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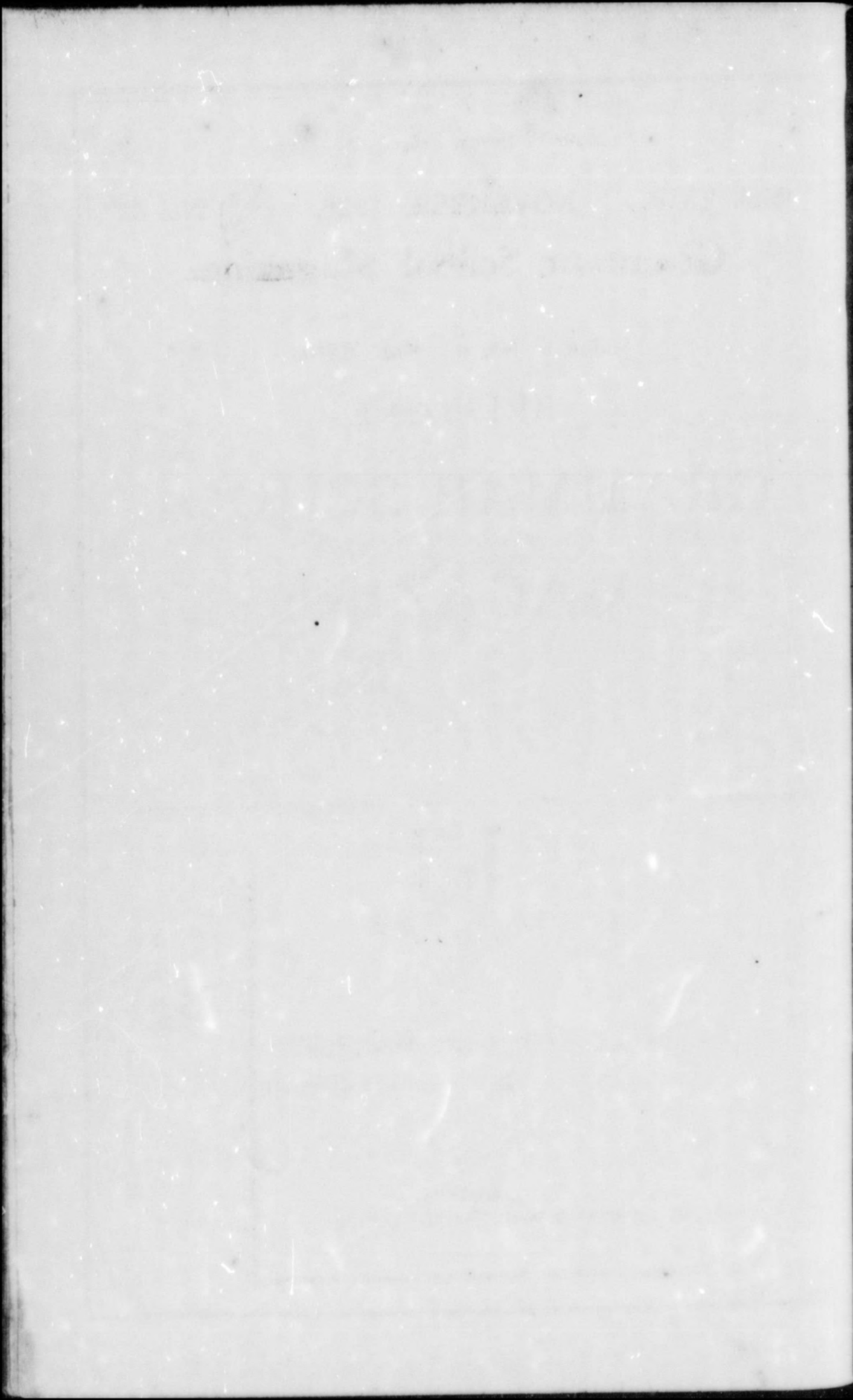
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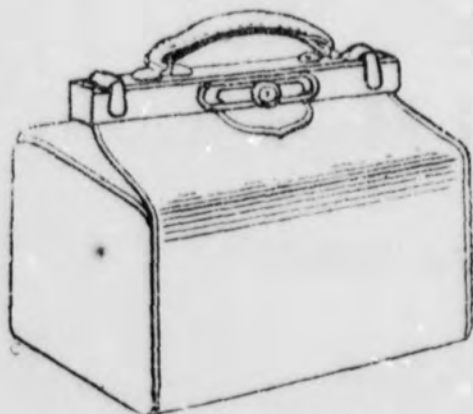
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Editorial

THE midsummer vacation is approaching; but before us now loom up the Public Examinations, both Senior and Junior. This year has been a most interrupted one. The formation of a guard of honour for General Birdwood, the Prince, and the Governor-General, and the preparation for the two school functions have caused a considerable loss of time. In spite of this, we have every confidence that our candidates will uphold the reputation of the School, and that the Senior boys will annex a fair share of the Scholarships offered.

Owing to a scarcity of football matches, the season finished earlier than usual. Reviewing the matches, it can be said that the Firsts have had a fairly successful season. At the beginning of the year they did not do what was expected of them, but they showed marked improvement after the issue of the last Magazine. In the Grade matches they defeated Gregory Terrace (53-0), and were defeated by Ipswich (9-0) and Nudgee (8-2). In the inter-School matches they defeated Ipswich (9-6) and Southport (28-0), and were defeated by Nudgee (12-0), and Toowoomba (9-3). They were unsuccessful in a match against the Old Boys during Jubilee celebrations. After midwinter Carson and McCoombe left, and Bateman, R. E. was unable to play, owing to an injured knee. Hargreaves filled the position of captain. The Honour Caps this year were won by R. E. Bateman, best back; J. C. Dent, best forward; S. A. Trout, next best player. A special one was awarded to J. G. Hargreaves. Congratulations to these four, and also to those who obtained colours. They were:—Backs: W. C.

Patterson, R. E. Bateman, S. A. Trout, C. S. Billington, J. G. Hargreaves, S. E. Isaacs ; forwards : J. C. Dent, J. Nicklin, W. Wilson, J. B. Klaassen, A. R. East.

The Second XIII. have this year won, for the third time in succession, the Premiership of their grade. They suffered the usual luck of a Second XIII., in losing men to fill vacancies in the Firsts ; McCoombe, Foxton and Bateman were called upon. In spite of this loss, the Seconds won six matches and drew one. They were trained by Mr. Connal, and we desire to express our appreciation of his untiring efforts in coaching them to victory.

This year, the Shield, presented by Mr. Bousfield for competition among the Lower School Forms, for all round play, was won by IIID. Congratulations to the form on its all round ability, and also to the coaches, A. B. Carvoso and J. C. Dent, who ably helped them on to victory.

The Annual Athletic Sports were held on Friday, 17th September, and despite the rain, the officials carried most of the programme through in a most efficient manner. The rest of the events were decided on the Turf on Tuesday, 21st. The " Courier " Cup, for the Champion Athlete, was won by W. W. Thomson, with J. G. Hargreaves runner-up. A. R. East won the 440 Yards Championship ; S. A. Trout won the 220 Yards Championship ; and J. G. Hargreaves won the 100 Yards Championship. R. Pratten won the Under 16 Championship, and W. M. Coates won the Under 14 Championship. The third Annual Sports' Meeting of the Queensland Secondary Schools' Association was held on the Exhibition Ground, on Saturday, 23rd September. Southport were unable to compete, and thus seven schools competed. The Shield was won by Nudgee College (45 points) ; the School was second with 14 points. Thomson showed up prominently, while East and Hargreaves obtained places. Colours were awarded to Thomson, Hargreaves, East, Trout, Bateman, R. E., Bateman, E. J., and Hurwood.

The First Tennis Team has reflected credit upon itself by defeating Ipswich, Toowoomba, and Southport. In the Ipswich match the team consisted of A. R. Fraser (captain), R. L. Harrison, K. Hurwood, and W. A. Miller. In the Toowoomba match, J. Buzacott and C. S. Billington played instead of Harrison and Miller. Colours have been awarded to A. R. Fraser, R. L. Harrison, and K. Hurwood. R. L. Harrison left after Michaelmas holidays, but this has not interfered in any way, as the most important inter-School matches have been played. The Tournament is now in full swing, and every morning and afternoon the courts are fully occupied. Should any spectator notice how great a demand is made upon the courts in the sweltering heat of summer, he would certainly imagine them overcrowded in winter, but—we know better.

Since the issue of the last Magazine the All Schools' Race has been decided. Southport were successful, and we offer them our heartiest congratulations. C. J. Grant left after the midwinter vacation, and R. L. Harrison and E. A. Watson after Michaelmas holidays. The Rowing Club has been in debt for a considerable time, but by means of a benefit, a concert, and a dance, they raised £105. They have now paid off their debt. The concert included a farce, "My Turn Next," which was acted by members of the Club, and by Mr. Connal. We desire to thank Mr. Connal, and also the artists who contributed towards the success of the concert. R. C. Hooper has been elected captain, and we offer him our congratulations. We are glad to say he stroked the crew to victory in the Under 20's on the 16th October. Two crews have been picked, and are strenuously training for the Southport Regatta.

The cricket season has now begun, and we have played the first match of the season against Toombul B. We are looking forward to the inter-School matches, against Ipswich, Southport, and Armidale, in which we hope to carry off the laurels. At the end of last season colours were awarded to C. S. Billington, while A. R. Fraser and A. B. Carvosso hold theirs from 1919.

Victor Grenning left in September for Oxford, where he intends to take up a course of Forestry. We desire to offer our congratulations to "Tommy" Lawton, who obtained the Rhodes' Scholarship for 1921.

At the annual meeting of the Australian Educational Fraternity, held on August 16th, the Chairman, Mr. Bousfield, read a paper on "Measuring Intelligence."

We notice that R. M. Wilson, B.E., has completed his tenure of the Walter and Eliza Hall Travelling Fellowship, and presented his final report on investigations in Europe and America, relating to ferro-concrete construction. N. C. Aitken, B.E., the present holder of the Fellowship, is now on special work in England.

The State Parliamentary elections have been held, and we have to congratulate Messrs. J. G. Appel, W. J. Vowles, on their re-election to the Assembly, and Mr. R. M. King, ex-President of the O.B.A., on his return for the Logan.

A new Chair of Surgery has been formed at Sydney University, and the first appointment to this position is that of Dr. F. P. Sandes, who was at the B.G.S., 1889-93.

Mr. Justinian Oxenham, Secretary to the Commonwealth Postal Department, who is representing Australia at the universal Postal Congress, now sitting in Madrid, has also been authorised to represent the Commonwealth at the World's Conference concerning cables and wireless telegraph, to be held early next year. He is to visit London this month to endeavour to settle the dispute over the mail contract between Australia and the Orient Steam Navigation Company. Mr. Oxenham was one of the first members of the O.B.A., and its first Hon. Treasurer.

Sir Samuel Griffith, M.A., G.C.M.G., P.C.

A REMINISCENCE.

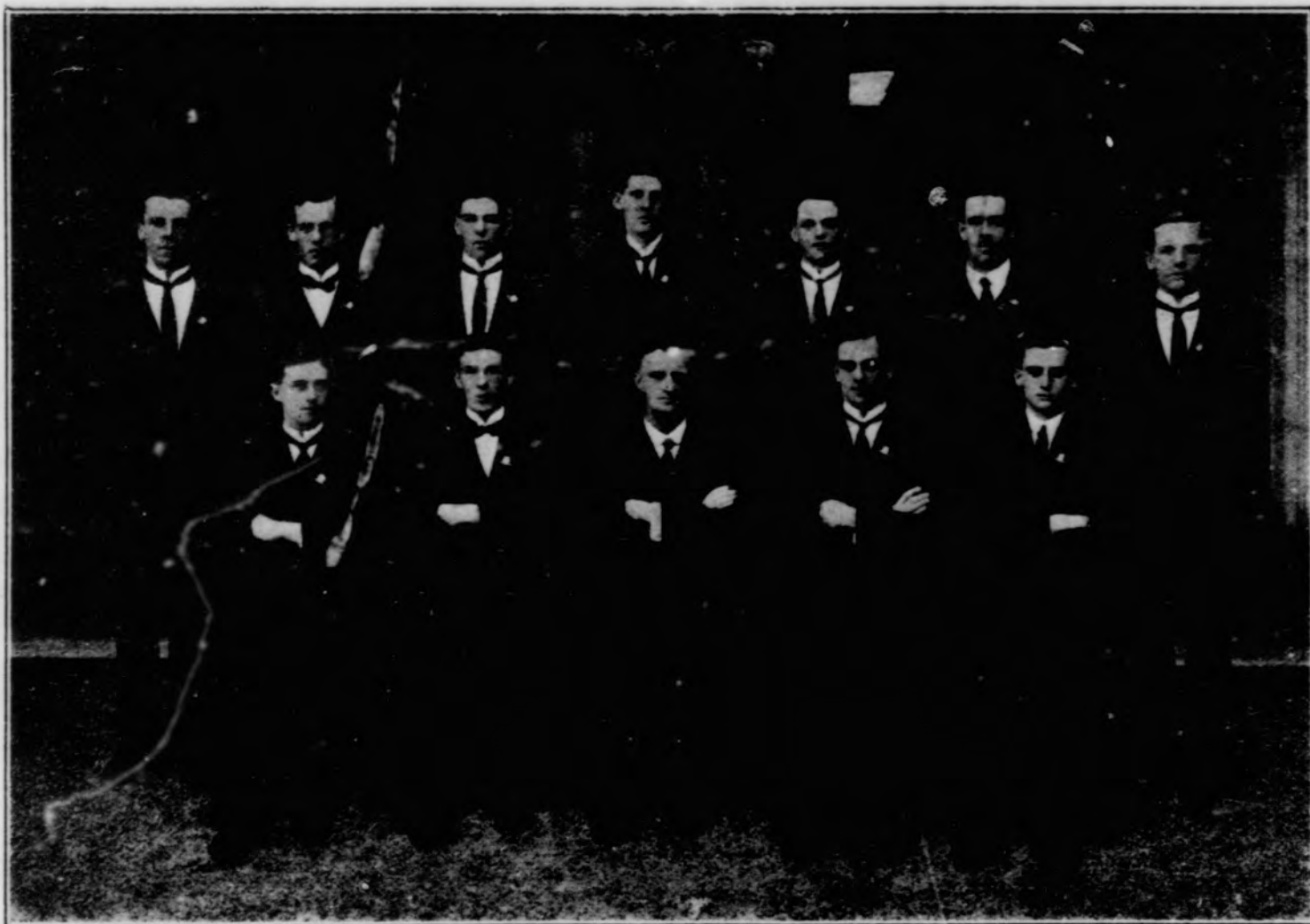
[Born 1845, Attorney-General, 1874; Leader of Opposition, 1879; Premier, 1883; President of Federal Council, 1888; Chairman of Commonwealth Constitution Committee, 1891; Chief Justice of Queensland, 1893; first Chief Justice of the Commonwealth High Court, 1903.]

Soon after my arrival in Queensland in 1876, I was driven over to Ashgrove, by Mr. C. S. Mein, to hear Mr. S. W. Griffith, then Minister for Education, deliver the inaugural address at the opening of the new school there. The ceremony was regarded as important, not so much because Brunton Stephens, the poet, was to be there as the first headmaster, but because this was the first new school established under the new Education Act of 1875, which made primary education in Queensland free, secular and compulsory. It was, therefore, an occasion on which excuse might be made for some show of passionate fervour and enthusiastic eloquence, but the speaker was, matter of fact, wise, sober-minded and logical. Afterwards I came to the conclusion that this speech was characteristic of his public utterances both in its strength and in its deficiency.

Coming fresh from England, where most public men in those days had to wait till they were sixty at least before they had a chance of getting into Parliament, I felt it strange that so young a man should be Attorney-General and Minister for Education. He was only 30 years old, four years older than myself, yet in maturity I felt him to be 20 years my senior, for his powers had been already ripened by the great responsibilities which public life and ministerial office had placed upon his shoulders almost immediately after his University life. That part of his life had been completed by the year of travel in Europe, which his Sydney University Travelling Scholarship had given him, a year which broadened his outlook, and ensured that his views in politics, sociology and literature would never become narrow and parochial.

At the University he had carried all before him in the Class Lists, gaining First Class Honours in both Classics and Mathematics; but best of all he had caught from Dr. Woolley, the Professor of Classics there, a love of culture for its own sake, and a desire to know always the best that had been said or thought in the world on any subject that he dealt with. He always spoke of Dr. Woolley with affection and gratitude, and regarded him as the embodiment of Oxford culture in its best form, and the Professor had certainly succeeded in passing on to his pupil the best features of that broad-minded culture, which includes amongst its products to-day men like Milner, Asquith, Curzon, Grey and Chelmsford.

All through his life his dogged industry was as remarkable as his intellectual power. In his addresses at our School prize-givings, his theme was often, "Nothing is good enough if it can be made better," and he practised this maxim himself. In his busiest days, when he had a leading Bar practice, was Premier and Attorney-General, he was still a regular attendant at our Trustees Meetings. Each evening he took home with him office papers, briefs, or new bills for drafting. Yet even so he found time to translate as a recreation the whole of Dante into English verse, and to produce a masterly codification of all Queensland criminal law. As a Minister he never signed a document, however formal, without reading it carefully, and making little verbal amendments that might improve it. He was never too tired to listen to you carefully, and to grip at once the essential points of any matter that you might have to lay before him, or to pull you up promptly for any apparent inconsistency or inaccuracy.



A. B. Carvosso, D. A. Lavery, J. Raymond, W. W. Thomson, J. H. Nicklin, R. L. Harrison,
S. A. Trout, J. G. Hargreaves, A. R. Fraser, Mr. S. Stephenson (chairman), R. E.
Bateman, E. A. H. Watson.

His cleverness and precision of language made him unrivalled as a draftsman, both in the drafting of new bills or in the framing of judgments on the Bench. He was the Chairman of the special committee that drafted the Bill on which the Commonwealth Constitution was based, and all who know him are assured that his master mind played a leading part in framing that remarkable document which thus far has withstood all attempts at amendment.

