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HIGH SCHOOL

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# The Headmaster's Message

For the first time in the history of the world, a party of men has spent the winter at the South Pole, the centre of the inhospitable Antarctic continent.

This is one of the many expeditionary parties at present engaged in exploring the frozen Antarctic wastes.

These expeditions sponsored by many countries, including our own, are attempting to determine, insofar as is possible, the extent and nature of Antarctica; whether it is really a continent or a huge archipelago, overladen with an enormous ice pack.

Numerous other investigations of scientific interest are also being made, and no doubt a great deal of valuable information will be obtained.

By general consent, the nations taking part in these investigations have decided to call this the Geo-physical Year.

Perhaps the most sensational experiment carried out in connection with this Geo-physical Year has been the successful launching of the satellite Sputnik by scientists in the U.S.S.R.

Residents of Sydney are particularly fortunate in being able to see the satellite — or its launching rocket — on several successive evenings, and no doubt most of you saw the little speck of light streak across the sky.

What an interesting age it is! Some of our young people may have an opportunity some day to man a satellite — who knows? What a change since the days when Ulysees roamed the Mediterranean and came home to tell good stories; or when Eric the Red sailed west to Vinland; or when Columbus sailed to the new world, and returned with tales to startle the stay-at-homes.

Now, equipped with new powers, man is peering out into space and dreaming of new exploits. Many of man's great achievements have been made in spite of repeated set-backs, in the face of apparently insuperable difficulties, and with great personal discomfort. None of us can read these things without gaining a great inspiration.

Recently we were all thrilled when Hillary and Tensing reached the summit of Everest. Who can hear of the exploits of Scott, Shackleton, Amundsen, Byrd or, indeed, of any of the great navigators and explorers without a thrill?

There is something within man — a thirst for truth and knowledge — that drives him onward, ever onward.

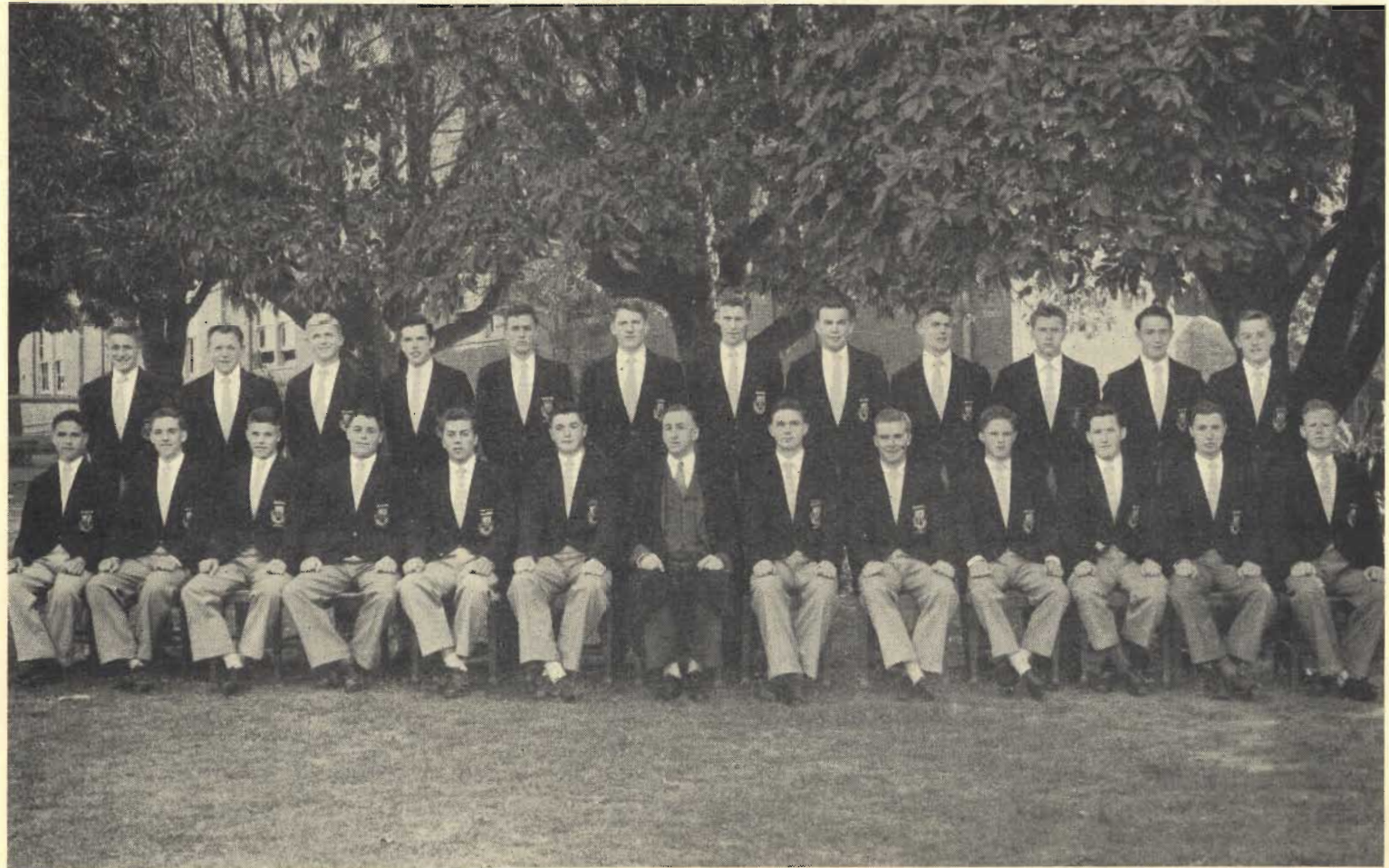
I feel sure that amongst our own boys we have the material of which great men are made, and that amongst us there are those who will carry on man's search after truth and knowledge, with courage and determination.

Boys, if the opportunity comes your way, do not be afraid to take it, and do your part to help man blazon his way to the stars. As Sir John Hunt has said: "There is no height, no depth, that the spirit of man, guided by a higher Spirit, cannot attain."

*J. R. Mason*



## PREFECTS - 1957



Standing (left to right): T. Williams, G. Storum, P. Everett, R. Moorhead, M. Parkinson, D. Gillies, C. McIlvray, D. Shorter, J. Meincke, R. Brammall, K. Makins, J. Mitchell.

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Absent: Mr. P. Carnegie, I. Anderson.



## The Ladies' Auxiliary

# REPORT ON YEAR'S ACTIVITY

This has been, once again, a busy year but, we feel, a most successful one.

We lost many experienced mothers, only to gain new ones, and the untiring efforts of all who work in such harmony are responsible for our success.

To Mr. Mason and his staff we extend our sincere thanks for their consideration and co-operation — given at all times — without which our efforts would be most difficult; and to Mrs. Mason, our appreciation of her interest in the Auxiliary.

During the year Mrs. Aitken, through illness, was forced to resign as President, and her presence was missed at our meetings. Mrs. Reeve, Vice-President, was asked to carry on until the end of the year, and we thank her for so doing and extend to her our warm appreciation for a job well done. Our Treasurer, Mrs. Williams, also through illness, was absent for a time, but is now back on the job in her usual happy manner.

One innovation in March was the Fashion Parade, organised by the Cakes and Sweets Stall holders. This proved to be the most successful function of the year and should continue to be a popular and profitable yearly event. The fete, of course, brought its usual pleasing results, and all workers should be complimented on their willing and untiring efforts towards this end. The sale of souvenir spoons was of considerable help to our total, and we intend keeping a supply on hand for intending purchasers. The jumble sale in June showed a pleasing profit, and we thank all who so kindly helped. In July we held our card party, which was well attended and the result was pleasing. Also this month we helped with the catering for the Prefects' Dance. Our August meeting was followed by an Exhibition of Dressed Dolls, kindly lent by Mrs.

Bolliger. On this occasion, we entertained visitors from other schools, who expressed their pleasure at being with us. We approached Sports Day in September with a great deal of trepidation, as this was the first time our own playing fields were used for the annual sports. The day dawned fine and, as usual, proved most successful. We feel sure that a pleasant day was enjoyed by the boys as well as the parents and staff.

We are looking forward to catering for Passing-Out Parade, 4th Year farewell to 5th Year, and the combined dance with North Sydney Girls' High School; also to decorating the hall for Speech Day.

During the year, members made swimming caps for the team and we purchased for the school football shorts, sports singlets, carpet for the stage stairway, curtains and blind for the headmaster's room, band music and drum covers, and cupboard unit and lino. for cadet room. The Opportunity Table has continued to help our funds owing to the support of members, both by donations and purchases.

Our kitchen is still something we hope for, but it would seem we shall not have to wait much longer. We should like to thank the Parents & Citizens' Association for their help in this matter, and for their assistance and support throughout the year.

Without the co-operation of our members, we could not hope to succeed, and we should like to thank all mothers who work throughout the year so willingly and happily for the Auxiliary. The friendly atmosphere that exists is surely a recommendation to mothers not already members, and we extend a very warm welcome to new mothers and look forward to another successful year.

— ENID DURHAM,  
Hon. Secretary.

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# OUTSTANDING PUPILS

The Leaving Certificate results for the School for the year 1956 were outstanding. Although there were not as many candidates as usual, the boys secured more honours than in any other

year of the School's history. They also gained fourteen out of the first hundred places in the State; the greatest number of places gained in any previous year being eight.



**BRIAN JARDINE**  
18th in English,  
72nd in Aggregate.



**GEOFFREY LANE**  
6th in Maths I, 4th  
in Maths II, 46th in  
Aggregate.



**BRUCE JAMES**  
Equal 1st in Latin,  
2nd in French, 6th  
in Aggregate.



**MAX SUMICH**  
1st in Chemistry,  
5th in Aggregate,  
winner of The  
Liversidge Scholarship  
No. 2.



**JOHN ROBERTSON**  
Equal 90th in Ag-  
gregate.



**KELVIN  
WELLINGTON**  
19th in Chemistry,  
44th in Physics,  
Equal 90th in Ag-  
gregate.



OUTSTANDING PUPILS



RALPH ORWELL  
Equal 7th in Chem-  
istry. Scholarship in  
Textile Technology.  
82nd in Aggregate.



GEOFFREY GOUGH  
42nd in German,  
24th in Chemistry,  
67th in Aggregate.



FRANK IRONS  
24th in Maths I,  
30th in Physics,  
79th in Aggregate.



ROBERT DENNING  
23rd in Chemistry,  
28th in Physics,  
90th in Aggregate.



DAVID FERRARO  
1st in Greek, 17th  
in Latin, 82nd in  
Aggregate. Cooper  
Scholarship No. 11  
for Classics.



MAX WAGNER  
1st in Physics, 7th  
in Chemistry, 44th  
in Aggregate.



GLENN WILSON  
Equal 2nd in Maths  
I, 2nd in Maths II,  
3rd in Aggregate  
for State. Winner  
of the Horner Ex-  
hibition for Mathe-  
matics, winner of  
the Plumian Schol-  
arship for General  
Proficiency.



GORDON COX  
Equal 2nd in Maths  
I, 6th in Maths II,  
20th in Aggregate.



## North Sydney Boys' High School

### Parents and Citizens' Association

# REPORT FOR 1957

This year has so far been a quiet year without any special or big occasion to highlight our activities. We have, nevertheless, been active in our work for the School. The most pressing need of the School is that of more accommodation and better and more up-to-date facilities for teaching.

