAME.	History.	Geography.	English.	French.	German.	Latin.	Greek.	Arithmetic.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Chemistry.	Physics.	Physiology.	Drawing.	MERIT.	PASS.	TOTAL.
Anderson, H. W.						P			P	P		P				4	4
Attil, J.	P		P	M		M	M	P	P	P		P			3	6	9
Bacon, A. E.			P		P	P		M	M	M	M	M	P		5	4	9
Ballinger, F.								P	P	M		P			1	3	4
Beggs, W.			P	M		M		P	M	M	M	P	P		5	4	9
Binks, J. G.	P	P	M		P			M	P	P		P			2	6	8
Blacking, H. C.				P		P		P	P	P			P			6	6
Bole, R. V.	P	P		P		M	M	P	P	P					2	6	8
Boyd, W. C.			P		P	P		M	M	P	P	P	P		2	7	9
Bracon, C. M.	P	P	P	M		P		P	P	P	P				1	8	9
Brazer, S.		P		P		M		P	P	P					1	4	5
Brazeen, H.			P	P		P		M	P	P		P			1	6	7
Braesmann, W. F.		P			P	P		P	M	P		P			1	6	7
Baddock, R.				P					P	P		P		P		6	6
Balliday, F. W. C.		P	P					P	P	P						5	5
Barris, V. E.		P	P			P		P	P	P	P	P				8	8
Bain, T.	P		M		M	M	P	P	M	M		P			5	4	9
Bauston, W. E.		P	P			P		P	M	P	P				1	7	8
Bright, R. K.			P									P	P	P		4	4
Bucas, F. B.				P				M	M	P		M	P	M	4	3	7
Bakin, F.			P			P		P	P	M	P	P	P		1	7	8
Bacon, A. E.									P		M	M	P		2	2	4
Borgan, J. R.		P	P			P				P	P	M	P		1	5	6
Bonro, W. S.					P	P		P	P	P	P	P	P			8	8
Bommensen, F. C.	M		P		P	M	M	P	P	P		P			3	6	9
Brien, B. G.				P					P	P			P			4	4
Phillips, J. G.								P	P	P		P				4	4
Plater, L. N.			P		P	M		P	M	M	M	P	M		5	4	9
Scriven, E. G.		P						P	P	M	P	M			2	4	6
Troley, L. W.		P	M		P	M	P	P	P	P		P			2	7	9
Wagner, E. G.		M	P		P	M	P	M	M	P		P			4	5	9
Williams, J. W.		P	P	M		M		P	P	P	P	P			2	7	9
Wilson, W. W.			P		P	M		P	M	M	P	P	P		3	6	9
Woo, H. G.								P	P	P		P	P	P		6	6
Young, C.			P	M		M		P	P	P	P	P	M		3	6	9
MERIT .. ..	1	1	3	5	1	12	3	6	10	8	4	5	2	1	62		
PASS .. ..	5	12	18	7	10	12	3	23	22	25	11	24	13	3		188	
TOTAL .. ..																	250

M denotes "Merit."

P denotes "Pass."

## ***State Public Service Examination.***

The following members of the School were successful at the Public Service Examination held last November :—

### PROFESSIONAL DIVISION.

F. B. Lucas (second in whole State).

### ORDINARY DIVISION.

F. W. Halliday.

C. M. Deacon.

R. V. Cole.

R. F. Lee-Bryce.

### OTHER EXAMINATIONS.

ENTRANCE TO THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY.—John A. V. Nisbet.

## ***Our University Scholarship Winners.***

NOEL CRAWFORD AITKEN entered the B.G.S. in 1910 with a State Scholarship. He soon showed marked ability in mathematical and scientific studies, and throughout his school career he won practically every prize open to him in these subjects, including the Francis Prize in 1912, and the Cockle and Bowen Prizes in 1914. In 1914 he passed the University Junior Examination, securing the first place in Queensland with four Distinctions and six Passes, and was awarded the Byrnes Medal, and also won a Trustees' Extension Scholarship. In 1914, he passed the Queensland University Senior Examination with six Merits and two Passes, and was awarded a University Scholarship tenable for three years. He has entered the Engineering Department of the University. While at School Aitken acted as School Librarian, and was an excellent rifle shot.

CHARLES B. MOTT entered the B.G.S. in 1910 with a State Scholarship. Here he soon established a reputation for steady application and all round ability, and won several Merit Prizes. In 1912, he secured an excellent pass in the Junior University Examination, and gained a Trustees' Extension Scholarship. In 1914, he passed the Senior University Examination with two Merits and five Passes, and won University Scholarship, tenable for three years. He has entered the Engineering Department at the University.

GEORGE COOLING entered the B.G.S. in 1910 with a State Scholarship. During his school career, he won several Merit Prizes, and the Fourth Form and Chemistry Prizes. In 1912, he gained a Trustees' Extension Scholarship, and passed the Junior University Examination with two Distinctions and eight Passes. In 1914, he passed the Queensland University Senior Examination with three Merits and five passes, and gained a University Scholarship. He has now entered upon a Science Course at the University.

During his school career, Cooling won several prizes for Fine Arts at the Brisbane Exhibition. Always a first rate essayist, Cooling won the Essay Prize, presented in 1913 by the B.G.S.O.B.A., and in 1914 scored the high distinction of winning the Earl of Meath's Challenge Cup, for the "Empire Essay," in a competition open to all secondary schools in the British Empire.

HERBERT VICTOR BYTH entered the B.G.S. in 1910 with a State Scholarship. He soon showed that he was possessed of marked ability, especially in languages, and won the Lilley Medal in the Lower School, and again in the Fifth Form, as well as various prizes for proficiency in languages. In 1912 he succeeded in winning a Trustees' Extension Scholarship, taking the first place. In the same year, he passed the Queensland University Junior Examination, with four Distinctions and six Passes, and was proxime accessit to Aitken for the Byrnes Medal. In 1913 and 1914 he won the Lilley Gold



Medal, and Dr. L'Estrange's prize for Classics, as well as the Language Prizes. At the Senior Examination in 1914, he passed with three Merits and five passes, and was awarded a University Scholarship, and has entered upon the Arts Course at the University. Outside of the class room, Byth has taken a keen interest in the school life. He held the Gymnastic Championship in 1913, captained the second tennis team in 1914; won Mr. Swanwick's Declamation Prize in 1913, and was also a good rifle shot. In 1914 he was appointed a Prefect.

HAROLD WILLIAM HORN entered the B.G.S. in 1910 with a State Scholarship. In 1912, he passed the Queensland University Junior Examination, and also gained a Trustees' Extension Scholarship for two years. In 1914 he passed the Queensland University Senior Examination with four Merits and four Passes, and gained a University Scholarship, tenable for three years.

At the end of each of his school years he has gained a prize for general proficiency. Always an enthusiast in military matters, he rose from the ranks, and passed through the non-commissioned grades to the rank of Colour-Sergeant, and in 1912 received his commission as Second Lieutenant. An excellent tennis player, he was a member of the First IV. for three years in succession. He has decided to take up a Science Course at the University.

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## *Cricket Notes.*

(K.B.F.)

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On the resumption of our matches this year, there were only 5 of last year's team available, and we were greatly handicapped by the loss of such good all round players as Wrench and A. H. Brown.

In spite of our apprehensions, however, the season has been a fairly prosperous one. Of the 10 matches played, we have won 5, and 3 of these victories have been inter-school matches.

We were successful in defeating Toowoomba Grammar School after a keen and closely contested game. This is the first time in the last five years that the XI. has been victorious in this annual inter-school fixture. Jones played a fine innings for 45 not out, practically winning the match for us. Freeman bowled with a good length throughout, and obtained 5 wickets for 41. The fielding was keen, and far above the average.