Great were his special services to the Brisbane Grammar School and to Queensland education. He was a Trustee for more than 30 years, and Chairman for a great portion of that time. One of his first acts after my arrival was, in conjunction with Mr. C. S. Mein, to obtain from their Government the grant of the cricket ground in Victoria Park, in exchange for the piece of land facing the Normanby Hotel, which was afterwards used for the Stock Institute and the Post Office. Soon afterwards they helped in getting the site for the new Girls' Grammar School, and in securing the endowment lands, which have since proved so valuable to both schools in their financial difficulties. Mr. S. W. Griffith had already been a member of the first Royal Commission that, in 1875, recommended the immediate establishment of a Queensland University, but realising that, until public opinion was ripe on this question, some provision must be made to bring University life within the reach of promising young Queenslanders, he established in 1877 the three State University Exhibitions of £100 each for 3 years, tenable at any British University. This system lasted until the Queensland University was started in 1900, and it proved most successful, not only in opening the door to University training for our best native talent, but in raising the standard of work in the highest classes of all our secondary schools, through the open competition which it entailed.

Within the walls of the Brisbane Grammar School there is no mention of the name of Sir Samuel Griffith, or of his eminent services to the School and the State. Yet surely the man who, by sheer force of character and brain power, gained at so early an age, the foremost place in politics, at the Bar, and on the Bench, ought not to be forgotten at a school which he served so faithfully and so ably all through his busiest days. To coming generations at the Brisbane Grammar School, his well-merited successes would serve as an encouragement, his integrity and faithfulness and industry as an example, and his high ideals of public service as an inspiration. At the least, an Honour Board for Trustees who have rendered prominent service, might well be erected.

REGINALD H. ROE.

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RHODES SCHOLARSHIP, 1921.—T. Lawton.

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A.N.A. PRIZE ESSAY (Essential Characteristics of an Australian Constitution).

—C. A. Powell

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ESSAY PRIZES.—1, H. Cannon; 2, U. R. Ellis.

BARRISTER-AT-LAW, Gray's Inn, London.—R. J. Martin.

Rhodes Scholar, 1921

We have to congratulate Mr. T. Lawton on his selection as Rhodes Scholar for 1921. He entered the B.G.S. in 1913, having won a State Scholarship from the Canungra State School. In 1915 he passed the Junior Public Exam., and won a Trustees' Extension Scholarship. Two years later he passed the Senior Public, and matriculated in Science. His athletic record at the School was remarkable. He was captain in Cricket and Football in 1916. He rowed in the School Crew of 1917, which won the All Schools' Race. He won the Swimming Championship in 1917, and was one of our finest all-round athletes. Immediately after leaving School he enlisted in the A.I.F., and served in France with the 45th Battery Team, 12th Field Artillery Brigade. He entered the University of Queensland in 1919, and passed the first year science. During the past year he has been at St. Andrew's College, Sydney, continuing his medical course. He goes into residence at Oxford next year.

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OLD BOYS' RALLY, OCTOBER 1st, 1920.

So successful was the Jubilee Rally that the War Memorial Committee decided to call another muster of Old Boys for October 1st, 1920. There was a good attendance of over 100 Old Boys, presided over by Mr. J. L. Woolcock, who explained the threefold purpose of the meeting. First of all the veterans of 1869 had had a group photograph taken, which they were generously presenting to the School. Other interesting groups of teams of early days had been given by Messrs. C. B. Fox and W. A. Wilson. He himself had preserved a copy of the first School paper—*Septem contra Thebas*,—and a complete set of the first printed Magazine, the *Annals* of the B.G.S., which he was glad to present to the School. Mr. C. B. Lethem, in making the presentation of a splendid framed copy of the veterans, gave some interesting reminiscences of the early days. He told of the historic match in 1869 between Ipswich and the B.G.S.—the first ever played. The Brisbane team left at 4 o'clock in the morning for their 50 mile journey to Ipswich by the s.s. *Nowra*. On arrival they played and lost the match, and then started on their return journey. But a storm came down, and the captain lost his bearings, and they ran aground. It was some time before they got clear, and they did not get back to Brisbane till after midnight.

In accepting the photograph, the Chairman thanked the donors, and announced that it would be preserved to be hung in the Memorial Hall.

Mr. A. D. Graham, President of the Old Boys' Association, then made a presentation in the form of a cheque from the Old Boys to "George," who, for 47 years, has been the janitor of the School. He spoke of the

difficult position "George" had to fill. As an intermediary between the Headmaster and the boys "George" might, if he had been less honourable have developed into a sneak, and if he had been less kindly he might have developed into a tyrant. As a matter of fact he had always held the balance even, and had won the esteem and affectionate remembrance of every Old Boy of the School.

"George" acknowledged the gift with one of his usual good-natured speeches. He spoke of the days in the old School when he first saw and knew Mr. Roe, and told how, during all his long years of service, he had never been at cross purposes with Mr. Roe or Mr. Bousfield. He spoke of the old fireworks displays he used to organise, and his deadly fire footballs. When it was decided to move the School from Roma Street, it was he who had first pointed out the suitability of the present site to Sir Charles Lilley, and he hoped he should see the Memorial Library erected to do honour to the Old Boys who had served in the war.

After a song by Mr. Nowlan, Mr. Woolcock spoke of the third object of the gathering, which was to take the necessary steps to secure the speedy erection of the Memorial Library. He announced that £2,400 had been actually subscribed, and that the Committee felt that it would be justified in making a start if a sum of £850 could be raised by next Foundation Day. He then read the following transcript of his thoughts, which he had thought it best to commit to writing.

"There is a spirit which is an essential part of the life of all noble races. It is gloriously manifest in the history of every great nation. In ancient Greece it informed the eloquence of Demosthenes and guided the statesmanship of Pericles. In ancient Rome, as in our own Motherland, on numberless occasions, it spurred the nation to marvellous united endeavour, and found its highest exponents in splendid imperishable names. In the middle ages it inspired the Serbian Empire to withstand the marauding Turk for a century. When that gallant people were beaten to their forest fastnesses, it lived on free and proud to our own day, in the mountains of Montenegro. It broke the Spanish power in the Netherlands. It created the Helvetian Republic. It fired the city of Moscow against the haughty invader. It lifted the Austrian yoke from the neck of Italy at Solferino. And when in August, 1914, the arch-criminal sought to make an infamous compact with Britain, so that unmolested by us he should have liberty to ravage Belgium, and despoil France, that spirit spoke again by the mouth of Sir Edward Grey for the British people:—"It would be a disgrace for us to make this bargain with Germany—a disgrace from which the good name of this country would never recover." To that confident assertion of our national integrity wherever the flag of England waves came back as instant loyal assent. What is that spirit? It is the spirit of resolute self-sacrifice—which counts life and the world well lost in the cause of liberty and righteousness, the spirit which, before the sacred tribunal of the human heart, admits without demur the plea, "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ." May I term it the crusading spirit?

In times of peace—in our daily vocations of money-getting and money-spending—among, shall I say, a nation of shopkeepers, persons of shallow psychological insight who readily believe what they wish to believe, might report that this spirit had departed from the people. We know that German spies did report this of the British race, and of our immortal allies, the Belgian and French peoples. They know the truth now. Never were self-deceivers more deluded.

In an eloquent address by M. Carton de Wiart, Belgian Minister of Justice, on 20th December, 1914, at the Hotel de Ville, Paris, on Belgian Flag Day, occurs this passage, which is most pertinent in illustration of my meaning,—"An English artist, Bernard Partridge, has shown us, in a drawing already famous, the Emperor of Germany standing beside our King Albert. The Kaiser with a sinister smile points to the corpses and

nuns that lie heaped over the soil of Belgium, and whispers in his ear, 'So, you see, you've lost everything.' And our young King, to whom the honour of all his people has been entrusted, answers simply, as he draws himself up proudly, and rests his weight upon his sword as it were upon his honour, 'Not my soul.'

Amongst a thousand blunders which German espionage made, none is more conspicuous than that which reported the disloyalty or indifference of our Dominions beyond the seas. I shall not dwell upon the part they bore in the prolonged struggle. Our hearts thrill with the magnificence of the epic story. And, thank God, Queensland and this dear School of ours have a proper share in the transcendent record. But as time rolls on it will become increasingly easy to under-rate the dangers which our defenders on land and sea averted, and to forget the obligations which the civilised world is under to them through the great war. Lest we forget, therefore, it is prudent and timely to raise a memorial to our own soldier and sailor boys, so that future generations of this School may remember and say, 'These were our preservers—thus and thus they did for us.'

I have spoken of the crusading spirit. That spirit not only inspired to heroic deeds, it built and consolidated a national and civic pride, and that pride expressed itself in many ways, amongst others in wonderful memorial buildings. Throughout Europe many of these structures, which are the pride of all time, buildings in which an active, precious religious faith present in the hearts and minds of the builders speaks in marble and stone, belong to the period in which the crusading spirit was most manifest. We, too, in all humility and thankfulness, desire to express our gratitude and just pride in the devotion and heroism of the boys of the Brisbane Grammar School."

Mr. Bousfield read the following Latin Inscription for the Memorial Tablet in the Library:—

Poscente auxilium patria liquere Penates,
Nec Mors impavidos terruit ipsa minis;
Hic igitur memori tabulae commissa manebunt
Nomina, quae tacita nunc quoque voce monent—
"Qua vos, o pueri, clara de stirpe creatos
Haec eadem jactat nos aluisse Domus;
Si patria in casus quassata vocabit eosdem,
Sint etiam vobis corda parata sequi."

The following is an English rendering of this inscription:—

"When their country called for aid they left their homes; and threats of death itself could not daunt their courage; here therefore their names shall endure, entrusted to a mindful tablet—names that still with silent speech exhort. Born of the same famous race as you, boys, this same School claims to have nurtured us; if your country storm-beaten calls on you to face the same risks, may you, too, have hearts prepared to follow."

Mr. F. O'Rourke then made an eloquent appeal to the Old Boys to do their part to preserve to future generations the memory of the unfading glory shed on the School by those who had served during the war.

Mr. Roe further emphasised the appeal.

After the singing of the Blue Chorus, now adopted as a School song, Mr. S. Stephenson gave a short account of the War Memorial Movement, from the unveiling of the Honour Board, on August 14, 1916, to the present day. He emphasised the duty of every Old Boy to share in the Memorial, not only by subscribing, but by actively canvassing others in the interests of the Fund. He appealed for subscriptions on the spot.

Mr. James Love then pointed out that some Old Boys might not be able at once to subscribe as much as they would like, but might be willing to promise annual instalments for a period of five years. He himself would

start the ball rolling with an offer of £50, in five annual payments. He invited other subscriptions. In a few minutes the sum of £400 was raised. The following is a list of subscribers at the meeting:—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
James Love, Esq. ...	50	0	0	R. S. Stephenson, Esq. ...	5	5	0
*F. S. N. Bousfield, Esq. ...	25	0	0	*S. Stephenson, Esq. ...	5	5	0
*J. L. Woolcock, Esq. ...	20	0	0	*T. Strachan, Esq. ...	5	5	0
*Dr. J. G. Avery, ...	10	10	0	W. D. Steele, Esq. ...	5	5	0
*E. R. Crouch, Esq. ...	10	10	0	T. C. Troedson, Esq. ...	5	5	0
*R. C. Hancock, Esq. ...	10	10	0	H. J. Wagner, Esq. ...	5	5	0
Jas. Isles, Esq. ...	10	10	0	G. S. Wilson, Esq. ...	5	5	0
A. McNab, Esq. ...	10	10	0	*R. M. Wilson, Esq. ...	5	5	0
P. J. O'Shea, Esq. ...	10	10	0	*S. Barnett, Esq. ...	5	0	0
F. O'Rourke, Esq. ...	10	10	0	W. J. Colman, Esq. ...	5	0	0
*P. N. Wilson, Esq. ...	10	10	0	F. Deighton, Esq. ...	5	0	0
*C. B. Fox, Esq. ...	10	0	0	*A. T. Fraser, Esq. ...	5	0	0
*C. W. Petty, Esq. ...	7	10	0	*A. D. Graham, Esq. ...	5	0	0
A. J. Unwin, Esq. ...	6	6	0	W. M. Hall, Esq. ...	5	0	0
J. G. Barnet, Esq. ...	5	5	0	*F. J. Heussler, Esq. ...	5	0	0
Cyril Bennett, Esq. ...	5	5	0	*C. B. Lethem, Esq. ...	5	0	0
O. F. Blakey, Esq. ...	5	5	0	C. W. Roe, Esq. ...	5	0	0
A. V. Cane, Esq. ...	5	5	0	*S. D. Tozer, Esq. ...	5	0	0
F. Carter, Esq. ...	5	5	0	J. Broadbent, Esq. ...	2	2	0
C. E. Chuter, Esq. ...	5	5	0	*W. H. Brown, Esq. ...	2	2	0
J. W. Clarry, Esq. ...	5	5	0	*R. H. Roe, Esq. ...	2	2	0
L. S. Curran, Esq. ...	5	5	0	S. Robertson, Esq. ...	2	2	0
H. W. Denmead, Esq. ...	5	5	0	A. F. Shirras, Esq. ...	2	2	0
H. S. Fletcher, Esq. ...	5	5	0	E. S. Edmiston, Esq. ...	1	1	0
*W. G. Grant, Esq. ...	5	5	0	P. R. Grant, Esq. ...	1	1	0
R. G. Hamilton, Esq. ...	5	5	0	L. N. Hansen, Esq. ...	1	1	0
V. A. James, Esq. ...	5	5	0	C. M. Leebottom, Esq. ...	1	1	0
E. F. Laws, Esq. ...	5	5	0	*J. Trundle, Esq. ...	1	1	0
*R. S. Mackay, Esq. ...	5	5	0	R. M. Blunt, Esq. ...	0	5	0
*F. Reimers, Esq. ...	5	5	0				
L. N. Saunders, Esq. ...	5	5	0	Total	£400	1	0

(Those marked with an asterisk had previously subscribed to the fund.)

During the evening a sketch plan of the proposed Memorial Library was shown, and met with cordial approval.

The assembly broke up after singing the National Anthem.

MEMORIAL FUND.

At the Rally it was announced that the total of subscriptions received and promised was £2,488 3s. After defraying all expenses in connection with the Honour Board and printing and postage to date the balance in hand was £2,107 13s. 6d., with promises of £184 6s. This sum had been contributed by 800 subscribers. To this total is to be added the £400 subscribed or promised at the Rally. It must, however, be recognised that some of these promises will take some years to mature, and we need to have at any rate £800 more in cash by next February. We can do it, and do more, if each of us agrees to bear his share, and not to leave it to the other fellow. All subscriptions will be acknowledged with thanks by the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Stuart Stephenson.

WAR RECORDS.

The work of compiling the records of the Old Boys in the war is proceeding. About 600 returns have been classified so far, but there are still more than 400 volunteers of whom no detailed account has been received. Those who have not yet made a return are requested to do so as soon as possible.

DISTINCTIONS.

Since the last issue we have received information of the following omissions from the list of Military Distinctions:—

C.M.G.—Lieut.-Colonel D. C. Cameron, D.S.O.

D.S.O.—Major A. Chisholm.

C.B.E.—Paymaster Commander G. L. Macandle, Mr. J. B. Henderson.

M.C.—Lieut. F. W. Macgibbon, Lieut. H. Johnson.

ORDER OF NILE.—Lieut.-Colonel D. C. Cameron, C.M.G., D.S.O.

MENTIONS IN DESPATCHES.—Brig.-General J. H. Cannan, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., C. de G. (8); Lieut.-Colonel D. C. Cameron, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Major H. L. Marsland, M.C.; Major D. H. Cannan; Major A. Chisholm (3); Lieut. W. J. Reinhold, M.C.; Lieut. F. W. Macgibbon, M.C.

School Jubilee

1869-1920.

Since last issue of the Magazine, the one absorbing topic that occupied the attention of the Association was plans and preparation for the actual celebration of the Jubilee of the School. The final scheme of that celebration was definitely drawn up and advertised in the daily papers, and by special notice inserted in the last issue of the Magazine, the dates of some of the functions having been somewhat altered in view of the visit to our State of His Royal Highness. The opening item of the celebration, the Rally of Old Boys at the School, was organised and carried out under the auspices of the War Memorial Committee, and was considered by many to have been the biggest success of the Jubilee.

JUBILEE RALLY, JULY 15, 1920.

The Jubilee celebrations opened with a great Rally of Old Boys at the School, on Thursday, July 15. About 300 representatives of all generations mustered, and enjoyed such a reunion as can rarely occur. The Hall was specially decorated, and presented a striking sight. During the evening a flash-light photograph was taken.

The gathering was presided over by Mr. J. L. Woolcock, the Chairman of Trustees. In a few happy opening remarks he congratulated the managers of the Rally on the happy thought and successful carrying out of the Rally. He spoke briefly of the history of the first 50 years of the School, mentioned that in all that time the School had known only three Headmasters, Messrs. Harlin, Roe, and Bousfield, and that two of these were with them that night. He was specially delighted to see so many of those who had been present in the first year of the School—1869. He then produced a roll-book in which he asked these veterans to sign their names. On the first page appear the signatures of the Headmasters, R. H. Roe (1876-1909), F. S. N. Bousfield (1909-), and of J. L. Woolcock, Chairman of Trustees (1906-20). On the next page the veterans of 1869 signed their names. Loud cheers greeted them as they mustered at the table, and amid the strains of the Boys of the Old Brigade, the following signed the roll:—G. H. Pritchard, C. H. Ward, F. J. Heussler, C. B. Lethem, W. A. Wilson, C. W. Zillman, C. Bolden, A. H. Pritchard, F. Deighton, A. T. Fraser.

The next group to be called up consisted of the following School Captains—B. A. Ross (1879), E. Gregory (1880-1), T. O. Cowlshaw (1883), W. A. Thomson (1887), G. S. Crouch (1895), L. J. Evans (1896), J. H. Williams (1896), A. G. Oxley (1898), A. S. Roe (1903), R. S. Irvine (1912), L. W. Gall (1912), A. J. Hammond (1915), C. R. H. MacDonnell (1918-9).

Next followed the Gold Medallists present:—C. B. Lethem (1869), B. A. Ross (1878), W. J. Byram (1880), W. J. Monteith (1896), A. Boyd (1897), S. Castlehow (1904), G. L. Byth (1906-7), E. S. Edmiston (1916), H. E. Roberts (1918), F. C. Bennett (1919). Later on in the evening the roll-book was passed round, and signed by most of those present. The list of those present, arranged according to their dates of entry at the School, is given below.

After a song by J. E. England, the Chairman called on Mr. Bousfield to speak. He was greeted with loud applause. He expressed his pleasure at seeing so many Old Boys showing, by their presence, their loyalty and affection to the School. He referred to the strenuous times through which the School had passed during the last few years. It had had to face rapid changes in the ideals of education, and a rapid increase in the number of rival schools. There had been great expansion in the number of pupils as well as in the equipment of the School. New science laboratories, new class rooms, a new cricket pavilion, and a new boat shed were some of the additions of the last decade. Yet it would be a mistake to think that the School possessed all it required, and he pleaded once more for the establishment of a Preparatory School, and also for a School Library. The latter would, he trusted, be founded to commemorate the sacrifices of the Old Boys in the great war.