At the end of last year a deputation from the Association waited on the Minister for Education and presented a Petition containing hundreds of signatures which asked that the proposed additions to the school buildings be commenced without delay. This Deputation was optimistic in thinking that there was a good chance of the work being commenced during this year; and they had good grounds for so thinking. It was disheartening then to learn when a further approach was made to the Minister during August that the work was not likely to begin this year. However, the matter is not being allowed to rest and the plans gather dust in a cosy pigeon hole. Further representations are being made to have the work speeded up. The Association feels that this School, enjoying as it does a place amongst the great schools, should be given every facility for better teaching and training of its pupils. The library, once a model for all school libraries, is now far too small, the science laboratories are old and inadequate, classrooms are insufficient and overcrowded and staff amenities are almost non-existent. But in spite of all these drawbacks great results in all fields of school work and activities have been achieved and it is felt that the Headmaster and his Staff merit the praise of all parents and pupils. The proposed additions, for which plans are in existence, would raise the standards even higher and would make teaching and learning a more pleasant and rewarding task.

The Fete held early in the year was again something to be talked about for a long time after the last ice-cream and the last hot dog had been sold. The record in takings was again broken and it appeared that the function was even more enjoyable than ever. And for this

we thank the Ladies' Auxiliary and stall-holders whose work extended over many weeks, the Headmaster and Staff and all those parents, pupils and members who gave and helped and then gave and helped again without fuss or bother or complaint. A perusal of the Accounts, which have been published, shows some truly remarkable results. Again, there were some activities which, though not showing a large profit, at the same time did more than their share of making the Fete memorable and worthwhile for all those who came. Plans are even now being quietly made for next year; the enthusiasm never dies.

During the year the tennis courts have been re-surfaced, a radio with a pick-up for use with the tape recorder has been purchased, band instruments have been repaired and some replaced, and many other small matters have been attended to by one or other of our many committees. Money has been set aside for a kitchen for the Ladies' Auxiliary and the balance of the commitment for the Playing Fields has been paid to the Playing Fields' Fund. Before the end of the year it is hoped that a further large scale project will have been decided on by the Association and talks are taking place to this end.

The Association thanks the Ladies' Auxiliary for its splendid and loyal support at all times and the Headmaster and Staff for their help and co-operation and for the remarkable results they have achieved in spite of the difficulties under which they work.

—W. H. PENNINGTON, Hon. Secretary.



## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

It is with deep regret that the news of the death of Mr. A. E. Winney was received in second term. Mr. Winney had been associated with the School for the past twenty-five years and was well known to all the boys who have been through the School in that time. Mr. Winney was in the original Anzac Landing and served on Gallipoli until he was wounded, and later on the Western Front. We shall miss him from our School, where he has played his part for so many years. We repeat our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Winney and her family and relatives.

Departures at the end of 1956 included Messrs. R. L. Docherty (to English-History Master at West Wyalong High School), N. C. Hope (travelling overseas), G. P. Powderley (to Wagga High School), I. R. Campbell (to Munich University on Research Scholarship), R. F. Smith (to Manly Boys' High School), L. K. Towner (to Exchange Teaching at Bonn, West Germany), Mrs. P. Watts (to North Sydney Girls' High School), T. Harborne (to retirement), D. S. Biddle (to Commerce Master at Glen Innes and Lectureship at Sydney Teachers' College), T. H. Symonds (to Special Swimming Instruction Group), A. H. Dixon and J. H. Lowe (both to Naremburn Intermediate High School).

We welcome to the Staff Messrs. N. P. Devir, R. J. McDonald, L. Seiffert, N. L. Wigney, E. H. Johnson, A. A. Foster, and W. L. Butts (from Dubbo High School), H. E. McAndrew (from Hurlstone Agricultural High School), C. Taylor (from Canterbury High School), and C. G. Le Febvre (from Bega High School). It is a pleasure to welcome the return to the School Staff of Mr. W. Marjoram, of the Manual Training Staff, and of Mr. H. V. Cranston. Mr. Cranston, until his retirement three or four years ago, had been at the School for a period of over eighteen years. Mr. James, too, has rejoined the Education Department after teaching at one of the leading private schools since his retirement some years ago.

While welcoming to the Staff such highly-experienced teachers as Messrs. Cranston and James, we must note with regret the retirement of one of the staunchest pillars of the School in the person of Mr. T. Harborne. At a short Staff function held to farewell Mr. Harborne, reference was made to his outstanding services to the Department of Education generally, to the cause of education in the State by his publication of several text books, and to this School in particular by his devoted service here for over twenty-four years both as teacher and Careers Adviser.

Both Manual Training teachers of 1956 have been replaced, and we welcome Messrs. Foster and Marjoram in their place.

When Mr. L. Seiffert takes up his Research Scholarship at Munich University next year, he will be able to talk over North Sydney days

with Mr. I. Campbell, who is already at Munich on Special Scholarship. A little further away will be another teacher of many years' teaching at this School, in the person of Mr. L. Towner, on exchange-teaching in Bonn. Over the Channel he will probably meet Mr. L. Hergenhan, who was teaching at this School for several weeks early in the year and is at present on exchange-teaching in London. While not daring to hazard a guess where he will meet Mr. N. Hope, who was teaching at this School for several years before going European walkabout, we must admit that the plaintive bleats of Sputnik do sound familiar.

Present Fourth Year Students, most of whom will be studying "Hamlet" next year, had the privilege this year of seeing three different presentations of the play. The first two were stage presentations at the Elizabethan Theatre, once during the School Drama Festival and the second the Hugh Hunt-Paul Rogers interpretation. The third was the film of the Olivier interpretation, when Fourth Year pupils were invited by the Technical College Students to the filming in the School Hall.

Other films witnessed as part of the School course were "Pickwick Papers" and "David Copperfield," while it is hoped to be able to present later in the year some early Australian silent films, including "On Our Selection" and "The Sentimental Bloke." The pupils have every reason to be grateful to Mr. R. McDonald for his enthusiastic co-operation with the films.

Some members of the Staff born before the Technological Renaissance have been highly impressed by the efficiency with which so many pupils of the School are able to handle the cinematograph and the tape recorders. This knowledge is readily imparted to other lads interested, as we see in the activities of the Hobbies Club.

As usual, we pay tribute here to the many Masters and Students who have given so much time and talent to satisfactory running of various School activities and to the provision of School services. This development of student leadership has been an important factor in School life for many years, and one of its most interesting revelations is in the School Revue. Once again the School Revue was a brilliant success; we point out in passing how much sheer hard work and inspiration are given almost only casual reference in the various reports submitted by the School Revue Committee, the Parents and Citizens' Association, and all the other groups. History students have here an interesting exercise, imagining the actual events from the very modest reports printed in this issue.

Again this year Fourth Year mothers provided a banquet for the departing Fifth Year, and we thank them and their sons in Fourth Year for a carefully organized and most enjoyable function.

We are indebted to the ladies and gentlemen who conduct Scripture here week by week, and



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feel that the present method of organization makes this period one of real and abiding value to the majority of boys of the School.

Several gentlemen have visited the School throughout the year to acquaint boys with the possible openings for them in various professions and careers. To them also we extend our thanks.

Special mention must be made of the brilliant handling of the business management of "The Falcon" this year by Mr. E. S. Rolfe, who was also responsible for the new cover design.

### ANZAC DAY.

On Anzac Day this year, as last year, the School assembled in the Hall and received the broadcast of the Schools' Ceremony.

### EMPIRE DAY.

On Empire Day we combined musical items with a number of brief speeches by boys of the School. Boys who participated were P. Christiansen, M. Smith and C. Oakley.

### SPEECH DAY.

Speech Day, held on 23rd October, 1956, was chaired by Mr. W. S. Gilbert, President of the P. and C. Association. In addition to representatives of the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Old Falconians' Union, Mr. A. W. Stephens, Director of Secondary Education, and Dr. K. Kirkland, an ex-Olympian Old Boy of the School, were present and spoke to the assembled School and the many parents who attended.

In presenting the Headmaster's Report, Mr. Mason referred to the official opening of the Falcon Memorial Playing Fields during the year and to transport costs involved for pupils. However, the present greatest difficulty of the School, he said, was the inadequacy of accommodation. "Travelling classes are a menace. They add to the noise, indiscipline and social irresponsibility typical of so much in the modern community. Many boys," the Headmaster went on, "may weather such conditions, but the boy we really want to help, the boy who is passing through a formative stage, who has not decided on a definite career, who is sensitive and self-conscious, finds such an environment a handicap and he fails; fails academically and socially, fails to develop that well-integrated personality that educationalists speak about so glibly."

Mr. Mason went on to review the various School activities, educational, sporting and social, and the various auxiliaries serving the School.

Mesdames Stephens, Aitken and Gilbert presented prizes and certificates; Mrs. Savage presented Chess Cups; Mr. Stephens presented the Karl Cramp Trophy and A. I. Davern Trophy for Debating and most effective speakers in Senior Debating Final; Mr. W. J. Treloar presented the

Treloar Prize for School Athletics; Messrs. Henry and McGeorge the School Blues; and Mr. Carnegie and School Captain Terry Trousdale presented the Badges to Prefects of 1957.

The Choral Group, conducted by Mr. Buck, again rendered an enjoyable afternoon's music between items.

### LIFE SAVING.

At the end of Third Term, 1956, in excellent weather, a large group of Fourth Year instructors, under the supervision of members of the Staff, put the majority of our First Year boys and a considerable number of Second Year boys through various Life Saving courses. About fifty non-swimmers also performed satisfactorily, so that by the end of 1956 we could say that the number of non-swimmers in the School was practically nil.

In Life Saving the School gained 441 awards, a total of 1,195 points. This total was third place in Metropolitan Boys' High Schools, being exceeded only by Homebush High and Randwick High, and was higher than the total points gained by any single Country High or Secondary School. The pupils and the Staff concerned and the School generally, have every reason to be proud of this distinctive record in Life Saving.

### HOBBIES CLUB

This year saw the initiation of our new patron, Mr. A. McAndrew, who proved ideally suited for the job, having a keen interest in various hobbies. I should like to congratulate him, on behalf of the Club, on a job well done.

At the Annual Fête the profits from the Hobbies Club Exhibition were lower by about £30 than those of the previous year. This decrease was due mainly to the fact that Henry Hirschorn's snakes (always a popular attraction at the Fête) got stage-fright at the last moment. Nevertheless, the members of the Club are to be complimented on their various exhibits. The "00" Gauge Railways were outright winners in the voting competition, with Photography narrowly defeating the Sailing Group for second position. I should also like to thank the boys who arranged the Scout Exhibit (Bob and Geoff. Sawkins, John H. Prescott and John Bourn) for a fine display of work.

Mr. Clucas, after many years of lecturing on Photography, retired at the middle of this year and his place was taken by Mr. Baxter, who has continued on with his predecessor's good work by continuing to lecture at the School every second Friday.

Thanks also to Tim Creer and Jim Rae, whose assistance I found invaluable throughout the year.

In conclusion, I should like to wish next year's president all the best and I hope he has as enjoyable a time in his office as I have had during the last two years.

—GRAHAM HUMPHREYS, President.

P.S.—The Radio and Electronics Group might well keep in mind at the next Fête that "Silence is Golden."