We wish to thank Mrs. Barbour for the hospitable way in which she entertained us during the day. A detailed account of the trip is given elsewhere.

On Foundation Day we sustained a severe defeat at the hands of the Old Boys, but owing to the wet state of the wicket in this match, we were severely handicapped by losing the toss. We have held our own in the grade matches, but several times the batting has shown a tendency to collapse.

Under the able coaching of Mr. Miller, the bowling of the team has greatly improved, but is still easily worn down when opposed to a forcing attack. The batting has generally been good but that of the new members lacks soundness, and has not been up to expectations. Most of the team field well, but are not quick



enough in moving to the ball. The running between the wicket, is also very slow.

At the conclusion of the fixtures last year, the "Crouch" bat for best batting average, was awarded to C. M. Wrench, the "Powell" bat for bowling went to A. H. Brown, and the "Haymen" bat for best field to Paton. All three fully merited their success.

Freeman, who has bowled consistently since Christmas, has captured 39 wickets, and both he and Robinson have fully justified their inclusion in the team.

Colours have been awarded this year to Freeman, Hein and Robinson.

Since the Toowoomba match, we have missed the figure of our popular captain, Paton, who has since shown his prowess as a bat in the University Eleven.

The following are the results of matches played this year:—

**B.G.S. v. OLD BOYS.**—Our annual match against the Old Boys was played on the School Turf on 26th February, and once again they proved too strong for us. Mr. Holland won the toss from Paton, and sent the School to the wickets, where, however, they did not remain long. Mr. Smith was almost unplayable, owing to the sticky nature of the pitch, and obtained 6 wickets for 11.

The Old Boys, batting on an improved wicket, reached 304 before they were dismissed. M. D. Graham compiled a well made 107, and Mr. Crouch made 65, including 6 sixers. In their second try the School did better, but were all out for 140.

B.G.S.—First Innings.			B.G.S.—Second Innings.		
Goertz, c. and b. Smith .. ..	0	b. Abell .. ..	4		
Robinson, c. Warwaker, b. Smith	0	c. and b. Abell .. ..	4		
Mottershead, c. Warwaker, b. Smith	1	c. and b. Down .. ..	21		
Paton, c. Abell, b. Smith .. ..	3	c. A. D. Graham, b. Doyle ..	42		
Jones, c. Crouch, G., b. Smith ..	0	c. Smith, b. Warwaker .. ..	0		
Fraser, b. Smith .. ..	9	c. Down, b. Doyle .. ..	37		
Biggs, b. Crouch, G. .. ..	7	c. and b. Warwaker .. ..	0		
Hein, run out .. ..	0	c. and b. Warwaker .. ..	3		
Wilson, K., l.b.w., b. Crouch, G.	1	b. M. D. Graham .. ..	15		
Lawton, not out .. ..	2	not out .. ..	6		
Freeman, c. Jack, b. Warwaker ..	1	b. Graham .. ..	0		
Sundries .. ..	2	Sundries .. ..	8		
Total .. ..	26	Total .. ..	140		

**BOWLING.**—Down, 0 for 5; Smith, 6 for 11; Warwaker, 1 for 4; Crouch, G. S. 2 for 4. Graham, 2 for 33; M. D. Graham, 2 for 17; E. R. Crouch, 0 for 13; Jack, 0 for 17; Doyle, 2 for 20; Warwaker, 3 for 13; Down, 1 for 19.

OLD BOYS.—First Innings.					
Mr. A. D. Graham, c. Freeman, b.		Mr. Abell, b. Robinson .. ..	2		
Jones .. ..	11	Mr. G. S. Crouch, c. Goertz, b.			
Mr. M. D. Graham, c. Hein, b.		Freeman .. ..	13		
Jones .. ..	107	Mr. H. Smith, b. Freeman .. ..	0		
Mr. T. Jack, run out .. ..	25	Mr. Down, not out .. ..	17		
Mr. E. D. Doyle, b. Freeman .. ..	29	Mr. Holland, c. Hein, b. Freeman	11		
Mr. E. R. Crouch, c. Biggs, b.		Sundries .. ..	11		
Freeman .. ..	65	Total .. ..	304		
Mr. N. E. Waraker, c. Jones, b.					
Freeman .. ..	13				

**BOWLING.**—Freeman, 6 for 107; Jones, 2 for 53; Lawton, 0 for 76; Mottershead, 0 for 16; Robinson, 1 for 47.

**B.G.S. v. TOOWONG.**—Won by 6 wickets. Toowong, 189 and 147. B.G.S. 221 and 4 for 117 (Paton 79 and 27 not out, Fraser 51, Jones 49, Robinson 29, Mr. Mottershead 22, Goertz 21). Bowling: Freeman, 4 for 66, and 6 for 65; Jones, 3 for 42; Lawton, 3 for 12.

**B.G.S. v. WOOLLOONGABBA.**—Lost by 2 wickets. Woolloongabba, 85 and 8 for 105. B.G.S., 73 and 118 (Freeman 53 and 12, Jones 23, Goertz 24, Atthow 18, Hein 13). Bowling: Jones, 2 for 13, and 2 for 28; Freeman, 3 for 21; Robinson, 2 for 11, and 4 for 35; Mr. Mottershead, 2 for 28, and 2 for 13.

**B.G.S. v. SOUTH BRISBANE.**—Lost by 124 runs on first innings. South Brisbane, 233 and 5 for 112. B.G.S., 109 and 9 for 286 (declared closed) (Jones 67 and 22, Fraser 53, Paton 22 and 22 retired, Mr. Mottershead 36, Hein 30, Wilson, K., 18, Robinson 17). Bowling: Freeman 5 for 114; Jones, 2 for 57; Robinson, 2 for 6; Grenning, 2 for 32. We were in a winning position when stumps were drawn on the second day.

**B.G.S. v. NUNDAH.**—Lost by 134 runs. Nundah, 114 and 7 for 188 (declared closed). B.G.S., 111 and 54 (Grenning 22, Fraser 22). Bowling: Freeman, 6 for 66 and 3 for 87; Grenning, 1 for 26; Jones, 2 for 70.

### CRITICISMS.

(K.B.F.)

- A. F. PATON.—The best bat in the team, with good strokes all round the wicket; off drives and square cuts cleanly; leg glances well, and has a sound defence; smart field at cover or slips; an enthusiastic and energetic captain, and a great loss to the team. Colours, 1913-14-15.
- H. W. JONES (Vice-Captain).—A forcing bat, who hits very hard; off and on drives powerfully, and cuts well, and has greatly improved in strokes behind the wicket; fast right-hand bowler, who rises fast off the wicket; good field. Colours, 1914-15.
- E. B. FREEMAN.—Medium right-hand off-break bowler; turns the ball a lot, and has bowled very consistently; fair bat, with good square cuts, and hits hard; sure field; a greatly improved player all round. Colours, 1915.
- T. HEIN (wicketkeeper).—Takes the ball well, and stumps neatly, but drops a few chances, and uses his pads too much; a strong bat on the leg, and pulls well, but is weak in his off strokes. Colours, 1915.
- S. L. ROBINSON.—A much improved bat, with a good defence; drives well past cover, but should cultivate more scoring strokes; bowls fast medium, with slight off-break; a good field at point and cover. Colours, 1915.
- T. LAWTON.—Slow leg-break bowler, but very erratic; a steady bat, but ought to hit harder, and use his feet more; a good field and sure catch.
- W. GOERTZ.—Shapes fairly well, but has no back play; should cultivate a straight bat, and not try to pull everything to leg; fair field, but slow to anticipate the stroke.
- P. GRENNING.—A new slow medium leg-break bowler; inaccurate length, but will improve with practice; a powerful hitter, but has no defence; fields well.
- K. WILSON.—Fair bat; cuts and hooks well; must play with a straighter bat, and learn to drive; a hard working field.
- W. ATTEOW.—A good bat on the leg side, but should get well over a rising ball; a passable field, but slow off the mark.
- BIGGS.—Has a fair defence, but is weak on the leg, and ought to put more power into his strokes; his fielding and his catching in particular is weak; picking up and throwing in could be greatly improved.
- R. H. BROWN.—Medium left-hand bowler, with fair length; must learn to go forward with a straight bat, and use his feet; an improved field.
- K. B. FRASER (by a member of the team).—Able replaces Paton as an enthusiastic captain; has good defence and on strokes, especially to leg; off drives well; good field. Colours, 1914-15.