Enthusiastic cheers greeted Mr. Roe, who next addressed the meeting. His speech was listened to with rapt attention, and we only regret that our report is but an imperfect record.

"This gathering," he said, "brings back many thoughts of olden days. I think first of the time when I was appointed to the Headmastership, and went to bid goodbye to Dean Stanley, who was largely responsible for my selection. I was received by the noted churchman who was ill in bed. After speaking of the responsibilities of my new work, he asked me to kneel as he prayed for my success. Evidently he was thinking of the time when Bishop Heber, whose name I bear, was sent out on a mission to the heathen, and believed that he was sending me out on a similar mission. When I arrived in Brisbane I was astonished to find what a good school I was coming to, and I was encouraged by the kindly reception I got from the Trustees. I was full of enthusiasm for my work, and full also of inexperience, for I had never been a Headmaster, or even a Master, before. I feel now that I owe an apology to many of the Old Boys present for the unnecessary labour I imposed on them. I remember the Rev. James Love, father of Dr. Love, coming to me and saying, 'Mr. Roe, you are doing good work here, but the pace is too terrific. You will kill the boys, and you will kill yourself.' Later reflection has convinced me that perhaps I was injudicious in some of my first steps. I feel some compunction as I recall one occasion when I had had Byrnes and Cribb in my study working extra mathematics till after midnight. I forgot that poor Cribb had to be up betimes in the morning to milk the cow at 6 o'clock. It was hardly surprising that the next day Cribb should fall asleep over his Greek, and perhaps it was hard that I should have insisted on his doing an imposition for me in consequence. Such an incident shows that even a young master, with a high sense of duty, and of the fitness of things, may sometimes make mistakes. I admit now that some of the things I once insisted on may be open to question; for instance, Saturday detention, the marks system, and compulsory Greek. There are two sides to the question, and I am not quite sure that I should insist on these things now, though I am prepared to argue about them.

"However, mistakes are not the monopoly of the masters. Sometimes even boys make mistakes. Some years ago I received a letter from an Old Boy, enclosing a £5 note, and stating that I had once punished him in a way he very much resented at the time. In his wrath he had destroyed my cap and gown. Now he felt ashamed of his action, and was sending the

£5 note as reparation. I returned the note to the sender, and informed him that I was not aware that my cap and gown had been injured. I do not know what happened, but between you and me, I think he had made a mistake, and destroyed some other master's cap and gown instead of mine.

"From my first arrival, I had unquenchable faith in the future greatness of the School, and I acknowledge some pride in the part I have been permitted to play in establishing that greatness. Throughout my term of office I never failed to enjoy the sympathy and help of the Trustees of the School. The School owes a great debt to Sir Samuel Griffith, Sir Hugh Nelson, Mr. J. L. Woolcock, and the other Trustees, whose self-sacrificing efforts made it possible to weather the stressful times from 1893 to 1903. To my colleagues on the staff I owe my thanks for their unfailing zeal and loyal support. Nor must I fail to bear witness to the long and faithful services of Mr. George Rilatt, the veteran and revered janitor.

"During the years of the Great War the School has proved itself, and no successes the School has won have filled me with such pride as the valour and patriotism the Old Boys have shown, and the remarkable talent for leadership which so many of them have displayed.

"Well, gentlemen, I am now an old man, and have been turned out, as it were, to grass. I daresay many of you, who remember me in the days of my activity, wonder how I get on in a life of leisure. I can assure you it is a great delight to be, for the short time that is left to me, master of my own time. I can tell you that my books and my garden and the social activities that I still keep up make every day seem to be a busy day, with not sufficient time to do all that I wish to do. I certainly feel that I am fortunate in being still in possession of what Shakespeare describes as the proper accompaniments of old age—honour, love, obedience, troops of friends. The troops of friends I not only see here to-night, but I meet them everywhere in my travels. I find the most gratifying signs of obedience in the repeated acts of public service done by boys of this School in increasing numbers year by year. I am girt around by the love of my own family and friends, and the reception you have accorded me to-night is an evidence of honour that I shall cherish with pride to the end of my days."

Loud applause followed the conclusion of Mr. Roe's speech.

After this, the whole assembly stood for some moments in silence as a token of respect to the Old Boys who sleep on distant battle-fields.

Short reminiscent speeches were delivered by B. A. Ross (captain, 1879), Lieut.-Colonel Eric Plant, just returned from the front, Jas. Love (1876-81), R. M. King (1883-6), President of the Old Boys' Association, and others.

During the evening a flash-light photograph was taken. The photographer's second attempt proved more successful than the first, when he forgot to remove the cap from the camera.

When the company broke up all agreed that they had shared in a happy and memorable evening. The following is a list of those who sent apologies for absence, and good wishes for a successful gathering:—

1869.—H. W. Bryant (Melbourne), L. F. Bernays (Toowoomba).

1870-9.—H. B. Fraser (Townsville), A. Winship (Beaudesert), J. F. F. Lockett (Charleville), J. Oxenham (Melbourne), T. Friend (Gladstone), Ae. J. McDonnell (Toowoomba), R. C. R. Newman (Stanthorpe), J. J. O'Hara Wood (Melbourne), R. Dawson (Maryborough), C. A. Bernays, J. K. Stewart.

1880-9.—T. P. Power (Sydney), J. H. Landells (Mackay), A. D. Walsh, J. C. Roberts, G. F. Nicklin, A. W. Bale, R. McCowan, P. J. O'Shea.

1890-9.—G. H. Bourne, V. E. Macrossan, H. P. Shepherd, R. L. Donnan, P. P. Smith, A. R. Hartley, J. C. Shepherd (all from Mackay), R. C. Hancock, M. M. Edwards, C. S. Snow.

1900-9.—A. T. Ellis (Melbourne), J. F. Needham (Alpha), G. E. Riechelmann (Mackay), J. O'Sullivan (Mackay), W. A. Wright (Mackay).

1910-9.—W. G. Hodges (Mackay).

The following is the list of those who signed the attendance roll at the Rally :—

1869	1880-9—Continued	1890-9—Continued
C. B. Iden	P. L. Hart	A. R. Webb
F. Deighton	W. H. Hart	H. J. Williams
A. T. Fraser	E. A. Holland	P. N. Wilson
F. J. Heussler	F. Holland	
C. B. Lethem	W. Kelso	1900-9
A. H. Pritchard	R. M. King	J. N. Allom
G. H. Pritchard	E. Lissner	F. W. Atthow
C. H. Ward	A. H. Pace	G. L. Byth
W. A. Wilson	C. W. Petty	A. C. Carvosso
C. W. Zillman	W. A. Preston	L. O. Chambers
	F. Reimers	P. N. Chambers
1870-9	R. B. Robertson	J. P. Cleeve
H. Baynes	S. Robertson	W. M. Douglas
J. Brennan	H. M. Russell	A. J. Edmiston
W. J. Byram	J. A. Snow	A. T. Edwards
A. C. Byrne	W. A. Thomson	J. E. England
A. B. Carvosso	A. R. Vidgen	P. Fleming
J. Crawford	G. Waugh	C. M. Fortescue
W. A. Cribb		E. B. Fox
C. E. Deshon	1890-9.	G. L. Fox
W. A. Douglas	B. J. J. Adsett	J. L. Gasteen
C. B. Fox	A. G. Anderson	G. R. H. Gill
J. Gasteen	T. W. Bain	M. D. Graham
E. Gregory	J. D. Bell	C. Greenfield
T. E. Jones	A. Boyd	H. Haig
J. Love	S. W. Cameron	W. M. Hall
L. O. Lukin	J. H. Cannan	A. R. Heron
H. Mackintosh	C. E. Chuter	W. F. Hetherington
A. McNab	G. S. Crouch	S. R. Hockings
B. A. Ross	L. J. Evans	E. P. Holland
R. W. Southerden	J. H. B. Ewart	W. S. Hurwood
W. D. Steele	C. S. Fraser	J. A. Larwill
W. C. Voller	C. R. Gregory	C. M. Lilley
J. L. Woolcock	F. B. Hammond	E. M. Little
	H. H. Henchman	J. M. Macgibbon
1880-9	J. B. Henderson	H. C. Marshal
H. W. Barfoot	J. T. Keenan	E. S. Meyers
N. Bell	C. K. Lea	A. G. Oxley
A. E. Brooks	J. P. Macfarlane	E. C. Plant
E. J. Caine	R. S. Mackay	C. A. Powell
G. P. Campbell	T. Macleod	C. E. Radcliffe
F. W. Carter	E. O. Marks	J. L. Simmonds
E. Colclough	C. H. Martin	F. E. Smith
W. J. Colman	H. G. Martin	S. B. Snow
T. O. Cowlshaw	J. C. Moffatt	E. Sparkes
H. C. Coxen	W. Moffatt	G. Thomson
E. R. Crouch	W. J. Monteith	J. C. Tindall
C. E. Daniels	A. W. Nicholls	A. M. Wilson
J. E. Dods	H. G. Oxley	R. M. Wilson
G. A. Ferguson	P. N. Ozanne	J. S. Wood
A. H. Foster	W. R. Parker	L. B. Woolcock
A. D. Graham	R. A. N. Plant	
C. S. Graham	J. E. Reid	1910-9.
W. E. Graham	A. S. Roe	F. E. Abel
W. G. Grant	S. D. Tozer	H. W. Adrian
E. P. T. Griffith	T. C. Troedson	H. F. Archdall
J. J. Grimes	W. J. Vowles	C. A. Banks
A. H. Hart		P. Barnes

1910-9—Continued

E. L. Barry
A. T. Beak
N. C. Beeston
F. C. Bennett
N. Bennett
E. G. Bird
O. F. Blakey
H. N. Blocksidge
R. M. Blunt
J. R. Bundy
A. J. N. Burton
A. V. Cane
R. W. Carson
K. G. Chapman
J. W. Charity
V. C. Clarkson
T. H. Cock
R. V. Cole
J. H. Condé
A. V. Crampton
W. H. G. Crellin
L. S. Curran
R. G. Daniels
F. Derrick
E. S. Edmiston
C. W. Elliott
H. Finter
A. Fullagar
L. W. Gall
H. S. Garsden
T. H. Gillies
C. J. R. Grant
P. R. Grant
G. E. Gregory
A. J. Hammond
L. N. Hansen
H. Harris
C. W. Harrison
H. Hawkins

1910-9—Continued

E. N. Hayne
G. A. Heck
D. Henderson
H. D. Henderson
J. W. Heussler
J. G. Hoare
H. M. Hodgson
A. G. Holland
E. V. Hunter
F. M. Hunter
A. Hurwood
H. B. Hutchison
R. G. Hutchison
R. S. Irvine
A. H. Jenner
J. M. Justins
J. Lamb
F. C. Lambourne
E. S. Lecky
W. S. Leslie
S. Lomax
C. M. Longbottom
R. B. Lyons
C. R. H. MacDonnell
W. Macfarlane
A. H. Mann
F. S. Marshall
K. Matheson
A. P. Mutch
C. A. Mutch
L. R. McIntyre
B. K. McMurray
R. S. McNab
F. C. Nommensen
J. W. Peden
H. C. D. Peel
C. E. Petersen
D. W. Price
T. H. Radcliffe

1910-9—Continued

J. R. Ridler
E. C. Ringrose
H. E. Roberts
S. L. Robinson
A. F. Shirras
F. C. Short
A. F. Smith
G. M. Spencer
D. J. Steven
A. C. Stewart
T. Strachan
G. R. Sumner
V. W. Taylor
H. R. Thomas
N. L. Thomas
E. E. Tolman
N. E. Toms
A. J. Unwin
H. J. Wagner
J. G. Walls
K. J. Ward
W. J. Warner
E. G. Wilde
M. C. Williamson
R. N. Witham
E. G. Witzke
W. J. Yates

ALSO PRESENT:

Col. C. F. Plant (Trustee)
Dr. J. L. Gibson (Trustee)
F. S. N. Bousfield (Headmaster)
R. H. Roe (Headmaster, 1876-1909)
S. Stephenson (Staff)
R. E. Thwaites (Staff)
I. A. Dakin (Staff)
J. G. Nowlan (Staff)

The second function, the Jubilee Dinner, was entirely under the aegis of the Association, and added another link to the chain of brilliant and successful functions which have to be posted to the credit of the O.B.A. The "Courier" report is as follows:—

B.G.S. OLD BOYS JUBILEE DINNER.

A SUCCESSFUL BANQUET.

THE SCHOOL TRADITIONS.

The second gathering of "Old Boys," to celebrate the jubilee of the Brisbane Boys' Grammar School, took place on 19th July, when a banquet was held at Finney's Roof Garden Cafe. The function was a success from every point of view, and was remarkable for the enthusiasm with which all present renewed past friendships and associations. Mr. R. M. King (President of the Old Boys' Association) occupied the chair.

After the loyal toast had been honoured, Mr. James Love proposed "The School." Although the Brisbane Grammar School had been "carrying on" since 1869, he said it was now going "stronger than ever." (Applause.)

Until the last 10 years it had practically acted in Queensland as the University of the State, and the inception at last of that great centre of learning had been in no small measure due to the efforts of the Old Boys and Trustees of the Grammar School. (Applause.) A lot had been said about the need for improvement on old methods of teaching, but he thought very many persons had profited under the past regime. For example, there had never been any favourites. Most decidedly he had not been a favourite, for he distinctly remembered being "licked" by every master in the School. (Laughter.)

Mr. R. H. Roe: Quite likely!

Mr. Love: At least, I am grateful to them for it. (Renewed laughter.) The moral influence of the School, Mr. Love said, could never be effaced—(hear, hear)—and the sum total of its sporting and mental achievements was a source of inestimable pride. (Applause.)

Responding, Mr. F. S. N. Bousfield, M.A., the Headmaster, stated that he felt it a very great honour to reply on behalf of the School, which now, as ever, was in need of several things. For instance, he was anxious that steps should be taken to establish a memorial hall as early as possible, and it was to be hoped in this regard that he would not have as long to wait as the South African heroes had had to do before their equestrian statue was an accomplished fact. (Laughter.) He wished to mention one important development, however, which seemed likely to affect the B.G.S., and that was the rise of rival schools. Unfortunately, there seemed to be an inclination among some Old Boys to send their sons to those institutions in preference to the Grammar School. This, and the need for a preparatory course of training, were adverse factors. Again, there was a prejudice growing among a section of the people against the "new arrivals" at the School. There was, perhaps, an impression abroad that present-day pupils were "an inferior race." It was a fallacy to suppose such a thing, and he could give the assurance that none of the masters felt that way about it. (Hear, hear.) "The boys we are getting now," he continued, "are on the same plane as those we had under other conditions. Time will prove it—of that I am convinced. (Applause.) The boys who are now at school, I am sure, will be able to take the places in the community which have been filled by those who went before them." (Applause.)

Proposing the health of "the soldiers," Mr. Fred. O'Rourke paid an impressive tribute to the Old Boys who had enlisted for war service, and recalled with reverence the numbers of them who had fallen on the field of battle. Although the Boys' Grammar School enjoyed the distinguished record of having produced many of the highest and noblest men in the land, he said, it had reason, above all, to be proud of its boys who "answered the call." History had proved how mighty were the British forces, which were looked upon, the world over, as supreme. The cream of those forces, perhaps, came from Australia—(applause)—and he only wished he had the command of language to express half the admiration he felt for them all. (Applause.)

Brigadier-General Cannan, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., thanked those present for the enthusiastic manner in which they had honoured the toast of the fighting men, and related several interesting anecdotes connected with the landing of the first A.I.F. on Gallipoli. The most conspicuous trait in the "Aussies," he remarked, was undoubtedly their sense of humour. They also had dogged tenacity and infinite patience, but it was the quality of inborn cheerfulness, and the faculty of being optimistic under the worst conditions, which made them the brave and successful men they were. (Applause.) The A.I.F. had pulled together in a spirit of mutual sympathy and understanding, which was the outcome of the free and easy life of Australia, and which was a source of great content among all ranks.

Lieutenant Little, who was blinded on the Peninsula, in the course of a felicitous speech, emphasised how valuable public school influence had been when the army was "up against" things.

Dr. Espie Dods, D.S.O., M.C., also spoke in response to the toast, especially on behalf of the medical services. He pointed out that it could not be too often stated that no men deserved more praise than the doctors and bearers, who did their very trying duty under shell fire, in and out of the line. He quoted a particular instance, in which 122 officers and 3532 other ranks who had been wounded in the course of a six-day action had been carried back ten miles, and treated en route, within the period of battle. The nursing sisters, too, were worthy of the highest tribute. (Applause.) Many of them worked under fire, and most of them were subject to the nightly bombing which marked the life at the front. He was glad to say that their ranks included a number of Old Girls from the Grammar School. (Applause.)

Mr. R. H. Roe, M.A., who received an ovation, spoke in reminiscent tone, and stressed the great importance of sport in the school curriculum. It was an antidote to excessive brain work. Many boys even regarded it as a substitute. (Laughter.) Above all, it developed character, which was, of course, the greatest quality of which men could boast. There was now a tremendous need for people of high moral and intellectual ideas to counteract the wickedness and corruption which existed in certain high places. Not, of course, that he regarded the present generation with pessimism. On the contrary, the country had proved itself quite sound by its magnificent war record. At all events, he was going to stay in Queensland among those with whom he had worked and studied rather than return to the land of his birth. He did not ask to spend the rest of his days in any better company. (Applause.)

Speaking to the toast of "Kindred Associations," Mr. Stuart Stephenson referred indignantly to the growing tendency among public men to belittle and ridicule tradition. If it was the intention of the Government, he said, to tear from the children's books all those glorious pages of history which demonstrated so eloquently the power and significance of the Empire, it was at least up to Old Boys to see that the traditions of the Grammar School were preserved. (Cheers.)