# OLD FALCONIANS' UNION

## YEAR'S ACTIVITIES

The Old Boys fielded two strong teams in the Annual Football Match against the School, proving successful in both matches. The School put up quite a creditable performance, but with Northern Suburbs regular First Grade halves K. Ryan and L. Virtue turning out for the O.B.U. and with a vigorous set of forwards, the School found the going a bit too tough. The Annual Tennis Match was the usual success, though it was unfortunate that one of the School stars, G. Pares, was unavailable.

Both the Annual Ball and the Xmas Ball were very successful functions and were a credit to their organisers.

The Annual Dinner, held on the 20th September at the Wentworth, was a success in every

## NOTES ON OLD BOYS

Ian Craig hardly needs mention for his honour so widely known of Test Captain to the Touring South African Side. The youngest ever and doing a very good job. Good luck, Ian, we hope you bring home the highest honours for yourself and your side.

From Cricket to Football, Rod Phelps and Ron Meadows gained a place in the Wallabies' side to Great Britain, etc. A great honour and a wonderful tour.

John Cheadle won the N.S.W. Squash Championship and is playing 1st grade cricket for Mosman.

Kevin Ryan is playing 1st grade cricket for Mosman and played 1st grade football for Northern Suburbs.

## OFFICE-BEARERS, 1957

Patron: T. R. Mason.

President: A. F. Henry.

Vice-Presidents: L. McKern, S. O'Donnell.

Hon. Secretary: J. H. Knox.

Asst. Hon. Secretary: J. Bond.

Treasurer: A. Savage.

Asst. Treasurer: R. Marsden.

Undergraduate Secretary: P. Burgess.

Undergraduate Liaison Officer, University of Technology: R. Orwell.

Registrar: L. Pares.

Committee: N. Hughes, R. Werner, J. Bond, R. Orwell, R. Tebbutt, M. Syme, W. F. Thompson.

way. A record number of Old Boys attended ranging in age from the first scholars of the School up to the present, including a good number just out of school. The total present was 182, which was more than 50 above the previous best attendance. A feature of recent dinners has been the invitation to a past prominent Master of the School. This year we had the pleasure of the company of Mr. Andy Watson, a Deputy Headmaster of the twenties. Many of the Old Boys had not previously been to a dinner of Old Boys and had not met friends for many years. Many were the memories revived. Next year we hope to exceed the record of this year.

There was a small attendance at the Annual Golf Day held at N.S.W. Golf Club.

Mr. Alan Savage, who had been President of the Union for many years, and has held office for over 30 years, retired as President at the Annual Meeting, but consented to act as Treasurer. Old Boys are grateful for his many years of faithful service. Mr. Arthur Henry is a very worthy successor as President. Alan made his final act as President, that of handing to the Chairman of the Playing Fields Trust, Mr. Mason, a cheque for £700. It is gratifying to know that moneys required for this project are now in hand.

Old Falconions also helped in the work of the Annual School Fete and their usual stalls of Hoopla and Darts were successful in raising over £100.

Leigh Virtue was a member of this XV too.

Geoff. Missen playing Gordon 1st XV.

Peter Philpott is again in the State Cricket Team.

Frank Hoffman, 1951. In the N.S.W. Debating Team and won the N.S.W. Singles.

Peter Hanlin represented Australia at the Olympic Games, and Brian Fitzgerald was a member of the Athletic Team.

Keith Donald, besides his executive duties for N.S.W. Athletics Association, was frequently heard as a radio commentator at the Games.

David Hawkins has returned from Harvard with his wife.

Angus Martin and Milton Osborne are doing brilliantly at the Sydney University.

Bruce Murphy, Ian Wilesmith and Sydney Hume graduated with honours in Law.

Bruce was a member of the Inter-Varsity and Water Polo teams.

Neil Hawkins gained honours in Engineering.

Rodney Rickards gained University Medal in Science and is to study at the Manchester University.

Bruce McKern has gained a Scholarship to an American University.



Ian Wilesmith has announced his engagement, as has Brian Davidson, now practising Law in Taree.

Bruce Chambers married prominent Old Boy Dick Wright's daughter.

Paul Berger, after studying Atomic Warfare in Britain, is training National Service boys in the Navy.

Ross Drew, 1930. President of the Tax Payers' Association of N.S.W.

Colin Bannister, School Captain, 1948, and winner of the Sword of Honour at Royal Military College, sailed recently for Malaya with the Royal Australian Regiment.

Wal. Campbell, Senior Under Officer, 1948, and Graduate of R.M.C., won the M.C. recently in Malaya for outstanding leadership of his platoon in action.

Ian James (1952), Ian Davidson (1953) and Peter Sheridan (1952) were Sydney University representatives in Inter-varsity Swimming and Water Polo.

#### OLD BOYS AT N.S.W.U.T. DURING 1957.

##### Graduates:

Last year David Magnusson in Mech. Eng. He is now a Ph.D. student. Also Bob Baxter in Mech. Eng.

##### Fifth Year (Part Time):

Geoffrey Hind—Civil Eng.

##### Fourth Year:

David McLennan — Food Technology (Part Time); Robert Hemming — Optometry (Full Time); Robert also does some competitive swimming; Warwick Savage—Mech. Eng. (Full Time), is also the Secretary of the Students' Union and Editor of its magazine; Len Salkeld—Mech. Eng. (Full Time); John Winton—Civil Eng.

##### Third Year:

Mark Rayner—Chem. Eng. (Part time); Ian Irwin—Metallurgy (Full time); John Skidmore—Metallurgy (Full Time); Peter Fischer—Electrical Eng.

##### Second Year:

Herbert Puch—Chem. Eng. (Part Time); Peter Ring—Mech. Eng.; David Robertson—Electrical Eng.; David Wood—Applied Chemistry.

##### First Year:

Ian Briggs, David Lester, Ralph Orwell—Textile Technology (Full Time); Gordon Cox—Metallurgy (Full Time); Peter Hirst—Architecture (Full Time); Mark Windass—Architecture (Part Time); Ian Berston, Grahame Ashton—Commerce (Full Time); Phillip Lenn—Electrical Eng. (Full Time); Alan Turner—Engineering (Full Time).

Others doing Part Time courses are: Grahame Townes, Robert Hockley, and Fred Jackson.

## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

### THE ROBERT FREDERICK HARVEY LIBRARY

In the Library, 1957 has been marked by the increasing and extensive use made of the special sections, Press 2 and Werner Stern. Several expensive, beautifully illustrated books including "Our Friend the Atom," "This is Australia," "The World We Live In," "Olympic Games" and "Jet Aircraft of the World" have been added to Press 2, and these have been in great demand by boys in all years for use in the Recesses and Library Periods. It is pleasing to note that the new Encyclopaedia Britannica has been widely used and carefully handled. The addition of new English Honours and other special reference books has resulted in an even greater demand on these presses.

Overcrowding is a rapidly increasing problem. The transfer of the Geography and Modern Language sections to the care of the Masters in charge of these subjects is largely the result of this problem. While this move is of considerable advantage to those concerned, it adds to the problems of general Library organization.

JOHN B. PRESCOTT  
Deputy Librarian

### ALLIANCE FRANCAISE

The Alliance Française class for dictation and conversation was again conducted at the School during 1957, first by Madame Beckman and later by Madame Stack. Some of the boys from the Honours class also attended the Cours Préuniversitaires class at Fort Street Girls' High School.

At the examinations, fifty-eight of the seventy-four candidates were successful and eight boys won prizes.

#### Prize-winners were:

- Grade 5: D. Hamilton.
- Grade 4: D. Cohen, G. Dear, P. Wood.
- Grade 3: R. Cumming, W. Elber.
- Grade 2: R. Jones.
- Grade 1: R. Coady.

#### The following boys passed:

Grade 5: F. Bochner, B. Brewer, H. Cheng, R. Court, J. Furedy, R. Grynberg, R. McIver, I. McKee, R. Oakley.

Grade 4: R. Bonthorne, K. Davenport, R. Elkan, C. Gee, D. Gillingham, R. Herrmann, A. Hickson, R. Klinger, P. Matters, S. Robson, N. Saunders, R. Seccombe, A. Walter.

Grade 3: P. Ballard, S. Becroft, P. Christiansen, D. Fox, G. Fraser, J. Gent, J. Goldring, L. Goorevich, M. Hailstone, R. Hunstead, R. McKay, D. Maddocks, D. Robertson, R. Spielman, J. Weissel.

Grade 2: S. Denning, V. Grynberg, R. Henderson, A. Lawson, R. Mitchell, C. Robson, R. Sturrock.

Grade 1: R. Ferguson, R. McIntyre, R. Moors, C. Stockton, J. Walker, R. Winkler.



## SCHOOL NOTES

### FIFTH YEAR REVUE, 1957

The Fifth Year Revue was again, in 1957, a great success, the show having to run for an extra night to cover the record bookings.

This year, as in the past, the problem of continuity was partly solved by a jazz group. This band has subsequently done a number of engagements and has firmly established itself as a highly polished and unusually entertaining group. Under the direction of Geoff Yates on trumpet, the members were Stan May on clarinet, Bob Moorhead on trombone, John Wyndham on drums and Dave Rubie at the piano.

On the "dramatic" side the fast moving sketches containing both wit and satire were enthusiastically received, and special mention should perhaps go to "Romper's Room," "On Looking Back," "School Rules" (or Ghoul's Rules) and John Streckfuss' and Geoff Kennedy's somewhat bitter impressions of "Revue Auditioning," all of which were smash hits.

In the field of record miming, Graham Humphries, Tim Creer and John Prescott distinguished themselves for their acts "Mr. Presley" and "Dear John," which were highlights of the Revue. Also in this field was the clever "Ying Tong" sketch, done by "Antonio" Williams, "Eccles" Kennedy, "Bluebottle" McTavish, John Campbell-Barnes, Don Perkin and Tony Morgan.

It is difficult to name individuals for fine performances, but from the entire cast of forty, no record of the show would be complete without mention of Peter Berry, who did an excellent job as Comper. Special mention should also go to Frank McKone for his amazing artistry with his harmonica. Some other names which stick in the minds of all who saw the show are Tony Gilbert, Roger Court and Frank Marks, who combined to give a dash of current affairs satire with their sketch on the proposed Opera House, David Batey, Greg Moore, Grahame Richardson, Felix Bochner, Greg Storum, Eric Perrett, Gerard Draper and Paddy Conroy.

The difficult job of production was handled expertly by Paddy Conroy, and Grahame Richardson kept the Revue going at a lively pace.

Finally, credit must go to the staff for their co-operation, while the appreciation of the entire cast goes to the excellent audiences.

— REVUE COMMITTEE

### MUSIC

The school has maintained its usual high standard of instrumental and vocal music throughout the year.

In July, the tenor and bass sections of the choir participated in the Combined Secondary Schools choral concert at the Sydney Town Hall, when an attractive programme of choral music was presented by a choir of 750 voices. This is

an annual event in which our boys have taken part for the past twelve years.

The Cadet Unit Band has proved a great asset to the school, and never fails to impress whenever it appears in public. We are grateful to the Parents and Citizens' Association for its generosity in supplying three new instruments to replace some of the old originals which have given such valuable service for ten years. The Band's performance at the opening ceremony of the Sydney Waratah Spring Festival in Hyde Park reflected great credit on all concerned. After a lapse of two years, during which Gilbert and Sullivan operas were presented, the orchestra was revived in August this year, and by 3rd October it was in a position to perform before the school. It consists of 40 players, in string.