B.G.S. v. TOOWOOMBA G.S.—The annual match was played at Toowoomba on March 16th. Paton won the toss, and chose first innings on a wicket that proved somewhat tricky. The opening was unfortunate, as Goertz got a nasty knock on the head from a bumping ball, and in trying to recover his balance trod on his wicket. Robinson also got a blow that forced him to retire for a time. Paton and Fraser played carefully, and the score was 44 for 2 wickets. Then there was a collapse, and 7 wickets were down for 63. Jones came to the rescue with a fine free innings of 45. His driving was specially good. The total reached 103. Toowoomba made an equally unfortunate start. Farbour got a bad bruise on the arm, through intercepting a return from the field. When he resumed batting, he had lost his power, and was unfortunate in being bowled by a shooter. Jones and Freeman bowled well, the latter specially so, and the fielding was good. Hein kept wickets better than he has ever done before. The last two wickets fell in one over to Robinson. Toowoomba's score was 75. The best display in our second innings was by Paton, though several others played correct, but rather slow cricket. We won the match by 28 runs, and the team is to be congratulated on stopping the run of defeats we have had from Toowoomba. The following are the detailed scores:—

B.G.S.—First Innings.				B.G.S.—Second Innings.			
Robinson, c. Smart, b. Browne	..	15	b. Campbell	..	..	3	
Goertz, hit wkt., b. Campbell	..	0	c. and b. Seaton	..	..	7	
Paton, b. Campbell	..	22	b. Seaton	..	..	47	
Fraser, K. B., b. Campbell	..	7	b. Browne	..	..	13	
Jones, H. W., not out	..	45	b. Campbell	..	..	16	
Hein, c. Seaton, b. Campbell	..	2	l.b.w., b. Seaton	..	..	17	
Wilson, K. J. G., b. Browne	..	0	l.b.w., b. Seaton	..	..	2	
Atthow, b. Browne	..	0	not out	..	..	6	
Lawton, c. Lloyd, b. Browne	..	7					
Grenning, b. Browne	..	0					
Freeman, b. Browne	..	0					
Extras	..	5	Extras	..	..	11	
Total	..	103	7 wickets for	..	..	122	

BOWLING.—					BOWLING.—				
Ovs	Mds	Rns	Wts		Ovs	Mds	Rns	Wts	
Campbell	.. 13	2	35	4	Campbell	.. 9	1	30	2
Seaton	.. 12	4	27	—	Browne	.. 13	4	24	1
Browne	.. 12	2	25	6	Seaton	.. 9	3	11	4
Lloyd	.. 1	—	11	—	Hilless	.. 5	1	16	—
					Olson	.. 4	0	11	—
					Lloyd	.. 2	0	7	—
					Coyne	.. 3	1	13	—

TOOWOOMBA G.S.—First Innings.									
Barbour, b. Freeman	..	..	6		Hilless, b. Freeman	..	..	11	
Kent, run out	..	..	11		Smart, b. Robinson	..	..	3	
Browne, b. Jones	..	..	7		Coyne, not out	..	..	0	
Campbell, c. Lawton, b. Freeman	..	..	1		Brazier, c. Hein, b. Robinson	..	..	0	
Lloyd, c. Lawton, b. Freeman	..	..	7		Extra	..	..	1	
Seaton, b. Jones	..	..	0		Total	..	..	75	
Olson, c. Robinson, b. Freeman	..	..	28						
BOWLING.—									
Overs.	Maidens	Runs.	Wickets.		Overs.	Maidens	Runs.	Wickets.	
Jones	.. 17	6	33	2					
Freeman	.. 17	4	41	5					
Robinson	.. 1	1	0	2					

#### SECOND ELEVEN.

Although the Seconds turned up gamely for their matches, nevertheless, they did not meet with the success their enthusiasm merited. The following are the results of matches played:—



*v.* NUNDAL.—Won by Nundah by an innings and 112 runs. Nundah, First Innings, 295. B.G.S., 81 and 102 (Cole 28 not out, Brown, R. S. H., 24). Bowling for B.G.S., Biggs, 4 for 27.

*v.* VALLEY.—Won by Valley by 122 runs. Valley 136 and 165. B.G.S., 103 and 76 (K. Fraser 55 not out and 33, Leslie 25, Grenning 13). Bowling for B.G.S.: Grenning, 8 for 29; Brown, R. H., 7 for 65. In this match we were strengthened by some of the 1st XI.

*v.* UNIVERSITY.—Won by 'Varsity by 11 runs on the first innings. 'Varsity, 82 and 8 for 161 (innings declared closed). B.G.S., 71 and 9 for 167 (Nothling 41 not out, Hammond 39, Cory 32 not out). For B.G.S., Atthow took 5 for 42; Leslie, 5 for 56. We only required 6 runs to win the match outright when stumps were drawn.

*v.* TOOMBUL.—Won by Toombul by 194 runs on the first innings. Toombul, 6 for 246 (innings declared closed). B.G.S., 52 and 3 for 19 (Hammond 14 not out, Brown, R. S. H. 12 not out). For B.G.S., Cory took 3 for 53.

### THIRD ELEVEN.

The Thirds have not been successful since the Christmas vacation owing to some of the older members of the team having left. The following are the results:—

*v.* HOLY CROSS C.C.—Lost by 70 runs.

*v.* CLAYFIELD BAPTIST C.C.—Lost by an innings and 30 runs (Jack 29 not out).

*v.* NORTH BRISBANE C.C.—Lost by an innings and 60 runs (Macdonnell 18).

*v.* MERTHYR C.C.—Lost by an innings and 1 run (Beeston 12 and 17, MacDonnell 20 not out).

*v.* NORMAL C.C.—Won on a forfeit.

*v.* TECHNICAL COLLEGE C.C.—Lost by 16 runs on the first innings (Bennett 17).

### BOARDERS' TEAM—FOURTH ELEVEN.

The Boarders have not had a very successful season this year. Results:

*v.* YERONGA.—Lost by 5 wickets and 1 run (Boxall 14).

*v.* NUDGE.—Lost by 7 wickets and 6 runs (Nothling 24).

*v.* NTH. BRISBANE.—Lost by 78 (Speering, H. L. 21).

*v.* ALDERLEY.—Lost on a forfeit.

*v.* B.G.S. THIRDS.—Won by 15 runs (Nothling 44).

*v.* WATTLES.—Lost by innings and 180 runs.

*v.* CLAYFIELD BAPTISTS.—Lost by 93 runs (Holding 15; Rhodes 6 for 9).

*v.* BURANDA.—Lost by 50 runs (Dunne, 12 for 51).

### FIFTH ELEVEN.

Results:—

*v.* BOWEN BRIDGE.—Won by an innings and 42 runs.

*v.* TARINGA.—Won by 34 runs on first innings.

*v.* NORMAL A.—Won by an innings and 34 runs.

*v.* CLAYFIELD COLLEGE.—Lost by 13 runs on first innings.

*v.* EAGLE JUNCTION.—Won by 9 wickets and 2 runs.

*v.* NUDGE B.—Lost by 31 runs.

*v.* VALLEY.—Won by 7 wickets and 32 runs.

*v.* NUDGE A.—Lost by 1 run.

*v.* NUNDAL.—Lost by 9 wickets and 8 runs.