Brief addresses were delivered by Messrs. Hargreaves (president of the Ipswich Grammar School Old Boys' Association), Kerr (Headmaster, Ipswich G.S.), and Professor Michie, and the proceedings closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Among those present at the Dinner were:—C. S. Abell, B. J. J. Adsett, Dr. R. M. Allan, J. N. Allom, H. F. Archdall, J. Astill, F. W. Atthow, Norman Bell, F. S. N. Bousfield, Dr. A. Boyd, J. Brennan, J. Crawford, Dr. A. B. Carvosso, Brigadier-General J. H. Cannan, S. Castlehow, G. H. Cole, R. V. Cole, F. R. Cory, E. R. Crouch, G. S. Crouch, L. S. Curran, F. B. Charlton, I. A. Dakin, Dr. J. Espie Dods, M. M. Edwards, W. T. Evans, C. J. Elliott, C. B. Fox, A. T. Fraser, Dr. J. Lockhart Gibson, A. D. Graham, W. E. Graham, M. D. Graham, C. Greenfield, Donald Gunn, G. R. H. Gill, W. M. Hall, P. L. Hart, A. J. J. Hammond, F. J. Heussler, F. Holland, Dr. Holland, T. F. Hughes, W. R. Hunter, R. G. Hamilton, E. L. Jackson, T. E. Jones, R. M. King, R. A. Kerr, J. Lamb, E. M. Little, Jas. Love, Major T. Macleod, S. Mercer-Smith, W. A. Morrow, Dr. S. F. McDonald, A. J. Mason, N. R. Murray, G. H. Murray, J. G. Nowlan (Hon. Secretary), F. O'Rourke, W. R. Parker, C. A. Powell, G. H. Pritchard, W. C. Pritchard, F. Reimers, R. H. Roe, J. L. Simmonds, S. Stephenson, D. J. Steven, T. C. Troedson, G. Waugh, A. R. Webb, C. F. G. White, M. C. Williamson, G. S. Wilson, P. Newman-Wilson, J. L. Woolcock, J. J. Walsh, R. M. Wilson, Professor Michie, representing the University and his own Alma Mater in Scotland, and Mr. W. E. Hargreaves (President of the Ipswich Grammar School Old Boys' Association) were present as guests.

Among the apologies for absence were those of His Honour Mr. Justice Lukin, Brigadier-General L. C. Wilson, Major H. R. Carter, Messrs. G. L. Byth, C. R. Gregory, W. J. Highfield, R. C. Compton, Alec. McNab, A. A.

Baynes, the Headmaster of Maryborough Grammar School, the Hon. Secretary of the Toowoomba Grammar School Old Boys' Association, and a special joint wire from Mackay, sending greetings from Messrs. Landells, Donnan, O'Sullivan, Shepherd, H. P., and Shepherd, I. S., Percy Smith, Wright, Hartley, Reichelmann, Hodges and Colonel G. H. Bourne. Apropos of the eloquent speech made by Mr. Stephenson, the following "sub-leader" from the "Courier" will interest Old Boys:—

SCHOOL TRADITIONS.

One of the speakers at the Jubilee celebration of the Brisbane Grammar School deplored the growing tendency among public men to belittle and ridicule tradition. That such a tendency is broadcast, among an extreme section, is beyond doubt. Everybody knows of the efforts that have been made to upset the conventions and traditions of Parliament for party purposes, and even the courts of law have not escaped. Here in Brisbane the long and meritorious history of a fine old State school was considered of so little value that the pupils were dispersed with the object of using the school at some future date as a fish and meat shop. The public school in England is a distinctly national institution, and though our few big public schools in this State are but small reproductions of those in England, it is to be hoped that their Old Boys' Associations will see that the traditions are preserved. The history of the Brisbane Grammar School, for instance, is part of the history of the State. To criticise adversely the work of such a school is like criticising the tone of the State's own society, because it is representative not of a single class, but of all grades of thrifty families. The greatest work of a country's principal schools lies in the development of character, and the greater the traditions of the schools the more successful will they be. There always is a need for people of high moral and intellectual ability, and in developing that—the one thing that can counteract the spread of dangerous propaganda—the Brisbane Grammar School has had a history of which the State has some reason to be proud. Here and there among impractical idealists and faddists all kinds of ridiculous schemes are advanced for interfering with the work of the schools and the university, but it is to be hoped that the good sense of the community will see that faddism and party propaganda are kept out of the schools at all events.

GRAND JUBILEE BALL.

The third function in celebration of the Jubilee was the Ball, on 21st July, organised and carried out under the auspices of the Association, by a sub-committee consisting of Messrs. A. J. Hammond, J. P. Cleeve, Hubert Harris, B. Hart and J. G. Nowlan, representing the O.B.A.; and Misses K. Jones, E. Jones, D. Park, V. Coghlan and J. Sinclair, of the Old Girls' Association. Messrs. Hammond and Cleeve were the joint hon. secretaries, and it was in no small degree owing to their able administration and management that the Ball was such a brilliant success. The South Brisbane Technical College, or City Hall, as it is now called, was most artistically decorated. The School motto, "Nil Sine Labore," was much in evidence in the scheme of adornments, as were also the School colours, which were reproduced in a lattice work of streamers combining with festoons of asparagus plumosus, and flags of various kinds "gave the necessary effect of contrasting colours." The path in front of the hall was carpeted and utilised as a sitting-out recess. The stage was arranged as a drawing room, and the music was supplied by the Diggers' Jazz Band. The supper was served by a staff from Finney's Roof Garden Cafe. About 300 guests were present. His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Lennon, attended by Captain Plant, A.D.C., were received by Mr. R. M. King, President of the Association, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woolcock, and Mr. and Mrs. Bousfield. Amongst those present were also Brigadier-General and Mrs. J. H. Cannan, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lissner, Dr. and Mrs. Anderson, Dr. and Mrs. Bourne, Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham, Mr. and

Mrs. H. T. Young, Colonel D. K. Cameron, Colonel Eric Plant, D.S.O., Major T. Macleod, Lieut. Roberts, Drs. Gall, G. Thomson, Messrs. E. R. Crouch, Alan Corrie, C. J. Elliott, Major Kelly, Messrs. G. S. Crouch, S. Perkins, Misses M. Corrie, P. and C. Elliott, I. Trout, Hawthorn (2), E. and D. Harley, Lorna and Meta Brookes, May Biggs, Lilian Murphy, Marion and Maud Deshon, Ethel, D. and K. Jones, G. Muir, C. Muir, Rosendorff, L. Perkins, Evans, Fitzgerald, M. Gregory, Cecily Johnson, Ivy Clark, D. Macgibbon, C. Macdonald, E. and N. Brennan, Jean Sinclair, Messrs. C. Mendoza, B. Armstrong, H. Paton, H. Jenkins, H. Wood, D. Gibson, G. Chapman, W. Bale, M. D. Briggs, J. Macgibbon, C. E. Chuter, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. D. Graham, Mrs. T. E. Jones, Misses M. Cowlshaw, D. Burton, Harley (2), Rosendorff (2), D. Jones, E. Giraud, Grace Fitzgerald, Ivy Clark, Hyde, Ivy Greenfield, C. Muir, M. Robertson, J. M'William, M. Irving, M. Campbell, E. Hart, K. Harris, J. Fraser, Law, L. Webb, Spencer (Roma), Maisie Wilkinson, M. Lymburner, Corrie, G. L'Estrange, Parker (London), Halstead, E. Hart, and Lucile Stewart, Dr. Ferguson, Dr. Stanley Roe, Dr. G. Thompson, Captain Goodwin, Lieutenant Roberts, Messrs. Byrne, Hart, Hammond, J. Cleeve, George Webster, Irvine, Mackenzie, Gibson, C. Scott, Atherton, A. Lennon, A. Corrie, Perkins, Partridge, Elliott, Carr, Ross Burrell, W. Pike, Rendle, Biggs, R. Wilkinson, G. Chapman, H. Bayard, D. Henderson, Ross, M. Graham, L. White, F. Noyes, G. Lane, R. Wilson, D. Stewart, A. Fraser, H. Paten, Roy Macdonald.

JUBILEE SPORTS DAY.

The celebration of the Jubilee closed on Friday, 23rd July, with a holiday for the School and a succession of contests, in which Past and Present Boys took part.

At 9.30 there was a Boat Race over a three-quarter-mile course, finishing at the B.G.S. Boat Shed. There were two crews representing the Old Boys and two representing the School. The result was:—

1. OLD BOYS.—T. Strachan (str.), W. J. Noble, J. G. Walls, J. B. Cribb, J. G. Hoare (cox).
2. PRESENT.—R. C. Hooper (str.), K. S. Hirschfeld, N. L. Kelly, G. Whitfield, C. Winmill (cox).
3. PRESENT.—E. A. H. Watson (str.), J. B. Klaassen, A. B. Carvosso, W. M. Hayne, C. W. Morgan (cox).
4. OLD BOYS.—A. F. Shirras (str.), M. C. Williamson, F. S. Marshall, C. W. Williams, W. D. Kellett (cox).

Won by two lengths.

RIFLE MATCH.

At 11 a.m. a Miniature Rifle Match took place at the Adelaide Street Range. The conditions were 7 shots each, maximum 70. The School won by 18 points. The scores were:—

PRESENT.				OLD BOYS			
H. F. Lane	...	...	60	R. H. Miller	...	...	58
T. B. Stephens	...	...	57	V. Grenning	...	...	54
W. A. Andersen	...	...	57	F. S. Marshall	...	...	53
C. S. Billington	...	...	52	J. G. Hoare	...	...	52
J. G. Drake	...	...	51	W. J. Munro	...	...	51
R. A. Smith	...	...	51	C. A. Neville	...	...	51
N. L. Kelly	...	...	49	H. E. Roberts	...	...	47
A. Fisher	...	...	45	D. Henderson	...	...	38
Total			422	Total			404

TENNIS.—AMERICAN TOURNAMENT.

During the morning and afternoon an American Tournament was played. The players were divided into four sections, the Old Boys who played constituting the 1st section. The winners of the sections were:—

1. A. S. Roe, M. D. Graham.
2. K. Hurwood, H. A. Lee.
3. A. Mutch, J. Paterson.
4. S. N. Gaydon, F. N. Hales.

In the semi-finals:—

Roe and Graham beat Mutch and Paterson, 6—2.

Hurwood and Lee beat Gaydon and Hales, 6—1.

Final:—

A. S. Roe and M. D. Graham beat K. Hurwood and H. E. Lee, 6—3.

FOOTBALL.

In the afternoon a football match was played between a Past team and the School. This resulted in a win for the Old Boys by 20 to 6. For the Old Boys tries were scored by Archdall (2) and Lamb (2). Three of these tries were converted by Charity, while Connell kicked a penalty goal. For the School, tries were scored by E. J. Bateman and Isaacs. The game was efficiently umpired by C. R. H. MacDonnell. The following were the teams:—

OLD BOYS.—F. A. Irvine, J. Lamb, R. W. Carson, H. F. Archdall, E. J. Chadwick, C. J. Connell, F. C. Bennett, J. W. Charity, J. G. Cribb, J. B. Cribb, F. L. Chadwick, W. Duthie, J. S. Robertson.

PRESENT.—W. C. Patterson, R. E. Bateman, S. A. Trout, C. S. Billington, E. J. Bateman, J. G. Hargreaves, S. E. Isaacs, W. Wilson, J. H. Nicklin, W. W. Thomson, A. R. East, J. C. A. Dent, J. B. Klaassen.

During the afternoon there were a good number of visitors, who were entertained at afternoon tea on the tennis courts by Messrs. R. M. King (President, O.B.A.), A. D. Graham (Vice-President, O.B.A.), and F. S. N. Bousfield (Headmaster).

Cricket Notes

(A.R.F.)

If big scores are not made on the Turf this season, it will not be the fault of the ground. The wicket gives promise of excellence; as for the out-field, the clumps of *paspalum* have been dug out, and when the ground settles a little, it will be better both for scoring and fielding.

This year, we are again playing in the B Senior Grade, and though we did badly in the only match played so far, we hope to do better as we get more practice. The match was against Toombul B, and owing to the Michaelmas holidays, we were further handicapped by not having our regular team on the first day. Toombul batted first, and made 390. Blacklock and Thompson put on 274 for the first wicket; Blacklock made some fine strokes in his score of 198; Thompson got 56 and Brown 51. We had our best team for batting, but in the first innings could make only 147, of which MacDonnell made 31 and Billington 20. We followed on, and made 259, thus saving an innings defeat. Of these, Billington made 65, Fraser 50 and Hurwood 40. We lost by 247 runs on the first innings.



S. A. Trout, R. E. Batman, K. Hurwood, W. A. Miller, C. W. Morgan, H. MacDonnell, J. Raymond, A. B. Carvosso, A. R. Fraser (captain), C. S. Billington, D. A. Lavery.

Football Notes

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(By R.E.B.)

Football has now ended, and as we look back and count the number of matches played, we regretfully think that the season has ended all too soon. Since the publication of last Magazine, we have played seven matches, being successful in three; so it may be seen that we did not have a very successful season.

In the Secondary Schools' Competition, we, with Ipswich and Toowoomba, were runners-up to Nudgee, who also won last year.

In the Chelmsford Cup matches we defeated Ipswich, but were rather badly beaten by Toowoomba, this being the first time in the history of the Schools.

In connection with the Jubilee celebrations of the School, we met a team of Old Boys, who defeated us rather easily.

Previous to the midwinter vacation, we had played four matches, winning three, namely, against Ipswich, Southport and Gregory Terrace, and losing to Nudgee, after a very fine game.

On resuming after the vacation, two vacancies had to be filled by players from the Second's, Carson and McCoombe having left.

Our forwards, after proving so disappointing in their first matches, improved considerably, and at times played with great dash and vigour. Although all were light, they were, however, solid in defence; but they were all new to football, and consequently lacked experience, and so they were not at their best in the scrum.

Dent and Wilson were good, while all the others worked hard, and gave of their best.

The backs proved to be a very even lot, being all solid in defence, and fairly clever in attack. Isaacs at half was very nippy, and combined well with Hargreaves. Billington was clever in attack, while Trout was solid in defence. The wing men, Bateman, E. J., Carson, and Foxton, were fast, and were good in attack.

Honour Caps.—Best forward: Dent, C.; Best back, Bateman, R. E.; Next best players: Trout, S. A. and Hargreaves, J. G.

Owing to injury, Bateman, R. E., was unable to play for greater part of season, and Hargreaves, J. G., acted as captain.

Before bringing these notes to a close, we should like to express our thanks to Mr. Connal for his kindly interest taken in both Firsts and Seconds, and hope that his valuable work as a coach has not been wasted.

The following are the results of matches played during the season:—

v. SOUTHPORT.—Won 28-0. Played at Southport. Southport set the ball in motion, and for some time very scraggy play resulted. Our forwards were not playing with dash, while the backs were hampered by the off-side play of Southport forwards. Gaydon, playing at half, secured from a scrum, and all the backs handled, and E. J. Bateman finished a good rush by scoring with a fine run.—3-0. The ball was coming from the scrum well, but our halves were interfered with by Southport backs, who were off-side most of the time. Finally, the ball passed along the backs, and E. J. Bateman again scored.—6-0. Play ruled at centre for some time, but Dent secured in Southport "25," and went over.—9-0. This was the score at half-time. On resumption, our forwards took command of the scrums, and the backs were throwing the ball about better. Securing from scrums, the backs had another run, Carson scoring and converting.—14-0. Shortly after, Billington cut in and scored.—17-0. Again our backs secured, Hargreaves scoring and converting.—22-0. Southport carried play to our "25," but the backs relieved Billington and E. J. Bateman, who both had been

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A. R. East, W. Patterson, W. W. Thomson, W. Wilson, C. S. Billington, N. L. Foxton,
J. C. Dent, J. G. Hargreaves, R. E. Bateman (captain), S. A. Trout, J. H. Nicklin,
E. J. Bateman, S. E. Isaacs.

playing well, scored. Full time sounding when score was 28-0. Amongst the forwards, McCoombe and Dent played well, while all the backs were good. Isaacs and R. E. Bateman were not playing, owing to injuries, their places being taken by Gaydon and E. J. Bateman.

v. IPSWICH.—Won 9-6. Played on the Turf. Isaacs and R. E. Bateman who had not played against Southport, were playing in this match. We won the toss, and ran towards the railway end, and from the kick-off play was very fast. Our forwards were working well, and were as strong as Ipswich in the scrum. From a scrum near half-way, Ipswich backs carried play to our "twenty-five," but the backs saved by solid defence. Our forwards, by good play, carried play to Ipswich "25." Ipswich were penalised, and Hargreaves' kick, from a difficult angle, failed. However, R. E. Bateman secured and went over—3-0. Ipswich forwards carried play from their own territory to near our line, and were unlucky in not scoring, Trout saving brilliantly. At half-time the score was 3-0. Resuming, we attacked, and from a scrum, the ball went from Isaacs, Hargreaves, Billington, Trout, to Bateman. Trout came round on the outside and again secured, and finished a good movement by diving over and scoring in the corner—6-0. We were attacking, and Carson made some good runs, but was unsuccessful. Shortly after, all the backs handled, and R. E. Bateman scored—9-0. Carson was injured and retired. From a scrum near our "25," Ipswich secured and went over—9-3. Isaacs was hurt and left the field, East playing as half-back. Ipswich again came with a rush and scored—9-6. Full time came with the scores unaltered. All the backs played well, while the forwards played their best game of the season.

v. NUDGEES.—Lost 8-2. Played on Exhibition Oval. From the start we attacked, and had Nudgees on the defensive for most of the time. Our forwards, although smaller than the Nudgee pack, had more dash, and secured a fair share of the ball for a time. Play was not very brilliant, there being too much kicking. Patterson, at full, gained ground by good kicking. E. J. Bateman (who was taking the place of R. E. Bateman) and Carson did some fine runs. Securing from the scrum, our backs started moving. Billington cut in cleverly, but his effort was spoilt by bad passing. Shortly afterwards Wilson secured in loose play, and gained much ground, but was well taken by Creedy, the Nudgees full. Nudgees were penalised in our "25," and Hargreaves converted with a fine kick from a difficult angle—2-0. Half-time sounded with the scores unchanged. Resuming, Nudgees' weight began to tell on our smaller team, and Enright secured and scored—3-2. Billington gained ground by cutting in well, but again bad passing spoilt his work. From resultant scrum, we secured, and Billington attempting to clear, put the ball to the toe in our "25," Nudgees snapped the ball up, but the rush was stopped by solid tackling. Nudgees' in-centre secured, cut in, beat Patterson, and scored a fine try—8-2. Full time came with the score unaltered. Our forwards played a very fine game, although opposed to much heavier opponents; while the backs were solid in defence, but in attack their work was spoilt by bad passing.

v. GREGORY TERRACE.—Won 53-0. We did not have our strongest team in the field. Wilson was taken from the forwards and played in place of R. E. Bateman on the left wing. Terrace were very weak, and were out-classed by our team, in both the forward and back division. Tries were scored by Billington (3), Wilson (3), Trout (2), Klaassen (2), Carson (2), and Hargreaves. Tries converted by Hargreaves (6) and Carson.

v. NUDGEES.—Lost 12-0. Carson and McCoombe, having left at mid-winter, had their places filled by E. J. Bateman and Thomson, from the Seconds. Billington was not playing, his place being taken by Foxton. Up till half-time the game was fairly even, Nudgees leading by 3-0 when the whistle sounded. On resumption, Nudgees took charge, and Enright scored three unconverted tries—12-0. Our backs were attacking well, but despite good runs by E. J. Bateman, Foxton, Trout, the score was unaltered. Isaacs

played well at half, and gained a lot of ground by working his forwards. Several good movements by backs and forwards were spoilt by our bad passing and handling. Final scores read 12-0.

v. TOOWOOMBA.—Lost 9-3. Played at Toowoomba. Toowoomba won the toss, and ran with the wind. Shortly after the start, Billington secured, passed to Trout, to Foxton (who was playing in place of R. E. Bateman), who scored with a good run—3-0. Beaten in the backs, Toowoomba confined their play to the forwards, in which division they outclassed ours. Securing the ball from the scrum every time, Toowoomba gave our backs a lot of defence. From a scrum in our "25," the Toowoomba in-centre cut in between Hargreaves and Billington, and scored—3 all. Patterson secured, and gained ground by working his forwards. Play was carried to Toowoomba territory, where E. J. Bateman secured in a scoring position, but was recalled for a forward pass. Then Toowoomba took play to our "25." Trout secured and kicked, but the wind carried the ball back over our line, and Toowoomba scored—6-3. After half-time, Toowoomba still kept play in the forwards. Wilson secured in scraggy play, and did a good run, passed to Foxton, but the pass fell short, and a Toowoomba back took the ball to our territory. Patterson again put us on the attack, and worked his forwards. In loose play Kann secured, and supported by several Toowoomba forwards, broke away, but was well tackled by Trout. From a scrum near our line, a forward secured, and fell over to score—9-3. Full time came with scores unaltered. Our forwards were disappointing, and seemed to lack the dash which they previously possessed. Dent, Wilson, Klaassen played well. Although the backs were defending always, they did it well, and they all played well. Isaacs and Foxton were clever in attack.