A glimpse of the Band in the School Revue as they play the opening number "Let's Do It." They are John Wyndham, Bob Moorhead, Geoff Yates, Stan May and Dave Rubie.

woodwind, brass and percussion sections. At present we are in need of more violinists. Here is an excellent opportunity for boys to gain experience in orchestral work. Perhaps some of our members will follow the example of past students, who are now professional musicians.

Opportunity for instrumental soloists to perform is given on Friday mornings during Senior Scripture Recess. Programmes of recorded music also are presented and a greater range of music is now available, as we have a machine to handle L.P. records.

— T. L. BUCK

### INTER-SCHOOL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

God has chosen to bless the I.S.C.F. in many ways this year. One was the appointment as I.S.C.F. travelling secretary of Mr. P. Caiger, now in charge of some nearly one hundred and twenty branches in New South Wales. Another was the fine Inter-School Camp at Mt. Keira in January. A dozen boys from North Sydney attended this particular camp, which is one of the best in the State.

I.S.C.F. has a motto: "To know Christ and to make Him known." In our Monday Bible study meetings, we have concentrated on what for a school group is the more important part of this motto. This has resulted in a much-strengthened group, with a constant size of over



fifty. For speakers at fortnightly Friday meetings we have had several visitors and four "Fact and Faith" films. During second term, three teachers gave an excellent series of "doctrinal" talks, showing us how God has worked his plan for man. We know, too, that much blessing has been achieved through our regular Friday afternoon prayer-meetings.

The series of Special Meetings this year, had it done no more, would have caused many to think again on the claim of God to their lives. The speakers, whom we thank for so ably giving up their time, were Mr. W. Andersen, Mr. L. McIntyre, Rev. N. Bathgate, Mr. Justin Ricard. At the annual houseparty, held again at Mt. Victoria, everyone enjoyed himself in spite of a rainy Saturday. The week-end together, not as riotous as in previous years, did much good,

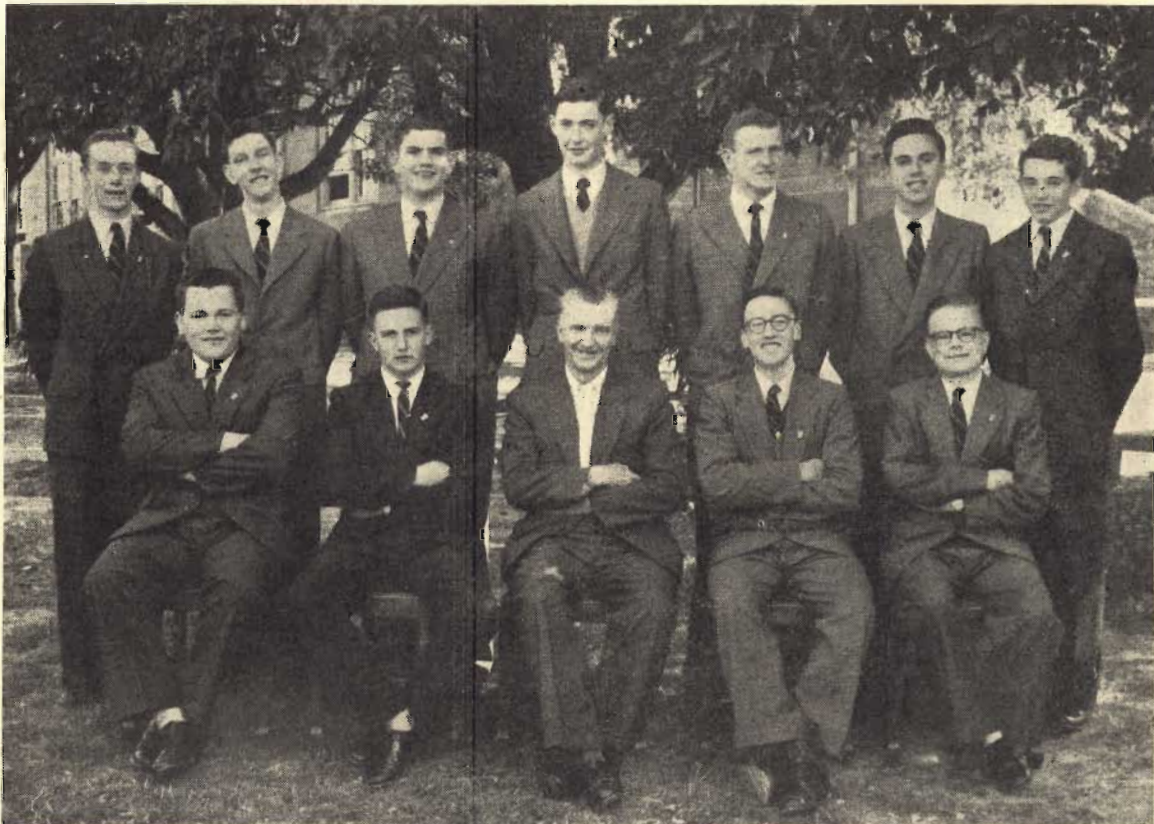
particularly amongst the new Christians. Mr. Caiger, as leader, was assisted by Mr. R. West, Peter and John Nixon, Mr. Wigney and Mr. Bowser. Finally, with the Rev. B. Gook as speaker, the I.S.C.F. held a successful boating outing with the I.S.C.F. from Cremorne Girls' High School.

We wish to thank Mr. Bates (Counsellor), Mr. Bowser and Mr. Wigney for their help through the year, and Mr. Mason and Mr. Carnegie for affording us every possible assistance in carrying out our programme.

As usual, the Committee, ably led by Bruce King, was under God's guidance, the effective spearhead of the year's I.S.C.F. activities.

JOHN BATES,  
Counsellor

## Senior Librarians - 1957



Standing: N. Radford, P. Inman (4th Year); D. Fischer, T. Hume (5th Year); B. MacDonald, W. Yates (4th Year).

Seated: J. Campbell (5th Year), J. B. Prescott (5th Year, Deputy Librarian), Mr. J. Bates (Librarian), J. Healey (5th Year), R. Nicolle (4th Year).



# LEAVING CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION — 1956

## Key to Subjects of Examinations.

1 English. 2 Latin. 3 French. 4 German. 5 Mathematics I. 6 Mathematics II. 7 General Mathematics. 8 Applied Mathematics. 9 Modern History. 10 Ancient History. 11 Combined Physics and Chemistry. 12 Physics. 13 Chemistry. 14 Botany. 15 Geology. 16 Biology. 17 Geography. 18 Economics. 19 Music (Theory and Practice). 20 Art. 21 Needlecraft and Garment Construction. 22 Home Economics. 23 Accountancy. 24 Agriculture. 25 Agricultural Biology. 26 Woolclassing. 27 Physiology and Hygiene. 28 Zoology. 29 Greek. 30 Italian. 31 Chinese. 32 Hebrew. 33 Japanese. 34 Russian. 35 Descriptive Geometry and Drawing. 36 Woodwork. 37 Metalwork. 38 Farm Mechanics. 39 Theory of Music. 40 Social Studies. 41 Sheep Husbandry and Wool Science. 42 Dutch.

The letters "H(1)" signify first-class honours; "H(2)" second-class honours; "A" first-class pass; "B" second-class. The sign "o" denotes those who have passed in the oral tests in French or German.

ASHTON, Graham L., 1B 3B 7B 9B.  
 BASHIR, Khalid R., 1B 3B 7A 9B 12A 13B.  
 BAYLISS, Paul H., 1A 2A 3H(1)o 4A(o) 7B 19A.  
 BERSTEN, Ian J., 1B 2B 3A(o) 4B(o) 7B 10B.  
 BILBE, Graham S., 1B 2B 3A 7B 9B.  
 BOLLIGER, John E., 1B 3A 5B 6B 12A 13A.  
 BOOTH, John R., 1B 3A 5B 6B 12B 18B.  
 BRIGGS, Ian C., 1B 4B(o) 5A 6A 12A 13A.  
 BROWN, Ian L., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12B 13B.  
 BROWNLEE, Hugh, 1B 4H(2)o 5A 6A 12A 13A.  
 BURGESS, Peter J., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12B 17B.  
 CARROLL, Trevor R., 1B 3B 9B 18A.  
 CASHMAN, Richard I., 1B 3B 7B 9A 10A 17H(2).  
 CASKEY, THOMAS A., 1B 7B 9H(1) 17H(2) 18B.  
 COHEN, Richard S., 1B 2B 4B(o) 7B 12A 13A.  
 CONYBEARE, Darrel, 1B 3B 7A 9A 12B 13B.  
 COOPER, Alan F., 1H(1) 2B 3A(o) 9B 18B.  
 CORLIS, David G., 1B 3B 7B 9B 12A 13B.  
 COX, Gordon W., 1B 3A(o) 5H(1) 6H(1) 12A 13A.  
 CREIGHTON, Anthony L., 1B 3B 7B 9B 13B 17B.  
 CROW, Tom W., 3B 5B 6B 12B 13B.  
 DENNING, Robert A., 1B 2A 5A 6A 12H(1) 13H(1).  
 EPSTEIN, Haley, 1B 3A(o) 7B 9B 12A 13B.  
 ETHERINGTON, Peter C., 1B 3B 9B 17B 18B.  
 EYRE, William A., 1A 2B 3A(o) 7B 9B 18B.  
 FERRARO, David J., 1H(1) 2H(1) 3A(o) 10A 29H(1).  
 FREDE, David, 1B 3B 5B 12B 13B.  
 FROMBERG, George, 1B 3B 7B 9B 12B 13B.  
 GIBSON, Michael, 1A 2B 3A(o) 9A 17B.  
 GILLIES, Douglas D., 1B 3B 5H(2) 6B 12H(2) 13A.  
 GLANFIELD, James R., 1B 4B(o) 5A 6A 12H(1) 13H(1).  
 GLEESON, John P., 1B, 3B 6B 17A 18B.