*v.* BOWEN BRIDGE.—Won by an innings and 180 runs.

*v.* TARINGA.—Won by 46 runs.

*v.* TOOWONG.—Won on a forfeit.

### SIXTH ELEVEN.

The Sixths have been fairly successful this year, having won six matches out of eight.

*v.* EAGLE JUNCTION.—Won by an innings and 11 runs.

*v.* TOOWONG.—Won on a forfeit.

- v. BOWEN BRIDGE.—Won by an innings and 3 runs (Cannon 25).
- v. NORMALS.—Lost by five wickets and 10 runs.
- v. VALLEY.—Won by an innings and 24 runs.
- v. NUDGE B.—Lost by an innings and 39 runs.
- v. CLAYFIELD COLLEGE.—Won by five wickets and 1 run (Shaw 19).
- v. NUNDAH.—Won by an innings and 11 runs.

## SEVENTH ELEVEN.

Results are as follows:—

- v. CHRISTIAN BROS.—Lost by an innings and 53.
- v. WEST END.—Won by 28 runs.
- v. LEICHHARDT STREET.—Won by an innings and 41 runs.
- v. SOUTH BRISBANE.—Won on a forfeit.
- v. ST. JAMES.—Lost by 10 wickets.
- v. DUTTON PARK.—Lost by an innings and 243 runs.
- v. EAST BRISBANE.—Lost by an innings and 2 runs.
- v. B.G.S. "D."—Lost by 97 runs.

## EIGHTH ELEVEN.

- v. WEST END.—Lost by 59 runs.
- v. B.G.S. "C."—Won by 17 runs (Roberts 16 and 26).
- v. CHRISTIAN BROS.—Lost by 65 runs.
- v. NORMAL "B."—Lost by 11 runs.
- v. ST. JAMES.—Won by an innings and 17 runs (Roberts 5 for 6).
- v. EAST BRISBANE.—Won by 8 wickets and 2 runs (Smith 13 for 14).
- v. DUTTON PARK.—Lost by 7 wickets and 8 runs.
- v. LEICHHARDT ST.—Won by an innings and 67 runs (Roberts 30, Smith

24).

- v. WEST END.—Won by 50 runs (Petersen 19 ; Hall 6 for 3).
- v. B.G.S. "C."—Won by 97 runs (Roberts 23 ; Hall, 13 for 19).
- v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Won on a forfeit.
- v. SOUTH BRISBANE.—Won on a forfeit.

## THE HILL WICKET.

Many generations of Grammar School cricketers learnt the rudiments of the game on the old Hill wicket. The wicket was uncertain, and the fielding ground was atrocious. The committee have hopes that considerable improvements may be made this year. A large quantity of soil has been made available by the excavations for new buildings. With this some levelling has already been done. More still will be done during the winter, and we hope to see a concrete wicket there by the beginning of the next season. The Treasurer acknowledges with thanks the receipt of a subscription of £1 from Mrs. Bartholomew. Perhaps some old boys who remember the dangers of the old ground, and others who are interested in the School sports, will be moved to subscribe to the same object. It will help the younger boys in their cricket, and in that way render great service to the School games.

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## *Rowing Notes*

(E.B.F.)

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A record number of the boys have taken on rowing this year, and in fact the Brisbane Rowing Club seems to consist for the most part of Grammar School boys, both past and present, especially now that our old coach, Mr. C. Rudd, and many other club officials



are doing their duty at the front. We wish them the best of luck and a safe return.

We congratulate S. K. Ford (3) and M. W. Bowman (bow) on winning their Senior Fours, and only regret that circumstances prevent the crew from competing for the Champion Fours of Queensland at Bundaberg.

On the 24th February, the Trial Fours were rowed in the Bridge Reach, from a point opposite Brown's Wharf to the rocks near the Commercial Shed. The competing crews were as follows:

I.	II.	III.
W. Wilson (stroke)	F. Cory (stroke)	E. B. Freeman (stroke)
A. Hammond (3)	P. Hopkins (3)	O. Hirschfeld (3)
T. Lawton (2)	V. Grenning (2)	S. Fraser (2)
M. Geaney (bow)	H. Oelrichs (bow)	F. Baynes (bow)
J. Hoare (cox)	H. Carr (cox)	W. H. Noble (cox)

Mr. Fischer acted as starter, and at the word "go" Wilsons' and Freeman's crews struck water first. At about 300 yards from the start, Freeman's crew sustained an accident to a slide with fatal results. Wilson and Cory drew away, with the third crew following with a list on bow side like that of a torpedoed cruiser. Wilson's crew, rowing with fine swing and combination, came in at the finish with three lengths to the good, with Cory second, having a canvas on Freeman's crew.

Two of the coxswains were maligned, quite unjustly, by a critic in a certain sporting paper. Since the coxswains are generally quite young lads, it seems sheer injustice that they should be discouraged by having to undergo a scathing battery of criticisms and caustic comments, when they have done nothing to warrant them.

After the race, Mr. and Mrs. Bousfield kindly entertained the crews on a motor boat trip down the river, and we are greatly indebted to their kindness. Needless to say, justice was done to the afternoon tea.

The winning crew rowed in the Under Twenty Fours shortly afterwards, but owing to a collision with a motor boat, they had to retire severely damaged.

The School crew has been selected as follows:—

E. B. Freeman (stroke)
A. J. Hammond (3)
P. W. Hopkins (2)
W. W. Wilson (bow)
W. H. Noble (cox)

Two of the above crew, A. J. Hammond and E. B. Freeman, were offered seats in the B.R.C. Champion Eight, but owing to pressure of work the positions were declined.

The crew have entered into training in the heavy boat (Queen Elizabeth type) and are looking forward with joy to the change into the light four after Easter. Severe training has not yet been commenced, but, nevertheless, the thickness of the skin on our hands and other places is developing in proportion as the language

of our worthy coach becomes more vitriolic at the slowness of the crew in getting stripped. The first fears awakened by the stentorian tones of the coach were dispelled on one glorious occasion, when that dignitary, on a certain choppy afternoon was humbled even unto a wet shirt to go home with.

The new members have been somewhat handicapped, owing to the state of repairs that the fleet is in at present, but since a new tub has been ordered from Melbourne, we hope for a rapid improvement in the near future.

## *Swimming*

### BRISBANE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

The Brisbane Grammar School's annual swimming sports took place in the Booroodabin Baths on March 5th. The arrangements were well carried out. Although in some of the races there were few starters, the function from a sporting point of view was a success. There was a good attendance of spectators. The officials were:—Referee, Mr. F. S. N. Bousfield; judges, Messrs. A. S. Clark, E. H. Fischer, C. A. Foggan, G. W. Lea, A. Mottershead, J. G. Nowlan, R. E. Thwaites; starter, Mr. I. A. Dakin; check starters, Messrs. C. Kaepfel and S. Stephenson; timekeepers, Messrs. J. G. Cribb, A. J. Mason, S. W. Pennycuik; committee, K. B. Fraser, E. B. Freeman, P. W. Hopkins, H. W. Jones, and A. F. Paton. Results:—

NOVICE RACE, 60 Yards.—E. S. Collin, 1; J. C. Davidson, 2. Time, 44  $\frac{3}{5}$  sec.

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP, 60 Yards.—Inton, 1; E. S. Collin, 2. Time, 40 sec.

SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP, 60 Yards.—M'Cowan, 1; Lawton, 2; Hopkins, 3. Time, 38  $\frac{2}{5}$  secs.

UNDER 15 HANDICAP, 60 Yards.—First heat: Ilett (4), 1; R. Mann (5), 2; J. L. Wilson (8), 3. Time, 51  $\frac{1}{5}$  sec. Second heat: J. W. Knight (7), 1; J. A. Crawford (5), 2; Noble (4), 3. Time, 54  $\frac{4}{5}$  sec. Final: Ilett, 1; R. Mann, 2; J. A. Crawford, 3. Time, 49  $\frac{4}{5}$  sec.

