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OTHER CAPTAINS.—*Cricket*: (2nd) LESLIE; (3rd), L'ESTRANGE; (4th), A. FRASER; (6th), RALPH; (7th), BATEMAN; (8th), HUNTER.
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Tennis: (2nd), LEE; (3rd), PARK, W.

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Editorial.

As this is our first issue for 1917, we wish all our readers a Happy and Prosperous Year—for " 'tis better late than never." This year, mainly owing to the increased price of paper and labour, the management has decided to produce the Magazine twice a year instead of three times, as formerly. The price is also to be advanced a little. This, of course, will result in a slightly larger and better magazine, more acceptable, not only to Present Boys, but also to Old Boys. It is intended to issue it at the end of each half, that is, just before the Mid-winter and the Christmas vacations.

We were all very sorry to farewell Mr. Palmer at the end of last year, but he bears with him our best wishes for a happy and contented married life. Mr. Palmer took a great interest in School sport, and helped, to a great extent, in fostering the Lower School football, which is already showing excellent results. He is now

a master of The Armidale School in New South Wales, and will certainly become popular there, by reason, not only of his teaching methods, but also of his sociable manner towards the boys out of school hours.

We welcomed Mr. Evans at the beginning of the year, and wish him every success in his new appointment.

The Upper Sixth of last year achieved a record in the Senior University Examination, which will be hard so eclipse. Out of the twenty scholarships awarded annually in Queensland, they captured seven, including four out of the first five places. The successful candidates were A. E. Axon (first), E. S. Edmiston, E. G. Wagner, W. Briggs, F. C. Nommensen, C. Day, and E. C. Ringrose. It would be hard to find a better sport, in the true sense of the word, than "Bert" Axon. "Bert" always considered the School first, and himself last, and it was only fitting that his merits should be rewarded by his gaining first place in the scholarships.

In the Junior Examination, 104 of our candidates passed. Considering that candidates now enter for this examination after only two years' preparation, it is to be hoped that the examiners will set a reasonable standard of attainment for a pass. It is worthy of notice that some of the "failures" passed in as many as seven subjects—but were not allowed to score a "pass," because they had not passed in certain "groups" of subjects. It seems to us that, in a Junior Examination, six or seven subjects should certainly qualify for a pass. One of the most important functions of an examination is to encourage education, and to stimulate the industrious candidate. The present system, in many instances, has had quite the opposite effect. In the Civil Service Examinations, 35 of our candidates gained places, and 29 Extension Scholarships were gained under the new Government Scholarship scheme.

The Swimming Sports, held this year in the Spring Hill Baths, were even more successful than those of former years. Two new championships—50 yards and 440 yards—were instituted this year. The former was won by Lawton, who also won the 100 Yards Championship and the Cup for the Champion Swimmer; and the latter by White. C. C. Stewart, runner-up for the Cup, won the Back and Breast, and was beaten by Lawton in both the 50 Yards and the 100 Yards, only after a hard tussle. The Upper Sixth gave a display in the Diving Competition that was greatly enjoyed by the spectators, and the Cribbs, as usual, upheld their reputation in the Obstacle Race.

At the Secondary Schools' Championships, our swimmers had to fight very hard to draw with Gregory Terrace. At Too-woomba, however, they carried everything before them, winning every event.

The School XI., which appeared capable of making a score, opened out against Ipswich last year, and scored 391 runs before the innings closed. Nothling was the chief contributor with 97, Darvall being responsible for 66. The School batsmen also compiled a big score against the Armidale team, the innings being closed with 2 wickets for 430 runs. Atthow batted solidly for a double century, and with Lawton, who obtained 170, put on 375 runs for the third wicket. We received an invitation from the Southport School to play a match on their grounds, but, unfortunately, we were unable to accept, as football had already begun.

The football season holds out fair prospects this year, as our backs are much stronger than in previous years, and the forwards are workers. Although the University team will most probably prove too strong for us, we have great hopes in the School matches, and have already succeeded in defeating Nudgee College, a feat which had not been performed for a good many years.

The School Crew at present is on the river six times a week, and some good work is being put into the practices. The Four are now using the light boat, and the combination is improving daily. The coaching of Mr. Colclough is much appreciated, and has greatly improved the style of the oarsmen.

It is now over two years since Australia took up her position in the Great War, and since then many Old Boys have gone to help their King and Country. Many have been killed; many have been wounded, and many have received military decorations.

The War Memorial Fund, which was opened last year, continues to receive support from Old Boys and friends of those interested. The new Honour Board in the Hall is ever receiving additional names. The number of Old Boys who have enlisted has now reached the respectable total of 787, of whom 66 have given their lives.

H. Harris and V. Grenning, the Editors of last year have resigned their positions, owing to the approach of important examinations for which they must prepare. They have done a strenuous year's work, and have devoted much time and energy to their editorial duties, for which the thanks of the School are due to them. They are succeeded by L. D. Watson.

(This number of the Magazine has been produced under difficulties. The Editor is absent from School, ill with mumps, and the Business Manager acknowledges with thanks the kind and public-spirited action of T. Lawton, V. Grenning, and F. S. Marshall, in coming to the rescue).

Examinations.

QUEENSLAND UNIVERSITY SENIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION. DECEMBER 1916.

NAME.	English	French.	German.	Latin.	Greek.	Mathematics A	Mathematics B	Mod. History.	Anc. History.	Geography.	Chemistry	Physics.	Physiology.
Axon, A. E. ..	P					M	M			P	M	M	M
Briggs, W. ..	M	P		M		P	P					P	
Day, W. C. ..	P		P	P		M	P					P	
Edmiston, E. S. ..	M		M	P		M	M	P					
Hein, T. ..	P		P	P		P				M			
Henderson, D. ..						P	P				P	P	
Nommenensen, F. C. ..	M		P	P	M	P		P					
Ringrose, E. C. D. ..	P	P		M		P	P			M	P		
Wagner, E. G. ..	P		P	P		M	M					M	
Williams, J. W. ..	P	P		P		P	P					P	
Wilson, W. W. ..	P		P	P		P						P	
Morgan, I. R. H. ..						P	P				M	P	

P. — " Pass.

M. — " Merit."

SUPPLEMENTARY MATRICULATION EXAMINATION, 1917

ARTS, SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING.—J. R. H. Morgan.

ARTS AND SCIENCE.—H. Gasteen.

SCIENCE.—D. Henderson, A. E. Mason.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS.

The following members of the School gained University Scholarships in December, 1916:

Albert Edwin Axon (first in Queensland).

Ernest Stewart Edmiston (second in Queensland).

Eric Gordon Wagner (fourth in Queensland).

Webster Briggs (fifth in Queensland).

Frederick Charles Nommensen.

William Charles Day.

Edward C. D. Ringrose.

TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP.

John W. Williams.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION TO THE MILITARY COLLEGE.

A Military Cadetship has been won by T. Hein (second in all Australia).

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION TO THE NAVAL COLLEGE.

Naval Cadetships have been won by E. Paul, C. Mills.

SOLICITORS' PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION. — Hubert Harris

QUEENSLAND UNIVERSITY JUNIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION,
DECEMBER, 1916

NAME.	English.	French.	German.	Latin.	Greek.	Arithmetic.	Algebra.	Geometry.	History.	Geography.	Chemistry.	Physics.	Geology.	Physiology.	Geom. Drawing.	Music.	MERIT.	PASS.
Adamson, N. L.				P		P			P	P		P						5
Barclay, J.	P	P		P		P	P	P	P	P			P	P				10
Beeston, N. C.	P	P				P			P	M				P		M	2	5
Bennett, E. C.				P				P		M	P	P					1	4
Bennett, F. C.	P	P		M		P	P	M	P	M	P	M					4	6
Berliner, J. P.		P						P			P	P			P			5
Blunt, R. M.	P						P	P		M	P	P					1	5
Bond, A. J.	M	P		P		M	M	M	M	M			M	M			8	2
Brown, H. C. G.	P		P	P		P			M	M							2	4
Bubot, I. S. W.	P	P				P	P		P	P	P	M					1	7
Burns, B.	P	P		P		P			P	P	P	P						8
Cameron, D'A.	P	P		P	P	P			P	P								7
Campbell, A. T.	P						P	P	P	P		P						6
Campbell, G. C.	P					P	P	P	P	P		P						7
Cary, T. R.	P					M		P	P	P		P			P		1	6
Colledge, R. G.	P	P		P		P	M	P	P		P	P					1	8
Coulter, E. J.	P	P		P		P			P	P				P				7
Cowie, G. C.	P	P				P	P	P	P	P	P	P						9
Craigie, R. N. M.	M			P		P	P	P	P	P	M	M					3	6
Cribb, H. B.	M			M		M	P	P	P	P	P	P					3	6
Davidson, H. W.	P					P	M	P	P	P	P	P					1	7
Davis, R. W.	P					P	P	P	P		P	P						7
Dawson, P. E. A.	P	P		M	P		P										1	4
Dellit, E. C.	P			P		P	P	P	M	P		P					1	7
Dunlop, A. G. D.	P	P				M	P	P	P	P				M	M		3	6
Earnshaw, H.	P	P		P		P	P	P	P			P						8
Eden, A. S.	M	P		M	P	P	P	P	M	P							3	6
Elliott, C. W.	P					P	P	P		P				M			1	4
Elmes, H. E.	P	P		P		P	P	P										6
Evans, W. J.	P	P		P		P		P	P		P	P						8
Ferguson, H. E.	P	P		M		P	M	M	M	P	P	M					5	4
Forsyth, J. W.		P		P			P		P	P	P	P						7
Fraser, A. R.	P			P		P		P	P									5
Fullagar, A. T.	P	P				P		P	M	P				P	P		1	7
Gebbie, T. E.		P				P	P		P	P			P	P	P			8
Graham, R. B.		P		P		M	P	P				P					1	5
Hancox, H.	P	M		M		P	P	M	P	P							3	5
Hayne, E. N.		P		P			P	P	P		P	P						7
Heussler, J. W.	P					P		P	P			P			P			6
Hoare, J. G.	P	P				P	P	M	P	P	M	M					3	6
Hodgson, H. A.	M	P				M	P	M	M	P		P					4	4
Holdaway, F. G.	P	P		P		P	P	P		P	P	P						9
Hurwood, A.	P			P		P	P	P	P	P	P	P						9
Hutchinson, R. G.	P					P	P	P	P									5
Irvine, F. A.				P		M	M	M	P	P	M	M					5	4
Johnston, E. H.	P					P	P	P		P						M	1	5
Julius, S.	P	P		P		P	P		M		M	P					2	6
Kay, H. G.	P					P	P	P	P			P			P			7
Laillan, N. W.	P					P	P	P	P		P	P			P			7
Lambert, T.	P			P		P	P	P	P	P	P							7
Lather, E. C.	P			P		P	P	P	P	P	P	P						9
Leitch, A. H.	P	P		M		P	M	P	P	M							3	5
Lindsay, J.	M	P		M	P	M	M	M	M	P							6	3

M denotes "Merit."

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QUEENSLAND UNIVERSITY JUNIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION--Contd.

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NAME.	English.	French.	German.	Latin.	Greek.	Arithmetic.	Algebra.	Geometry.	History.	Geography.	Chemistry.	Physics.	Geology.	Physiology.	Geom. Drawing.	Music.	Merit.
Linton, A. A.	P	P				P		M	P	M	P	P					12
Lord, F. S.		P					P	M	P	P				M	P		12
Louttit, E. B.	P	P				P	P	P	P		P	P					4
Lucas, H. B.	P	P				P	M	M	P		P	M			M		12
MacDonnell C R H	P		P	M	M	P	P	P	P	P					M		12
Marshall, F. S.	P	M				P	P	P	P	P	M	P			M		3
McClintock, H.	P					M	P	M				P					12
McMurray, B. K.	P	P		P		P	P	P		P							12
McPherson, G.	P	P		P		P	P	P				P					12
Meek, W. L. S.	P					P		P	P	P		P					12
Morgan, M. J.		P		P		P	P	P	P			P					12
Morrison, C. A. K.				P				P	M	P			P	P			1
Morse, W. R. M.	P					P			P	P	P						12
Newcombe, E. P.	P	P		P	P		P	P	P	P							12
Nothling, O. E.	P			P		P	P	P	P	P	P	P					4
Park, W.	P		P	P		M	P	P	P	M	M	M					4
Pearce, H. A.	P	M				P	P	P	M	M		P					3
Pegg, H. T.	P					P	P	P	P	P	P	M					1
Pointon, F. E.		P				P	P	P	P	P	P	M					1
Potter, R. S.				P		P	P	P			P	P					1
Price, K. F.	M	P		P		P	P	M	P	P	M	P					3
Ralph, H. S.		P						P	P	M	P						1
Reid, P. S.	P	P		P		P			P								1
Roberts, H. E.	P			M	M	P	M	P	M	M							5
Robinson, E. S.	P					P	P	P	P	P	P	P					1
Schultz, P. C.	P		P	P		P	P	P	P	P	M	P					1
Seaman, A.	P	P		P		P	P	P	P	P	P	P					1
Sherlock, R. J.	P					P	P	P	P		P	P					1
Shirras, D. F.	P	P		P		P		P	P	P	P	P					1
Shortt, D. P.	P					P	P	P			P						2
Smith, R. M.	P		P	M		P	P	P		P	M	P					1
Spark, R. J. H.	P	P		P		P		P		P	P	P					1
Steele, T.	P	P				P		P	P	P							1
Stewart, A. K.	P	P		P				P	P	P	P	P					1
Strachan	P			P		P	P	P		P			P	M			1
Stubbin, R. A.	P	P		P		M		P		P	P	P					1
Tait, J.	P	P				P	M	P	P	M		P					2
Tolman, E. E.	P	P		P		P		P	P		P	P					1
Tomkins, B. E.	M	P		P		P	P	P	P	P				P			1
Unwin, L. C.	P			M		P		P	M	M	P	M					4
Venn, D. P.	P	P		P		P		P	P		M	P					1
Walis, J. G.	P					P	P	P	M	M			P		M		1
Ward, G.	P	P		P		P	P	P	P		P	P					1
Ward, H. L.	P	P				P	P	P	P	P		P					1
Watson, E. A. H.	P	P					P	P	P	P		P					1
Watson, L. D.	M	P		M	M	P	P	P	M	P							1
Wheatley, R. J.	P	P					P	P	P	P							1
Wiley, W. J.	P					P	M	M			M	M			M		1
Williams, C. W.	P	P		P			P	P	P	M	M	P					1
Williamson, E. M.	M	P		P		P	P		M	P	P	P					1
Youlton, A. J.	P			P		P		P	P	P	P	P					1

M denotes "Merit" P denotes "Pass."