GOTTSCHALD, Peter W., 1B 3B(o) 7B 9B.  
 GOUGH, Geoffrey R., 1A 4H(1)(o) 5A 6A 12A 13H(1).  
 GRAHAM, John A., 1B 2B 5H(1) 6H(1) 12A 13A.  
 HALE, Roger, 1B 3B 5A 6B 12B 13A.  
 HANKINSON, Gregory G., 1B 4B(o) 5H(2) 6A 12B 13A.  
 HEMPHILL, Robert, 1B 2B 3B 7B 9B 18H(2).  
 HENDERSON, Alastair W., 1B 2B 3A(o) 9B 18B.  
 HIRSCHHORN, Henry L., 1A 4B(o) 5A 6A 12H(2) 13A.  
 HIRST, Peter H., 1B 3B 5B 6B 17A.  
 HOCKLEY, Robert E., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12A 18B.  
 HODGSON, Peter S., 1B 5B 6B 13B.  
 HOWES, Stephen N., 1A 4B(o) 5A 6A 12H(2) 13H(2).  
 IRONS, Frank E., 1B 4B(o) 5H(1) 6A 12H(1) 13A.  
 JACKSON, Frederick J., 1B 3A(o) 5A 6A 12H(2) 13H(1).  
 JACKSON, Henry R., 5B 6B 12A 13B.  
 JAMES, Bruce, 1A 2H(1) 3H(1)(o) 7A 13A 29A.  
 JARDINE, Brian S., 1H(1) 2H(2) 3H(2)(o) 7A 29A.  
 KUNCE, Helmut, 1B 5B 6B 12A 13A.  
 LANE, Geoffrey K., 1B 2B 5H(1) 6H(1) 12A 13A.  
 LENN, Philip J., 1B 4B(o) 5H(1) 6H(1) 12A 13A.  
 LESTER, David E., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12B 13B.  
 LOGAN, Malcolm S., 1B 7B 9B 17B 18B.  
 McALLAN, Robert L., 1A 2B 3H(1)(o) 9H(2) 10A 17B.  
 McCLELLAND, Ian M., 1B 3B 7A 9A 12B 13B.  
 McIVER, Robert I., 1B, 3A 7B 9A 13B.  
 McLEAN, John G., 1B 3B 5B 6A 12A 13B.  
 McLELLAN, Donald G., 1B 5B 6B 17B.  
 McPHERSON, Robert H., 1A 3B 12A 13A.  
 MADDOX, William G., 1A 2A 4H(2)(o) 7B 9B 13B.  
 MASCALL, Paul W., 1B 3A(o) 5B 6B 12B 13B.  
 MIRRINGTON, Robert N., 1B 4B(o) 5H(2) 6A 12A 13A.  
 MOORE, Robert F., 1B 5B 12A 13B.  
 MORGAN, Antony A., 1B 3A(o) 4A(o) 7A 12B 13B.  
 MORRISON, David H., 1B 3B 5B 12B 13B.  
 NETTHEIM, Nigel F., 1B 2B 3A(o) 5H(2) 6A 18B.  
 NICHOLLS, Bruce R., 1B 7B 9A 17H(2) 18H(2).  
 OBERMANN, Bruce A., 1B 5B 12B 17B.  
 ORWELL, Ralph L., 1B 3A(o) 5A 6A 12H(2) 13H(1).  
 PENALVER, David V., 1B 2B 3A(o) 5A 6A 18B.  
 PETERKIN, Geoffrey A., 1B 5B 6B 12B 13B.  
 PORTER, William T., 1B 7A 9A 12B 13B.  
 POYITT, Ian N., 1B 3B 7B 17B.  
 PRINCE, Anthony J., 1H(1) 2A 3H(1)(o) 7B 10A.  
 PUNTER, Roger Stevenson, 1B 3B 9B 17B 18B.  
 PURVIS, Alan C., 1B 3A(o) 7A 12A 13A 29B.  
 RAPHAEL, David K., 1H(2) 2B 3A(o) 4B 10B.  
 RAWLING, Steven J., 1A 3A(o) 9A 17A 18H(2).  
 ROBERTSON, John A., 1A 3A 5H(2) 6H(2) 12A 13A.  
 RODGERS, Colin R., 1A 3A(o) 7A 9A 17H(1) 18H(2)



ROEBUCK, Paul R., 1B 2B 3B 7B 9B 10A.  
 SADLER, Rex K., 1B 2B 3B 7B 9B 13B.  
 SAGE, Kenneth D., 2B 5H(2) 6B 12B 13A.  
 SCHUBERT, Colin, 1B 2A 3H(1)(o) 10B 29H(2).  
 SHERIDAN, Leigh S., 1B 5B 6B 13A.  
 SHORTLE, David A., 1B 7B 9B 17H(1) 18A.  
 SMITH, Leonard R., 1H(1) 3H(1)(o) 4H(2)(o) 7A 13B.  
 STAHELI, Peter J., 1B 3B 7B 13B 17H(2).  
 STEPHENS, Garry H., 1B 5A 6B 12B 13B.  
 SUMICH, Maxim G., 1B 4A(o) 5A 6A 12H(1) 13H(1).  
 THORNE, Alan G., 1B 7B 9B 13B.  
 TOWNES, John G., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12B.  
 TROUSDALE, Terence J., 1A 3H(2)(o) 5B 6B 12A 13B.  
 TURNER, Alan L., 1B 3B(o) 5H(2) 6A 12H(2) 13A.  
 TURNER, Donald M., 1B 5B 6B 12B 13B.

UNDERWOOD, Alan A., 1B 3B 5B 12B.  
 VOWELS, Robin A., 1B 5H(2) 6H(2) 12H(2) 13A.  
 WAGNER, Max H., 1B 3A 5A 6A 12H(1) 13H(1).  
 WALLS, Bevan M., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12A 13B.  
 WALTER, Frederick J., 1B 4B(o) 5A 6A 12A 13H(2).  
 WARD, Gary L., 1B 3B 5A 6A 12A 13A.  
 WEINBERGER, Peter J., 1A 3A 4H(1)(o) 7A 12A 13H(1).  
 WELLINGTON, Kelvin J., 1B 5A 6A 8A 12H(1) 13H(1).  
 WELSH, Bruce R., 1B 4B(o) 5A 6B 13H(2).  
 WILSON, Arthur J., 1 B 3B 7B 9B 10A 17A.  
 WILSON, Geoffrey A., 1B 3B 5B 6B 12A 13A.  
 WILSON, Glenn T., 1A 2A 5H(1) 6H(1) 12A 13A.  
 WILSON, William J., 1B 2B 3B 7B 9B 10B.  
 WINDASS, Mark A., 1B 5B 6B 12B 17H(2).  
 WOODS, William M., 1B 4A(o) 5A 6B 12A 13H(1).

## INTERMEDIATE CERTIFICATE — 1956

AITKEN, Douglas; ALTMAN, James J; BAGNALL, Brian G.; BARTON, Keith; BASSETT, Philip A.; BENJAMIN, Roger L.; BEST, David; BETTS, Ian G.; BILBE, Garry P.; BOLT, Alan J.; BONTHORNE, Ross; BOOTH, Geoffrey D.; BORIG, John; BOURKE, Maxwell; BRADLEY, James F.; BREW, Alan; BROADHURST, Graham G.; BROWN, Geoffrey; BROWNE, Roger; BUDDLE, Warwick; BUHRICH, Neil S.; BULLOCK, Ralph; BUTT, Philip; CAMPBELL, Donald J.; CAMPBELL, Thomas H.; CATCHLOVE, Warwick G.; CHALMERS, Alan D.; CHIA, William; CHILTON, Peter; CLANCY, Robert L.; CLARKE, John S.; COADY, John A.; COGLAN, John; COHEN, David M.; COLE, Ian G.; COPE, Geoffrey; CORNISH, John A.; COTSELL, Raymond; CRAIN, David L.; D'ALTON, Stephen; DAVENPORT, Kenneth; DAVENTRY, Roger; DAVIES, Peter M.; DAVIS, Anthony W.; DAVIS, John T.; DEAR, Geoffrey; DINE, Murray; DOBBIE, John; DOUGALL, Angus; EDELMAN, Peter; ELITH, Graham R.; ELKAN, Richard; ERMERT, Conrad; FELTON, Alan F.; FITZGERALD, James A.; FORD, Ian; FORD, Warwick W.; FRASER, Andrew; FROST, David L.; GALLAGHER, John; GEE, Christopher G.; GIBBES, Michael; GIBSON, Brian; GIBSON, Paul; GIFFORD, Peter; GILLINGHAM, David B.; GOTTSCHALD, Richard H.; GOUGH, Phillip L.; GREGORY, Leon; HALLORAN, Graeme R.; HARDIE, Ian; HARRISON, Geoffrey C.; HATHERLY, Frank; HERRMAN, Richard; HICKSON, Anthony; HIGGINS, Donald A.; HILL, Allan R.; HILL, Jack L.; HOGAN, John; HOPKINS, Terence H.; HUTCHINSON, Andrew B.; INMAN, Peter; IRVINE, Philip A.; IRWIN, Edgar H.; JACKSON, Trevor J.; JAGO, Richard; JEFFREYS, Graham; JURDA-HASLER, Thomas M.; KALMAR, Thomas; KEARSLEY, Arthur W.;

KEMP, Richard; KEW, Carroll; KINGHORN, John A.; KIRK, Andrew; KIRKWOOD, John; KLINGER, Ronald; KNOX, John; LACEY, John; LAY, Roger W.; LE COUTER, Edward; LLEWELLYN, Dafydd J.; LOWENTHAL, Raymond; McCLOY, Peter J.; McKEE, Alastair N.; McKEE, William; MACKENZIE, Donald M.; McLACHLAN, Harold R.; McLEAN, Graham J.; McLEAN, Malcolm; MACLEOD, Peter R.; McLURE, Alexander; MACQUEEN, Kenneth; MAR, Keith; MARSDEN, Rex S.; MATTERS, Peter; MEALEY, Kenneth; MILLARD, Keith D.; MILLER, Bevan; MITCHELL, Brian; MURDOCH, John B.; MURRAY, Gordon; NEVILL, Anthony G.; NICOLLE, Ronald; NIELSEN, Kenneth W.; O'TOOLE, John W.; OUTERIDGE, Peter; PARK, Robert J.; PARSONAGE, Philip D.; PARSONS, Guy; PATRICK, Douglas; PENNINGTON, John; POLLITT, Richard W.; PRESTON, Robert J.; RADFORD, Donald; RADFORD, Neil A.; REYNOLDS, Thomas; ROBERTS, David P.; ROBSON, Stuart; ROSEN, Ellis D.; ROTHWELL, Anthony J.; ROTHWELL, John; RYAN, John W.; SANBROOK, Garnet; SAUNDERS, Neville J.; SCOTT, Andrew J.; SCOTT, Robert A.; SECCOMBE, Roger; SHEPHERD, Tyrone; SILINK, Martin; SIMPSON, Kenneth; SMITH, Richard A.; SORBY, William; STANTON, Frank; STONEMAN, Nigel A.; STORM, Peter K.; SWANSON, Alexander F.; TASKER, Norman W.; TILLEY, Alan W.; TING, John D.; TRUMAN, Paul; VOWELS, Marcus; WALTER, Alan; WALTER, Geoffrey W.; WAUGH, John L.; WEBSTER, Robert W.; WHITING, Paul E.; WILKINSON, Roger; WILLY, Kenneth; WILSON, Malcolm R.; WINSLADE, Terence; WOOD, Peter H.; WOOLCOTT, Raymond L.; WRIGHT, Bruce M.; WYBURN, Ronald; YATES, Kenneth W.



# Winners of Commonwealth Scholarships — 1956

## Leaving Certificate Examination

Bayliss, P.; Bolliger, J.; Briggs, I.; Brownlea, H.; Cashman, R.; Caskey, T.; Cohen, R.; Conybeare, D.; Cooper, A.; Cox, G.; Denning, R.; Epstein, H.; Eyre, W.; Ferraro, D.; Gibson, M.; Gillies, D.; Glanfield, J.; Gough, G.; Graham, J.; Hale, R.; Hankinson, G.; Hemphill, R.; Hirschorn, H.; Hockley, R.; Howes, S.; Irons, F.; Jackson, F.; James, B.; Jardine, B.; Lane, G.; Lenn, P.; McAllan, R.; McClelland, J.; Maddox, W.; Mirrington, R.; Morgan, A.; Nettheim, N.; Nicholls, B.; Orwell, R.; Penalver, D.; Porter, W.; Prince, A.; Purvis, A.; Purdy, J.; Raphael, D.; Rawling, S.; Rodgers, C.; Sage, K.; Schubert, C.; Shortle, D.; Smith, L.; Sumich, M.; Staheli, P.; Trousdale, T.; Turner, A.; Vowels, R.; Wagner, M.; Walter, F.; Ward, G.; Weinberger, P.; Wellington, K.; Welsh, B.; Wilson, G.; Woods, W.