NEAT HEADER.—Coertz, 1; Axon, 2; Hopkins, 3.

SCHOOL HANDICAP, 120 Yards.—Lawton (14), 1; Child (scr.), 2; R. A. Cowley (7), 3. Time, 1.49.

LOWER SCHOOL AND UNDER 14 HANDICAP, 30 Yards.—First heat: Ilett (3), 1; East (2) and M'Murray (4), dead heat. Time 24  $\frac{2}{5}$  sec. Second heat: W. White (5), 1; Walsh (2), 2; M. Y. Morgan (3), 3. Time, 25 sec. Third heat: Jameson (scr.), 1; J. L. Wilson (4), 2; R. M. Smith (2), 3. Time, 25 sec. Final: Ilett, 1; East, 2; J. L. Wilson, 3.

CHAPMAN AND WILSON MEMORIAL RACE (BREAST STROKE), 30 Yards.—Lukin (scr.), 1; R. A. Cowley (2), 2; J. W. Knight (scr.), 3. Time, 27  $\frac{2}{5}$  sec. Second heat: E. S. Collin (7), 1; Patterson (6), 2; Hirschfeld (6), 3. Time, 28  $\frac{1}{5}$  sec. Final: Lukin, 1; R. A. Cowley, 2; E. S. Collin, 3. Time, 25  $\frac{1}{5}$  sec.

OBSTACLE RACE.—First heat: Clarkson, 1; J. A. Crawford, 2; J. G. Cribb, 3. Second heat: A. Elliot, 1; N. Geaney, 2; Goertz, 3. Third heat: Hopkins, 1; Houston, 2; O. S. Hirschfeld, 3. Fourth heat: Tunley, 1; Marshall, 2. Final: Clarkson, 1; J. A. Crawford, 2.

BREAST AND BACK OPEN HANDICAP, 60 Yards.—First heat: Tunley (10), 1; Patterson (12), 2; C. C. Stewart (7), 3. Time, 1.7. Second heat: J. W. Knight (scr.), 1; R. A. Cowley (3), 2. Time, 1.7 2/5. Third heat: Hirschfeld (13) swam over. Final: J. W. Knight, 1; Tunley, 2. Time, 1.7 2/5.

JUNIOR CADETS' RELAY RACE.—Dunne, Steen, M'Murray, and Cassidy, 1; Laidlaw, Shirras, Smith, and W. H. L'Estrange, 2.

BREAST AND BACK (under 16), 60 Yards.—J. W. Knight (scr.), 1; R. A. Cowley (3), 2. Time, 1.3.

VI. AND V. FORMS, 60 Yards.—First heat: Lawton (7), 1; V. E. G. Harris (3), 2; Axon (6), 3. Time, 47 3/5 sec. Second heat: S. Fraser (9), 1; Child (1), 2; J. Davidson (6), 3. Time, 49 sec. Third heat: Goertz (3), 1; Patterson (10), 2; Leslie (4), 3. Time 54 sec. Final: Lawton, 1; Harris, 2. Time, 47 3/5 sec.

IV. FORM, 60 Yards.—First heat: F. L. Cox (1), 1; C. C. Stewart (10), 2. Time, 51 sec. Second heat: R. Mann (scr.), 1; Coates (3), 2. Final: R. Mann, 1; F. L. Cox, 2. Time, 48 2/5 sec.

HUNT THE BELLMAN.—Rhodes.

RELAY RACE.—M'Cowan, Cook, Geaney, and N. Beeby, 1; C. C. Stewart, K. J. G. Wilson, J. L. Wilson, and Dollar, 2. Time, 1.26.

OLD BOYS' RACE, 60 Yards.—E. M. Hobbs, 1; J. R. Lahey, 2; Cooper, 3. Time, 42 sec.

CONSOLATION RACE, 60 Yards.—J. Davidson, 1; Day, 2; M. Geaney, 3.

#### B.G.S. v. TOOWOOMBA G.S.

On March 16th, a contest of five events was decided at Toowoomba, between the Brisbane and Toowoomba Grammar Schools. We must congratulate Toowoomba on winning four out of the five events, and as the Relay Race counted for 2 points, they came out with a score of 5 to 1. Their success was largely due to the fine sprinting of Campbell and Macdonald. The following are the results of the races:—

50 YARDS.—Macdonald (T.), 1; McCowan (B.), 2; Marshall (T.), 3.

100 YARDS.—Campbell (T.), 1; Hopkins, (B.) 2; McCowan (B.), 3.

200 YARDS.—Hopkins (B.), 1; Patterson (B.), 2; Campbell (T.), 3.

BACK RACE, 25 Yards.—Macdonald (T.), 1; Collin (B.), 2; Tunley (B.), 3.

RELAY RACE.—Marshall, Hilless, Campbell, Macdonald (T.), 1; Lawton, Fraser, S., Patterson, McCowan (B.), 2.

#### COMBINED SECONDARY SCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS. MARCH 30th, 1915.

The combined Secondary School Swimming Sports were held in the Spring Hill Baths on March 30th. The schools competing were the Christian Brothers, Technical College, and Brisbane Grammar School. The results were as follows:—

1. 100 YARDS (Under 16).—Linton (B.G.S.), 1; Hall (C.B.), 2; Collin (B.G.S.), 3. Time, 73 4/5 sec.

2. 100 YARDS (Open).—Hopkins (B.G.S.), 1; Fraser, S. (B.G.S.), 2; Murray (C.B.), 3. Time 74 2/5 sec.

3. 50 YARDS (Open).—McCowan (B.G.S.), 1; Lawton (B.G.S.), 2; Finn (C.B.), 3. Time, 30 3/5 sec.

4. RELAY RACE (under 15).—B.G.S., 1; C.B., 2. Time, 67 1/5 sec.

5. BACK AND BREAST.—Tunley (B.G.S.), 1; Collin (B.G.S.), 2; Eden (T.C.), 3. Time, 43 sec.

6. 50 YARDS (Under 15).—Hall (C.B.), 1; Fogarty (C.B.), 2; Ilett (B.G.S.), 3. Time 35 3/5 sec.

7. DIVING CHAMPIONSHIP.—Hall (C.B.), 1; Axon (B.G.S.), 2; Goertz (B.G.S.), 3.



8. 440 YARDS (Open).—Hopkins (B.G.S.), 1; Patterson (B.G.S.), 2; Hall (C.B.), 3. Time, 6.41.

9. RELAY RACE (Open).—B.G.S., 1; T.C., 2. Time 60 sec.

10. 50 YARDS (Under 14).—Hall (C.B.), 1; Fogarty (C.B.), 2; Steen (B.G.S.), 3.

Points Scored.—1st, 5; 2nd, 3; 3rd, 1.

Relay Race.—1st, 5; 2nd, 2.

	100 yds. (under 16).	100 yds. (open).	50 yds. (open).	Relay (under 15).	Back & Breast.	50 yds. (under 15).	Diving.	440 yds. (open).	Relay (open).	50 yds. (under 14).	Total.
B.G.S. ..	6	8	8	5	8	1	4	8	5	1	54
C.B. ..	3	1	1	2	..	8	5	1	8	..	29
T.C. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	3

## Football Prospects.

(By A.J.H.)

Once again winter is approaching, and King Football will come to his own once more.

When one looks over the remnants of last year's fine team, it makes one doubt whether this year's team will reach the same standard of excellence as that obtained last year.

We have to report the loss of last year's football captain, L. A. (Barney) Forbes, whom we now take the opportunity of wishing every possible success in his new sphere of activity.

It will seem strange to the older members of the team, to face their rivals without the support of such old stagers as Bowman, Brown, Forbes, Wrench, West, Gaydon, Simmonds and Cocking.