Extension Scholarships.

The following awards of Scholarships have been made:—

TRUSTEES' SCHOLARSHIPS.—J. Lindsay, L. D. Watson, H. E. Roberts, C. R. H. MacDonnell, F. A. Irvine, H. B. Cribb.

ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIPS.—A. S. Eden, A. J. Bond, L. C. Ullwin.

GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS (New Scheme).—F. C. Bennett, B. Burns, G. C. Cowie, P. A. Dawson, W. J. Evans, R. B. Graham, E. N. Hayne, F. G. Holdaway, A. Hurwood, S. Julius, N. Laidlaw, W. L. Meek, G. McPherson, H. T. Pegg, E. S. Robinson, H. S. Ralph, P. C. Schultz, A. Seaman, A. F. Shirras, R. M. Smith, R. J. Sherlock, R. A. Stubbin, B. E. Tomkins, G. Ward, H. L. Ward, E. A. Watson, C. W. Williams, E. M. Williamson, A. T. Youlton.

STATE PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION.

PROFESSIONAL DIVISION.

The following B.G.S. candidates qualified for entrance to the Professional Division of the State Public Service.—F. A. Irvine, N. R. Craigie, A. J. Bond, W. J. Wiley.

ORDINARY DIVISION.

The following B.G.S. candidates qualified for admission:—H. A. Pearce, H. C. Brown, A. Leitch, H. Hancox, E. J. Coulter, A. G. Seaman, N. C. Beeston, D. A. Cameron, E. C. Dellit, N. B. Stubbs, T. Strachan, T. Steele, A. G. Dunlop, J. Tait, B. E. Tomkins, E. F. Laws, C. E. Petersen, H. E. Elmes, C. A. Morrison, J. G. Walls, T. E. Gebbie, A. T. Fullagar, L. N. Hansen, R. G. Hutchinson, A. T. Campbell, C. G. Lotinga, C. G. Campbell, R. S. Potter, H. L. Hely, W. R. Morse, H. S. Ralph.

THALLON MEDAL.

The four Thallon Medals are awarded to candidates at the Junior University Examination who are the sons or daughters of railway officials. One of these medals has been won this year by C. R. Macdonnell, of this School.

BURSARIES TO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

The following have won Bursaries to the Agricultural College at Gatton:—H. Park, G. J. Hourston, E. G. B. Wheeler.

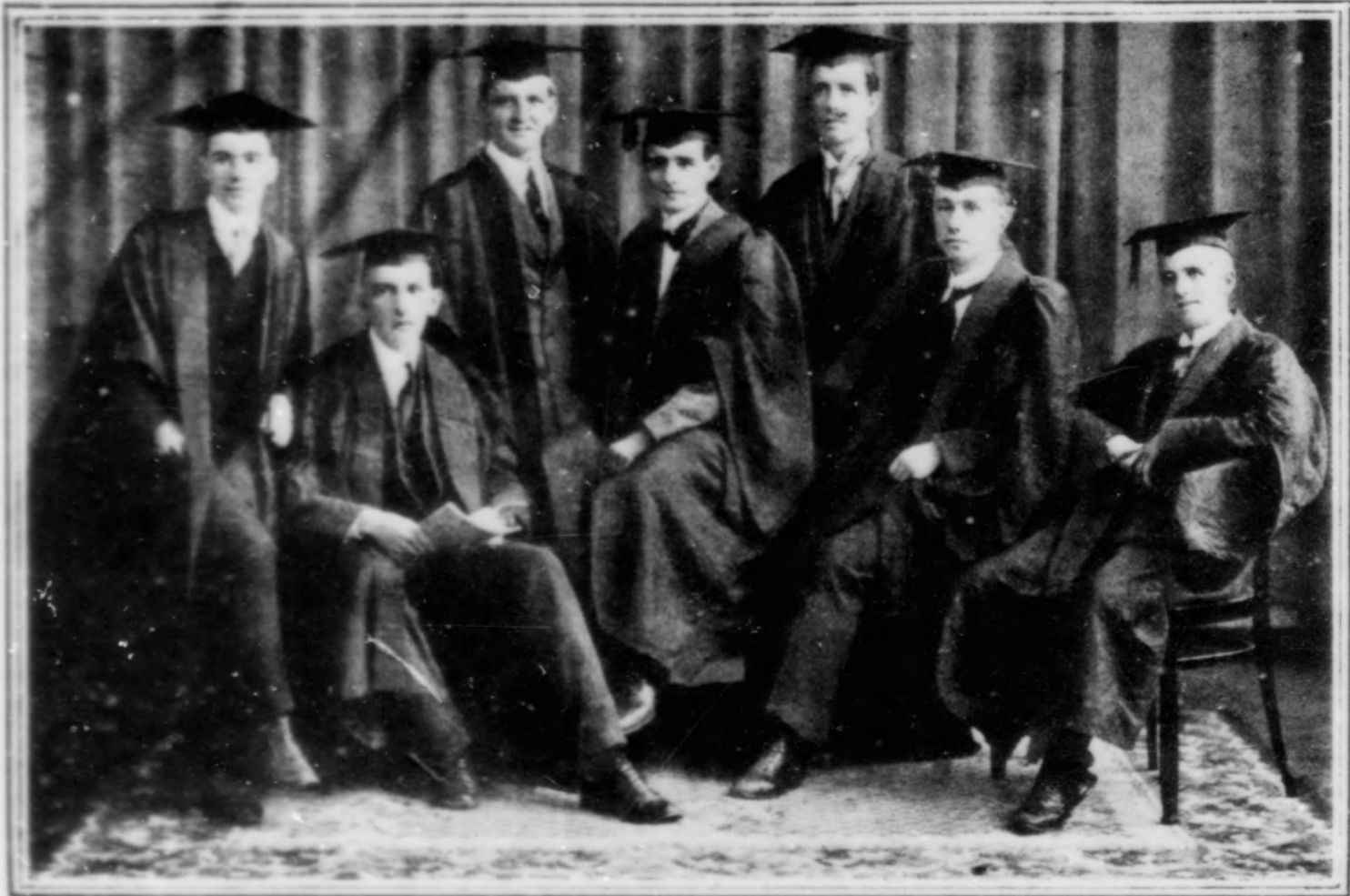
EXAMINATION FOR MILITARY STAFF CLERKS.

W. M. Bevington.

FEDERAL CIVIL SERVICE.

GENERAL DIVISION.—A. J. Thompson

WINNERS OF UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS.



E. C. Nommensen, E. C. D. Ringrose, A. E. Axon, W. Briggs, F. S. Edmiston, W. C. Day, E. G. Wagner.

Our University Scholarship Winners

- A. E. AXON.—Entered the B.G.S. in 1912 with a State Scholarship. During his School career he has won prizes for Chemistry and Physics, and the Bowen Prize. He is a good athlete, and won the Gymnastic Prize three years in succession; was a member of the First Football team, and of the School Crew, and a Sergeant of Senior Cadets. He is taking the Engineering Course at the University.
- E. S. EDMISTON.—Is a Queenslander, but had resided in England for a time, and joined the B.G.S. in the fourth quarter of 1914. He has very pronounced literary tastes and great musical ability.
- E. G. WAGNER.—Entered the B.G.S. in 1912 with a State Scholarship. During his School career he has won the Lilley Medal in the Fifth Form and gained a Trustees' Extension Scholarship. He was a Quarter-Master Sergeant in the Cadets. He is taking the Engineering Course at the University.
- W. BRIGGS.—Entered the B.G.S. with a State Scholarship in 1912. During his School career he has won the Lower School Lilley Medal and the Francis Memorial Prize for Mathematics in the Upper School. He was a Sergeant of Cadets. He has entered the Faculty of Science at the University.
- F. C. NOMMENSEN.—Entered the School in 1912 with a State Scholarship. He was always a good "classic," and won Dr. L'Estrange's Special Prize for Classics. He is a good tennis player, and was Tennis Captain in 1916, and is a good gymnast. He was also a School Prefect and a Sergeant of Cadets. He is taking the Science Course at the University.
- W. C. DAY.—Entered the B.G.S. in 1912 as a State scholar. During his school career he passed the Junior and Senior Public Exams., and has now won a University Scholarship, and entered the Faculty of Science.
- E. C. D. RINGROSE.—After four years at Townsville G.S., Ringrose came to the B.G.S. in 1916, and succeeded in winning a University Scholarship, and has entered as a Science student.

Royal Colonial Institute

ESSAY COMPETITION

With a view to encouraging the rising generation to "think imperially," and in the process, acquire a better knowledge and appreciation of the British Empire, the Council of the Royal Colonial Institute decided, three years ago, to offer prizes to young people undergoing education at Universities and Schools for essays on subjects of Imperial concern. The subject selected for this

competition in 1916 was, "In what way has scientific invention affected the British Empire." The competition, this year, on account of the war, was limited to schools. A first and second prize were awarded, and four first-class certificates. Our readers will have much pleasure in learning that one of the first-class certificates was awarded to E. S. Edmiston of this School. The Adjudicator was Professor H. E. Egerton, Professor of Colonial History at Oxford.

Examination Successes of Old Boys

UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND.

ARTS.—First Year: L. G. Lukin.

Second Year: H. V. Byth (Merit in Latin and in Greek).

SCIENCE.—First Year: O. S. Hirschfeld, L. I. A. Micheli (Merit in Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics), O. W. Tiegs, K. B. Fraser.

Second Year: G. Cooling.

Third Year: J. L. Wagner, R. G. Quinn.

ENGINEERING.—First Year: O. F. Blakey (Merit in Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Chemistry, Engineering Drawing, and Descriptive Geometry), E. Foster (Merit in Physics), C. M. Longbottom.

Second Year: N. C. Aitken (Merit in Pure Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, Mechanics, Heat Engines), C. B. Mott.

Third Year: H. E. B. Scriven.

Fourth Year: S. Q. Crellin.

In the above lists the excellent results obtained by N. C. Aitken and O. F. Blakey attract attention.

The following Degrees have been conferred:—

M.A.—B. H. Holdsworth.

B.A.—T. Thatcher (1st Class Honours in Philosophy), F. C. Thompson (2nd Class Honours Mathematics)

B.Sc.—J. G. Wagner.

B.E.—S. Q. Crellin, H. E. B. Scriven.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

MEDICINE.—First Year: M. Geaney.

The following Scholarships and Prizes have been awarded to Mr. M. Geaney:—

Renwick Scholarship, for General Proficiency in First Year Medicine.

Horn Scholarship, for open competition among all first year students.

Collie Prize, for proficiency in Botany.

Jarvie Hood Prize.—A College prize for proficiency.

UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW.

ENGINEERING.—Second Year: W. Kirkland.



EDWIN PAUL.



CHARLES F. MILLS.

Winners of Naval Cadetships.

SUCCESSES WON BY BOYS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE
SCHOOL IN THE YEAR 1916.

University Scholarships	.. ..	7 successful candidates
Teacher Scholarship	.. ..	1 " "
University Matriculation in one or more Faculties	.. ..	15 " "
University Senior Examination	.. ..	12 " "
University Junior Examination	.. ..	104 " "
Government Extension Scholarships	.. ..	29 " "
Federal Civil Service	.. ..	1 " "
State Civil Service	.. ..	35 " "
Military College Entrance Exam.	.. ..	1 " "
Australian Naval Cadetships	.. ..	2 " "
Military Staff Clerk	.. ..	1 " "
Agricultural College Bursaries	.. ..	3 " "
Thallon Medal	.. ..	1 " "
Royal Colonial Institute Essay Com- petition	.. ..	1 first-class certificate

SUCSESSES WON BY OLD BOYS IN THE YEAR 1916.