## Bursaries Gained on Intermediate Certificate, 1956

Edward LeCouteur, Harold McLachlan, Andrew Hutchison.

## SCHOOL PRIZE-WINNERS, 1956

### 1st YEAR

Stephen Denning, 1E, 1st in year, 1st in 1E, 1st in Maths. II; Michael McDermott, 1E, 2nd in year, aeq. 1st in English; Richard Wegner, 1C, 3rd in year, aeq. 1st in English, 1st in 1C; David Fulton, 1A, 4th in year, 1st in 1A; Leigh Davison, 1E, 5th in year; Robert Jones, 1B, 1st French, aeq. 1st History; John Cooke, 1C, aeq. 1st in English, aeq. 1st History; Campbell Pardey, 1st in 1B; Peter Lawrie, 1st in 1D; Ross Willson, 1C, 1st in Latin; Bruce Meakins, 1E, 1st in Maths. I; Rodney Jones, 1E, 1st in Science.

### 2nd YEAR

Leo Goorevitch, 2B, aeq. 1st in year, aeq. 1st in Maths. I and II, 1st Latin, aeq. 1st in 2B; Gavin Burgess, 2B, aeq. 1st in year, aeq. 1st Maths. II, 1st English, 1st History, aeq. 1st 2B; Raymond Cumming, 2C, 3rd in year, aeq. 1st in French, 1st in German, 1st in 2C; Gregory Stanton, 2A, 4th in year, aeq. 1st in Maths. I, 1st in Greek, 1st in 2A; John Eager, 2B, 5th in year; William Barnes, 1st in 2D; Paul Pollard, 1st in 2E; Richard Hunstead, 2C, aeq. 1st in French; John Ellis, 2B, 1st in Science; Roger Hooper, 2E, 1st in Bus. Princ.; Grahame Knight, 2E, 1st in Geography.

### 3rd YEAR

Peter Edelmann, 3A, 1st in year, 1st in Maths. I, aeq. 1st in Maths. II, 1st in 3A; Bevan Miller, 3A, 2nd in year, aeq. 1st in Science; Tom Kalmar, 3A, 3rd in year; Ronald Klinger, 3A, 4th in year; Graham Jeffreys, 3A, 5th in year, 1st in German; David Gillingham, 1st in 3B, 1st in English; John Ryan, 1st in 3C; Ian Ford, 1st in 3D; Allan Hill,

1st in 3E; Geoffrey Dear, 3A, 1st in Latin, 1st in French; Ken Davenport, 3A, aeq. 1st Maths. II; Guy Parsons, 3B, aeq. 1st Science; Graham Broadhurst, 3C, 1st in History; Neville Saunders, 3B, 1st in Greek; Richard Smith, 3E, 1st in Geography; Tyrone Sheppard, 3E, 1st in Bus. Princ.

### 4th YEAR

George Wilson, 1st in year, 1st in Maths. II; Richard Body, 2nd in year, 1st in Chemistry; Gary Fisher, 3rd in year; Roger Court, 4th in year, 1st in Economics; John Pert, 5th in year, 1st in English, 1st in History; David Makinson, 6th in year, 1st in Anc. Hist., 1st in Geography; Alan Magnusson, 1st in French; Felix Bochner, 1st in German; John Polgar, 1st in Latin; Harrie Wood, 1st in Greek; Bruce King, 1st in Maths. I; Douglas Hamilton, 1st in Gen. Maths.; Ian Brown, 1st in Physics.

### 5th YEAR

Dux — Max Sumich, 1st Chem., aeq. 1st Physics, aeq. 1st German and Glenn Wilson, 1st Latin, 1st Maths. I, 1st Maths. II; Geoffrey Gough, 3rd in year, aeq. 1st German; Bruce James, 4th in year, 1st in English, Greek, French, Gen. Maths.; Frank Irons, 5th in year, aeq. 1st Chemistry, aeq. 1st Maths. I; Gordon Cox, 6th in year; Darrel Conybeare, aeq. 1st History; Robt. McAllan, aeq. 1st History; Colin Rodgers, aeq. 1st Geography; Steven Rawlings, 1st Economics; David Shortle, aeq. 1st Geography; David Ferraro, 1st Anc. History; Alex Wagner, aeq. 1st Physics; Nigel Nettheim, aeq. 1st Maths. I.

### 1956 Treloar Mathematics Prizes

Fifth Year: M. Sumich, G. Wilson, N. Nettheim; Fourth Year: A. Magnusson; Third Year: P. Edelman; Second Year: R. McKay.

### 1956 Treloar History Prizes

Fifth Year: D. Conybeare, J. McAllan; Fourth Year: J. Pert; Third Year: G. Broadhurst; Second Year: G. Burgess; First Year: J. Cook, R. T. Jones.

### Hardy Memorial Prize for French

Fifth Year: B. James.

### Awarded at Leaving Certificate, 1956

For General Proficiency: The Plumian Scholarship, Glen Wilson.

For Mathematics: The Horner Exhibition, Glen Wilson.

For Classics: Cooper Scholarship No. 11, David Ferraro.

For Chemistry: Liversidge Scholarship No. 11, Max Sumich.

Textile Technology Scholarship: Ralph Orwell.



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# SPORT - 1957

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## REPORT FROM THE SPORTSMASTER

Despite considerable difficulties to be faced in the various fields of sport, 1957 has been quite a successful year.

The raising to High School status of more schools this year increased the number of schools requiring grounds for sport on Wednesdays; and the increased numbers in the individual schools have made the position even worse.

In cricket and in football we have felt this shortage of playing areas. In cricket, all house teams are oversized and it has been necessary for one grade to have a bye each week, because no ground is available for the match. In Rugby and Soccer matches have had to be cut to very short time to allow all boys to have a game.

Nevertheless, very successful competitions were run in all sports. There were 23 House cricket teams, 28 Rugby, 12 Soccer, 12 Tennis and 12 Water Polo teams in these competitions. Four hundred and fifty-five boys have chosen swimming as their summer sport.

This year we have had an increased number of teams in the C.H.S. Competition, with the inclusion of two Soccer teams. These teams have profited greatly from the competition and have acquitted themselves very well. In the C.H.S. Rugby competition, we were 2nd to Sydney High in aggregate points, with the 2nd and 3rd XV gaining 2nd place in their zones, and the 5th XV coming out as competition premiers. In tennis we were Zone Champions, but lost to Canterbury in the interzone finals. In cricket, the First, Third and Fifth Grades have reached the semi-finals, and in water polo all three grades have reached the finals.

In the C.H.S. swimming championships the team did very well; and in the Athletics we fielded a big team, which won a fair share of the places against very keen opposition.

The condition of the Falcon Memorial Playing Fields is continuing to improve. This year the Annual Athletics Carnival was held on the fields, which proved an ideal setting.

We wish to thank the Ladies' Auxiliary for their assistance in catering at the Carnival, as well as for the many other ways in which they have assisted throughout the year. The P. and C. Association also have continued in their efforts on behalf of the school in sporting activities. In particular, we have had the tennis courts

re-surfaced, and the matter of new fencing has been undertaken. The work of this body is greatly appreciated also.

In July, a House Knockout Rugby Competition was held on the playing fields. Once again this function proved very popular, although it was unfortunate that it occurred at a time when many boys were unfit, because of illness, to take part. It is hoped to make this competition an annual fixture.

Our teams represented the school in these sports in non-competition matches: against Barker and Shore in Rugby and Swimming; in Soccer against Randwick, Crow's Nest and Sydney; at the St. Joseph's College Carnival, and at Shore's Carnival in Athletics. The First XI and First XV went to Duntroon during the year and had very enjoyable visits. The Fourth XV went to Newcastle to play against a combined team, and a return match was played on the playing fields. Later in the year our Fifth and Sixth XI have been invited to Newcastle to play against Newcastle High teams. On February 8 next year Shore will be holding a Swimming Carnival. We have been invited to send a team to participate.

We wish to thank those parents who billeted boys from Newcastle on the occasion of the C.H.S. Swimming Carnival and Athletics Carnival and the visit of the Fourth XV. This assistance is very greatly appreciated.

To the members of staff I wish to express my thanks for their wholehearted co-operation during the year. It is to their effort that the school owes the successful conduct of the various activities in the sporting field. I should like to emphasise that much of their own time is given up in the interests of the different sports by these teachers, in coaching after school and travelling with teams to their fixtures; Mr. Sherwin, the Assistant Sportsmaster, the coaches of the various teams, the members of staff who supervised individual House sports, the Housemasters, and those members of staff who took charge on the different grounds throughout the year.

The details of the different sports are set out on the following pages.

L. OSBORNE,  
Sportsmaster



# GRADE SOCCER

## FIRST XI

In its first season in C.H.S. competition, the first team performed very creditably. Playing in a strong zone, the team gained valuable experience and as indicated by the results, showed much improvement in the second round.

We extend our congratulations to Homebush on their fine record of an undefeated season.

The team's combination was not always what it should have been. However, keenness and a fighting spirit made up for that deficiency.

In the forwards, R. Klinger and A. Williams proved to be our most penetrating players. In the backs, Captain Jim Forster, and left-half G. Wilkinson played consistently well. Goalie K. Nielsen, who had a lot of work to do, stopped

many certain goals and in 10 games only let 18 goals through.

Congratulations to Ron Klinger on his selection in the C.H.S. team.

We look forward to an even more successful season next year.

### RESULTS

1st Round: v. E.H.S., 0-1; v. C.H.S., 1-2; v. F.S.B.H.S., 1-3; v. H.B.H.S., 0-4; v. D.B.H.S., 3-1.

2nd Round: v. E.H.S., 1-1; v. C.H.S., 1-2; v. F.S.B.H.S., 1-0; v. H.B.H.S., 0-4; v. D.B.H.S., 0-0.



Standing: R. Klinger, B. Lin, G. Wilkinson, T. Hume, B. Wright, I. Menzies, J. Blow.  
In Front: K. Nielsen.

### FIRST XI SOCCER

Sitting: W. Kearsley, R. Grynberg, J. Forster (Capt.), E. Gluyas (Coach), A. Williams (V.C.), G. Kennedy, F. McKone.



## SECOND XI

Also playing in the C.H.S. competition for the first time, second grade (under 15) had a very successful season. Ten competition games were played. We won 4, 3 were drawn and 3 were lost. Altogether, the team scored 14 goals and had 15 goals scored against them.

The result of our first match against Enmore was not a true indication of what was to come. After that defeat, the team moulded itself into a very solid combination. Peter Winkler in the forward line played consistently well. He was the top scorer with 6 goals. Other players to show

great promise were K. Leslie, T. Liu, and N. Spranger. However, all players showed keenness and a fighting spirit throughout the season.

### RESULTS

1st Round: v. E.H.S., 1-7; v. C.S.H.S., 3-0; v. F.S.B.H.S., 1-1; v. H.B.H.S., 1-0; v. D.B.H.S., 0-2.

2nd Round: v. E.H.S., 0-0; v. C.S.H.S., 3-2; v. F.S.B.H.S., 4-0; v. H.B.H.S., 1-1; v. D.B.H.S., 0-2.