The forwards will be up to the usual average, but the backs will be verging towards the light side. Training will start immediately after the Easter vacation, and it would be advisable for all prospective members of every team to omit the School "tuckshop" or its equivalent from their visiting list. Verb. Sap.

There is ample room for competition for the vacancies caused by the departure of more than half last year's fifteen. Here we would offer a word of admonition to those members of the School, who as soon as they hear the joyous summons, calling aching heads and cob-webbed brains out to fresh air and football (sure cure for the physical ills of necessary "mugging,") forthwith seize hat and bag, and "slope" off by the first available car or train. They are not doing their duty to themselves, or, what is more important, to the School.

"All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." The powers that be have surely recognised this, else why should they bother their heads about providing necessary grounds and material. Football—all sport in fact—is just as much a part of a healthy Britisher's education as physics, chemistry, Latin and Greek. Those who cut out sport may become very learned, but they stand



a very good chance of failing to become men, and hence defeat the chief object of the School's existence. We would strongly advise every intending player to be in as good condition as possible, within a fortnight after Easter, as the teams will be picked according to the form shown during the first couple of weeks.

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## *Cadet Notes*

(By P.W.H.)

At the end of last year, November 30th, we had a whole day parade, to attend the Monster Patriotic Carnival, organised by Mr. R. L. Baker, at which function the School had the honour of providing the Guard of Honour for the Governor-General. The guard who had the colours, conducted themselves splendidly, a lot of the members being special squad men. It was under the command of Lieutenant Hopkins.

As so many of the "non-coms." of last year had left, and the new drill had come into force in a modified form, the following appointments were made at the beginning of this year:—To be Platoon Commanders, H. W. Jones, L. Micheli, K. Wilson, E. Gee, E. B. Freeman; Col.-Sergts., W. Wilson, R. Knight, A. E. Mason; Section Commanders, C. Young, S. Robinson, O. F. Blaky, K. B. Fraser. Since then K. Wilson has been gazetted a Second Lieutenant, and we heartily congratulate him on his appointment. The other platoon commanders are hoping to be gazetted soon.

At the beginning of the year, Captain Boisfield was appointed to the position of Battalion Commander, and we wish to congratulate him most heartily on his appointment.

We regret to state that Lieuts. West and Horn have left us, Mr. West to go to Sydney, and Mr. Horn to go to the University. Both were very capable officers, and we are very sorry to lose them.

On Speech Day, Lieut. West was presented with a souvenir from the Trustees, for the good work which he has done for the School, and we will take this opportunity of thanking him for the honour that he gained for the School cadets, and the splendid way in which he commanded the teams which have been under his command.

On March 15th, a whole day parade was called, for the arrival of the new Governor of Queensland, Sir Hamilton Gould-Adams. Our duty was to line the streets. We got into position very early, but notwithstanding the long wait, the cadets conducted themselves very well, and were very steady. After the Governor had passed, we were marched into Albert Square, for refreshments, very kindly provided by the Government.

We will soon be in the midst of the 1915 Musketry Course, and the examinations have been carried out, which every cadet must pass before he goes out to the range, and we earnestly hope that some good shooting will be the result ; that is, provided the bullets do not resume that objectionable habit of going sideways, or else get tired and stop for a rest, as some of them did last year!

A few weeks ago, the A.N.A. Shield was put up in the hall. It certainly looks splendid amongst the many other honours the School has won. We also have got the Ralston Trophy, which is a splendid cup, presented to the Champion Cadet team of Queensland. The cup kindly presented by Lieut.-Colonel Hopkins, for the best shot in the School, was won by G. Boyce.

Just as we go to press we learn that E. B. Freeman, H. W. Jones, A. E. Mason, L. Micheli, and E. Gee have been gazetted Second Lieutenants.



Trophy presented by Major W. V. Ralston for Competition by Senior Cadets of Queensland. Won by F. Company, B.G.S. in 1914.

## ***Junior Cadet Notes.***

(By F.C.L.)

This year the Junior Cadets have increased to nine squads, as opposed to five last year. Under the able instruction of Lieut. I. A. Dakin and Mr. Betts, we are becoming efficient in squad and section drill. On Friday morning squad drill is carried on by the Senior cadets, who are training for non-commissioned officers. At the swimming sports No. 1 section won the Relay Race, the prize for which is presented by Mr. Dakin. The winners were:—Dunne, MacMurray, Steen and Cassidy.

For convenience sake, the tennis courts are used for drilling purposes, much to the disappointment of some who aspire to be "Interstate Players."

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## ***House Notes***

The numerical strength of the House has not altered this year, but we miss many old faces notably those of Brown, Wrench, Gaydon, Cocking, and A. F. Smith.

In the swimming sports we were, as usual, successful in carrying off a fair share of the prizes, including the Championship Cup. We congratulate McCowan on his fine performance. Other prize winners were Ilett, R. Mann, L. Wilson, Rhodes and Dunne.

The sporting reputation of the house is still maintained, as A. J. Hammond and K. B. Fraser were successful in the elections for football and cricket captains respectively. E. B. Freeman is football vice-captain, and is stroking the School Four, while Hammond rows 3 in the same crew. Congratulations go to Hoare for coxing the winning crew in the Trial Fours. Seven other boarders are active members of the rowing club.

A fortnight ago, an enjoyable Saturday evening was spent in a mock "Trial by Jury." Mrs. Bousfield was nearly ejected for contempt of court while Stuart Fraser admirably carried out the role of a modest young lady.

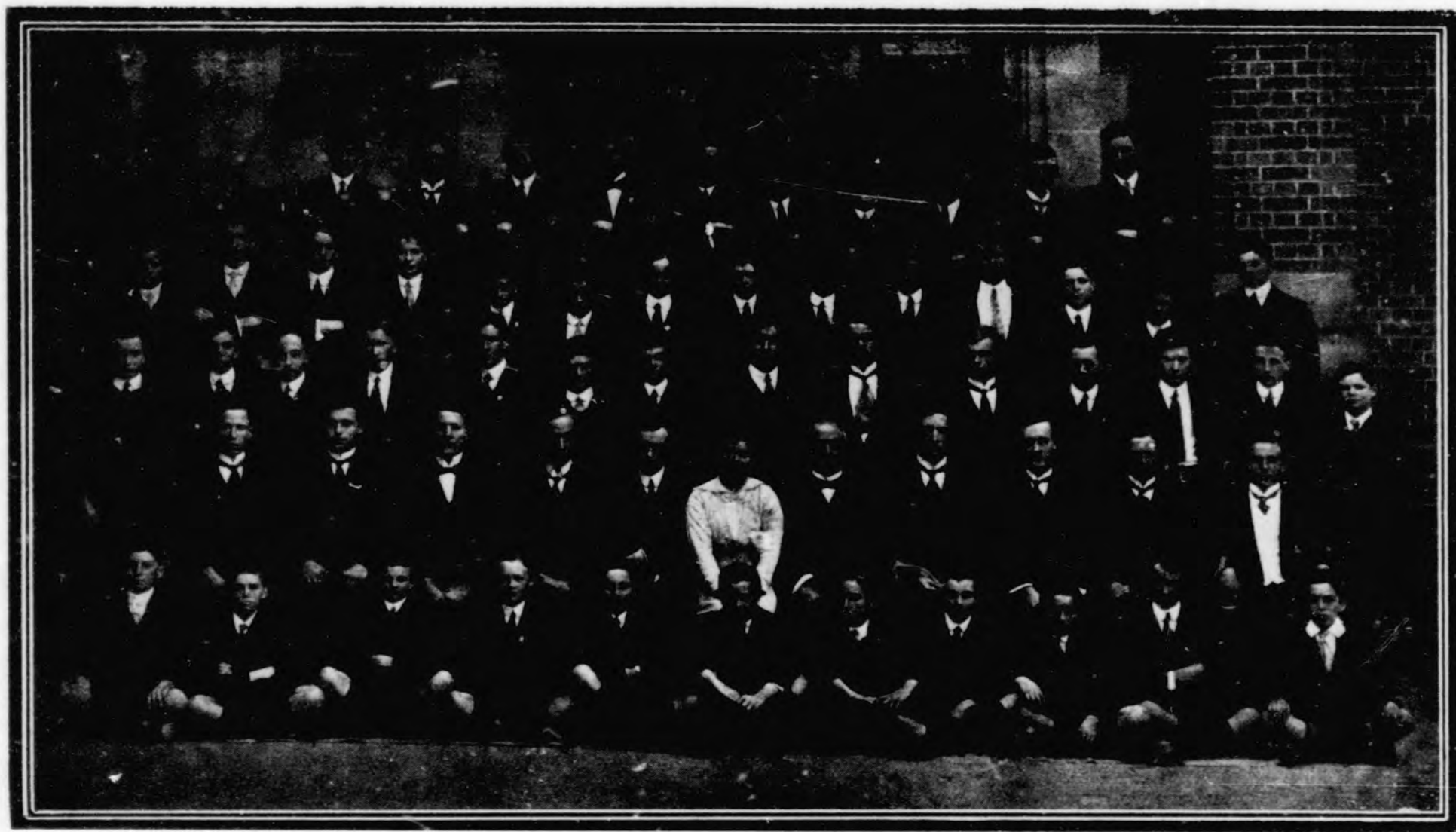
We here take the opportunity of congratulating Mr. B. Molesworth, an old boarder, who has recently completed his course at the University, obtaining his B.A. degree with honours in History, and has been appointed Assistant Lecturer in History in the University.