At the War and in Training	638 men (end of 1916)
D.S.O.	7
Military Cross	5
Military Medal	5
Passed Degree and other Examinations	
forming part of University Course	17

So many Old Boys are at the Front that we are unable to obtain full details of their performances.

Supplementary Roll of Honour

"Contre nous de la tyrannie
L'étendard sanglant est levé.

Aux armes, citoyens ! formez vos bataillons."

"The Marseillaise."

The following is a supplementary list of Old Boys who are taking, or have taken part in the Great European War. The complete list will be published in November. Mistakes and omissions are almost inevitable in such a list, and anyone who can help to perfect it is requested to communicate with the Manager of the Magazine. The number, including one Trustee, and 6 Masters, now reaches a total of 785.

The following names have been added to the Roll of Honour since the publication of our last list in November, 1916 :—

Alley, G. K.	Feldt, E. A.	Lavers, P. G.
Astill, J.	Ferguson, N. A.	Ledlie, E. A.
Amos, N. J.	Flower, H. E.	Lilley, A. M.
Bailey, V. P.	Fowler, M. B.	Lilley, C. M.
Baynes, G. E.	Francis, A. C.	Lucas, F. B.
Bell, G.	Gardiner, S.	Macdonald, A. R.
Bell, G. A.	Gibson, G. L.	Mactaggart, D. E.
Bell, H. T.	Gibson, W. L.	Mactaggart, J. L.
Bourne, J. W.	Gore, R. T.	Mair, W. R.
Bray, E. L.	Gow, S. N.	Marshall, W. J.
Bray, F. J. R.	Halliday, F. W. C.	Marshall, A.
Bray, P. V. R.	Hamilton, R. C.	Martin, T. G.
Brooks, J. G.	Hardgrave, F. C.	Micheli, C. H. J.
Cameron, P. L.	Harlen, C.	Morgan, J. R. H.
Campbell, J. A.	Harris, V. E. G.	Muller, O. R. P.
Campbell, K. McL.	Henchman, H. H.	Murphy, A. P.
Chambers, P. N.	Hewetson, W. J.	Murphy, J. A.
Chapman, G. B.	Highfield, W. J.	Neilsen, E. J. W.
Connell, C. J.	Hooper, G. W. B.	O'Brien, O. W.
Coxen, W. A.	Houston, A.	Parkes, H. A.
Curtis, V.	Hunter, J. W. C.	Parkinson, C. L.
Darvall, F. J.	Huntington, H. R.	Peterson, R. L. H.
Doblo, F.	Illidge, J. R.	Phillips, W. J.
Doblo, H.	Irvine, R. S.	Phillips, O. K.
Earnshaw, P. A.	Jackson, G. E.	Phipps, V.
Earnshaw, W. E.	Jacobs, S.	Platt, F. A.
Eustace, H.	Kemsley, E. B.	Pocock, R. H.
Feez, C. M.	Knight, R. K.	Power, R.
	Lane, G. G. K.	Proctor, R. R.

Quina, R. G.
Rigby, E. D.
Roberts, F. J.
Robinson, D. T.
Sachs, H. E.
Scott, T. W.
Sellars, A. J.
Shaw, J. H.
Shaw, J. W.
Simkin, F. S.
Shield, A.
Smith, C. M.

Smith, H. S.
Smith, W. F. H.
Smith, S. K.
Sorensen, T.
Speering, C. R.
Spode, M. M.
Steuart, R. B. H.
Sutton, N. G.
Thomson, N. W.
Townley, N. V.
Trower, C. M.
Trundle, A. C.

Wagner, J. G.
Wagner, L. D.
Wall, A. G. C.
Wassell, J. M.
Webster, A. K.
White, L. E. G.
Williams, F. N. V.
Williams, J. W.
Wilson, A. L. M.
Wilson, R. M.
Wilson, W. H. H.
Young, N. H.

WOUNDED.

The following is a list of Old Boys who have been wounded since the beginning of the Great War:—

Abell, E. T.
Abercrombie, A. D.
Aberdeen, M. C.
Allan, J. D.
Allan, J. S.
Allom, J. N.
Augstein, L. N.
Bennett, R. J.
Bernays, G. C. A.
Boase, A. J.
Bowman, M. W. R.
Brand, A. D.
Bray, P. V. R.
Bridgman, F. H.
Briggs, J. L.
Briggs, M. D.
Brown, A. H.
Brown, T. V.
Brydon, L. A.
Burrell, M.
Butler, D. O.
Cameron, D. C.
Challinor, R. T.
Clarke, S. A. P.
Collin, W. A.
Cooper, V. S.
Cullen, E. B.

Curtis, B. W.
Dean, H. M.
Dods, J. E.
Douglas, W. J. F.
Drane, C. C.
Elliott, C. J.
Ferguson, G. A.
Faulkner, H.
Forbes, J. A.
Grant, R. W.
Hardie, J.
Harris, G.
Hellicar, V. A.
Holmes a Court, R. A.
Hood, W. F.
Jones, H. W.
King, F. L.
Lahey, R. W.
Lea, G. W.
Ledlie, J. M.
Little, E. M.
McClymont, W. H.
McCord, P. C. H.
Mercer-Smith, S.
Morisset, V. L.
Newsham, T. R.
Overell, C. M.

Parry-Okeden, U. E.
Paten, E. H.
Payne, J. C.
Plant, E. C. P.
Plant, R. A. N.
Pocock, R. H.
Rigby, E. D.
Rigby, G. H.
Roe, E. H.
Ryder, J. F.
Scott, C. E.
Simkin, F.
Smith, H. G. S.
Smith, S. W.
Stack, J. W.
Swain, J. H.
Taylor, L. A. J. W.
Thelander, E. A.
Thorn, P. J.
Trotter, M. C.
Ulcoq, O. E.
Walker, C. C.
Walton, A. R.
White, L. E.
Webb, W. F. A.
Wilson, L. S. H.
Woodhead, J. N.

Distinctions

We have much pleasure in recording the following Distinctions won by Old Boys in the War:—

C.M.G.—Lieut.-Col. C. H. Foott, Brigadier-General V. C. M. Sellheim.

D.S.O.—Lieut.-Col. G. H. Bourne, Lieut. V. S. Cooper, Major J. E. Dods, Lieut.-Col. G. A. Ferguson, Major A. H. K. Jopp, Lieut.-Col. A. H. Marks, Lieut.-Col. G. C. Somerville.

MILITARY CROSS.—Captain R. M. Allan, Major J. E. Dods, Lieut. H. J. A. Ferguson, Captain J. Hardie, Lieut. C. Kaepfel (and Lar), Captain T. N. W. B. Steele, Captain C. C. Stodart.

MILITARY MEDAL.—Lance-Corporal W. R. Archdall, Corporal G. E. Gabriel, Private A. S. Patterson, Lieut. E. A. Thelander, J. C. Chambers, Private H. W. Jones.

CROIX DE GUERRE (French Decoration).—Lieut.-Col. L. C. Wilson.

Mentioned in Despatches by Sir Douglas Haig, after the battle of the Somme.—Lieut.-Cols. C. H. Foott, C.M.G., W. A. Coxen, G. A. Ferguson; Majors G. C. Somerville, E. C. Plant, A. H. K. Jopp, C. G. N. Miles, J. E. Dods, A. H. Marks; Captains H. A. Webb, H. F. Plant; Lieut. V. S. Cooper, D.S.O. Mrs. A. S. Leslie has just received official information that her son, the late Captain Walter A. Leslie, was mentioned in Divisional Orders for conspicuous gallantry. Captain Leslie was killed at Gallipoli on May 6th, 1915.

Promotions

We have much pleasure in announcing the following promotions:—

Lieut. J. Urquhart to be Captain.

R. F. Bourne to be Lieutenant in Royal Engineers.

Sergeant H. Johnson to be 2nd-Lieutenant—promoted on the field for gallantry.

Captain J. Higginson to be Major N.S.W. Light Horse.

C.S.M. F. J. Needham to be Lieutenant.

F. McConnell to be Flight-Lieutenant and Superintendent of Air Building.

Sergeant Geoffrey C. A. Bernays to be Lieutenant.

To be A.D.C. to His Excellency the Governor-General.—Lieut.-Colonel H. G. Bourne.

Hardy Eustace to be Lieutenant.

The circumstances under which Colonel Bourne, Lieut. Steele, and Captain Stodart obtained their decorations are as follows:—

"HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointment of the under-mentioned officer to be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, in recognition of his gallantry and devotion to duty in the field.—Major George Herbert Bourne, Light Horse, for conspicuous gallantry in action. He held the outpost line against heavy odds for four hours, and then gradually and skilfully withdrew. A few days later he held the extreme flank with great determination at a critical time."

HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the under-mentioned officers, in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field:—

Lieutenant Thomas Nelson William Beevor Steele, Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry in action. He fought his machine gun with great courage and determination. Later, he greatly assisted in repulsing an enemy counter-attack.

Captain Charles Cecil Stodart, Light Horse Regiment, for conspicuous gallantry in action. He organised and maintained an outpost position against vastly superior numbers, displaying great courage and determination.

The following have been mentioned in despatches by General Sir Archibald J. Murray, Commander-in-Chief in Egypt:—Major A. Chisholm, Major G. H. Bourne, D.S.O., Captain C. C. Stodart, Lieut.-Col. L. C. Wilson, C.M.G., Major D. C. Cameron, Lieut.-Col. G. P. Dixon.

Congratulations by G.O.C.:—Lieut. J. V. Atkinson: Major-General Sir H. V. Cox, K.C.M.G., etc., Commanding 4th Australian Division, congratulates Lieut. Atkinson on his courage and example during the period his battalion was in the front line in August, near Pozieres. Dated August 23rd, 1916.

Sergeant J. C. Payne.—Congratulated by General Cox, on gallant conduct in August, at Pozieres.

DULCE ET DECORUM EST PRO PATRIA MORI.

The following Old Boys have been killed in action, or died of wounds or injuries:—

1916.	
1914	Captain F. P. Lacy
1915.	July 2nd-Lieut. H. Dalrymple
April	Pte. H. G. Wilson
	Lieut. S. K. Ford
	Lieut. J. T. Hockin
	Cpl. R. G. North
	Lieut. J. M. Brown
	Cpl. C. M. Hobler
	Cpl. T. N. Johnson
May	Aug. Pte. R. G. Mitchell
	Pte. R. E. Macarthur
	Capt. H. F. H. Plant
	Lieut. J. A. H. Brown
	Pte. Q. B. Richardson
	Pte. A. S. Patterson
	Pte. H. Doblo
	Gunner W. A. Cramb
June	Sept. Capt. R. W. L. Chambers
	Lt. H. C. Stuart-Russell
	Oct. Lieut. C. P. de Winton
	Pte. A. Shield
	Nov. C.S.M. C. A. Bell
	Pte. A. C. Francis
July	Sergt. N. H. Young
	Dec. Pte. E. A. Ledlie
Aug.	Gunner R. C. C. Phipps
	1917.
	Jan. Pte. J. C. Chambers
	Bomb. F. W. Murphy
	Feb. L-Cpl. G. W. B. Hooper
	Mar. Gunner J. F. Ulcoq
	Pte. C. R. Bray
Nov.	April Capt. F. E. Boddington
1916.	Capt. W. P. Avery
Feb.	May Gunner. J. A. Noble
April	
May	
June	

Also

Aug. 1915, Capt. F. Moran, Area Officer, 6B.

War Notes

News reaches us very slowly from the Front, and by the time the jealous eye of the censor has scanned it, there is little left to relate to our readers. We have gleaned a few particulars from various sources, which we offer for the information of our readers :—

M. D. Briggs is a stretcher-bearer in the A.M.C., and has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery on the field, under the following circumstances :—A wounded man was lying in "no man's land" and two bearers who went out to bring him in, were both shot dead by German sinpers. Briggs and his mate then went out and brought the wounded man in under heavy fire.

W. R. Archdall is also a stretcher-bearer, and has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery in the field.

Reference is frequently made, in letters from the Front, to the B.G.S. motto—*Nil Sine Labore*. Men tell us how they remember their old School motto, and try to act up to it. One officer, Lieut. H. Faulkner, now of the Gordon Highlanders, made use of it to stimulate the courage of his men. In a Christmas address in 1916, Lieut. Faulkner reminded his men that they were facing the third Christmas of the war, and that the outlook was now much brighter, thanks to the men who held on so grimly when the days were dark. The Somme, he said, was, in his opinion, the beginning of the final victory, which would bring the peace desired by all the world. And then he added, "Let me give you a motto to keep in your heads. It is the motto of my old school, and a very fine motto indeed—'*Nil Sine Labore*,'—meaning 'Nothing Without Labour.' Without labour, you will never drive back the enemy and gain the bright goal of victory. Remember the motto—and don't wait to be told—get about your work immediately—there is need for it."