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PATTERSON, W. C.—Shows great improvement on last year; takes well, and kicks well both feet; a trifle slow, but is generally safe; has started some good back movements. Colours 1920.

BATEMAN, E. J.—Good winger, very fast, runs strongly with good swerve; good in attack, fair in defence, but should make more use of kicking in attack.

FOXTON, N.—A promising centre, very clever in attack, and makes good openings; is sound in defence, and has greatly improved since beginning of season; fair kick.

CARSON, R. W.—A good winger, although a trifle on small side; is good in defence, tackles soundly; is fast and side-steps ably; kicking needs improvement.

TROUT, S. A.—Has played well at out-centre; runs strongly, and is fast when moving; swerves well, and is excellent in defence, good in attack, handles well, and kicks well, both feet. Colours 1920. Honour Cap 1920.

BILLINGTON, C. S.—Is a good in-centre, who cuts in well, but is inclined to overdo it; is sound in defence and clever in attack; handles well, but kicking could be improved. Colours 1920.

HARGREAVES, J. G. (five-eighth).—Has played well, being a very strong and fast runner; has started his backs with some good movements; handles well, is very good in attack, kicks well both feet, and is reliable place kick. Colours 1919-20. Honour Cap 1919-20.

ISAACS, S. E.—Is a clever half-back; has played well behind a weak pack of forwards; is very clever in attack and solid in defence, has started his forwards in good movements; kicking could be improved. Colours 1920.

EAST, A. R.—A fast, hard-working forward; follows well, is good in ruck and tackles well; weak kick. Colours 1920.

MCCOOMBE.—A promising forward who is good in loose; should work harder in ruck; good tackler, and kicks well both feet.

- KLAASSEN, J. B. —A fair forward ; is solid, tackles well, but his handling and kicking could be greatly improved ; good in loose, and works well in ruck. Colours 1920.
- THOMSON, W. W.—Is a fast forward who does not make use of his pace ; tackling could be improved ; good in ruck.
- NICKLIN, J.—Is a good forward, who is somewhat slow ; good in loose, should work harder in ruck ; tackles well. Colours 1920.
- WILSON, W.—A very good forward ; is very fast, and has played in the backs with success ; is a moderate rake, very good in loose, and tackles well ; kicks well. Colours 1920.
- DENT, C.—A hard working forward who lacks pace ; is very good in ruck, being very solid tackler in loose ; follows well and is a fair kick. Honour Cap 1920. Colours 1920.
- BATEMAN, R., captain (by N.S.C.)—A strong running wing three-quarter ; brilliant tackler and a plucky and capable defensive player. He possesses a very dangerous swerve, and sees an opening quickly. His handling and kicking are the only things which prevent his becoming a really great player. As a captain he was very successful ; he obtained in his team by his quiet yet forceful character, a state of discipline which many other captains fail to get by noisy and vehement scoldings. Honour Cap 1919-20. Colours 1919-20.

SECOND XIII.

(N.S.C.)

The Seconds have this year won, for the third time in succession, the Second Grade Premiership of the Metropolitan schools. They drew one match and won six, scoring 127 points, and having only 13 points scored against them. They deserve the highest praise, and I say without reserve that they are the best team I have ever trained. Their back division play was excellent, and there was not one weak member in it, and, moreover, every man seemed to fit remarkably into his place. E. J. Bateman was a wonderful scorer, with a great turn of speed for his age, and he was also very quick off the mark. He was, however, moved to the Firsts to replace injured players. He is a little too orthodox in his method of attack ; he must learn to side-step, swerve and to use the kick in his attack. Foxton is the most natural out-centre three-quarter I have seen for many years, with the exception of Martin the Ipswich crack of 1918. He improved steadily all through the year. His handling is perfect, he has speed, is quick off the mark, and has two beautiful feet, which he used with rare judgment. He had a splendid mate in Morgan, his inside man. This player was quick to take an opportunity, and his cutting-in might have been watched with advantage by many more experienced players. Seaman at the stand-off half position was one of the strongest parts of the combination. He used his head well, and thus varied his mode of attack, and was quick to seize an opportunity to set his backs going. Gaydon was an excellent captain, and a great battling half, who was content to take any amount of tumbling about, provided he supplied Seaman with the ball. Carvosso was a prolific scorer, and made most of the opportunities which were offered him. Raymond, at full, kicked well, was a sure tackler, and made opportunities for his backs. He also was a good goal kicker. The excellence of the team was brought about by the fine combination of these backs. They were seldom found out of position, and when a movement was started, the ball was slung scientifically and accurately along the line till the chance to strike came. They suffered the usual luck of Second XIII., in losing men to fill vacancies in the Firsts. McCoombe, from the forwards, was the first to go, and he was followed by Bateman. Then injury kept Morgan out for a while, but they were lucky in being able to call upon McLennan from the Thirds, for this youngster proved himself to be capable of taking his place most successfully among this brilliant lot of backs.

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PREMIERS, B GRADE.



A. B. Carvosso, O. T. Fenwick, C. Schaffer, B. B. Nothling, D. A. Lavery, G. Seaman, W. M. Hayne, D. R. Dunstan, C. W. Morgan, J. Raymond, S. N. Gaydon (captain), F. N. Hales, N. L. Foxton, E. J. Bateman, L. McLennan.

The forwards were a very even lot, and had a dash that is rarely found among B.G.S. forwards. Moreover, they were a vanguard that not only followed fiercely, but tackled strongly and skilfully at the end of a journey. Schaffer, Hales, Fenwick, Cornhill and Nothling should develop into great forwards when they get older and heavier. Hayne was not found wanting when he was discovered in the Fourths, and promoted to take the place of McCoombe. The following is a list of the matches played during the season:—

v. NUDGE, at Nudge.—Drawn, 5 all. Bateman scored and Raymond converted.

v. CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL I., at Turf.—Won 14 to nil. McCoombe, Cornhill, Bateman, Foxton scored tries. Raymond converted one.

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE I, on Turf.—Won 25 to 3. Carvosso, Foxton, Hales, Bateman and Morgan scored tries.

v. NUDGE II, on Turf.—Won 29 to nil. Bateman scored 5 tries, Thomson 1 and Carvosso 3.

v. CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL I, at C.E.G.S.—Won 19 to nil. Bateman scored 3 tries, and Carvosso and Cornhill 1 each.

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE I, on Turf.—Won 22-0. Carvosso scored 3 tries, McLennan, Tannock, Foxton and Gaydon 1 each.

v. NUDGE II, at Nudge.—Won 13 to 5. Foxton scored 2 tries, and Carvosso 1. Raymond converted 1 try.

THIRD XIII.

The Thirds had a very unsuccessful season, winning only two matches. of the eight played. Results:—

v. NUDGE A.—Lost 14 to nil.

v. ST. LAURENCE.—Lost 14 to nil.

v. NUDGE B.—Lost 16 to 11. Hemming and Tannock scored; Rowney converted.

v. B.G.S. FOURTHS.—Lost 2 to nil.

v. NUDGE C.—Lost 3 to nil.

v. CLAYFIELD COLLEGE.—Won 24 to nil. Hemming, Tannock, Gielis scored; Gielis and Rowney converted.

v. IPSWICH.—Lost on forfeit.

v. GREGORY TERRACE.—Won 10 to 3. Whitfield and Burnham scored; Rowney converted.

Fraser, Brand, Tannock and Gibson played well throughout the season.

FOURTH XIII.

The Fourth XIII. have had a fairly successful season, winning two matches and drawing one, out of seven. The following are matches played:—

v. NUDGE C.—Lost on forfeit.

v. GREGORY TERRACE.—Won 9 to 3.

v. B.G.S. THIRDS.—Won 2 to nil.

v. ST. LAURENCE.—Lost 19 to 3.

v. NUDGE B.—Drew, nil all.

v. NUDGE A.—Lost 26 to nil.

v. CLAYFIELD.—Lost 13 to 3.

FIFTH XIII.

The Fifths had a fairly successful season, losing only three matches.

v. BRISBANE BOYS' COLLEGE.—Won 32-0.

v. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.—Won 27-0.

v. GREGORY TERRACE.—Lost 12-10.

v. ST. LAURENCE.—Won 13-11.

v. NUDGE B.—Won 23-0.

v. NUDGE A.—Lost 29-0.

v. C.E.G.S.—Won 27-10.

v. NUDGE A.—Lost 21-10.

Burnham, Flynn and Dent played very well throughout the season.

Athletics

(W.W.T.)

The Annual Athletic Sports were held on the Exhibition Grounds on September 17th. After the fourth event a heavy storm broke and temporarily stopped the proceedings, and on the resumption of the programme we had a very swampy turf to contend with. Finally, owing to another heavy storm, several of the events had to be postponed until the following Tuesday.

The "Courier" Cup, presented by E. J. Stevens, Esq., was won by W. W. Thomson (17 points), with J. G. Hargreaves (9½ points), runner-up, and A. R. East (7½ points), third.

The 100 Yards Championship, carrying with it the cup presented by the O.B.A., was won by J. G. Hargreaves, from R. E. Bateman, with E. J. Bateman third.

The 440 Yards Championship, carrying with it the "Norman Waraker" Trophy, was won by A. R. East, with W. W. Thomson second, and J. G. Hargreaves third.

The Under 16 Championship was won by R. Pratten (9 points), R. Jones runner-up (7 points).

The Under 14 Championship was won by W. M. Coates (4 points), with D. Dutney and E. G. Arnold, runners-up (3 points).

This year there were two records broken. Under 16 Broad Jump, R. Jones (17ft. 7in.), previous record, 17ft. 6½in. Cross Country Championship, W. W. Thomson (15 min. 58 sec.), previous record 16 min. 22 sec.

Officials.—Referee: Mr. F. S. N. Bousfield; judges: Messrs. E. G. Biaggini, J. Cowan, I. A. Dakin, G. W. Lea, J. G. Nowlan, B. Porter, A. F. Shirras, S. Stephenson, W. F. Swynny, R. E. Thwaites; starters: Messrs. N. S. Connal, E. M. Fisher; check starters: Messrs. H. Allen, G. S. Durham; timekeepers: Messrs. J. G. Cribb, A. J. Mason, S. Pennycuick, B. Wright; press stewards and scorers: S. I. Backstrom, V. de Witt, D. R. Dunstan, E. S. Fraser, B. D. Grimes, J. H. Lavery, W. A. Miller; committee: A. R. Fraser, J. G. Hargreaves, R. E. Bateman, S. A. Trout, E. A. Watson, A. B. Carvosso, R. L. Harrison. Results:—

100 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP: First heat: Hargreaves, J. G., 1; Bateman, E. J., 2; Trout, S. A., 3. Second heat: Bateman, R. E., 1; Thomson, W., 2; Wilson, 3. Final: Hargreaves, J. G., 1; Bateman, R. E., 2; Bateman, E. J., 3. Time 11 1/5 secs.

220 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.—Trout, S. A., 1; East, A. R. and Hargreaves, J. G., 2. Time 25 2/5 secs.

440 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.—East, A. R., 1; Thomson, W. W., 2; Hargreaves, J. G., 3. Time 59 secs.

880 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.—Thomson, W. W., 1; East, A. R., 2; Hargreaves, J. G., 3. Time 2 min. 17 secs.

MILE CHAMPIONSHIP.—Thomson, W. W., 1; Hunter, S. H., 2; Hargreaves, J. G., 3. Time 5 min. 10 2/5 secs.

HURDLES, 120 Yards.—Thomson, W. W., 1; Billington, C. S., 2; Hirschfeld, R. S., 3. Time 19 4/5 secs.

BROAD JUMP.—Thomson, W. W., 1; Hirschfeld, R. S., 2; Jones, R., 3. Distance 18ft. 7in.

HIGH JUMP.—Thomson, W. W., 1; Hurwood, K., 2; Hirschfeld, R. S., 3. Height 5ft. 2½in.

PUTTING WEIGHT.—De Witt, V., 1; Hargreaves, J. G., 2; East, A. R., 3. Distance 27ft.

100 YARDS (Under 16.)—First heat: Lane, H. F., 1; Adams, 2; Berg, H. R., 3. Second heat: Pratten, R., 1; Kelly, J. W., 2; Mannion, E. J., 3. Third heat: Jones, R., 1; Stephenson, R. S., 2; Kelly, W. D., 3. Final: Pratten, R., 1; Jones, R., 2; Kelly, J. W., 3. Time 11 1/5 secs.

220 YARDS (Under 16).—First heat: Pratten, R., 1; Jones, R., 2; Seaman, G., 3. Second heat: Lane, H. F., 1; Stephenson, R. S., Mannion, E. J., 2. Final: Pratten, R., 1; Jones, R., 2; Lane, H. F., 3. Time 26 1/5 secs.

880 YARDS (under 16).—Pratten, R., 1; Kelly, J. W., 2; Peden, H. A., 3. Time 2 min. 33 secs.

BROAD JUMP (under 16).—Jones, R., 1; Stephenson, R. S., 2; Seaman, G., 3. Distance 17ft. 7in.

HIGH JUMP (under 16).—Seaman, G., 1; Stephenson, R. S., 2; Kirby, V. C., 3. Height 4ft. 10 1/2 in.

100 YARDS (under 14).—First heat: Johns, L. R., 1; Coates, W. M., McCarthy, J., 2. Second heat: Dutney, D., 1; McDonagh, F., 2; Christie, D. L., 3. Final: Dutney, D., 1; Johns, L. R., 2; Coates, W. M., 3. Time 13 3/5 secs.

220 YARDS (under 14).—Coates, W. M., 1; McDonagh, F., 2; Powell, E. J., 3. Time 32 3/5 secs.

HIGH JUMP (under 14).—Arnold, E. G., 1; Fitzgerald, E., 2; Groom, T. R., Davis, J. A., 3. Height 4ft. 1in.

THROWING CRICKET BALL.—Gielis, L., 1; Nothling, B. B., 2; De Witt, V., 3. Distance 87yds. 1ft. 6in.

KICKING FOOTBALL.—Thomson, W. W., 1; McLennan, L., 2; Raymond, J., 3. Distance 53yds. 1ft.

CROSS COUNTRY (Fastest Time).—Thomson, W. W., 1; Hargreaves, J. G., 2; East, A. R., 3. Time 15 min. 58 sec.

130 YARDS HANDICAP.—First heat: Joyce, J. (15), 1; Berg, A. G. (14), 2; Peden, W. R. (10), 3. Second heat: Dent, C. (7), 1; Portrate, A. (10), 2; Smith, W. F. (12), 3. Third heat: Kelly, J. W. (11), 1; Fitchew, C. S. (17), 2; Berg, H. R. (13), 3. Fourth heat: Raymond, J. (4), 1; Wheeler, H. (9), 2; Cameron, G. A. (20), 3. Final: Joyce, J. (15), 1; Dent, C. (7), 2; Raymond, J. (4), 3. Time 14 1/5 secs.

220 YARDS HANDICAP.—First heat: Dent, C. (10), 1; Watson, E. A. (8), 2; Peden, W. R. (14), 3. Second heat: Cannon, H. (14), 1; Berg, A. G. (19), Whitfield, G. J. (11), 2. Third heat: Raymond, J. (6), 1; Portrate, A. (14), 2; Cameron, G. A. (26), 3. Final: Cannon, H. (14), 1; Raymond, J. (6), 2; Watson, E. A. (8), 3. Time 26 secs.

440 YARDS HANDICAP.—First heat: Peden, H. A. (30), 1; Kelly, W. D. (35), 2; Winmill, C. (50), 3. Second heat: Pownall, L. A. (35), 1; Kirby, V. C. (45), 2; Dent, C. (30), 3. Third heat: Watson, E. A. (25), 1; Lee, F. A. (40), 2; Wheeler, H. (30), 3. Final: Kirby, V. C. (45), 1; Watson, E. A. (25), 2; Wheeler, H. (30), 3. Time 56 4/5 secs.

880 YARDS HANDICAP.—Berg, H. R. (95), 1; Broad, E. A. (110), 2; Arkell, C. S. (100), 3. Time 2 min. 11 secs.

MILE HANDICAP.—Kirby, V. C. (150), 1; Thomson, W. (scr.), 2; Peden, W. R. (130), 3. Time 5 min. 3 secs.

HURDLES HANDICAP.—First heat: Billington, C. S. (12), 1; Hurwood, K. (7), 2; Dent, C. (6), 3. Second heat: Wilson, W. (7), 1; Gaydon, S. N. (6), 2; Hooper, R. C. (5), 3. Final: Billington, C. S. (12), 1; Wilson, W. (7), 2; Hurwood, K. (7), 3. Time 21 3/5 secs.