We are glad to relate that Avery and Bartholomew have recovered from their serious illness, and will return to the house after Easter.

Mrs. Bousfield has lately presented us with some new records, including "Tipperary." If the number of times this record is played is any criterion of the patriotism in the house, little more remains to be said on the subject.

We were pleased to hear that Mr. Foggan had been appointed hon. secretary for the Secondary School Swimming Carnival.

We have much pleasure in announcing that John A. V. Nisbet, one of last year's boarders, has won a Naval Cadetship. His father, Major W. B. Nisbet, is an old B.G.S. boy who took part in the S. African war.



Mr. & Mrs. BOUSFIELD and the Boarders in 1914



## *Library Notes*

(By E.G.W.)

Of late the Library has been exceedingly well patronised by the School but we regret to say that the Sixth and Fifth Forms still make themselves conspicuous by their absence. Owing to the great increase in pupils this year, a new lot of books has been found necessary to meet the requirements of the boys. These are expected shortly after Easter, and will take up much more space than can be provided for them. We sincerely hope that the Trustees will come to our aid and furnish a new Library in one of the new buildings now in course of construction. Those who borrow books from the librarians will save them an endless amount of trouble by returning the books as soon as they have been read.



JOHN A. V. NISBET.

Winner of Naval Cadetship in 1914. One of 3 successful candidates in the whole of Queensland.

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## *Old Boys' Association*

(Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. J. G. Nowlan, "Ky-vam," Bismarck Street, Clayfield, or B.G.S.)

Another Foundation Day celebration has come and go, linking with its memory the record of a day well and pleasantly spent, and crowned by a gathering of members and players at the evening's festive board quite in keeping with the increasing vitality and ever-growing numbers of our Association. The response to the circulars sent out by your Secretary

was satisfactory in its promptness, and in the readiness shown by members to assist in making the function the genuine success it actually was. Out on the turf, and on the tennis courts, the old boys kept their end up with noteworthy success, even though allowance be made for fact that the School team might have shown up better. We missed the brawny arm of our time-honoured captain of many past years, an accident to his hand having brought him under the veto of the doctor. But though not wielding the willow, he did not fail to add his genial presence to the celebration. The details of the cricket and tennis appear elsewhere, so it will not be necessary to dilate further on this portion of the day's celebration than just to say that the thanks of the Association are due to Mr. M. D. Graham for the able and timely assistance rendered by him (and his motor car) to the selection committees, especially in helping to fix up the tennis players. We were, unfortunately, unable to get a fourth set, owing to the enforced absence of some of our best players. The attendance of visitors on the grounds was not quite as good as usual; but, no doubt, the doubtful appearance of the sky in the morning had its effect.

The cricketers were, as on previous occasions, the guests of the Headmaster at luncheon in the School House, returning to the field with a vigour and energy that communicated itself to the ball with such effect, that sitting in or near the pavilion became at times fraught with peril to life and limb. Perchance that was why the afternoon tea was spread on the grass instead of on the handsome tables conspicuous in previous years. In these days of war tactics, one naturally lies low when under fire.

At the dinner, which was served at 7.30 p.m., in the School Hall, considerably over 100 members and players attended, and out of the fairly long list of apologies for unavoidable absence, we might mention our hearty and enthusiastic President, His Honour Mr. Justice Lukin, who was unfortunately detained by court work in Rockhampton, and wired his regrets, also Messrs. R. H. Roe, J. D. Story, J. J. Walsh, E. K. Tully, A. R. Webb, P. F. Calow, T. P. Power, who sent best wishes from Sydney, Harding Frew, P. J. O'Shea, Jas. Love, G. S. Wilson, S. D. Tozer, A. L. Leslie, J. L. Gasteen, H. Baines, and others. Among those present were Mr. E. R. Crouch, Vice-President, in the chair, Messrs. F. S. N. Bousfield, Pring-Roberts, Stephenson, A. D. Graham, C. W. Costin, R. G. Quinn, R. A. Irvine, R. J. Weightman, T. E. Jones, P. Newman-Wilson, C. S. Graham, R. C. R. Newman, J. G. Earwaker, G. C. C. Wilson, W. E. Graham, J. V. Cox, E. D. Doyle, F. Holland, M. D. Graham, E. P. Holland, J. W. Nommensen, C. V. Nommensen, N. H. Young, E. H. Fischer, R. M. King, F. J. Heussler, H. G. Oxley, E. G. Oxley, L. E. White, C. E. White, C. A. Powell, W. H. Austin, A. L. Macnaughton, R. W. Dean, C. A. Foggan, W. M. Hall, E. M. Trower, J. C. Payne, G. Waugh, N. C. Aitken, A. C. Eckersley, P. P. Fewings, J. S. Wood, T. C. Troedson, C. R. Gregory, Stanley Castlehow (on a visit from Sydney), T. Jack, I. A. Dakin, A. J. Unwin, G. S. Crouch, N. E. W. Waraker, H. G. S. Smith, H. V. Byth, G. Down, J. Clark, G. R. Sumner, A. H. Brown, F. Reimers, E. T. Abell, R. S. McNab, B. Hobbs, R. Gailey, A. D. Gibson, C. Kaepfel, J. N. Woodhead, W. Fraser, R. C. Trout, J. H. Garrick, B. G. O'Brien, C. A. Mutch, A. S. Clark, J. G. Nowlan (Hon. Secretary), George Rylatt and W. Walker, and others, including the members of the School cricket and tennis teams, making in all a very substantial muster, under the excellent and highly satisfactory illumination in the shape of Kitson lights, provided by George's thoughtful foresight.

Mr. J. Clark very kindly accepted the Secretary's invitation to preside at the piano, and well-earned the thanks of those present. Messrs. Powell, Holland and Macnaughton contributed local items, while Mr. C. W. Costin did his share by means of a recitation. The usual toasts were given and responded to with unflinching enthusiasm. Messrs. Fewings and R. M. King proposing the "School" and the "Association," Mr. Bousfield replying to the former, and the Vice-President to the latter. Mr. Jones gave the

ever popular toast of "George," evoking the pleasant and genial response that we have come to look forward to annually, and long may he live yet to favour us with his annual speech. Mr. W. E. Graham proposed the "School Teams," and response was made by Paton and Fraser, reciprocating the good wishes expressed.