The most noticeable feature of the letters we receive, is the cheerfulness of the writers. One who is occupying part of a deep dug out, compares himself to a "Bunny in a Burrow;" and someone else tells of the interest taken in Australian soldiers by English people, who say how much they admire the Kangaroo feathers in the Australian hats, and inquire if the Australian prickly pear is really nicer than the English pear, and whether a paddymelon is anything like a rock melon!

At a School of Instruction at Salisbury, Lieut. J. F. Needham scored 93.5 per cent., gaining top place against 50 competitors.

In a letter from the Front, Major G. F. Macdonald, A.M.C., says,—“And there is no better stuff than what the old B.G.S. turns out.”

The actual number and nature of decorations gained by B.G.S. men at the Front are still doubtful, and we have hesitated

to chronicle any unless we receive information from a very reliable source. But at present, *at least* seven have received the D.S.O., and the Military Cross has been awarded to the same number.

We have just heard, with much regret, that 2nd-Lieutenant H. Johnson, who was promoted to that rank for gallantry on the field, is reported to be missing, and is supposed to be a prisoner of war.

How Lieutenant Syd. Ford died

Mr. Ford (Dalgety and Co.) has just received particulars of the death of his son, Lieutenant Sydney Ford, from a brother officer, Lieutenant Charles Wittkopp, who was with him when he died. A prize in connection with the Queensland University has just been established by the Queensland Licensed Victuallers' Association as a perpetual memorial to Lieutenant Ford and his brother, Sergeant T. W. Ford—the only sons of their father—who both laid down their lives for King and country, under circumstances that will cause their memory to be revered by unborn generations of Brisbane Grammar School students, on the roll of which institution the names of these two gallant brothers are inscribed. Lieutenant Wittkopp writes:—"Syd. and I were great pals, and I was very fond of him. I am sure also that everyone who knew his fine, manly nature could not be otherwise. We were in the same battalion, the ———. On the night of July 22-23, we attacked Pozieres, a village on the Somme. Syd. was in charge of a line of men in front of me, my line being the last, and about 30 yards distant. After taking the first line of enemy trenches, we advanced to a point beyond, where we were previously instructed to wait until our artillery, which was then playing on the second line of trenches, lifted, and enabled us to rush the trench. The opposing fire was perfectly hellish, and it was at this point that I got wounded. Syd. said to me, 'Come along, Wit—(my nickname)—and I'll give you a hand along.' I, therefore, with his assistance, took all my gear off, and with his strong arm round me, managed to get a few yards, when we were prevented from going further by a German barrage, an attempt to pass which would have meant almost certain death. We, therefore, got into a hole, and decided to wait until the fire was less fierce. We were talking to each other for quite some time, and were lying as close together as possible, when Syd. raised himself as one does when stretching his limbs. I did not take much notice of this, but when he failed to answer my questions I became alarmed, and began to shake him, but it was of no use. He lay perfectly still, and so you can imagine how utterly surprised and grieved I was. I could not make a minute examination of his body for the simple reason that

I could hardly move, but by the flash of bursting shells, I could see his face, which was quite composed. He looked just as if he were sleeping. I was with him for, perhaps, an hour after this, when luckily for me, two boys from another battalion came across me, and took me to a place of comparative safety. Syd's body must have been covered by another shell, since it was not found. This is all I can say concerning Syd., and add most respectfully that you have indeed lost a fine son, as I have lost a true and staunch friend. I am a son of Charlie Wittkopp, late of Maryborough, and now of Kingaroy. I am now quite well, and will be going back to France very shortly. My deepest sympathy and kindest regards."

B.G.S. War Memorial Fund.

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On August 14th last year, His Excellency the Governor-General unveiled an Honour Board, containing at the time, 640 names of Old Boys who had enlisted in the A.I.F. during the war. Since then, 120 more names have been added, and the patriotism of the Old Boys is being shown by the steady increase in the enlistments. The record is one of which the School and its Old Boys are justly proud. It bears comparison with that of the other great schools of Australia, all of which have shown a noble spirit of sacrifice, which will be a splendid example to succeeding generations. Of these volunteers of ours 60 have given their lives, and 68 have been reported wounded. In erecting the Honour Board, the Committee felt that they were making only a temporary provision of a memorial. The sacrifice of the 60 who have fallen, and the 700 who have been ready to give their lives, calls for a greater and more permanent memorial at the School. Various proposals were made at the general committee, but no final decision could be come to as to the form the memorial shall take. It was felt that opportunity should be given to the subscribers to the Memorial Fund, to express their views. Meanwhile the fund was started. A circular was issued on the last Foundation Day.

inviting subscriptions, and up to the present about £650 has already been received. Unfortunately, it has been impossible to obtain the addresses of all the Old Boys, and any who have not yet received a copy of this circular are invited to write to the Secretary. For the Committee is assured that there is no Old Boy of the School who would not rejoice to take his part in the movement. And there are many of the parents of boys at the School, or friends of the volunteers, who would also wish to assist. The greatest achievement of the School's history is the performance of its Old Boys during the war, and the Committee feels confident that the Old Boys and friends of the School will do their best to make the memorial worthy of the achievement.

A list of subscriptions received up to May 5th is subjoined. Some of those who have sent subscriptions have said that they hope and intend to supplement their first subscription later on, while others have stated that they would like to give in instalments a subscription greater than they could forward at present. The Secretary will be glad to acknowledge all promises or subscriptions.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST TO MAY 23RD, 1917.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Mr. and Mrs. Bousfield	25	0	0	R. Trout, Esq.	5	5	0
Lt.-Col. C. F. Plant	20	0	0	J. J. Walsh, Esq.	5	5	0
J. L. Woolcock, Esq.	20	0	0	W. J. Young, Esq.	5	5	0
B.G.S.O.B.A.	15	0	0	B.G.S. Sports Club	5	0	0
B.G.S. Trustees	15	0	0	J. G. Balsille, Esq.	5	0	0
B.G.S.O.G.A.	10	10	0	C. A. Bernays, Esq.	5	0	0
E. R. Crouch, Esq.	10	10	0	P. A. Blundell, Esq.	5	0	0
E. W. McConnell, Esq.	10	10	0	L. M. Bond, Esq.	5	0	0
R. M. King, Esq.	10	0	0	J. Cowan, Esq.	5	0	0
R. H. Roe, Esq.	10	0	0	J. G. Cribb, Esq.	5	0	0
Dr. A. B. Carvosso	5	5	0	Mrs. Forrest	5	0	0
G. S. Crouch, Esq.	5	5	0	C. B. Fox, Esq.	5	0	0
H. A. Crouch, Esq.	5	5	0	A. D. Graham, Esq.	5	0	0
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Colours, 1916.

The following is the list of winners of Colours in various sports in 1916:—

CRICKET.—T. Hein, R. H. Brown, W. Atthow, T. Lawton, C. R. Boyce, R. S. H. Brown, J. E. Biggs, W. E. Darvall.

FOOTBALL.—V. Grenning, C. C. Stewart, T. Lawton, W. S. Leslie, A. E. Axon.

ROWING.—W. W. Wilson, A. A. Baynes, T. Lawton, A. E. Axon, F. R. Cory, J. G. Hoare (cox).

TENNIS.—F. C. Nommensen, T. Hein, D'A. Cameron, H. N. Wilson.

ATHLETICS.—W. Anderson, C. C. Stewart, W. Atthow, W. S. Leslie.

GYMNASTICS.—A. E. Axon, A. A. Linton.

SWIMMING.—C. H. McCowan, A. A. Linton, T. Lawton.

The Dramatic Club

PERFORMANCE OF "DANDY DICK."

AT THE TIVOLI THEATRE.

Friday and Saturday, December 1st and 2nd, were important days in the annals of our Dramatic Club. They marked the production of Sir Edward Pinero's comedy, "Dandy Dick," in the Tivoli Roof Garden Theatre, on behalf of the Queensland Patriotic Fund. The cause was a good one, the effort was not unworthy, and the public patronage accorded, considering stressful times, most encouraging, for when all expenses had been paid, a cheque of £71 6s. was sent to the Secretary of the Queensland Patriotic Fund. To Mr. Connal, the producer, who worked indefatigably, the best thanks of the Club are due, and as well to the numerous friends who lent willing and cheerful assistance, to ensure success. The second production was witnessed by His Excellency the Governor Sir Hamilton Goold-Adams and Lady Goold-Adams, and an audience of nearly 1,000 persons, the performance being a distinct advance upon that of the first night. The wittiness and liveliness of the comedy appealed to all, and there were few dull moments. The plot concerns the Dean of St. Marvell's—fat, frigid, and fearful of heart, withal exceedingly holy, whose modest income is insufficient to keep pace with the extravagance of his two young daughters. Moreover, he has compromised himself dreadfully by an offer of £1,000 to the Minster Shire restoration fund. His sportive sister, Georgiana, and a racy old college chum, Sir Tristram Mardon, turn up, and receive a very grudging welcome from the man of broadcloth, who fears that the visitors will impart to the deanery a horsey flavour it will not easily lose. Tempted to retrieve his fortunes, the pious cleric puts all his spare cash on "Dandy Dick," the horse brought down by his sister to win the local handicap. His oversolicitude for the animal's health leads to his arrest, on suspicion of nobbling the steed, and he is only released from the clutch of the law by the ingenuity of his sister Georgiana and Sir Tristram. As the dean, pious, pompous and portly, Mr. Connal was exceedingly good. He looked the part and sustained it well. His appealing eyes cast up to heaven, his smug sanctimonious singing tones, the shocked expression that so frequently came over his countenance, all constituted clever acting; his facial control being admirable. Particularly effective was he in some of the intense moments, as when he found that his offer of £1,000 had been taken up; and better still in the temptation scene with the butler, when in high-pitched tones, indicating the struggle within, the pricking of

conscience, the fear of defeat, the tumult of mind, he bade Satan depart, only to yield a moment later to the intense desire to free himself of debt. Again, the chastened and dejected spirit when in the local lock-up was well depicted. At his best, Mr. Connal was exceedingly good, and maintained a high level of acting, with only an occasional lapse from the role. Regarding the Georgiana of C. H. Dearden, it would be difficult to speak in terms of too high praise. One and all were agreed that his work was most capable and thoroughly convincing. He was the racy sporting woman to a "tee," and wore his feminine garb with distinction, whether it was a riding habit, evening dress, or walking costume. He trod the stage with an easy confidence, and assumed a slap-dab manner that a woman eager to be dubbed "sporty" might have envied. There were the little feminine touches, the hands going up to his hair to catch a stray wisp, the out-stretched fingers on the lap, the adjusting of the evening shawl, the swing of the parasol, that made the picture of the woman so thoroughly realistic. Breeze and life and lilt followed in the wake of Georgiana wherever she went, and hearty approbation of the audience. Dearden's grasp of what is required in the portrayal of the feminine character leads one to wonder how far he might not travel in the role of an actor. He certainly has natural gifts. Besides these two characters, the rest were pale, though a good deal of work was distinctly meritorious. There were, for instance, the two daughters of the dean, Salome and Sheba. As the former, Mrs W. R. Dovey had no difficulty in looking graceful and charming. As for H. Harris, well—his modiste was unkind, and sent him out into a lonely world, a skimp figure with a topsy-like head of tow, while his contralto voice was of an unusual and attracting quality. But though lacking graceful curve of outline, Harris played the part with a good deal of intelligence, and gave little feminine touches here and there which came rather as a surprise. That hoary-headed and bushy eye-browed sinner, the butler, was in the hands of the good-hearted Biggs, who looked the part, but was so intent on murdering his "h's" as to be almost oblivious to other requirements. He succeeded in catching the attitude of the obsequious servitor, and with a little more freedom of style, though we admit that the English butler has to be a pretty straight-laced sort of individual, might have made the part more telling. As the two English "officahs," busily engaged in making love to the dean's daughters, Mr. Dovey and N. Geaney, showed a relish for their task. It was a great pity that Mr. Dovey's naturally distinguished appearance had to be so much discountenanced by a distressful dyspeptic nose, but he acted up to the part rather well. Geaney was over exuberant, and swaggered too feahfully," even for an English officer. Greater experience will give him greater discretion. What is to be said of W. Atthow, the blue-blooded sportsman? He

rather looked the part of the indolent bored Englishman, but displayed no great genius. N. E. Toms was a conscientious constable's confectioner; his solicitude for the roast mutton was touching; his mop cap and his devotion to household duties quite pathetic. In reality, Toms cut a rather interesting figure, and was not the least successful of the actors. V. C. Clarkson, as the shock-headed village constable, rolled into the impersonation with most commendable vigour, and though not quite realising Pinero's clever creation, he succeeded in causing a good deal of genuine amusement. V. Grenning made a typical rosy-cheeked groom. The action was brisk and lively, the staging in good taste, and altogether, the Club is to be commended on a production well carried out, and entirely acceptable to the audience. A small orchestral support.