Standing: P. Forster, J. LeClerc, P. Hughes, D. Higgins, R. Emery, B. Calder-smith, N. Spranger, R. Soady.  
Sitting: E. Gluyas (Asst. Coach), P. Wood, K. Leslie, P. Winkler (Capt.), T. Liu, R. Spielman, H. Kearsley (Coach).  
In Front: D. Robertson.

## TENNIS

The year was quite a successful one for the tennis teams. The School won the zone championship with 238 points. Sydney High was second with 232 and Sydney Technical High third with 204 points.

The first team was undefeated to win the zone. Their victories included one over last year's premier team, Randwick, by 6 sets to 2. The final against Canterbury provided a very interesting match with the high-ranking junior, Martin Mulligan, playing for Canterbury. F. Fisher and G. Primrose won 3 sets and G. Pares and F. Payne won 1 set, the final scores against us being 4 sets 40 games to 4 sets 37 games.

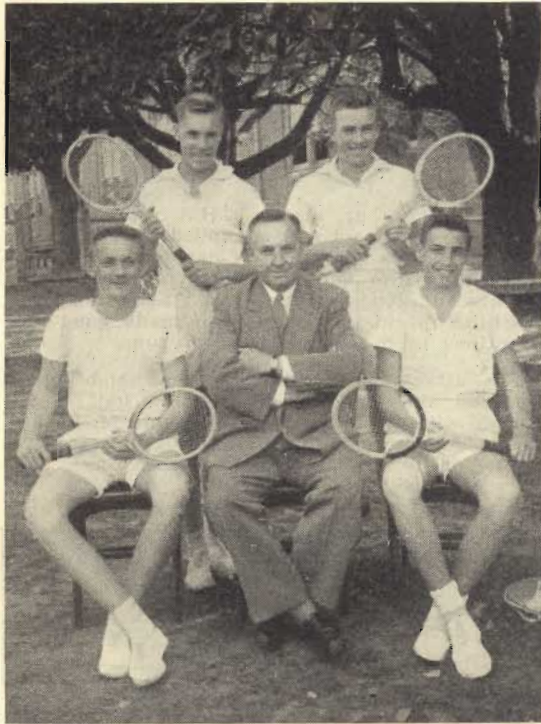
The second team, J. Polger, R. Webster, D. Epstein, and R. Daventry, lost only one match during the season, 4 sets 35 games to 4 sets 41 games. This was to Sydney Technical High, which ultimately won the competition.

The third grade team won 5 matches and lost 3, and the fourth grade won 4 and lost 4, but all were triers and helped to win the zone championship.

Geoff. Pares and Gary Fisher were selected to play for Metropolitan High Schools against Northern High Schools. Pares has had a very good year, winning the under 16 Northern Suburbs Championship and in the same tournament being runner-up in the Open Championship. He also won the State Championship Doubles for schoolboys under 17 and Open.

The Old Boys brought along a strong team for the annual match against the School on 19th June, the only available day. Unfortunately, Pares, Fisher, and Primrose were playing in the C.H.S. trials and the Old Boys had a very comfortable win, 14 sets 92 games to 2 sets 40 games.





**TENNIS, FIRST IV, 1957**  
 Standing: G. Primrose, G. Fisher.  
 Seated: F. Payne, Mr. A. C. Duffy (Coach), G. Pares (Capt.).

**C.H.S. TENNIS COMPETITION, 1956.**

**Zone "A"**

School	First Second Third Fourth				Pts.
	IV	IV	IV	IV	
N.S.T.H.S. ....	10	10	8	4	146
R.H.S. ....	14	11	12	10	194
N.S.H.S. ....	18	16	12	10	238
S.H.S. ....	14	13	14	18	232
C.S.H.S. ....	4	4	7	2	67
M.H.S. ....	10	10	17	14	193
S.T.H.S. ....	12	18	6	14	204
E.H.H.S. ....	2	2	12	10	86
C.N.H.S. ....	6	6	4	10	102

**Details of C.H.S. Competition Matches.**

**First IV**

N.S.H.S. v. S.H.S., 5-40 to 3-29; v. S.T.H.S., 6-44 to 2-29; v. R.H.S., 6-44 to 2-27; v. C.S.H.S., 8-48 to 0-4; v. E.H.H.S., 8-48 to 0-10; v. M.H.S., 8-48 to 0-17; v. N.S.T.H.S., 7-47 to 1-24; v. C.N.H.S., 8-48 to 0-17.

**Second IV**

N.S.H.S. v. S.H.S., 5-35 to 1-22; v. S.T.H.S., 4-35 to 4-41; v. R.H.S., 6-40 to 2-30; v. C.S.H.S., 8-48 to 0-5; v. E.H.H.S., 8-48 to 0-6; v. M.H.S., 7-44 to 1-22; v. N.S.T.H.S., 6-44 to 2-31; v. C.N.H.S., 8-48 to 0-14.

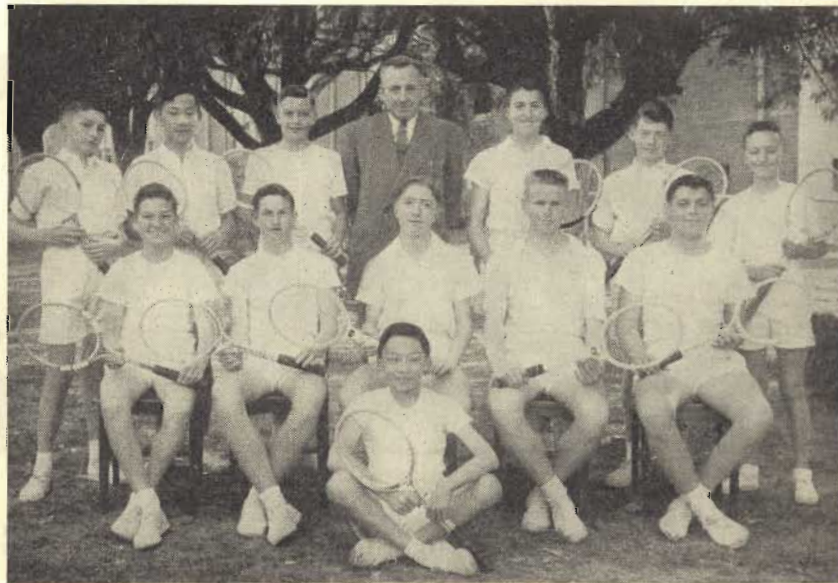
**Third IV**

N.S.H.S. v. S.H.S., 2-33 to 5-43; v. S.T.H.S., 8-48 to 0-15; v. R.H.S., 3-38 to 5-33; v. C.S.H.S., 8-48 to 0-21; v. E.H.N.S., 6-44 to 2-33; v. M.H.S., 0-22 to 8-48; v. N.S.T.H.S., 6-42 to 2-32; v. C.N.H.S., 7-47 to 1-27.

—A. C. DUFFY.

**2nd, 3rd, 4th GRADE TENNIS TEAMS**

Standing: W. Dent, J. Ting, R. Bonthorne (C.), Mr. A. Duffy (Coach), R. Chadwick (C.), C. Wilkins, R. Pinferi.  
 Sitting: D. Epstein, R. Daventry, B. Polgar, (C.), R. Webster, S. May.  
 In Front: A. Ting.





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## FIRST XI

As we go to press, first grade emerges as the zone premiers, having gone through the season undefeated.

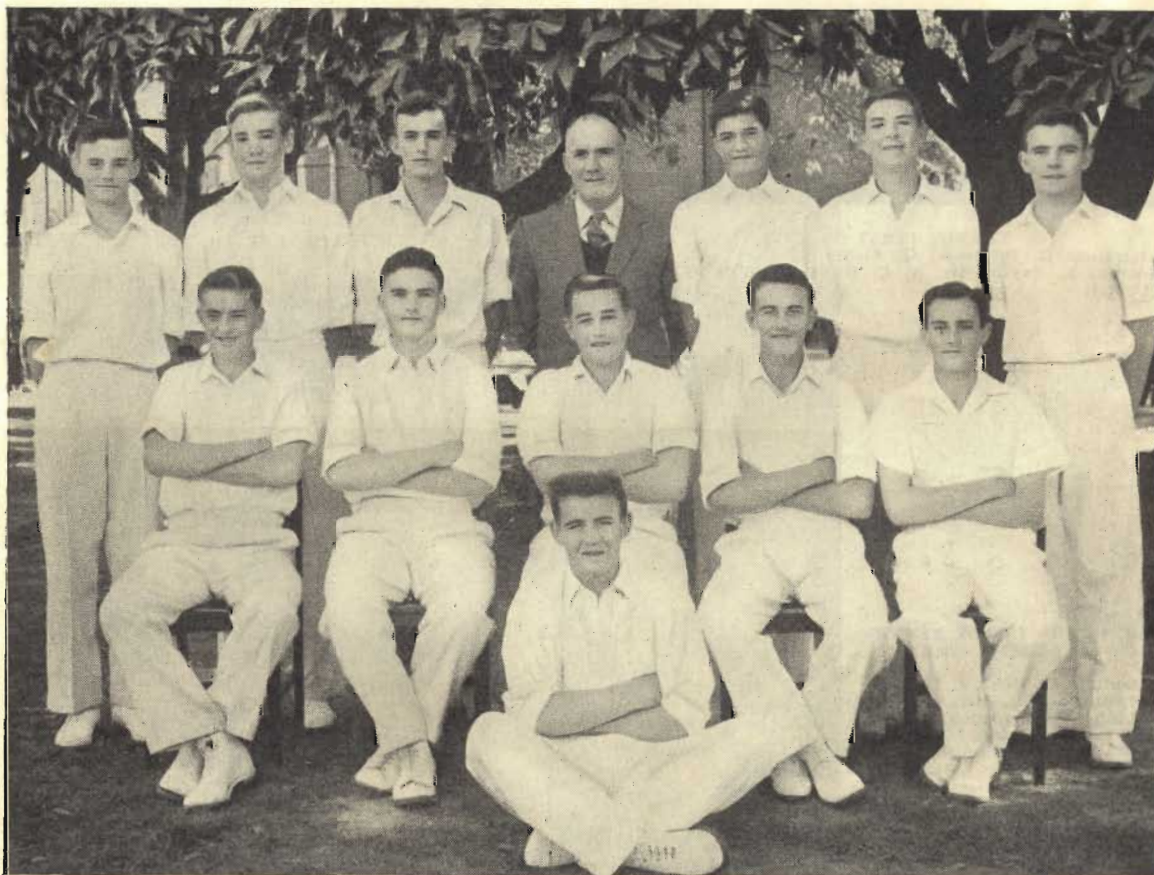
The success of the team has been due to good all-round performance, notwithstanding some fine individual efforts. A pleasing feature throughout the competition has been the general keenness in the field; only in one match could bowlers complain that they lacked solid support.

The team has been well served by its captain, J. Mitchell—a C.H.S. representative—whose solid batting several times steered the team through critical periods. He has shown a good knowledge of the game in his handling of the team

on the field, and has also proved a useful off-spin bowler.

Ted Le Couteur, also a C.H.S. representative, has several attractively compiled scores to his credit, besides proving a dependable keeper. John Blow, an opening batsman with sound defence and good scoring strokes, and Alan Lush, a strong forcing batsman, also made good contributions to the team's tally of runs.