The spirit which pervaded the gathering was one of enthusiastic good-fellowship, which was especially noticeable towards the southern or more juvenile end of the hall. In fact, one of the outstanding features of the function was the large proportion of young members, many quite fresh from the protecting mantle of our Alma Mater. It is hardly necessary to add that the troublous times we are passing through were vividly brought to mind by the absence of many well-known faces of members who are upholding the Empire's cause at the front. On the suggestion of the chairman, a special toast was drunk to "the absent ones," and received with genuine fervour and enthusiasm. The evening was concluded by the evergreen "Auld Lang Syne," followed by the National Anthem.

The Hon. Secretary would like to thank those members—and they were many—who responded to the appeal made in last issue, to pay up promptly. Subscriptions have been coming in very well, but there are a good few who are still lagging. Let this be one more reminder, and may it help to jog their memories!

If members are disappointed at not getting the substance of the Foundation Day Dinner speeches recorded this time, it may be some consolation to them to learn the reason,—The Hon. Sec. was too busy qua Treasurer in taking "cash" to be able to take "notes." *Hinc illæ lacrymæ!*

We still keep getting letters to members returned through the post labelled "gone to the front." The names are duly passed on to Mr. Mason for addition to the Roll of Honour.

H. F. S. Allom wrote the other day from Suva, to tell us that N. C. Nevitt, who was with him on the cable staff, had gone with the Second Expeditionary Force, as trooper in the A.I.H.

J. N. Allom is a Corporal in the Headquarters Signalling Corps in the same Force.

W. M. Hall was recently given a send-off by the Tennis Association.

E. D. Doyle is gone to join King Edward's Horse.

J. L. Bruce Forster, who is a private (No. 30) Australian Army Medical Corps, sent us Christmas greetings from Namakanai garrison in New Ireland.

D. Neil McGregor, who was teaching at Newington College, Sydney, H. Mercer Smith, I.E.F., F. L. Armstrong, H. W. Barnett, A. J. Wallace (Kyarra), H. Wetherell (5th L.H.), are also gone to the war.

The continual addition of names to the roll of membership of the Association is encouraging, and shows that as a body it is very much alive. Over 50 names have been enrolled within the last few months, and still they come!

Of course, we still come across the occasional old boy who wants to know, "What's the good of joining? What do I get out of it?" Thank goodness these short-sighted ones are few. Members of an Association like ours (and it is not a club!) are not looking for personal profit, but aim at mutual help, and are watching to see how they can benefit the School and Association as a body. Most of us know enough Latin to appreciate the derivation of the word Association from "*Socius*," a companion, fellow, or ally!

Stanley Castlehow, former Rhodes Scholar, now Vice-President of St. Andrew's College, Sydney University, was recently in Brisbane, and attended the Foundation Day Dinner.

W. R. Rutherford has been transferred from the Cable Station, Fanning Island, to that at Auckland.



**DR. JOSEPH WASSELL.**

We have learnt with great regret of the death of Dr. Joseph Wassell, of Thursday Island, at the early age of 42, which took place on April 6th, and was the result of an injury to his foot sustained in a fishing excursion. Dr. Wassell entered the School in the year 1888, and like his brothers, was a good sportsman, and a remarkably efficient rifle shot. He was one of the team which won the Sargood Shield, which hangs in the Hall, and which was won in competition against the whole of Australia. Proceeding to Sydney University, Dr. Wassell gained his degree of Bachelor of Medicine, and shortly afterwards took up his residence at Thursday Island, where he has held the position of Medical Officer. In his northern home, Dr. Wassell identified himself with the social and sporting life of the place, and was, we believe, prominent in freemasonry. Our deepest sympathy is offered to his brothers, all of whom are old B.G.S. boys, and his aged father, who survives him, and to his wife and children.

***Jottings.***

Mr. J. D. Bell has been elected President of the Brisbane Merchants' Association.

Mr. R. J. Martin and Mrs. Martin of the Crown Law Office, have taken their departure for London. Mr. Martin has been appointed to an important position in the Agent-General's Office.

Mr. Durand, M.A., formerly a member of the Staff, has volunteered for active service in the war.

Mr. R. A. Kerr, M.A., has been appointed Headmaster of Ipswich Grammar School.

Mr. T. McLeod, the well-known rising barrister, finds sufficient time to take much interest in aviation.

L. G. Lukin has been appointed associate to the Hon. Mr. Justice Lukin.

The engagement is announced of Lieut. J. Costin (now on active service), son of Mr. C. W. Costin, and Miss Viola Larsen elder daughter of Lieut.-Colonel Larsen, of the Queensland Railway Department.



Mr. B. A. Molesworth has been appointed a lecturer in history at the Queensland University.

Extensive additions to the School buildings are now being made, and we hope to see them shortly completed.

An excellent shelter shed has been erected in the grounds, and will be a welcome refuge from the mid-day heat in summer.

The following members of the School have entered the University of Queensland this year,—N. Aitken, H. Byth, G. Cooling, A. W. Horn, C. B. Mott, A. F. Paton, G. R. Sumner, G. F. Boyce, W. P. Simmonds.

L. A. A. Forbes has entered the medical school at the Melbourne University.

A. S. West has been awarded a Teachers' Scholarship in N.S.W., in which State he is now residing, owing to the removal of his father, the Rev. A. West.

G. B. O'Brien has joined the Bank of N.S.W.

Of the six First Class Honours awarded by the Queensland University to all candidates in final degree examinations this year, no less than four fell to past members of this School.

Kilroe has taken up a grazing selection.

W. R. Hunter and D. J. Stephens are in the service of the A.M.P.

A. H. Brown has started a business career at Dalgety and Co's.

R. S. McNab is articled to Messrs. Fox, Robinson and Edwards, solicitors.

Mr. W. R. Parker has been elected President of the Queensland Dental Board.

Mr. C. Rudd, the well-known oarsman, who has done so much good work for the B.G.S. in coaching the crews, is now serving with the Expeditionary Force at the front.

Mr. H. Durand, M.A., who is serving with G. Company, 13th Battalion, Australian Infantry, has written us an interesting letter, in which he relates some of his experiences at the training camp at Broadmeadows. Mr. Durand wishes to be remembered to the boys whom he used to teach at the B.G.S. Mr. Durand's family is well represented at the front, one of his brothers being a captain in the Munster Fusiliers, and another a trooper in the West Kent Yeomanry.

Dr. N. Markwell has been appointed Medical Officer at Thursday Island.

J. Cornell, M. Bowman, H. Bradfield, are all in Brisbane Banks.

F. B. Lucas has taken up Architecture.

J. Robertson has entered the Railway Department.

J. W. Bourne is studying Accountancy.

## *Marriages.*

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November 14th, 1914—Rev. L. Ayscough to Miss May Ward.  
January 2nd, 1915—Mr. Dudley McNab to Miss Jean Tait.  
April 14th, 1915—Mr. E. Spence to Miss H. Love.

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## *Births.*

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December 23rd, 1914.—To Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pike—a son.  
January 5th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Salkedd—a son.  
January 14th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Nowlan—a daughter.  
January 14th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Webb—a son.  
January 20th, 1915.—To Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Bourne—a daughter.  
January 31st, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh—a daughter.  
February 24th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Canning Ure—a son.  
March 16th, 1915.—At Tientsin, China, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Leslie—a son.  
March 17th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woolcock—a son.  
March 25th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Ure—a daughter.  
April 16th, 1915.—To Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Troedson—a son.

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## *Deaths.*

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February.—Percy South.  
April 6th.—Dr. Joseph Wassell.



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