The following is the caste of characters:—

Salome	..	..	..	..	..	..	Mrs. W. R. Dovey
Sheba	..	..	..	..	..	..	H. Harris
Blore	..	..	..	..	..	..	J. E. Biggs
Major Tarver	..	..	..	..	..	..	Mr. W. R. Dovey
Mr. Darbey	..	..	..	..	..	..	N. Geaney
Dean of St. Marvell's	..	..	..	..	..	..	Mr. N. S. Connal
Georgiana Tidman	..	..	..	..	..	..	C. H. D. Dearden
Sir Tristram Mardon	..	..	..	..	..	..	W. Atthow
Hatcham	..	..	..	..	..	..	V. Grenning
Hannah Topping	..	..	..	..	..	..	N. E. Toms
Noah Topping	..	..	..	..	..	..	V. C. Clarkson

Producer.—N. S. Connal.

Stage Managers.—J. B. Cribb, J. G. Cribb.

Orchestra.—T. G. Millar, Mr. W. Odling, R. J. Muller, V. Harris, H. Gasteen.

The above account was written by one of the staff of a leading daily, at the request of the Committee.

Library Notes.

We have lately been pleased to add to this Library a considerable number of new books, which we are sure will meet with the approval of all the boys who make use of the institution. The attendance just now is fair, especially in the Lower School, and although it has decreased somewhat lately, owing, no doubt to the proximity of the exam., we hope that after that dreaded ordeal, the number of borrowers will increase to a much larger extent. Any intending donor of books may send them to Mr. Cribb.

Subscribers to B.G.S. Magazine Funds

We have much pleasure in acknowledging, with thanks, the receipt of the following subscriptions to the Funds of the School Magazine :—

Captain Leonard G. Brown, R.A.M.C.	..	..	£5	0	0
The Honourable Mr. Justice Charles Powers	..	..	£1	0	0

Cricket Notes

We were fortunate enough to get back ten of last year's eleven at School, Anderson coming back at the last minute ; another to return being Nothling, who scored so well against the Ipswich Grammar School last year, falling three short of the century. He has now developed a good leg-break, which has proved very successful at times.

We were very sorry to lose Brown, who bowled well for us last year. His place, however, has been taken by Charity, who has proved successful, playing his first game against Nudgee College at the end of last year.

Atthow, a faster bowler than Charity, has done well, being more prominent, however, in the batting line. His double century against the Armidale School, during the Easter holidays, was a very creditable performance, and is a record in the School, at least for a good many years.

Mr. Connal is still with us, and we are grateful for his help in the team, also for his splendid coaching. We wish to thank, too, Mr. Miller, and Mr. J. W. M'Laren, who often come up to practice.

To Mrs. Bousfield, we wish to express our thanks, for the interest she has shown in the team, and for the way in which she has entertained us at inter-School matches. Colours have been awarded to Grenning and Nothling, being well merited. Results of matches :—

B.G.S. v. I.G.S.

This match was played on the Turf on November 22nd of last year. Putting out a strong batting side, the School batted first on an excellent wicket, Biggs and Hein opening to the bowling of Barbour and Pettigrew. Hein's wicket fell at 32, Darvall being next. He played a fine innings, getting 66. Nothling, who batted later on, put up a fine performance, getting 97, before he was out l.b.w. to Barbour. The score of 391 was the highest that had been put up by the School for some time. Ipswich replied with 129, Barbour batting nicely for 38, and Hooper, nearer the end, getting 32.

The School bowlers were Brown, who took 8 wickets for 56, and Toms, with 2 for 26.

The teams were entertained at lunch at Finneys, by Mrs. Bousfield, for which we wish to heartily thank her.

Scores :—

B.G.S.			I.G.S.		
Biggs, c. and b. Barbour	..	46	Barbour, c. Lawton, b. Toms	38	
Hein, b. Pettigrew	..	5	McCulloch, b. Brown	..	22
Darvall, b. Pettigrew	..	66	Pettigrew, b. Brown	..	0
Atthow, b. Barbour	..	0	Pardoe, b. Brown	..	2
Lawton c. Barbour b. McCulloch	34		Lindsay, b. Brown	..	2
Nothling, l.b.w., b. Barbour	97		George, c. Boyce, b. Brown	..	7
Boyce, c. Pardoe, b. Pettigrew	44		Hooper, c. and b. Toms	..	32
Toms, b. McCulloch	..	47	Fisher, b. Brown	..	0
Grenning, b. Barbour	..	10	Warry, b. Brown	..	0
Brown, b. McCulloch	..	0	Warren, b. Brown	..	16
Anderson, not out	..	8	Easton, not out	..	10
Sundries	..	34			
Total	..	391	Total	..	129
BOWLING.—Barbour, 4 for 93 ; Pettigrew, 3 for 96 ; McCulloch, 3 for 56.			BOWLING.—Brown, 8 for 56 ; Toms, 2 for 26.		

B.G.S. v. NUDGEE COLLEGE.

This was a grade match, played at Nudgee in sultry weather. A good deal of rain fell during the afternoon, spoiling the game.

We batted first, on a bumpy wicket, Biggs and Darvall setting a fine example, which, unfortunately, the rest of us were unable to follow, and we were all down for 115. Rain began to fall while Nudgee batted, but the innings was finished, the total being 65.

Atthow took 4 wickets for 14 runs, Charity 3 for 17, and Brown 2 for 32.

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Although our batting side this year seemed as strong, or stronger than the team usually is at the beginning of the year, we made but a poor show against South Brisbane—our first match. It was played on the Brisbane Cricket Ground, and South Brisbane, batting first, reached 119. Against the bowling of Allison and Fletcher we could make no show, and were all down for 16. In our second innings, we made 67, Atthow, Biggs and Toms getting double figures.

Against the University on the following Saturday, we were more successful, chiefly owing to the efforts of Mr. Connal (37) and Atthow (27). We succeeded in making 144, which, perhaps, might have been improved on, but for the fine bowling of Baxter, who took 8 wickets for 33. The 'Varsity made 74 when their turn came to bat, thus giving us a lead of 70 runs on the first innings, which proved very useful on the second Saturday, when we could only make 103, Grenning with 37 and Anderson with 33, not leaving much to the others. University replied with 143. Georgeson played a fine innings for 82 on a bad wicket. We thus won by 30 runs.

" OLD BOYS " MATCH.

The Old Boys' match came, as usual, at the end of February, and, as usual, the team was entertained at lunch by Mrs. Bousfield, and at dinner by the Old Boys themselves. The weather was fine for the first time for years, and we had a most enjoyable day. The Old Boys batted first on a sound wicket, and made 212. Mr. Evans was responsible for a solid 72, Mr. Hancock for 39, and Mr. K. B. Fraser for 42. J. W. Charity got the best of the bowling, taking 8 wickets at a cost of 90 runs. Our batting was quite up to the mark, and the total was 185 before we were all out. Atthow batted well, hitting hard, and he reached 51 before he was caught by Mr. Fraser off Brown. Lawton was responsible for 62, and Grenning made 20. Mr. Evans bowled well, taking 4 for 4; Brown getting four of the others, but after he had been hit for 62 runs.

B.G.S. I. v. B.G.S. II.

On 10th March, we were allotted to play our Second XI., who have had a most successful season, being previously unbeaten. We batted first on a good wicket, getting 124, Biggs 23, being top score. The Seconds could only make 79, of which McLaren made 27, and Hurwood 15. Nothling bowled very well, his 7 wickets for 37 being an excellent performance.

B.G.S. v. T.G.S.

This was an all-day match, played in Toowoomba, on March 30th, a fine day, with a fresh wind blowing from the south. Barbour won the toss from Lawton, and elected to bat on an excellent wicket, he and Kent being the opening batsmen. Atthow's first over was a maiden. Charity, bowling at the other end, was swinging from the leg, but the batsmen soon became perfectly at home, and the first wicket fell at 128, when Kent was caught off Nothling. Barbour scored a century before he was out l.b.w. to Charity, and the innings closed for 202. Nothling, with 3 for 53, getting the best bowling average. Our batting was not at all brilliant, Atthow making 26, and Toms with 14, being the chief contributors to a poor score of 107.

B.G.S. v. TOOWONG.

Against Toowong on the following Saturday, we were fortunate enough to get the best of things, making 172 in our first innings, chiefly due to the display of Atthow, who made 66. Toowong could get only 62, and in their second innings made 132, thus leaving us 22 to get to win outright. This we got without the loss of a wicket. Nothling bowled well, getting 5 for 18 and 3 for 56. Atthow taking 7 wickets all told at a cost of 66 runs.

B.G.S. v. THE ARMIDALE SCHOOL.

This was the last match of the season, and was played on the Turf, the weather being fine, the wicket excellent. Lawton, winning the toss from Hingst, decided to bat, and Millar and MacDonnell

opened to the bowling of Hingst and Cox. The batsmen played steadily, although boundaries were registered here and there. The first wicket fell at 42, when Millar was caught at point. MacDonnell followed, after an over had elapsed, and Lawton joined Atthow, who had replaced Millar. Atthow was by this time quite at home, and, after playing steadily for a while, the pair scored rapidly, Atthow reaching the century first, when Lawton was 99. Soon afterwards, adjournment was made for lunch. After lunch, scoring was steadier for a time, but soon became faster, and the innings closed at 430, Atthow's score being 206, and that of Lawton 171. Off one over, early in his innings, Atthow made 38, hitting 6 sixes and a two. Armidale School made 140, Counsell being chief contributor with 38 to his credit. We were thus left winners on the first innings. MacDonnell proved his worth as a bowler in this match, taking 5 wickets for the small sum of 8 runs.

Criticisms of the Team

ANDERSON, H. W.—A fair bat with strong drive; should watch the ball more closely, and learn to get well over one pitched on the off. Good in the field, and is a safe catch.

MILLAR, T. G.—A good opening batsman, with a sound defence; has a good scoring stroke to leg; foot-work improved; is a fair fieldsman, but should learn the knack of throwing in.

NOTHLING, O. E.—A good bat with sound strokes both to the off and leg, who scores well when he gets going. He should play more steadily to break bowlers, but has a clean drive for fast bowling well pitched up. Has done good work as a break bowler. Colours, 1917.

MACDONNELL, N. C.—Strong defensive bat, with good scoring strokes all round the wicket; has bowled well when required; smart field, and takes a catch well.

CHARITY, J. W.—Medium pace right-hand bowler; should use his pace more, as he bowls a ball which swings from the leg when bowling fast; when fielding should get in front of the ball; batting weak.

TOMS, N. E.—Has, perhaps, not done as much as was expected of him in the batting line, yet is a good left-hand bat, with sound strokes on the off; is very smart in the field, and throws in well; has bowled well at times.

BIGGS, J. E.—Sound bat, with good defensive strokes; has clean strokes on the leg, and a good off drive; is rather slow in the field, but is a good catch. Colours, 1916-17.

BOYCE, C. R.—Fair bat with a good drive; hits very hard, but is inclined to miss-hit a good ball; should be a bit smarter in running between wickets; when bowling, has a good break from the off; is good field and smart catch.

GRENNING, V.—Wicket-keeper of very good quality; is very smart behind the stumps, and has been responsible for a number of wickets; as a bat has proved useful, and has a very strong drive, besides strokes to leg. Colours, 1917.

ATTHOW, W.—A talented batsmen with good wristy strokes to the off; is perhaps too loose when he starts to hit out, but he has a very good eye; puts great power behind his strokes; as a bowler has had some good performances, being a medium-paced right-hand bowler; is a very good fieldsman. Colours, 1915-16-17.

LESLIE, W. S.—Fair left-hand bat, likely to make a score at any time; is a medium-paced right-hand bowler, who sends down good length balls, which keep low; a very serviceable field.

SECOND ELEVEN.

WINNERS OF "A" GRADE COMPETITION.

In the season just passed, the Seconds were very successful, as they won the Senior Competition, being defeated only once, and then by the School's First Eleven. The team put up some fine scores, and, generally, were rather keen. Due credit must be paid to Mr. McLaren and Mr. Evans, who gave us great assistance in our matches. In addition, Mr. McLaren was of very great assistance in coaching, and the boys wish to express their sincere appreciation of his efforts.

Of the School members, Millar, T. G., MacDonnell, Leslie, and Hurwood, were handy with the bat, whilst Leslie, Miller, W., and Hurwood, were the chief bowlers. Millar, T. G., made a very efficient wicket-keeper.

The following are the results of matches played:—

v. TOOWONG.—Won by 90 runs on the first innings. B.G.S. II., 257 (Mr. McLaren 103 retired C. C. Stewart 37 not out, A. Seaman 35, R. Colledge 25, C. MacDonnell 23), and 317 (T. G. Millar 70, Mr. McLaren 59, Seaman 48, MacDonnell 33, R. Colledge 39, C. C. Stewart 14). Toowong, 167 (Charity, 4 for 47).

v. SOUTH BRISBANE.—Won by 22 runs on first innings. B.G.S. II., 198 (MacDonnell 48, Seaman 31 not out, Millar 30, Mr. McLaren 19, Leslie 17). South Brisbane, 176 (Mr. Connal, 3 for 25; Hurwood, 2 for 23).

v. UNIVERSITY.—Drawn. B.G.S. II., 182 (Hurwood 70, Millar 27, Leslie 24). University, 6 for 108 (W. Miller, 2 for 15).

v. GOODNA.—Won by 54 runs on the first innings. B.G.S. II., 250 (Mr. McLaren 67, Mr. Evans 66, Leslie 55 not out, Millar 22, W. Lord 20), and 76 (Mr. Evans 21, Mr. McLaren 19, Millar 15). Goodna, 196 (Maddock 108 not out). Bowling for B.G.S. II., Mr. McLaren, 6 for 40; Leslie, 2 for 3.

v. B.G.S. I.—Lost by 45 runs on the first innings. B.G.S. II., 79 (Mr. McLaren 26, Hurwood 15). B.G.S. I., 124 (Mr. McLaren, 3 for 6; Leslie, 5 for 62).