OBSTACLE RACE.—Final: Wilson, K. (scr.), 1; Roche, J. (10), 2; Kelly, H. (10), 3.

RELAY RACE HANDICAP.—Raymond, J., Wilson, W., Bateman, R. E. Lavery, D. A. (10), 1; Jones, R., Lane, H. F., Pownall, L. A., Pratten, R. (10), 2; Harrison, R. L., Fraser, A. R., Nicklin, J., Watson, E. A. (25), 3.

SIAMESE RACE.—First heat: Lavery, D.-Wilson, W. (scr.), 1; Nicklin, J.-Wheeler, H. (scr.), 2. Second heat: Boyd, A. G.-Isaacs, S. (5), 1; Peden, W.-Whitfield, G. (1), 2; Fraser, A.-Harrison, R. (scr.), 3. Third heat: Sandel, O.-Wardle, A. (8), 1; Campbell, R.-Hirschfeld, K. (2), 2. Final: Berg-Isaacs, 1; Lavery-Wilson, 2; Peden-Whitfield, 3.

CROSS COUNTRY HANDICAP.—Swann, S., 1; Wood, S. N., 2; Pownall, L. A., 3.

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F. McDonagh, J. W. Kelly, E. J. Bateman, R. Pratten, R. S. Stephenson, S. H. Hunter,
R. S. Hirschfeld, C. S. Billington, A. R. East, J. G. Hargreaves, W. W. Thomson, R. E.
Bateman, S. A. Trout, G. Seaman, R. Jones, D. Dutney, W. M. Coates.

130 YARDS HANDICAP, FORM IV.—First heat: Joyce, J. (14), 1; Kelly, W. (10), 2; May, R. (18), 3. Second heat: Roche, J. (15), 1; McMicking, F. (6), 2; Hirschfeld, K. (5), 3. Final: Joyce, J. (14), 1; Roche, J. (15), 2; Kelly, W. (10), 3.

100 YARDS HANDICAP, FORM III.—Final: McDonald, A. H. (7), 1; Pownall, L. A. (3), 2; Kelly, J. W. (3), 3. Time 12 secs.

100 YARDS HANDICAP, FORM II.—Final: Atkinson, J. (scr.), 1; Kelly, H. (scr.), 2; Allen, J. (2), 3. Time 11 $\frac{2}{5}$ secs.

OLD BOYS' HANDICAP, 100 Yards.—Woodbine, O. B. (scr.), 1; Stewart, C. C. (4), 2; Thompson, R. W. J. (3), 3. Time 10 $\frac{3}{5}$ secs.

CONSOLATION RACE (over 16).—Bateman, E. J., 1; Whitfield, G. J., 2; Hales, F. N., 3.

CONSOLATION RACE (under 16).—Winmill, C., 1; Price, F. T., 2; Nielson, G., 3.

Athletic Colours have been awarded to the following:—W. W. Thomson, J. G. Hargreaves, A. R. East, S. A. Trout, R. E. Bateman, E. J. Bateman, and K. Hurwood.

THE CROSS COUNTRY RACE.

There is still a great interest taken in the Cross Country Race; the number of starters this year being about 250, and of these 192 finished.

As last year, all the starters lined up between the School grounds and the railway line, with the Second Form in front, and the Sixth Form in the rear.

W. C. Patterson again took the lead at the start. He retained the lead to the top of Arthur Street, where J. G. Hargreaves came up, and these two ran together to the top of Gregory Terrace, where J. G. Hargreaves and W. W. Thomson took the lead, Thomson eventually winning from Hargreaves by about 100 yards. The handicap was won by S. Swann, with S. N. Wood second, and L. A. Pownall third. The fastest time was registered by W. W. Thomson (15 min. 58 secs), with J. G. Hargreaves second, and A. R. East third. This time forms a new School record. The Sixth Form again won the Form Championship.

COMBINED SCHOOLS' ATHLETIC SPORTS.

The Combined Schools' Sports were held on the 25th September, on the Exhibition Grounds, in excellent weather. Eight schools competed,—Toowoomba Grammar School (T.G.S.), Ipswich Grammar School (I.G.S.), Church of England Grammar School (C.E.G.S.), Central Technical High School (C.T.H.S.), St. Joseph's College, Nudgee (N.C.), St. Joseph's College, Gregory Terrace (G.T.), Brisbane Boys' College (B.B.C.), Brisbane Grammar School (B.G.S.).

The Nudgee College representatives succeeded in breaking three records this year:—Putting the Shot: W. Dower, 31ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. (previous record, 30ft. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.). Open High Jump: J. Enright, 5ft. 6in. (previous record, 5ft. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.) 880 Yards Relay: N.C., 1 min. 38 $\frac{2}{5}$ secs (previous record 1 min. 39 $\frac{7}{10}$ secs.)

The final results of the competition were:—Nudgee College (45 points), 1; Brisbane Grammar School (14 points), 2; Ipswich Grammar School (10 points), 3. Results:—

OPEN EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—First heat: Bourke, T. (N.C.), 1; Hertzberg, R. (B.B.C.), 2. Second heat: Stewart, A. (B.B.C.), 1; Ahern, W. (N.C.), 2. Third heat: Biggs, R. (I.G.S.), 1; Mills, D. (I.G.S.), 2. Final: Bourke (N.C.), 1; Biggs (I.G.S.), 2; Ahern (N.C.), 3. Time 11 $\frac{1}{5}$ secs.

220 YARDS.—First heat: Deshon, C. (G.T.), 1; Trout, S. A. (B.G.S.), 2; Second heat: Ahern, W. (N.C.), 1; Bateman, R. E. (B.G.S.), 2. Third heat: Bourke, T. (N.C.), 1; Stewart (B.B.C.), 2. Final: Bourke (N.C.), 1; Ahern (N.C.), 2; Deshon (G.T.), 3. Time 24 $\frac{1}{5}$ secs.

440 YARDS.—First heat: Biggs, R. (I.G.S.), 1; East, A. R. (B.G.S.), 2; Hargreaves, J. G. (B.G.S.), 3. Second heat: Enright, J. (N.C.), 1; Creedy, C. (N.C.), 2; Stewart, A. (B.B.C.), 3. Final: Enright (N.C.), 1; East (B.G.S.), 2; Creedy (N.C.), 3. Time 57 1/5 secs.

880 YARDS.—Thomson, W. W. (B.G.S.), 1; Creedy, C. (N.C.), 2; Hargreaves, J. G. (B.G.S.), 3. Time 2 min. 11 4/5 secs.

MILE.—Thomson, W. W. (B.G.S.), 1; Tardy, L. (I.G.S.), 2; Tilbury (I.G.S.), 3. Time 5 min. 7 4/5 secs.

HURDLES, 120 Yards.—First heat: Forster, L. A. (T.G.S.), 1; Thomson, W. W. (B.G.S.), 2; Hall, K. (I.G.S.), 3. Second heat: Enright, J. (N.C.), 1; Billington, C. S. (B.G.S.), 2. Third heat: Walmsley (I.G.S.), 1; Robertson, (C.E.G.S.), 2. First Semi-final: Forster (T.G.S.), 1; Walmsley (I.G.S.), 2. Second Semi-final: Enright (N.C.), 1; Thomson (B.G.S.), 2. Final: Enright (N.C.), 1; Forster (T.G.S.), 2; Thomson (B.G.S.), 3. Time 20 secs.

HIGH JUMP.—Enright, J. (N.C.), 5ft. 6in., 1; Hurwood, K., Thomson, W. (B.G.S.), 5ft. 1in., 2.

BROAD JUMP.—Enright, J. (N.C.), 18ft. 5 1/2 in., 1; Ahern, W. (N.C.), 18ft. 5in., 2; Thomson, W. (B.G.S.), 18ft. 0 1/2 in., 3.

PUTTING SHOT.—Dower, W. (N.C.), 1; Cox, G. (C.T.H.S.), 2; Deshon, C. (G.T.), 3. Distance 31ft. 2 1/2 in.

880 YARDS RELAY.—N.C., 1; G.T., 2; B.G.S., 3. Time 1 min. 38 2/5 secs.

UNDER 16 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—Final: Dalton (N.C.), 1; Hertzberg (B.B.C.), 2; Baggaley (C.E.G.S.), 3. Time 11 1/5 secs.

220 YARDS.—Final: Dalton (N.C.), 1; Neidler (C.T.H.S.), 2; Somerville (G.T.), 3. Time 25 secs.

880 YARDS.—Atkinson, C. (G.T.), 1; Hunter, H. E. (C.E.G.S.), 2; Phelan, E. (N.C.), 3. Time 2 min. 19 secs.

HIGH JUMP.—Kingston, G. (I.G.S.), 1; Hertzberg, R. (B.B.C.), Cassidy, N. (C.T.H.S.), 2. Height 5ft. 0 1/2 in.

BROAD JUMP.—Dalton, J. (N.C.), 1; Holt, E. (C.T.H.S.), Stubbin, R. (C.T.H.S.), 2. Distance 17ft. 1in.

UNDER 14 EVENTS.

100 YARDS.—Final: Doig (I.G.S.), 1; Lawton (T.G.S.), 2; Stewart (B.B.C.), 3. Time 12 3/10 secs.

220 YARDS.—Final: Lawton (T.G.S.), 1; Braunholz (T.G.S.), 2; Stewart (B.B.C.), 3. Time 27 3/5 secs.

400 YARDS RELAY.—Final: B.B.C., 1; N.C., 2; C.E.G.S., 3.

Rowing Notes

(E.A.W.)

This year has been a most successful financial one. By our own efforts we have obtained £105, and will be able to pay off all the debt on our shed, and so start next year with a clean sheet. We raised this amount by three functions. We obtained £35 from the benefit at the Town Topics, £60 from a concert, and £10 from a dance. The concert was the most successful. We desire to thank Mr. Connal, all the visiting artists, and Mr. and Mrs. Bousfield, for their help in every direction. Crews have been picked for the Trial Fours, which are to take place shortly. We have the able assistance of Mr. A. Baynes, who is coaching one of our crews, and we hope that we will be successful in the All Schools' Race next year.

CRITICISMS OF THE CREW.

(By the Captain).

- R. L. HARRISON (bow), 10st.—A hard worker, but has not had enough experience; should learn how to sit the boat and how to swing from the hips; improved considerably, but did not get the results proportionate to his work. Colours 1920.
- C. J. GRANT (2), 10st. 7lbs.—Does not sit straight enough; should square his shoulders more and not slouch down in the boat; does not derive the full benefit of his weight as he does not swing from the hips. Colours 1920.
- J. B. KLAASSEN (3), 10st. 9lbs.—A hard worker, and dependable in all circumstances; sits straight, and has a good catch; swings well, and uses his weight to best advantage; makes a very good three, and rows a clean strong oar. Colours 1920.
- E. A. WATSON (stroke), 8st 11lbs. (by one of the crew).—A good stroke, has very good style, but is rather light; inclined to jerk on the catch; sets a very fair stroke; has worked hard for the crew. Colours 1920.

CONCERT AND FARCE.

(V.E.D.)

Monday, September 13th, once more saw the outburst of theatrical talent among some members of the School, in the performance of a concert and farce, which took place in the Centennial Hall on behalf of the School Rowing Club. The cause was a good one, the effort was not unworthy, and the public patronage accorded was most encouraging. The first half consisting of a violin solo, recitation, solo dance, and songs, was well received. A school ballet, trained by Miss St. Ledger, and in the scanty attire of chorus girls, caused much laughter. A farce entitled "My Turn Next" completed the programme. Mr. Connal, our popular producer, in the role of Taraxicum Twitters, acted up to his former reputation. V. E. de Witt, in his checkered attire, as Tim Bolero, proved an industrious "assistant." R. L. Harrison as Tom Trap, made a typical "commercial traveller." E. A. Watson and W. F. Smith, as Mrs. Twitters and Cicely respectively, made first rate girls. L. A. Pownall as Farmer Wheatear, and N. L. Kelly as Peggy, constituted the cast.

The School Orchestra, consisting of Misses Smith and D. Grant, Messrs. R. I. Mannion and H. Cannon (violin), and W. N. Paul at the piano, lent useful support. After the farce a good number stayed for a small dance which was held.

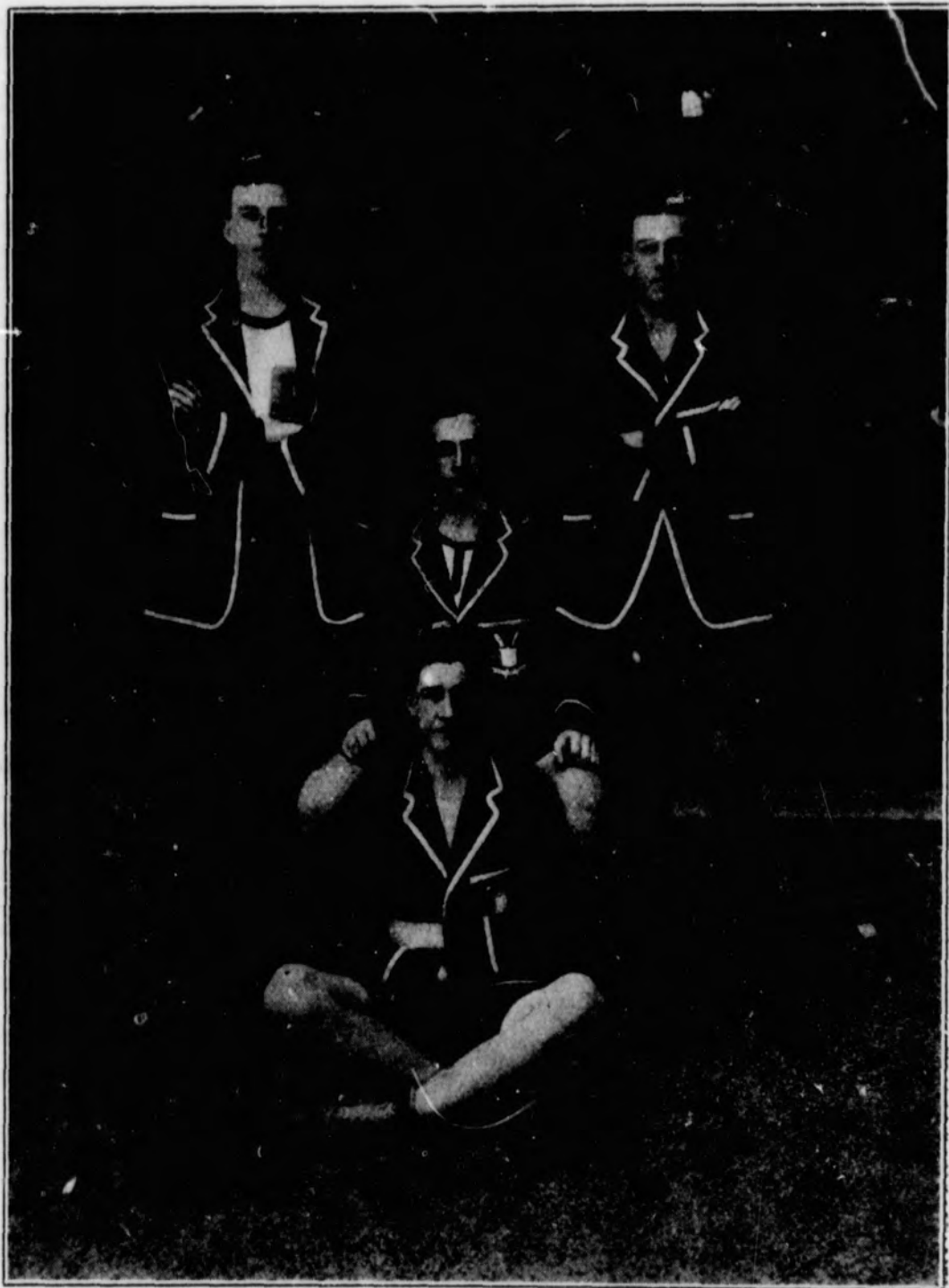
We wish to express our thanks to Mrs. Bousfield, for her kind assistance, Miss De Witt, and H. Cannon, for supplying music for the dances, and Mr. Pennycuik for his assistance with the refreshments.

DANCE.

(V.E.D.)

An enjoyable evening was spent in the Centennial Hall on Thursday, September 23rd, by the B.G.S. After obtaining Mr. Bousfield's consent, a dance committee, consisting of E. H. Watson, R. L. Harrison, W. C. Patterson and V. E. de Witt, with the assistance of Messrs. Connal and Pennycuik undertook the responsibility of the dance, and we have much pleasure in informing our readers that it was a success.

The dance committee and pupils wish to express their thanks to Mrs. Bousfield and Miss Patterson for their kind assistance.



FIRST FOUR, 1920.

C. J. R. Grant, J. B. Klaassen (absent), R. L. Harrison, E. A. H. Watson
(captain), C. W. Morgan (cox).

As far as inter-School tennis is concerned, the results have been very gratifying this season. We defeated Ipswich without losing a set. Toowoomba could win but one set against us, and we also defeated Southport by 6 rubbers to 2. But the results have, in a great measure, been due to the practice derived from the Association matches, in which we have not been so successful. Playing in A1 Grade, we could only win three matches out of eight.

In conclusion, we wish to thank Mr. Swynny for the interest he has taken in the School tennis throughout the year.

v. TOOWONG.—Lost by 32 games.
v. WARATAH.—Lost by 34 games.
v. WHYTECLIFFE.—Won by 21 games.
v. ZINGARI.—Lost on forfeit.
v. 'VARSITY.—Lost by 5 games.
v. HILDERSTONE.—Won by 9 games.
v. CASUALS.—Lost by 5 sets to 3 (39 games in all).
v. WHYTECLIFFE.—Won by 11 games.

On July 23rd, the day set apart for sports in connection with the Jubilee celebrations, an American Doubles Handicap Tournament was held on the School Courts. The play in the afternoon was witnessed by a fair gathering of spectators. There were four sections, of which the first was composed of Old Boys; this section was won by Dr. Roe and Mr. M. D. Graham, the limit pair. Section 2 was won by Hurwood-Lee; section 3 by Mutch-Paterson; and section 4 by Gaydon-Hales. In the semi-finals, Dr. Roe-Mr. Graham beat Mutch-Paterson, and Hurwood-Lee beat Gaydon-Hales. In the final, the Old Boys' pair beat Hurwood-Lee, 6—4. Altogether a very enjoyable day was spent. Afternoon tea was provided by the Old Boys' Association for players and spectators, and was greatly appreciated by all.