THIRD ELEVEN.

In the first half of this season's cricket we had a very strong team, and had a good chance for the premiership. After the Christmas holidays we lost all but two of the former players, but managed to hold our own against the other teams, and secured third position in the Union. The following are the results of the second half of the season :—

NUDGE "B" *v.* GRAMMARS.—Won by latter on forfeit.

GREGORY TERRACE *v.* GRAMMARS.—Won by former by 67 runs.

NUDGE "A" *v.* GRAMMARS.—Won by latter on forfeit.

And in the last match of the season, which was against the Technical College, which was then the leading team, we won by 5 wickets and 15 runs.

FIFTH ELEVEN ("A" SCHOOL UNION).

We were runners-up in the School Union premiership this season. The following is a summary of matches played :—

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Won by 8 wickets (Graham, 4 for 5 ; Charity, 5 for 1).

v. GRAMMAR "D."—Won by an innings and 37 (Ward 50 not out, and 2 for 0 ; Munro, 2 for 1).

v. GRAMMAR "C."—Won by 134 runs (Charity 31, Munro, 4 for 0).

v. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS.—Lost by a protest (Cameron 22 ; Charity, 8 for 2).

v. NUDGE "B."—Won by 45 runs (Evans 20 and 21, Buhot 24, Campbell 27).

v. CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—Won by 111 runs (Evans 21 and 28, Robinson 41, Graham 29, Fraser 22, Green 26 not out ; Buhot, 6 for 6).

v. GRAMMAR "B."—Won by 9 wickets.

v. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS.—Won by 6 wickets.

v. GRAMMAR "C."—Won by an innings and 20 (Bennett 53 not out).

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Won by 10 wickets.

v. NUDGE "B."—Won by an innings and 37 (Evans 27, Alexander 10 for 7).

v. CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—Won by an innings and 28 (Graham 39 not out).

v. NUDGE "A."—Won by 11 runs (Alexander, 12 for 21).

v. GRAMMAR "B."—Won by forfeit.

v. NUDGE "A."—Lost by 14 runs (Battersby 22).

SEVENTH ELEVEN.

The Sevens have been very successful this year. The following is a summary of the matches played :—

v. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS.—Won by 12 runs.

v. GRAMMAR VIII.—Won by 4 wickets and 2 runs.

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Won by 7 wickets and 5 runs.

v. GRAMMAR V.—Lost by an innings and 20 runs.

v. NUDGE "A."—Lost by 40 runs (Henderson hat trick).

v. NUDGE "B."—Lost by 1 run.

v. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS.—Won by an innings and 32 runs (Merson 8 for 2 ; Bateman 26, Wagner 20, Cameron, 12 not out).

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Lost by 4 runs.

SCHOOL GRADE, "B" TEAM.

The following is a summary of the matches played :—

v. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS.—Won by 42 runs (Jones 14 ; Ralph, 12 for 14 runs).

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Won by 25 runs on first innings (Ralph 31 not out, and 7 for 12 ; Hamilton 11).

v. CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMARS.—Won by 63 runs (Bartholomew 21 ; Jodrell, 8 for 8 ; Ralph, 9 for 9).

v. GRAMMAR "A."—Lost by an innings and 27 runs.

v. GRAMMAR "D."—Won by 2 runs (Hamilton 22).

v. NUDGE "B."—Lost by 1 run.

v. NUDGE "A."—Lost by 9 wickets.

Football Notes

(By the Captain).

Gloriously though the cricket season ended for us, even more glorious was the opening match of the winter game. At last we have been rewarded for our labours on the practice field, and have brought back the colours, so often wrested from us by Nudgee College. For a good many years we have suffered defeat, although Hammond's team of 1915 played a close game, 6 to 3, and last year we were beaten, once 3 to nil, and drew once 3 all.

This year, chiefly owing to the good combination displayed in the back division, we were successful to the extent of 20 to nil, the game, however, being hard fought throughout.

Although the season held out fair prospects to us, with eight of last year's team back, our combination was, unfortunately, marred right at the outset, by an outbreak of mumps. Both our halves were taken on the eve of our first practice, Anderson and Middleton being at present in bed, both of whom are very much missed.

Grenning is our mainstay among the tusslers in the pack, being a hard worker, and showing unusual pace for one of such heavy build. He has many times been responsible for starting a good passing rush, and the other forwards would do well to follow his good example in this respect. Leslie, Bennett, and Boyce, others among last year's pack, give promise of good work ; while among the freshers are Millar, Julius, Nielson and Middleton.

Among the backs, we have some likely talent, the three-quarters being fast. Nothling, at full, has already proved himself worth his inclusion in the team, and Wilson, who has recovered from the mumps, will play his first game on Saturday.

Accounts of matches (by Mr. Connal) :—

B.G.S. v. NUDGEES COLLEGE.

On Saturday, April 29th, we invaded Nudgee with four teams, — 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th. The 1st and 2nd teams both won, but in the 3rd and 4th grades we were beaten.

The inter-school match proved the strength of our back division, and although J. L. Wilson was absent through illness, Anderson was brought in from the wing to out-centre, and great praise is due to him for the creditable performance he gave, in a strange position.

Lawton, winning the toss, attacked from the Sandgate end. From a ruck soon after the start, our backs secured, and Lawton, with a characteristic cut in, beat the opposition, and scored. Stewart's kick at goal failed, leaving the score—B.G.S., 3 ; Nudgee, 0. Shortly after this, Grenning secured from the ruck, and, bustling over, scored. Nudgee had bad luck in this half, and once a half-back seemed in a certain position to score, after a clever blind-side move, but the whistle blew, and we cleared our line by good kicking. Half-time came with the scores unaltered. Commencing again with the wind in our favour, we soon attacked hotly, and Clarkson, fed by Anderson, ran hard and straight, and scored three good tries ; and Bennett, who had hustled and followed hard, also scored. Stewart converted one of Clarkson's tries, and when the whistle blew we were 20 to Nudgee's nil.

The backs gave a very good display, their passing being neat and crisp, and they showed remarkable pace. Lawton has improved in pace and physique, but most noticeably in strategy. Clarkson is an excellent wing, as he gathers pace quickly, and seems to run much harder than last year. Stewart is not as brilliant at centre as he was at full-back last year, but shows great promise. The backs kicked with rare judgment, and the only comment to be made on their play in this match was that, occasionally a back would run across the field when he could have more advantageously worked in, and passed.

SECOND FIFTEEN.

We opened the 1917 season on April 28th, playing Nudgee College at Nudgee. In this match we were successful, beating our opponents by 6 to nil. The second match we played was against Ipswich at the Turf. The visitors were successful, the final scores being 21—6.

THIRD FIFTEEN.

So far this season we have played two matches. The first being against Nudgee College, which was played at Nudgee, in which we were defeated by 18 to 3. In the second match we played, we were more successful, making a draw with the Ipswich Second's, the score being nil all.

Senior Cadet Notes.

"Where's it always double drill and no canteen."—*Kipling.*

At the end of last year, drill was suspended for a quarter, and as a result we are now doing overtime in the matter of drills. The strength of the company has been greatly diminished by so many boys leaving the School at Christmas.

Among those who have severed their connection with the School Cadets are 2nd-Lieutenant T. Hein, to whom we offer our congratulations on his success in winning the second place in Australia in the competition for entrance to the Military College, 2nd-Lieutenants A. E. Mason, H. Gasteen, who are attending the Queensland University; 2nd-Lieutenant W. E. Darvall, who is engaged in engineering work; C.S.M. H. Park, who is a student at the Agricultural College; C.Q.M.S. W. E. Houston, who has joined the staff of a Brisbane bank; and also Sergeants Oelrichs, Day, Bevington, and Corporal P. Suess, the senior N.C.O. of the Band.

Soon after the resumption of drill, an examination of N.C.O.'s for promotion took place, and we here congratulate the successful candidates,—C.S.M. H. Harris, C.Q.M.S. N. Toms, and C.Q.M.S. F. S. Marshall, and Sergeant V. C. Clarkson. On February 23rd and March 23rd, the 1899 and 1900 quotas travelled to Redbank to shoot their course. On the second day Mr. Fisher and the S.S.M. acted as markers, as the professional men did not turn up. The shooting also consisted of the competition for Colonel Hopkins' Cup, which has not been competed for, for some years. The result of the competition ended in a draw between Sergeants Grenning and Boyce, with a score of 76. A squad of 15 or 16 is also practising during drill time, in order to choose a team to represent the School in a miniature rifle shooting match with the whole Empire. The teams consists of 8 aside, and it behoves the members of the team to keep up the fine reputation the School has won in the past for its rifle shots.

ANZAC DAY (APRIL 25th).

By far the most impressive military ceremony of the year was the proceedings on Anzac Day. The whole School, consisting of Masters, Senior Cadets, Junior Cadets, and non-trainees assembled on the tennis courts to salute the flag, and listen to an address by the Headmaster.

Captain Bousfield, in a stirring speech, reminded the boys of the glorious achievement of the Australians in capturing a position considered impregnable by the enemy. He said that they had set an exceedingly high standard of courage and valour which would be jealously guarded by succeeding generations of Australians. After he had made these remarks, the whole School stood to attention and saluted the flag. After this the Last Post was sounded, and

thus ended the most solemn and impressive ceremony the School has performed in honour of the glory and undying fame of the Australian soldiers, many of whom were Old Boys of the School, and some of whom have given their lives for King and Country

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE FOR MILITARY COLLEGE.



T. HEIN.

T. Hein entered the School in 1912 as a State Scholar. He has passed the Junior and Senior Public Examinations and won an Extension Scholarship during his school career. He has taken a great interest in Cricket and Tennis and was a member of the First Team in each of these sports. As a Cadet he has always shown the utmost enthusiasm in his work and has gradually risen through the various ranks to the position of Second Lieutenant.

Rowing Notes.

(A.A.B.)

Owing to want of space, the following notes were unavoidably held over from last Magazine.

On Friday, 10th November, the following crew left for Southport,—(st.) W. Wilson (3) A. Baynes (2) C. Boyce (bow) H. Park (cox) J. Hoare. They rowed against Southport in three races, losing the Heavy Fours, winning the first Light Fours, but losing the second Light Fours, a very fair performance, in view of the fact that the boats used were of a very different type from our own. A most enjoyable time was spent there, and the crew is indebted to the masters and boys of the High School for their great kindness, for they were untiring in their efforts to entertain us. Mrs. Dixon's name must not be omitted in this respect, for she saw that nothing was overlooked.

Our Rowing Club held a Regatta on Monday and Tuesday, the 13th and 14th November last. The programme was made up of Trial Fours and a Pairs Handicap race.

The officials were as follows :—Judge, Mr. Bousfield ; Starters, Messrs. Allen, Fisher and Swynny ; Despatch Steward, Mr. Pennycuick. The races started in the afternoon of each day. The first of which was a heat for the School Trial Fours. All races being rowed down stream, with a westerly wind blowing ; the water was a little choppy, but the pace fast.

In the first race, crews stroked by T. Millar and A. Baynes contested. Millar's crew was entirely composed of boarders. The crews got away to an even start, neither crew having an advantage as far as positions were concerned, but Baynes had the better rigged boat of the two. Baynes' crew soon showed out in the lead, rowing a much faster stroke than Millar, and before half the course had been covered, had a commanding lead. The finish saw Baynes' crew win by a clear length and a quarter.

The second heat for the above race was contested by crews stroked by A. Axon and A. Stewart. Both got away to an even start, neither crew having an advantage until the greater part of the course had been covered. Here Stewart showed to have a slight lead, and when nearing the finish he called for a "dozen," but No. "3" not hearing the command, failed to respond, and so caused the swing to be lost. Axon took advantage of this, and at once quickened up, and held a slight lead, finally finishing by a bare "canvas." This was the closest race of the afternoon, the issue being doubtful until a few yards from the line.

After Axon's crew had rested, he and Baynes faced the starter for the final. Baynes won the toss for boats, and thus had a slight advantage. The crews got away to a good start. For the

first dozen strokes Axon had an advantage, but the long stroke and faster rating soon put Baynes in the lead, and by the time the $\frac{1}{4}$ way mark was reached, Baynes had a good length's lead, and the issue from then on was never in doubt, for at half-way Baynes had increased his lead to two lengths, and by the time the whistle sounded he had won the race by three lengths. The winning crew comprised :—(st.) A. Baynes (3) H. Park (2) W. Wiley (bow) H. Hancox (cox) J. Hoare.