The Ipswich Match was played in beautiful weather, on the Association Courts at Milton, on August 26th. We won without loss of a set, which is a record for Chelmsford Cup matches. Results:—

Singles : Fraser *v.* F. Yarad, 6—1, 6—1.
Harrison *v.* Hall, 6—0, 6—0.
Miller *v.* M. Yarad, 6—0, 8—6.
Hurwood *v.* Cafferty, 6—1, 6—0.

TOTALS.—B G.S., 8 rubbers, 16 sets, 98 games; I.G.S., 0 rubbers, 0 sets, 23 games.



FIRST TENNIS TEAM, 1920.

K. Hurwood, W. A. Miller, J. H. Buzacott, R. L. Harrison, A. R. Fraser (capt.)

We played Toowoomba on the Association Courts at Milton, on September 27th. The day was hot, but otherwise an ideal one for tennis. Although, through sickness, we did not have our best team, we defeated them easily, losing only one set. Results:—

Singles: Fraser *v.* Kann, 6-1, 6-0.
Hurwood *v.* Gregory, 6-1, 6-3.
Billington *v.* Nagel, 6-0, 6-3.
Buzacott *v.* Forster, 6-0, 6-4.

SOUTHPORT MATCH.

Doubles : Fraser-Billington	<i>v.</i> Betts-M'Queen, 2—6, 3—6.
	<i>v.</i> Warner-Champion, 3—6, 4—6.
Buzacott-Hurwood	<i>v.</i> Betts-M'Queen, 9—7, 6—4.
	<i>v.</i> Warner-Champion, 6—3, 6—4.

CRITICISMS.

A. R. FRASER (by a member of the team).—Our popular and energetic captain. Has worked hard in the best interests of the School, and with an enthusiastic team behind him, has finished another very successful season. A splendid type of player, being steady yet severe. He drives strongly, both forehand and backhand, volleys and smashes well, and puts in very tricky and useful work at net. His first service carries pace, but his second could be improved. He is to be congratulated on his well-deserved win in the Junior Championship of Queensland this year, and also in the Championship of the School, 1920. Colours 1919-20.

B.G.S. SECONDS.

The best matches won by the Seconds were against Gold Crest and 'Varsity II., who were previously unbeaten. They played 8 matches, won 5, and lost 3. The following are the results of the matches played:—

- B.G.S. II. *v.* KIA ORA.—Won by 40 games to 30.
v. TOOMBUL.—Lost by 23 games to 48.
v. SUBURBS.—Won by 46 games to 27.
v. TOOMBUL.—Lost by 26 games to 40.
v. KIA ORA.—Won by 46 games to 21.
v. GOLD CREST.—Won by 44 games to 37.
v. SUBURBS.—Lost by 36 games to 42.
v. 'Varsity II.—Won by 46 games to 30.

B.G.S. THIRDS.

We played some very enjoyable, but for the most part, unsuccessful, matches this season, and won 2 matches out of 8. Results of matches:—

- B.G.S. III. *v.* NETHERWAY.—Lost by 7 games.
v. CARLTONS.—Lost by 2 sets and 12 games.
v. 'Varsity II.—Lost by 4 sets and 17 games.
v. GRAMMAR II.—Won by forfeit.
v. TOOMBUL.—Lost by forfeit.
v. KIA ORA.—Won by forfeit.
v. GOLD CREST.—Lost by 6 sets and 18 games.

B.G.S. FOURTHS.

The following are the results of matches played:—

- B.G.S. IV. *v.* KIA ORA.—Won by forfeit.
v. GOLD CREST.—Lost by forfeit.
v. CARLTONS.—Lost by 4 sets.
v. B.G.S. III.—Won by 8 games.
v. SUBURBS.—Lost by 8 sets.

Cadet Notes

(J.G.H.)

Under the tireless supervision of the officers and the hard work done by the Warrant-Officer and the N.C.O.'s, the Cadet Corps has lost none of its previous smartness. Captain Merrell has taken great pains to keep the Corps efficient.

Since the School has won the reputation of turning out a splendid guard it did not come as a shock to hear that we had been given the honour of forming a guard for His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, on the occasion of his departure from Brisbane.

The guard were given sufficient time to prepare, and by training every dinner hour they were quite fit by the 3rd of August. On the 3rd, they marched down to Ann Street, and were drawn up in two lines before the station. After the Prince had inspected them, he remarked that "They were the finest body of cadets he had seen during his tour in Australia." The Prince shook hands with Capt. Merrell, Mr. Fisher, and Mr. Marshall.

Previous to this occasion, all the cadets in the corps, in conjunction with the cadets of all the areas of Brisbane, lined Queen Street, on the day of the Prince's arrival in Brisbane, and added greatly to the spectacular effect of the decorations in Queen Street.

The week following the Prince's departure, the guard, numbering about 50 boys, were again called upon to form a guard of honour for our late Governor-General, who visited Brisbane prior to his departure for England. Needless to say, the guard, on this occasion, upheld their former reputation for smartness and steadiness, during a very trying ordeal.

In July our members were considerably augmented, in spite of the fact that the 1902 quota were transferred to the militia.

Since the last issue of the Magazine, 2nd-Lieutenants Watson and Hargreaves have received their commissions, and we congratulate them on their success. The numerous other members who have passed their examinations for N.C.O.'s must also be congratulated.

There is still a great tendency on the part of the older cadets to remain in the ranks and allow the younger members to enter for promotion. We would like to impress on these members that, instead of trying to be funny on parade, and thinking themselves superior to the small N.C.O.'s, they themselves should be N.C.O.'s, and should help the officers and N.C.O.'s.

As most of the VIth Form will be leaving next year, we appeal to the members of the VIth Form to do their duty, and keep up the reputation of our Cadet Corps.

The Cadet Corps was very sorry to lose the services of 2nd-Lieut. E. A. Watson and C.S.M. R. L. Harrison, who left at the close of the third term, to go on the land. We wish them every success in their new work.

The School Corps was very successful in the competition held amongst the Training Area of the Metropolitan District. Our representatives won many events, and a team from the School won the "Courier" Challenge Cup for the Best Physical Training Squad. The results (so far as the School is concerned), were as follows:—

100 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP (1905 Quota).—R. G. Pratten (9Bc), 2.

100 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP (1904 Quota).—E. J. Bateman (9Bc), 1.

440 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP (1905 Quota).—H. F. Lane (9Bc), 2.

440 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP (1904 Quota).—R. W. Carson (9Bc), 2.

HIGH JUMP CHAMPIONSHIP (1902-3 Quota).—W. W. Thomson (9Bc), 3.

HIGH JUMP CHAMPIONSHIP (1904-5 Quota).—K. Hurwood (9Bc), 1.

MILE CHAMPIONSHIP (1902-3 Quota).—J. G. Hargreaves (9Bc), 1.

220 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP (1904 Quota).—R. G. Pratten (9Bc), 1.

120 YARDS HURDLES (1902-3 Quota).—C. S. Billington (9Bc), 2.

BROAD JUMP CHAMPIONSHIP (1902-3 Quota).—R. S. Hirschfeld (9Bc), 3.

BROAD JUMP CHAMPIONSHIP (1904-5 Quota).—R. W. Carson (9Bc), 1.

FLAG RELAY CHAMPIONSHIP.—9Bc Team, 1.

PHYSICAL TRAINING CONTEST.—2nd-Lieut. Marshall's Team (9Bc), 78 marks, 1.

We congratulate the area on its success, and hope that it will be successful in every department of drill.

Shooting at the Miniature Range has been carried on during a greater part of the year, under the supervision of Lieut. Fisher.

In the competitions held in the Metropolitan Area, Sergt. Drake gained second place in the Curtis Match for Cadets, and Private Billington second place in the Jackson Match. Prizes were also won by the following:—W. F. Smith, N. Kelly, R. L. Harrison and H. F. Lane; T. B. Stephens, C. A. Neville and Fisher. Billington, Drake, Harrison, Kelly and Stephens were chosen to represent the State in the Interstate Competition, under 20.

Library Notes

(H.C.N. and N.I.K.)

The attendance at the Library this half-year has fallen away considerably, especially among the upper forms, no doubt because of the proximity of the Public Exams.

Many very fine books have recently been purchased for the Library by Mr. Cribb, who has made no end of effort in securing suitable books. Members of the Rowing Club should avail themselves of the opportunity of reading the book on Rowing, which is among these. We desire to thank both Mr. Lea and G. E. Sampson for donations of books. The Library is free to all, being open on Mondays and Fridays between 3.30 and 3.50 p.m.

Gymnasium Notes

(E.S.F.)

The Annual School Competition was held earlier than usual this year, in order that the representative teams for the inter-schools' competition, which takes place on the 14th October, might have sufficient time to practise.

The competition, which was keenly contested in both divisions, was judged by Mr. W. G. Betts, to whom we wish to convey our thanks.

The results of the competition were as follows:—

SENIORS.

1. Fraser, E. S.	66	4. Gibson, J. B.	61
2. Gaydon, S. N.	63½	5. Ellis, W. B.	55
3. Backstrom, S. I.	62	6. Joyce, J. W.	52½

JUNIORS.

1. Trout, H. L.	37½	4. Bright, F. E.	30½
2. Stephenson, R. S.	37	5. Haussmann, E. L.	29
3. Fraser, K. T.	31½	Wardle, A. H.	29

The two teams, consisting of the first four Seniors, and the first three Juniors worked hard for the competition.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Annual Competition for the Secondary Schools' Gymnastic Championship took place at the Brisbane Gymnasium on the evening of October 14th. The contest was conducted by the officials of the Gymnasium, and we offer hearty thanks to them for their generous help.

Both Senior and Junior Cups were won by Nudgee College, with the B.G.S. a close second. We congratulate our successful opponents. The following are the scores:—

SENIORS.

	Parallel Bars	Horizontal Bar	Rings	Total
1. Nudgee College	230	182	206	618
2. B.G.S.	222	171½	200	593½
3. Gregory Terrace	188	146	166	500

JUNIORS.

1. Nudgee College	84	60	86	230
2. B.G.S.	78	59	92	229
3. Gregory Terrace	65	56	75	196

INDIVIDUAL SCORES.

SENIORS.—1. Doyle (N.C.), 187; 2. Fraser, E. S. (B.G.S.), 163½; 3. Sullivan (N.C.), 155½.

JUNIORS.—1. Trout, H. L. (B.G.S.), 88½; 2. Flynn (N.C.), 85½; 3. O'Connor (N.C.), 78½.

The following were the B.G.S. representatives:—

SENIORS.—E. S. Fraser, S. N. Gaydon, S. I. Backstrom, J. B. Gibson.

JUNIORS.—H. L. Trout, R. S. Stephenson, K. Fraser.

House Notes

(S.F.R.)

The number of boarders was augmented this half by the arrival of several new boys, and we now have a full house.

We were sorry to lose our Housemasters, Messrs. Fisher and Durham, and we welcome Messrs. Pennycuik and Shirras, who have taken up their duties with us.

Carson and Winmill have left us, both to enter banks, the former having joined the staff of the E.S. and A. Bank in Brisbane, and the latter that of the Q.N. Bank at Goondiwindi.

Still we keep up our sporting reputations. We are well represented in the School football teams, having two members in the First XIII., seven in the Second XIII., and members in the other teams. We congratulate W. Wilson on obtaining his football colours, and also Morgan, who was awarded his colours as cox of the first crew.

In the recent Athletic Sports, Wilson, K., Wilson, W., Nothling, McLennan, Gielis, Seaman, Lane, Hales, Arnold, Pownall, L., Winmill, and Broad were successful in getting places. The Boarders have again won the Obstacle Race, which they have done for several years, K. Wilson winning for the last two years.

Last quarter we were unfortunate in having an epidemic of chicken-pox and measles, but happily there were no serious cases, and everybody has now recovered.

During the term a very successful boxing tournament was conducted by Mr. Durham, the winners of the different weights being Morgan, Brand, Foxton, Bryce, and Gore-Jones. In all cases the contests were good, exciting and amusing bouts being witnessed during the evening.

On Saturday nights, to the strains of the new gramophone, we see boys tripping the light fantastic around the prep. room, striving to learn the latest steps under the able tuition of Mrs. Bousfield.

The University Exams. are only a few weeks off, and those sitting for them are displaying an unusual keenness in their work.

Those who remained in the House during the Michaelmas holidays, take this opportunity of thanking Mrs. Bousfield for the interest which she took in their pleasures.

Old Boys' Corner

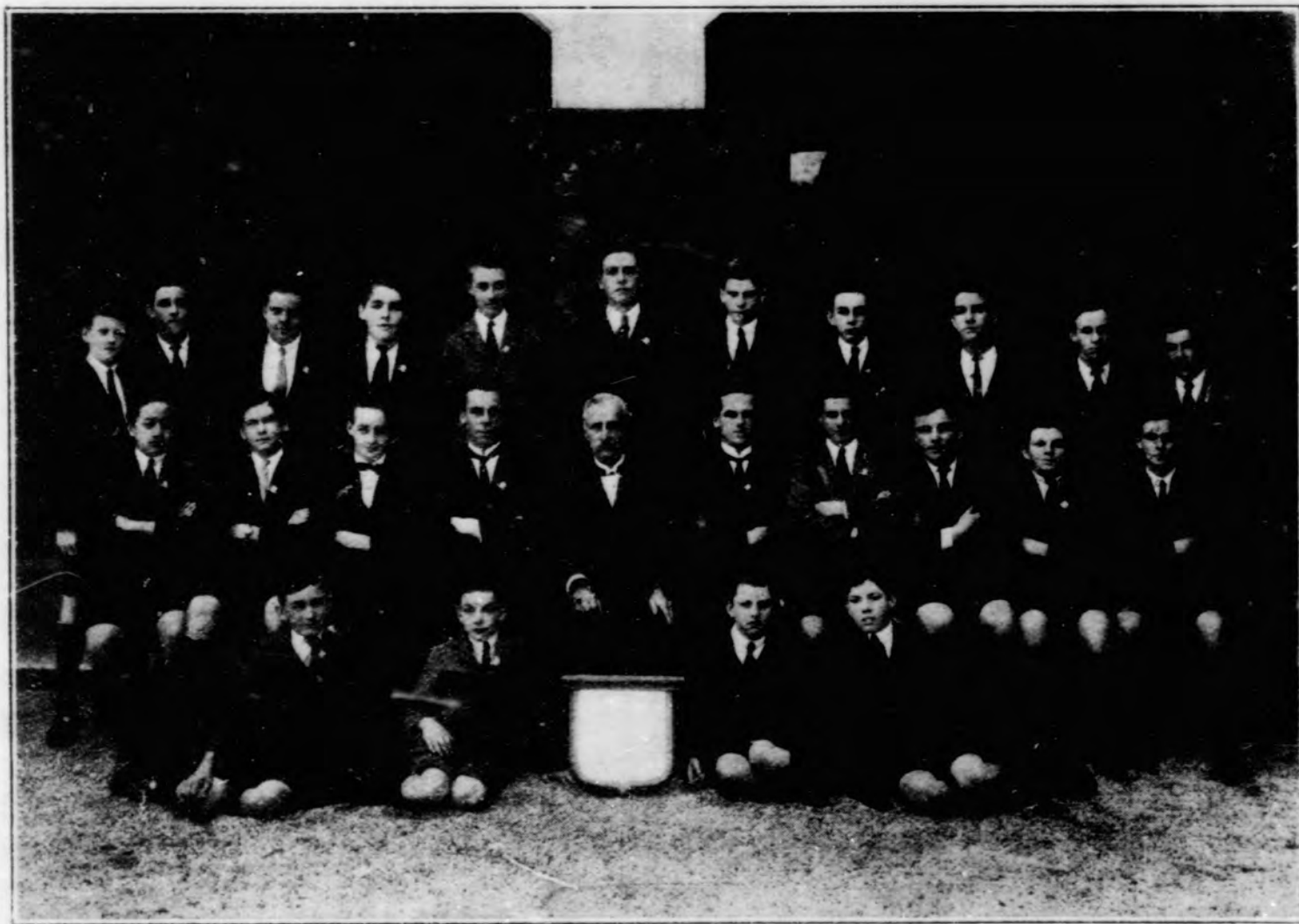
ANNUAL MEETING.

The twenty-second annual general meeting of the Association was held on Monday, 23rd August, in the National Democratic Council Rooms, Queen Street. The meeting had been postponed just a month later than usual, on account of the Jubilee celebrations and the visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. Not only was the attendance this year somewhat larger than usual, but also the spirit that pervaded the meeting was livelier, and demonstrated a deeper interest in the doings and welfare of the Association.

Among those present were Messrs. R. M. King, A. D. Graham, F. S. N. Bousfield, T. E. Jones, E. R. Crouch, S. Stephenson, J. G. Nowlan, P. Newman-Wilson, Colonel F. J. O'Mahony, R. C. Brier, R. S. Irvine, M. C. Williamson, W. M. Hall, G. S. Wilson, T. C. Troedson, C. A. Mutch, A. P. Mutch, A. E. Brooks, Donald Gunn, M.L.A., W. E. Graham, R. S. Reid, T. Strachan, W. Wilson, A. T. Beak, N. L. Thomas, H. Harris, C. B. Fox, W. S. Leslie, G. Waugh, C. R. H. MacDonnell, J. P. Cleeve, R. M. Blunt, A. T. Fullagar, H. S. Fletcher, F. E. Pointon, and others. Apologies for absence were received from Mr. R. H. Roe, Brigadier-General J. H. Cannan, G. H. Pritchard, F. J. Heussler, and others.

The President, Mr. R. M. King, having taken the chair, the Hon. Secretary Mr. J. G. Nowlan, read the minutes of last year's general meeting, the notice convening the meeting, list of apologies, and an announcement of the School concert and dramatic performance to take place on 13th September.