On the morning of the race, the crews in the first heat found that one man of each would be unable to row, and thus there was much argument about who should fill the places. It resulted in Lawton taking the place of Shaw in the Boarders' crew, and Park filling the place of Geaney, who had sprained his ankle previous to the race. Both Lawton and Park were members of the School crew, and it was only by the consent of the other strokes that they were given seats.

After the Fours had been rowed, the heats for the Pairs were started, and some good races resulted. The finals of the Pairs were left over to Tuesday, also the two semi-finals.

It is to be regretted that only two boats were available for these races.

A most enjoyable afternoon's sport was witnessed, and from the number of spectators, considerable interest was aroused. It is to be hoped that such will continue in the future.

Following is the results of the Pairs :—

FIRST HEAT.—Avery and Strachan won from Lawton and Speering.

SECOND HEAT.—Millar and Lord won from Stewart and Cribb, J. B.

THIRD HEAT.—Grenning and Park won from Wilson and Baynes.

FOURTH HEAT.—Jones and Cribb, J. G. won from Axon and Marshall.

FIFTH HEAT.—Hancox and Leitch—bye.

FIRST SEMI-FINAL.—Jones and Cribb, J. G. won from Avery and Strachan.

SECOND SEMI-FINAL.—Grenning and Park won from Hancox and Leitch.

THIRD SEMI-FINAL.—Millar and Lord won from Jones and Cribb.

FINAL.—Millar and Lord won from Grenning and Park.

This year's rowing started off badly, for the School Club found it necessary to shift its quarters. There is no need to explain here the reason of the change. It eventuated in our being housed temporarily at the C.R.C. Shed ; but it is gratifying to know that ere long we will have our own Shed, for which, I understand, tenders have been called. So far, we have been doing very well at our present quarters, the membership having increased on last year's number, the limit having been reached, thus proving that the younger boys are evincing a keen interest in the healthy outdoor sport. The Rowing Masters are coaching in this direction, and assisting greatly.

For this year's All Schools' Race, six were chosen, the final selection being,—A. K. Stewart (st.), A. A. Baynes (3), T. Lawton (2), C. R. Boyce (bow), J. Hoare (cox).

Rowing is indulged in daily, and thanks to the instruction imparted by our coach, Mr. Colclough, marked improvement is shown. As the race will be rowed on June 22nd, we have nearly four weeks ahead of us, and we intend getting into the light boat almost at once.

It is pleasing to note that the two emergencies, T. Miller and F. Marshall, are keeping themselves fit and well, in case of necessity.

Tennis Notes

(By H.N.W.)

The Tennis season has once more come round. Twenty boys gave in their names to play with the first, second and third teams this year.

Last year's annual tournament was a big affair (comprising six events) which were carried out successfully. The following are the winners of the different events:—

SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.—H. N. Wilson, 1; V. Clarkson, 2.

SINGLES HANDICAP.—H. N. Wilson, 1; V. Clarkson, 2.

DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP.—H. N. Wilson-D'Arcy Cameron, 1; T. Lawton-T. Millar, 2.

DOUBLES HANDICAP.—H. N. Wilson-D'Arcy Cameron, 1; R. Maxwell-Houston, 2.

LOWER SCHOOL SINGLES HANDICAP.—Henderson, 1; Short, 2.

LOWER SCHOOL DOUBLES HANDICAP.—Bell-Harrison, 1; Speering-Lord, 2.

We practise on Tuesdays and Thursdays on the new courts at Frew Park.

The Q.L.T.A. fixtures began on April 21st. This season, the First team will play in A1 Grade again, and the Second and Third teams in A2 Grade. Our first match was against Carlton, and we won by a small margin of four games. Our second match was against the University, and we were just beaten by eight games. Wilson is the only one of last year's team left, so that, being a new team, they should not be disheartened if they do not meet with success throughout the season. The following players comprise this year's First team:—N. Geaney, F. S. Marshall, R. A. Maxwell and H. N. Wilson.

On Foundation Day, 28th February, we played the Old Boys, and we concluded in a draw. The following are the scores:—

1. Fowles-Jessup v. Wilson-Marshall, 6—2, 6—5.

0. Lukin-Wilson v. Maxwell-Geaney, 6—5, 1—6, 3—6.

1. Oxley-Moon v. Lee-Clarkson, 3—6, 6—3, 6—3.

1. Lukin-Wilson v. Wilson-Marshall, 6—2, 6—5.

1. Fowles-Jessup v. Lee-Clarkson, 6—1, 6—2.

0. Oxley-Moon v. Geaney-Maxwell, 3—6, 3—6.

0. Lukin-Wilson v. Lee-Clarkson, 3—6, 3—6.

Fowles-Jessup v. Maxwell-Geaney, 6—0, 5—6.

0. Oxley-Moon v. Wilson-Marshall, 2—6, 4—6.

Present:—4 rubbers, 10 sets, 88 games.

Old, 4 rubbers, 10 sets, 90 games.

SECOND TENNIS TEAM.

We have not been very successful so far this season, owing to the illness of three of our members. The following is a list of the matches we have played :—

B.G.S. II. *v.* UNIVERSITY II.—Lost by 29 games.

B.G.S. II. *v.* B.G.S. III.—Won by 1 game.

THIRD TENNIS TEAM.

Although we have not, so far, been very successful this season, still we have certainly not been outclassed. Against the Seconds, we acquitted ourselves well, being defeated by only one game. Next time we hope to turn the tables on them. We have played the following matches :—

v. ITHACA III.—Lost 42—30.

v. B.G.S. II.—Lost 34—33.

Swimming Notes

On March 9th, our Annual Swimming Sports were held in the Spring Hill Baths, and, as on previous occasions since the outbreak of the war, all prizes were given up by the boys, and the entry fees and money received for admission to the baths, went into patriotic channels.

This year, the Old Boys' Cup was given for the highest number of points gained in the four championship events. This was won by Lawton, with Stewart, who won the medal for the Wilson and Chapman Memorial Race, second.

The Open Championship, 50 yards, proved a close and exciting race, Lawton winning from Stewart by a touch; the Back and Breast Championship being won by Stewart, with Lawton second. The 440 Yards Championship brought to light new talent in W. J. White, who won from Lawton, with Charity third, in 7 minutes 7 seconds. White swam third also in the 100 Yards Championship, which was won by Lawton, with Stewart second.

The Junior Championship, under sixteen years, was won by Lamb, who was hard pressed by Valley.

The detailed results were :—

NOVICE RACE (two lengths).—First heat : Wilson, 1 ; Lee, 2 ; Toms, 3. Second heat : Middleton, 1 ; Valley, 2 ; Leslie, 3. Third heat : White, 1 ; Nothling, 2 ; Geaney, 3. Final : W. J. White, 1 ; Wilson, J. L., 2. Time: 31 1/5 secs.

UNDER 14 CHAMPIONSHIP (one length).—First heat : South, 1 ; Nicklin, 2. Second heat : Stobo, 1 ; Smith, 2. Final : Stobo, 1 ; South, 2 ; Smith, 3. Time, 18 secs.

UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIP (two lengths).—Lamb, 1 ; Valley, 2. Time, 34 1/5 secs.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP, 50 Yards.—Lawton, 1 ; Stewart, 2. Time, 29 2/5 secs.

NEAT HEADER.—H. D. Price, 1; Barry, 2.

SCHOOL HANDICAP (4 lengths).—White (16 secs.), 1; Bell (4 secs.), 2. Time, 2.10 $\frac{3}{5}$.

FOURTH FORM HANDICAP (2 lengths).—First heat: Lamb (9 sec.), 1; Fletcher (6 sec.), 2. Second heat: Archdall, 1; Middleton, 2. Third heat: Walsh, 1; Wilson, 2. Final: H. J. Walsh (4 sec.), 1; W. J. White, 2. Time, 39 $\frac{3}{5}$ secs.

UNDER 15 HANDICAP (2 lengths).—First heat: Burns, 1; Cock, 2. Second heat: Collins, 1; Baxter, 2. Third heat: Hargraves, 1; Hunter, 2. Final: Collins, 1; Cock, 2.

BREAST AND BACK STROKE CHAMPIONSHIP.—Stewart, C. C., 1; Lawton, 2. Time, 42 sec.

LOWER SCHOOL AND UNDER 14 HANDICAP.—First heat: Collins, 1; Moon, 2. Second heat: Andrews, 1; Hawkins, 2. Final: Collins, 1; Andrews, 2. Time, 19 $\frac{2}{5}$ sec.

OBSTACLE RACE.—Rhodes, 1; Burns, 2; Cribb, J. B., 3.

SIXTH AND FIFTH FORMS HANDICAP (2 lengths).—First heat: Lawton, 1; Valley, 2. Second heat: Toms, 1; Baynes, 2. Third heat: Stewart, 1; Atthow and Roberts, 2. Final: Stewart, C. C. (9 sec.), 1; Lawton (10 sec.), 2.

JUNIOR CADETS RELAY RACE.—Love, Keen, Stobo and South, 1; Bennett, Crouch, Hawkins and Gole, 2.

BREAST AND BACK STROKE HANDICAP (Under 16).—First heat: Drake, 1; A. C. Stewart, 2. Second heat: Valley, 1; Barry, 2. Final: Hunter, 1; Valley and Drake, 2.

OLD BOYS' HANDICAP.—Knight, 1; Linton, 2.

BREAST AND BACK HANDICAP.—Boyce (8 sec.), 1; Stewart (10 sec.), 2.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP, 100 Yards.—Lawton, 1; Stewart, C. C., 2.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP, 440 Yards.—White, W. J., 1; Lawton, 2; Charity, 3.

B.G.S. v. TOOWOOMBA.

On March 19th, the School swimming team left for Toowoomba, to compete against the Toowoomba Grammar School. The carnival was held in the Municipal Baths, the water being very cold.

The results were:—

BACK RACE, 25 Yards.—C. R. Boyce (B.G.S.), 1; Bailey (T.G.S.), 2.

50 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.—Lawton (B.G.S.), 1; Stewart (B.G.S.), 2. Time, 28 $\frac{2}{5}$ sec.

100 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.—Lawton (B.G.S.), 1; Stewart (B.G.S.), 2. Time, 63 sec.

200 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.—White (B.G.S.), 1; Crowther (T.G.S.), 2.

RELAY RACE.—B.G.S. (Stewart, Wilson, J. L., White and Lawton), 1; T.G.S., 2.

The Secondary Schools' Amateur Swimming Association's Annual Championship Carnival was held in the Spring Hill Baths, on Friday night, March 23rd. The competitions were keen, and resulted in a tie between us and Christian Brothers. We won all the open championship events, except the neat header. The Back and Breast Stroke Championship was won by Stewart, the 440 Yards by White, and the 50 and 100 Yards Championships were won by Lawton. Gregory Terrace, the Christian Brothers School, won many of the Junior events, however, and tied with us for first place, with Nudgee College third.

Colours have been awarded to Stewart and White, first representatives in the Back and Breast Race, and in the Quarter-mile Race respectively.

GYMNASTIC SQUAD.



A. A. Linton, D. Cameron, H. E. Elmes, Mr. Eetts (Instructor) H. Hancox, C. W. Williams, A. E. Axon.
(In front) H. Price.

Winners in Secondary School Gymnastic Competition.

Junior Cadets

The Junior Cadets commenced training this year under the instruction of Mr. Dovey and Mr. Allan. Their numbers were in excess of those of the previous year, being about 200. They were divided into eight sections, and soon a life-saving squad of 47 boys began instruction under Mr. Betts on Mondays and Thursdays.

After a while, the Cadets were enabled to have swimming, and on Wednesday mornings, from 9 o'clock to 10, they went down to the Arthur Street Baths. On that occasion, life-saving was practised in the water, under Mr. Connal and Mr. Betts.

On the whole, the training of the Cadets proved good, for they satisfied the inspector when he came on 16th April. Also, in the life-saving squad, 45 out of 47 gained certificates.

During the year, life-saving classes have been held regularly, and the following boys have been successful at the Examination of the Royal Life Saving Society :—

FOR ELEMENTARY AND PROFICIENCY CERTIFICATES.

Ross, D.	Bolland	Gurney	Stobo
Ross, M.	Love, H.	Hawkins	South
Nicklin	Johns	Gole	Smith, P. S.
Peden	Keen	Adams	Lavery
Fison			

FOR ELEMENTARY CERTIFICATE.

Robinson, R. B.	Smiles	Wegner	Osborne
Brown, A. M.	Noble	White, St. G.	Macpherson D.T.
Crouch, H. R.	Carson	Bennett	Applegate
Laughton	Macgregor	Anderson	Old

ALSO B. Burns, PROFICIENCY CERTIFICATE.

TOTAL 18 Proficiency Certificates.

16 Elementary Certificates.

House Notes

(A.G.M.)

Many new faces may be seen at the School House this year, and the places of those who left us at the end of the year have been practically filled by new boys.