The Chairman, Mr. R. M. King, in proposing the adoption of the Annual Report and Financial Statement, referred to the retirement from the Presidency of Dr. Carvosso, owing to the pressure of professional work, the splendid



STANDING.—F. A. McCready, C. P. Morgan, A. H. McDonald, D. McWatters, E. W. Moxey, A. E. McAllister, E. J. Mannion, G. Y. McLean, E. L. Lambe, A. J. McNab, O. H. McCormack.
MIDDLE ROW.—E. Munwah, F. A. Lee, R. L. McLennan, A. B. Carvosso (coach), Mr. J. G. Cribb, S. A. Trout (coach), H. W. MacDonnell (captain), A. Mutch, E. W. Murrell, L. McGhie.
FRONT ROW.—F. McDonagh, S. McConnel, R. J. D. McKay, W. L. McCarthy.

success of the Jubilee celebrations ; and taking up the various points mentioned in the report, congratulated members on the large growth and expansion of the Association which the last year had witnessed, spoke of the war record of the School, urging Old Boys not to flag in using their best efforts, so that an early start might be made with the projected War Memorial Building. He said he would follow up the example set by Messrs. G. S. Crouch and C. A. Powell by doubling the existing balance of the Costin Memorial Savings Bank Fund. He thought Old Boys should be very satisfied with the success of the School Jubilee celebrations. The rally, in particular, was a splendid idea on the part of Mr. Stephenson. It was heartening to see such a gathering with its revival of old times and old tales, to see the ten worthy veterans of 1869—and what a fine, sturdy, straight-limbed, straight-backed group they made ! and to meet many other representatives of all years and periods. A happy feature was the enthusiastic reception given to Mr. Roe, and indeed Mr. Roe had said afterwards that it was the happiest day of his life. Referring to the proposal to re-open club rooms, he said he was quite in favour of it. The War Memorial had been, so far, disappointing. There had certainly been a large number of subscribers, but the individual subscriptions were small and not in keeping with the importance of the principle at issue, namely, our appreciation of the debt we owe to those who fought and died for us and our liberty. He felt, however, that Mr. Stephenson's persistent energy and enthusiasm would see the thing to a successful issue, and would ultimately be crowned with the success the cause at stake deserved. He thanked the Council and the Vice-President, Mr. A. D. Graham, for the assistance given during his term of office, which had been one of great achievement and success as far as the Association was concerned. He had great pleasure in formally moving the adoption of the Annual Report and Financial Statement.

Mr. A. D. Graham, Vice-President, apologised for his inability, owing to a cold, to do justice to the occasion, by a formal speech, and contented himself with seconding the motion.

Mr. George Waugh, in supporting the motion, said that the Association owes a debt of appreciation and thanks to the Hon. Secretary, for the work he was doing in its behalf. The motion was then put and passed unanimously.

The next proceeding was the election of officers for the ensuing year. On the motion of Mr. Bousfield, Mr. A. D. Graham, who had a record of long and honourable connection with the School in sport and learning, and by sending his son to it, was proposed for the Presidency. Mr. P. Newman-Wilson heartily seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously. Mr. King then vacated the chair, and Mr. Graham was formally installed. He said the occasion called for words and a voice, unfortunately the cold he was suffering from precluded a long speech. He had always had an objection to being "lowered" into the seats of the mighty, but this one position of President of the Old Boys' Association he had always coveted, and now accepted it with great pleasure as a great honour indeed. He had felt diffident of taking over the responsibility, but when he saw how helpful the Council was, and the work done by the Hon. Secretary, he felt that the position was not quite so arduous. The war had shown the true worth of our boys, and he would do his best to keep those marks, acts and deeds to the forefront. He hoped to see a substantial start made during his term of office with the War Memorial.

Mr. Stephenson, seconded by Mr. W. M. Hall, proposed Brigadier-General J. H. Cannan, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., C. de G., as Vice-President, who, he said, was unavoidably absent from the meeting, but that it was a most fitting way of expressing our esteem of him and of the magnificent work he had done. This motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. A. D. Graham then proposed—in self-defence—that Mr. J. G. Nowlan be re-elected Hon. Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. R. M. King, the retiring President, said that he had had personal experience of the assistance

rendered by Mr. Nowlan, and therefore, did not hesitate to second the motion, which was then put and passed unanimously.

Mr. Stephenson proposed, as a corollary to the last motion, that the Association should show its appreciation of his valuable services, by electing Mr. Nowlan to the position of Honorary Life Member.

Mr. King, while heartily in accord with the sentiments of the motion, said that he would propose that two other members, namely, Messrs. S. Stephenson and E. R. Crouch, be also accorded a like honour, in recognition of the long and enthusiastic record of good work these gentlemen had to their credit.

Mr. Jones seconded, adding that Mr. Crouch also had had a large share in instilling vitality and life into the Association, that the success of the Jubilee function was largely due to these members, that when the Trustees had expressed their inability to take an active part in the Jubilee, they had candidly supported Mr. Stephenson's suggestion. The War Memorial was a magnificent example of his work, and if members and Old Boys in general had only one-tenth part of his enthusiasm, there would be no fear as to its ultimate success.

Mr. W. E. Graham, as a Foundation Member, warmly supported the motion. As for Mr. Crouch, he said, we all know him and what he has done, and the Association would be honouring itself by honouring these three members.

The motion having been unanimously carried, Mr. Crouch, in acknowledgment, said he thought it an honour to be associated with Mr. Stephenson in such a manner; he had been himself one of the "original six" who had inaugurated the Association twenty-two years ago. He thanked the meeting for the honour conferred on him.

Mr. Stephenson said he was more or less overwhelmed by the praises heaped upon him, and spoke feelingly in acknowledgment of the honour done to him, "an infant in the School." He recalled the time when the very existence of the Association was trembling in the balance, and how a few sturdy and loyal members had strenuously fought and successfully saved the situation. He thought that Old Boys had been lacking in training, in being asked to do things. The £10,000 asked for the War Memorial had seemed a dream once, but it was becoming slowly, but surely, a very vivid reality. With 5,000 Old Boys to back it up, it ought not to be difficult to realise that £800 wanted to make a start.

Mr. Nowlan, in acknowledging the high honour conferred upon him, for which he thanked the proposers and the meeting, said that he had had some ten years or so experience of the enthusiastic and loyal work done for the Association by Messrs. Crouch and Stephenson, and had nothing but praise for both these gentlemen. As for the War Memorial, only those who, like himself, were in constant touch with Mr. Stephenson, could realise fully the enormous amount of work he had done, and was still doing, for that most worthy and deserving cause.

Mr. C. B. Fox suggested that "if these be infants" in the Association, then some of the veterans must be very old indeed.

Colonel O'Mahony, seconded by Mr. R. C. Brier, next proposed the re-election of Messrs. P. Newman-Wilson and A. R. Webb as Hon. Auditors, and the motion was duly carried. Mr. P. N. Wilson responded on behalf of himself and Mr. Webb.

The election of the Council was then proceeded with, and as there were eleven nominations, a ballot was taken, resulting in the election of the following:—Messrs. F. S. N. Bousfield, S. Stephenson, E. R. Crouch, T. E. Jones, R. M. King, R. S. Irvine, and W. S. Leslie.

Mr. G. S. Wilson proposed that a message of sympathy with George, in his recent illness, be duly forwarded to him.

Mr. Stephenson suggested that as George was now much better, a letter be sent him, congratulating him on his recovery, and wishing him many

years more of health and association with the School and its Old Boys. This was seconded and passed unanimously.

Mr. Crouch made a statement re the position of the War Memorial proposal, and spoke of plans for future realisation; another Rally to take place at the School, and invited all present, and all who took part in the Jubilee celebrations, to co-operate in carrying the scheme to a successful finish.

Mr. Stephenson mentioned that certain photos. of "69" men and others, and a complete set of the "Annals," and "Seven against Thebes" would be presented at the Rally.

The Chairman, Mr. King, who had resumed the chair at the request of Mr. Graham, introduced the question of a presentation to George, whereupon Mr. George Waugh, proposed that, "in order to recognise the continuous and devoted service of George Rilatt to the School, a subscription list be opened."

Mr. C. B. Fox, who knew George before he joined the School, what time he led a glee choir and a band in the Valley years ago, had pleasure in seconding the motion.

It was finally resolved that the list be opened, subscriptions to be limited to 5s. per member, and to close on September 20th.

In regard to the re-opening of the Club Rooms, Messrs. Irvine and Cleeve reported that they had some 100 or 110 names respectively of members willing to back up the proposal. It was decided to leave the matter in their hands for a while longer, and that they should report progress later to the incoming Council.

Mr. Jones then proposed a vote of thanks to the retiring President, for the worthy and noble manner in which he had filled the position and done his duty during his year of office.

Mr. King responded, and then declared the meeting closed.

SCHOOL ROWING CLUB.

It will interest Old Boys to learn that a determined effort is being made, this year, by the School Rowing Club, to clear off the debt of £160 on the Rowing Shed. A Town Topics benefit, a school concert, and a school dance have been held, and about £100 raised thereby. The club would be grateful to any Old Boy who cared to subscribe towards the complete extinction of the debt. The School fleet is being named after those who present to the shed the cost of a rowing boat, and the club members would very much like to see a boat named the "O.B.A."

The attention of Old Boys is drawn to the list of fixtures for the coming half-year, which is going out in this Magazine. This slip will fill a long-felt want, and take the place of the old-time fixture cards, which were issued annually prior to the war.

Members are reminded that annual subscriptions are now due, and notices are enclosed in this Magazine requesting all who have not yet forwarded their subscriptions, to send them as soon as possible, as the cost of this Magazine has to be faced at once. The increased cost of postage is another reason why we would ask members to give immediate attention to this matter.

Mr. A. C. Carvosso has passed the examination of the Queensland Institute of Ophthalmic Opticians, obtaining the possible marks for all practical work. He saw active service at Bapaume, the Somme, Amiens, Dernancourt, Villers Bretonneaux, Messines, Hamel, etc. At the end of the war he went through the British Optical Institute, London, passed the two highest optical examinations—the Fellowship of the British Optical Association and the Freemanship of the Spectacle Makers Guild, and became a Freeman of the City of London.

Hearty congratulations to Mr. C. A. Powell, who, under the familiar pen-name of "Nil Sine Labore," has been awarded the A.N.A. prize for the best essay on "The Essential Characteristics of an Australian Constitution."

DEATH OF MR. HARRY BAYNES.

It will be learned with regret that Mr. Harry Baynes passed away at his residence, Stephens Road, South Brisbane, at 6 o'clock, on August 27th. The health of the deceased gentleman had been failing during the last two and a half years, and about seven weeks ago he became much weaker. He is survived by his widow, two daughters—Mrs. M. M. Edwards (Brisbane), and Mrs. Arthur Macdonald of Yaamba Station (Rockhampton)—and three sons—Messrs. W. S. Baynes (Moreheads Ltd.), G. E. Baynes (Baynes Ltd.), and R. V. Baynes (who is at present staying at Westland Station in the Longreach district).

The name of Baynes Bros. is known far and wide throughout Queensland, and the names of Harry and Ernest Baynes, the two brothers who built up to such a success the business that was founded by their father, are almost equally well known. The late Mr. Harry Baynes, senior partner in the business, was born at Hawthorn, Melbourne, in 1858, but he was brought to Brisbane by his parents when he was a child. He was educated at the Brisbane Grammar School, and at the age of 18 years was sent to the old Condamine Plains sheep station to obtain a knowledge of stock. He remained for two years on the Darling Downs, and then went to Barambah Station, in the Burnett district, where he became closely associated with cattle. After spending three years at Barambah Station, he returned to Brisbane, to assist his father in the old Graziers' Butchery. In 1884, on the retirement of his father, Mr. Baynes became the senior partner, and under his management there grew up the Queensport meatworks, the fellmongery at Belmont, and various shops throughout the city. Apart from his own business, Mr. Baynes devoted a good deal of time to local government. He was a member of the old Woolloongabba Divisional Board before that area was incorporated with the South Brisbane municipality, and he was afterwards a member of the Stephens Divisional Board and the Belmont Divisional Board, and in later years he was closely associated with both the Stephens and Belmont Shire Councils. Like his brother, he was an enthusiastic supporter of rowing, not only pulling a good stroke himself, but encouraging and teaching younger men. He was also a keen supporter of the turf, and for many years was a steward of the Queensland Turf Club. His assistance and encouragement were always given to the National Association, and the work of Messrs. Harry and Ernest Baynes, both as exhibitors at, and staunch supporters of the various exhibitions, is well known.

MR. J. J. O'HARA-WOOD.

The death of Mr. John James O'Hara-Wood occurred at East St. Kilda, Melbourne, on 29th September, at the age of 57 years. The deceased was a native of Queensland, and received his first schooling at the Brisbane Grammar School. He subsequently went to Trinity College, Melbourne, and after winning the Perry Scholarship, commenced the study of law at the Melbourne University. He was admitted to the Bar in 1888, but his first actual experience with law was as associate to His Honour the late Mr. Justice Harding, of Queensland. On his return to Victoria he built up a large practice. Deceased leaves a widow, who is a daughter of the late Sir Edward Holroyd. Mrs. O'Hara Wood and her daughter are at present on their way from England on the steamer Euripides. His only son, Major Arthur O'Hara Wood, a champion tennis player, was killed whilst serving with the air forces at the Front, a few days before the signing of the armistice.

Births

- GREENFIELD.—July 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Greenfield—a son.
 LETHBRIDGE.— to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lethbridge, Junr.—a daughter.
 MANNING.—August 2nd, to Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Manning—a son.
 NEWTON.—August 9th, to Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. F. G. Newton—a son.
 O'MAHONY.—July 8th, to Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. F. J. O'Mahony—a son.
 WALSH.—July 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh—a son.
 HALL.—June 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hall—a son.
 RUTTER.—July 9th, to Capt. and Mrs. R. C. Rutter—a son.
 TINLEY.—July 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Tinley—a daughter.

Marriages

- CHANDLER-MACPHERSON.—June 19th, Joseph Keaston Chandler to Heather Macpherson, Whyenbah, Dirranbandi.
 HOCKINGS-ROBINSON.—June 21st, Eric Raymond Hockings to Marion Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicol Robinson.
 PETERMAN-GUSTAVSON.—July 7th, William E. E. Peterman to Dorothy Gustavson, New Farm.
 PHILLIPS-PEGLER.—September 18th, W. J. *Phillips to Majorie Pegler, Mosman, Sydney.
 RYDER-TAYLOR.—July 7th, Robin Leslie Ryder to Ailsa Marion Munro Taylor, Dornoch Terrace.
 SUTTON-SOUTHGATE.—March 17th, Mordaunt Graham Sutton, M.B., Ch.M., F.R.C.S., Edin., to Beryl Esmie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Southgate, Hampton, Wick, London.
 TAYLOR-BLYTH.—September 28th, Lieut. Walden Taylor to Cecil Blyth, of Southport.
 TICKLE-PRYME.—June 1st, Victor G. Tickle to Alma Pryme.
 UNMACK-GRANT.—June 12th, at Los Angeles, Oscar Unmack to Lucy North Grant.
 WATSON-FISHER.—June 2nd, at Clayfield, Victor L. Watson to Frances L. Fisher.
 FERGUSON-JACKLYN.—April 8th, Malcolm A. Ferguson to Madge Jacklyn.
 MACARTNEY-CLIFFORD-MOSS.—November 2nd, Ellison E. Macartney to Thelma Buchanan; widow of late H. S. Clifford-Moss, and daughter of Capt. and Mrs. W. Lambert, of Sutton, Surrey, England.

Deaths

- BENJAMIN.—June 22nd, H. Benjamin, solicitor, aged 42.
 BAYNES.—August 27th, Harry Baynes, aged 61.
 GRIFFITH.—August 10th, Sir Samuel Griffith.
 DODS.—July 23rd, Robert Smith Dods, A.R.I.B.A.
 HEUSSLER.—April 1st, Christian (Kit) Heussler, aged 56.
 O'HARA-WOOD.—September 29th, J. J. O'Hara-Wood, aged 57.
 WILKINS.—July 18th, at Maryborough Hospital, Arthur M. Wilkins (late A.I.F.), aged 36.
 RILATT.—August 8th, Albert George Rilatt.

Late News

SHOOTING.

On Saturday, November 6, Shooting took place to decide the School Championship, which carries with it the possession of Lieut.-Colonel Hopkins' Challenge Cup, and the Costin Memorial Medal. The conditions were 7 shots at 200, 500 yards; maximum 56. The result was:—

1. J. G. Drake	...	...	38
2. E. C. Fison	...	...	35
3. C. S. Billington	...	...	35

CRICKET.

B.G.S. v. SOUTHPORT SCHOOL.

Played on the Turf on November 6. Heavy rain had made the wicket soft, and Southport won the toss, and decided to field first. They probably suffered in consequence, as the wicket grew worse as the day advanced. Special mention should be made of Morgan's wonderful performance in stumping three players in one over. B.G.S. won by an innings and 52 runs. The following are the scores:—

B.G.S.—First Innings.

A. R. Fraser, c. Moyse, b. McQueen	...	...	...	...	38
H. W. MacDonnell, c. Lethbridge, b. Bryant	...	...	...	...	13
K. Hurwood, c. and b. McQueen	...	...	...	...	10
S. N. Gaydon, c. Warner, b. McQueen	...	...	...	...	2
D. A. Lavery, hit wicket, b. Warner	...	...	...	...	0
C. S. Billington, b. McQueen	...	...	...	...	0
J. Raymond, l.b.w., b. Warner	...	...	...	...	19
A. B. Carvosso, c. Roberts, b. McQueen	...	...	...	...	12
C. W. Morgan, l.b.w., b. McQueen	...	...	...	...	4
G. Seaman, c. Lane, b. Warner	...	...	...	...	7
L. Gielis, not out	...	...	...	...	7
Extras	...	...	...	...	14
Total	...	...	...	...	126

BOWLING.—Bryant, 1 wicket for 42; Oxenford, 0 wickets for 7; McQueen, 6 wickets for 29; Warner, 3 wickets for 34.

SOUTHPORT SCHOOL.

First Innings.

Oxenford, c. Gielis, b. Hurwood	9
Douglas, hit wkt., b. Hurwood	4
Warner, c. Lavery, b. Hurwood	0
Lane, c. MacDonnell, b. Hurwood	5
Champion, st. Morgan, b. Carvosso	0
Moyse, st. Morgan, b. Carvosso	0
Lethbridge, st. Morgan, b. Carvosso	0
Roberts, c. Lavery, b. Hurwood	3
Bryant, c. and b. Carvosso	0
McQueen, c. Carvosso, b. Hurwood	0
McCay, not out	12
Extras	2

Total ... 25

Second Innings.

c. Gielis b. Carvosso	...	1
b. Hurwood	...	18
c. Seaman, b. Hurwood	...	0
c. Morgan, b. Carvosso	...	0
c. Gielis, b. Hurwood	...	2
c. Fraser, b. Hurwood	...	6
c. Raymond, b. Hurwood	...	1
c. Raymond, b. Hurwood	...	8
run out	...	0
not out	...	0
c. Seaman, b. Hurwood	...	0
Extras	...	3

Total ... 39

BOWLING.—Hurwood, 6 wickets for 8; Raymond, 0 wickets for 13; Carvosso, 4 wickets for 12.

BOWLING.—Hurwood, 6 wickets for 14; Carvosso, 3 wickets for 22.