Mr. Palmer and Mr. Jacobs, our two Housemasters, both left us. The former has taken up a position at the Armidale School. The latter has enlisted, and we all wish him the best of luck, and a safe return.

Brown, one of the most successful sports last year, has left us, to go westward, and we hear that he is getting on very well

on a station near Richmond. Stan. Lord has also taken up station life, and we wish him every success in his new occupation.

We were sorry to lose Speering, Shaw and Seaman, whom we expected back to further add to their previous successes. Unexpected, but welcome, re-appearances this year were those of Anderson, Wilson and Nothling—the latter having tried unsuccessfully to be a day-boy for a few weeks.

There were five members of the House in the First XI., and we all most heartily congratulate Atthow and Lawton on their fine exhibitions of batting against the Armidale School. Unfortunately, there were not enough cricketers among the Juniors, to continue the Grammar House team, but we hope that there will be a great improvement next season, as there was some nice form shown in School Grade matches during the season. We further wish to congratulate Nothling on gaining his cricket colours.

We were sorry to lose Atthow after the cricket season, and hope to see him return later on in the year.

With rowing we are still well connected. Lawton and Hoare have retained their old positions in the School Crew; and Boyce, who has secured bow's seat, has come to the House. There are prominent members of the Rowing Club in the House, and we hope to put out a Boarders' Crew shortly.

Lawton yet comes in for more praise, this time for his splendid win in the Swimming Championship. The Cup, connected with this, has now, thanks to his fine efforts, returned once more to the House.

With the opening of the Football season, there are seven members of the House in the First XV., and the spirit is running high among the new boys, some of whom have never before known the joys of the game.

During the Easter holidays, those who remained in the House were taken care of by Mrs. Bousfield, and they here take the opportunity of thanking her most heartily for her keen interest in their pleasure.

Old Boys' Association

Whatever our fears may have been as to the success or otherwise of our annual gathering on Foundation Day, the event itself proved once again that the old Association is still not only very much alive, but showing healthy signs of vigorous growth. The response to our circulars was very satisfactory, and the day's programme was carried out with the usual hearty loyalty and enthusiasm.

The sporting side of the celebration was quite up to past traditions, as regards both the cricket and the tennis, and are given in detail on another page. We take this opportunity, however,

of expressing the thanks of the Association to Messrs. A. D. Graham, S. D. Tozer, and R. S. Irvine, for the able and effective assistance given by them, in helping the organisation of the games.

Owing to the strenuous nature of the times we are passing through, it was not thought advisable to publicly advertise the celebration, and, therefore, anything like a large attendance of visitors was not expected nor realised. Another concession to the "times we live in" was the fact that play did not start until after lunch, so as to enable those of our busy members, whose professional burdens have been increased by the absence in camps or at the front, of partners, etc., to attend. In consequence of this arrangement, the luncheon, usually so kindly given by the Headmaster and Mrs. Bousfield to the players, did not take place. On the other hand, the afternoon tea on the Oval was patronised with much gusto, especially by the more juvenile members of the School.

The evening celebration was quite up to the standard set by previous years, the dinner and social being attended by over 100 members and players. Apologies for absence were received from several members, including our founders, Mr. R. H. Roe and Mr. T. E. Jones, who were prevented, by indisposition, from attending, also from His Honour Mr. Justice Lukin, Messrs. J. J. Walsh, G. B. Forrest, H. G. Oxley, G. S. Crouch, S. W. Tozer, W. L. Nicklin, J. S. Wood, G. Down, R. J. Weightman, A. L. Leslie, W. Briggs, A. I. M. Fraser, C. M. Longbottom, A. E. Ogg, R. Compton, A. Eckersley, C. A. Mutch, E. B. Louttit, D. Sword, H. H. Wilson, A. E. Smith, J. Larwill, L. G. Lukin, F. W. Lukin, and others.

Among those who were present at the Dinner were the President (Mr. E. R. Crouch), Mr. Bousfield, Messrs. Stephenson, Mason, W. M. Favington, R. H. Brown, H. V. Byth, S. Castlehow, N. S. Connall, J. V. Cox, W. E. Darvall, J. W. Anderson, T. Buckle, H. Cook, W. R. Dovey, Capt. Dundas, W. T. Evans, K. B. Fraser, M. Geaney, A. D. Graham, C. S. Graham, W. E. Graham, C. B. Fox, R. G. Hamilton, W. H. Hart, M. Hertzberg, F. J. Heussler, J. Heussler, F. Holland, R. Hancock, A. V. James, V. Jessup, R. S. Irvine, R. M. King, C. B. Moon, P. Newman-Wilson, E. G. Oxley, W. R. Parker, J. G. Nowlan, C. A. Powell, D. Pring Roberts, T. C. Troedson, E. K. Tully, G. Waugh, A. D. Walsh, A. R. Webb, K. J. G. Wilson, B. Wright, J. R. Loney, E. M. Trower, W. H. Moore, A. D. Stewart, A. S. Patterson, F. W. Peterson, and others, including the players representing the School at cricket and tennis.

When the festive board, so artistically and substantially provided under the auspices of Mrs. Harold Nicholson, had been done ample justice to, the President, rising, proposed "The King," and after this had been duly honoured, proceeded to declare the

assembly a duly constituted meeting of the Association. Whereupon several Old Boys were proposed for election, and unanimously admitted to membership.

Mr. Pring Roberts then proposed "The School," saying that he had been present at the foundation of the old School by the Duke of Edinburgh. The 28th of February was the one day of his life. He had watched the School progress enormously—in numbers, buildings, and masters!! (Applause). The old School deserved all the praise and regard of the Old Boys. It was the best institution of its kind in the State, thanks to the work of the Executive and the Masters. What could be more creditable than the Honour Board with its 721 names? Continuing, he mentioned that they should soon be celebrating the Jubilee of the School, and expressed the hope that all might be present to congratulate their heroes on the successful termination of the great war. He concluded by remarking that the sentiments of all Old Boys were expressed by those words,—“Be loyal to your King, your country, your home, and your School.”

In reply, Mr. Bousfield thanked all Old Boys present for their continued interest in the School, which, he was glad to say, had been worthy of that interest. Thanks to the backing of a loyal and capable staff, they had reason to be proud of their achievements during the year, both in scholarship and sport. The School had won 7 University Scholarships—the blue ribbon of our School life. (Applause). Yet he was not happy. He had an infant in his charge which he wished to have adopted. (Laughter). He referred to the Boat Club. The nurse had turned dog, and the infant is homeless—except for the kindly offices of a friendly club. They wanted £250, and he should be glad for any suggestions as to raising it. He concluded by thanking them once more on behalf of staff and himself, and expressed the hope that he might have no less reason to do so next year. (Applause.)

After the conclusion of the Headmaster's speech, Mr. C. A. Powell contributed a song with his usual verve and élan, and received a well-merited applause.

The second toast given, standing and in silence, was "The Memory of the Fallen."

Mr. C. B. Fox then proposed "Old Boys at the Front," and said that he yielded to none in admiration of them, and yet any words of his were inadequate to express it. He mentioned that he had a personal interest in those at the seat of war, and went on to say that those who were the first to go could not realise the awfulness of war. Sentiment had urged them to go, and it was the same impulse with those who went after, with a full knowledge of the hardships before them. It was the highest honour to be deemed worthy to fight in ranks with such men as the Old Boys of the Brisbane Grammar School. He went on to say that they

were trying to do something for them—to establish a more enduring memorial,—which idea must appeal to all. Out of this war would arise an Australian nation—a truer and greater British Empire. Honour boards have ennobled Australia. In conclusion, he paid a tribute to General Birdwood, to whom every true Australian was proud to take off his hat. (Applause.)

Mr. A. D. Graham, in responding, said that if he were a soldier, he might have told wonderful feats of arms. But he should also say that he had seen nothing more cheering than old men and young men alike falsifying their ages to serve their country—lying like Gentlemen. He would tell them, too, of the endurance of the women—the true heroism of the war. He could describe fine countries, but none so fair as our own land. He went on to say that when the boys came home, their influence would be felt in the Government of the Country, and one might be sure that they would give a fair deal. One thing was certain: in the doubtful history of Australia *their* place was fixed. The speaker concluded with the following appropriate verse:—

They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old,
Age shall not wear them nor the years condemn;
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We shall remember them.
As the stars that shall be bright when we are dust,
Moving in marches upon the heavenly plain;
As the stars that are starry in the time of our darkness,
To the end, to the end they remain.

After Mr. R. Hancock had been applauded for his recitation of "Gunga Din," and had given a humorous "recall," the President introduced an honoured guest in the person of Mr. Keogh, one of the first three masters of the original School, now Supreme Court Librarian.

Mr. Keogh, in a brief speech, proposed "The Old Boys' Association," in which he paid an eloquent tribute to the doings of the Old Boys at the Front, and appealed to all Old Boys to do their utmost to support the Old Boys' Association, and make it a live institution.

Mr. E. R. Crouch (President), in his reply, said he was sorry that Mr. Kehoe had not "reminisced." Mr. Kehoe was the one surviving master of the Brisbane Grammar School opened in February, 1869. The Jubilee would take place next year, because the Duke of Edinburgh laid the foundation stone of the School in 1868. Mr. Crouch gave some very interesting particulars of the early days of the School, and went on to say that the Old Boys' Association had been in recess since 1914, except for the celebration of Foundation Day, and if peace were not declared before the Jubilee, he hoped to see the celebration postponed until such time as the Boys at the Front should be able to take part.

The speaker congratulated the winners of the various Old Boys' prizes presented during the year, and went on to speak of the progress made in connection with the War Memorial, which had been suggested on Foundation Day, 1916. Excellent work had been done, and he appealed for further support.

He eulogised the work of the Masters, especially that of Messrs. Stephenson and Nowlan, who were links between the School and the Old Boys' Association.

After giving an account of the doings of some previous Old Boys' Association or Unions, the Chairman concluded by presenting Grenning with the Old Boys' Association Essay Prize, the subject of which was, "The Rights and Duties of a Citizen in a Free State."

Mr. Connal then gave some witty recitations, and Mr. Evans proposed the health of "School Teams," the Cricket and Tennis Captains, Lawton and Wilson, replying suitably to the toast.

Mr. Powell then gave another song, and Mr. King proposed the health of "George," in a happy speech, in which he recalled many escapades of his School days.

George, to the delight of all, responded with a song, and in his usual inimitable style persuaded the company to join in the chorus.

A very pleasant and successful evening was closed with "Auld Lang Syne," followed by "God Save the King."

It is pleasant to be able to record that the Foundation Day function was also, financially, an improvement on last year. We always expect to show a certain amount of loss, but this year's debit balance was very much smaller than last year's.

We have to acknowledge contributions from the following towards the Costin Memorial Fund, which, as members know, is to provide an Annual Medal for the Best Rifle Shot in the School:—His Honour Mr. Justice Lukin, Messrs. Bousfield, Reimers, Holland, E. G. Oxley, H. G. Oxley, Parker, Caine, Powell, King, Stephenson, Bond, J. J. Walsh, E. R. Crouch, A. McNab, Morrow, C. T. Wood, Heussler, Thwaites, Jessup, T. L. Jones, Cooling, Troedson, P. M. Forrest, C. B. Fox, Canny, Ogg, Dr. Carvosso, Gunn, Lethem. We have received promises from others, but they are still "promises," and no doubt will solidify into £ s. d. in due course. The balance to the credit of the Fund is now somewhat over £20, which is as yet insufficient to meet requirements. Further contributions will be duly acknowledged and appreciated. There is no upper or lower limit; every little counts.

Members will note the alterations in connection with the issue of the Magazine, which the management have felt constrained to introduce, owing to the growing cost of printing and issuing. It will, consequently, be increasingly difficult, not to say, impossible, to continue issuing copies to members who are very much in arrears with their annual subscriptions.

Old Boys who are entitled to receive the Magazine, and do not get it, should notify the Hon. Secretary as early as possible, for we are inclined to think that not a few, though duly posted, fail to reach addresses.

E. A. Feldt has recently left our shores to join the fleet in the North Sea. He is the first contribution from the Naval College, and has been attached to H.M.S. Canada. Messrs. Macdonald and Spencer also recently paid the writer a flying visit, while he was hosing down—not the decks—but the flower-beds. If they are as “smart” in their naval work as they look in their uniforms, they will do very well. They tell me that the B.G.S. has made quite a name for itself as a “feeder” of the Naval College.

The roll of membership has been increased by well over a score of new names this year already, and the Hon. Secretary “has his eye on” some more who have not yet “toed the line.”

Several more Old Boys who have joined the ranks of the A.I.F., came to bid farewell, but their names appear elsewhere. We wish them good luck and a safe return.

Marriages.

1917.

January 22nd.—Dr. A. S. Roe, to Miss Emily Haymen.

March 7th.—Corporal R. F. Philp, A.I.F., to Miss Marjorie Ferrier.

Births.

April 30th.—To Dr. and Mrs. B. G. Wilson—a son.



May 18th.—To Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Leslie—a daughter.

May 11th.—To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thwaites—a son.





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