The attack was mainly in the hands of A. Hodgson and H. Wood in the first half of the season, with G. Bowd, J. Mitchell and M. Parkinson in support. However, on Hodgson's transfer to Melbourne, H. Wood and G. Bowd proved they

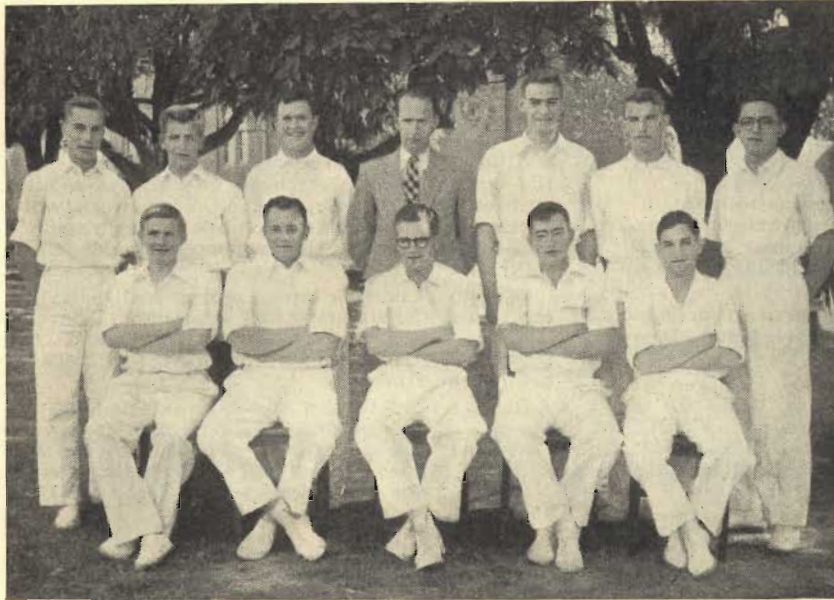


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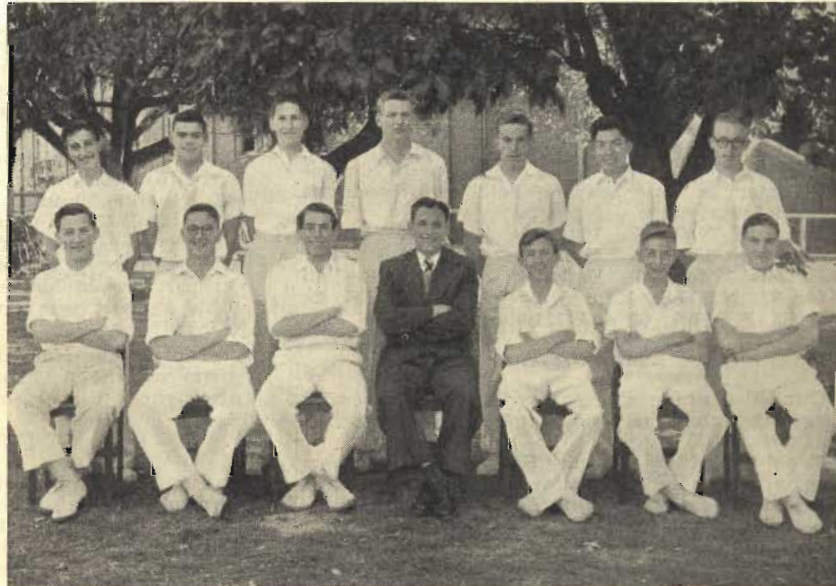
Standing: T. Creer, A. Lush, M. Parkinson, Mr. E. Welsh (Coach), P. Harper, J. Hamilton, G. Bowd.

Sitting: A. Williams, H. Wood (Vice-Capt.), J. Mitchell (Capt.), E. Le Couteur, J. Blow.  
In Front: R. Pitts.





**SECOND XI**  
 Standing: G. Primrose, R. Pitts, B. Wright, Mr. C. Bowser (Coach), J. Anderson, T. Gill, R. Body.  
 Sitting: R. Wilkinson, G. Storum, G. Fischer (Capt.), M. Wilson, G. Cook.



**THIRD XI**  
 Standing: P. Chilton, G. Humphries, D. Cohen, T. Hume, J. Hill, B. Lin, P. Mawson.  
 Sitting: G. Kennedy, G. Wilkinson, F. Hatherley, Mr. W. Butts (Coach), J. Rothwell, E. Rosen, K. Davenport.  
 Absent: G. Pares, G. Limburg.



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were a good opening combination by taking five wickets each against the strong Manly side.

It is a pleasure to be able to pay tribute to the general bearing and attitude of the team, both on and off the field. In fact, several of the opposing coaches complimented the team on its demeanour.

Results of matches to date are as follows:

N.S.H.S., 1 for 58, declared (Mitchell 29 n.o., Blow 25 n.o.), and 4 for 31, defeated N.S.T.H.S., 51 (Hodgson 8-13, Mitchell 2-6) and 188 (Hodgson 6-56) on the 1st innings.

N.S.H.S., 5 for 65 (J. Blow 30 n.o.) defeated S.H.S., 54 (H. Wood 6-29, A. Hodgson 4-22) on the 1st innings.

N.S.H.S., 1st innings, 2 for 64, declared (E. Le Couteur 45 n.o.); 2nd innings, 3 for 91 (E. Le Couteur 27, J. Blow 27 retired), v. C.S.H.S., 1st innings, 45 (A. Hodgson 7-22, H. Wood 2-17); 2nd innings, 42 (A. Hodgson 7-23, H. Wood 2-18).

North Sydney won outright.

N.S.H.S., 138 (E. Le Couteur 38, G. Bowd 30, J. Mitchell 25), defeated C.N.H.S., 114 (H. Wood 6-15, P. Harper 2-20) and 5-67 (Wood 2-19, Parkinsson 3-3) on the 1st innings.

N.S.H.S., 196 (A. Lush 87, J. Mitchell 34), defeated Manly H.S., 50 (H. Wood 5-13, G. Bowd 5-36) and 0-24 on the 1st innings.

### 2nd Grade

The team performed well throughout the season, recording two very comfortable wins and having a hard fought match on the two occasions it was defeated.

Several players scored well. Wilkinson batted well throughout the season and has shown promise, while several others gave good performances notably Primrose, Pitts and Fischer. Wright, who came into the team half-way through the season, also shows promise.

The bowling has been very well directed. Anderson has bowled well in each match and has taken most wickets. Storum and Cook also have some very good bowling performances to their credit. The bowling has been made more effective by the excellent wicket-keeping of Gill.

On all occasions the team conducted in a most satisfactory manner on the field and developed a good team spirit.

Results:—N.S.H.S.: 109 and 3 for 74 lost to N.S.T.H.S., 155. N.S.H.S. v. S.H.S.—no play. N.S.H.S., 6 for 208, defeated C.S.H.S., 94 and 9 for 82. N.S.H.S., 1 for 81, defeated C.N.H.S., 27 and 55. N.S.H.S., 83 and 111, lost to M.H.S., 110.

### Third Grade

Our third grade side enjoyed a very successful season, winning the zone premiership in convincing style.

Capably led by Frank Hatherley, the team displayed keen enthusiasm and always approached the matches with a mature and studious attitude. Team spirit was high.

Batting was the team's greatest strength. In four innings the side was not once completely

dismissed. Openers G. Pares and G. Wilkinson made several good first wicket stands, while E. Rosen, K. Davenport, G. Kennedy and F. Hatherley all turned in good scores throughout the season.

Although its resources were seldom fully tested, the team's bowling strength was always a little suspect. F. Hatherley did a lot of work, with success, in this department, while left arm spinner E. Rosen always had the batsmen in trouble whenever he was on.

Occasional fielding lapses proved costly, though, in general, the standard was satisfactory. Several brilliant catches were taken throughout the season. G. Humphreys was neat and reliable behind the stumps.

Results:—N.S.H.S., 6 for 142, defeated Manly, 114 on 1st innings. N.S.H.S., 5 for 170, drew with Cleveland Street, 3 for 19. N.S.H.S., 8 for 159, defeated Sydney H.S., 106 and 169 on 1st innings. N.S.H.S., 2 for 96, defeated N.S. Technical H.S., 45 and 31 outright.

### Fourth Grade

By losing to Manly in our last match, the team lost its opportunity to reach the semi-finals.

The competition opened with a match against Manly, in which our opponents made 36 and 6 for 55 in reply to our 7 for 83.

All other matches played up to date have resulted in a win for us. The results being:—North Sydney, 9 for 150; Cleveland Street, 22 and 7 for 21 (rain stopped play). North Sydney, 1 for 55 and 3 for 19; Crows Nest, 36 and 23. North Sydney, 7 for 85 and 0 for 15; Sydney High, 29 and 69.

One match remains to be played against North Sydney Technical High.

Throughout the season the team has been well served by its captain, Peter Fellows, not only as a leader with a good command at field placement, but as an all-rounder of distinct promise. His best bowling figures were 8 for 14; 7 for 21, 7 for 13; 2 for 10, and 4 for 14. With the bat he scored 26 and 30.

Very good performances have also been given by Graham Knight (scores of 20 not out and 46; bowling figures of 4 for 14, 8 for 6 and 2 for 15). Terry Connell also bowled well, some of his figures being 5 for 11 and 4 for 22. Tony Steele, as well as being a very capable wicket-keeper, proved himself a very good opening bat. Able support was given by Ron Robertson and Kevin Leslie.

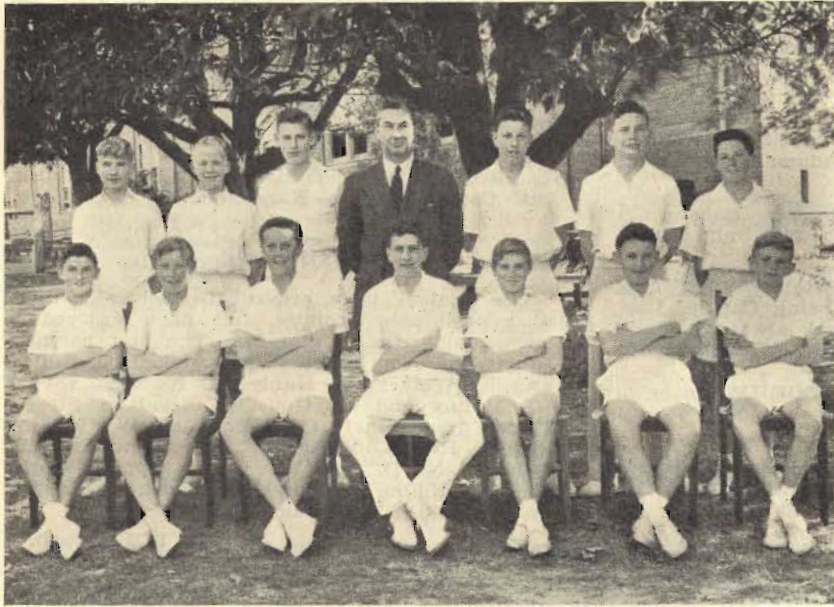
The enthusiasm and keenness of the whole team on the field has been a pleasing feature throughout the season.

### Fifth Grade

Fifth Graders have had a very successful season, winning their Zone Premiership and maintaining the undefeated record they established last year as Sixth Graders.

Our batting has improved considerably, although

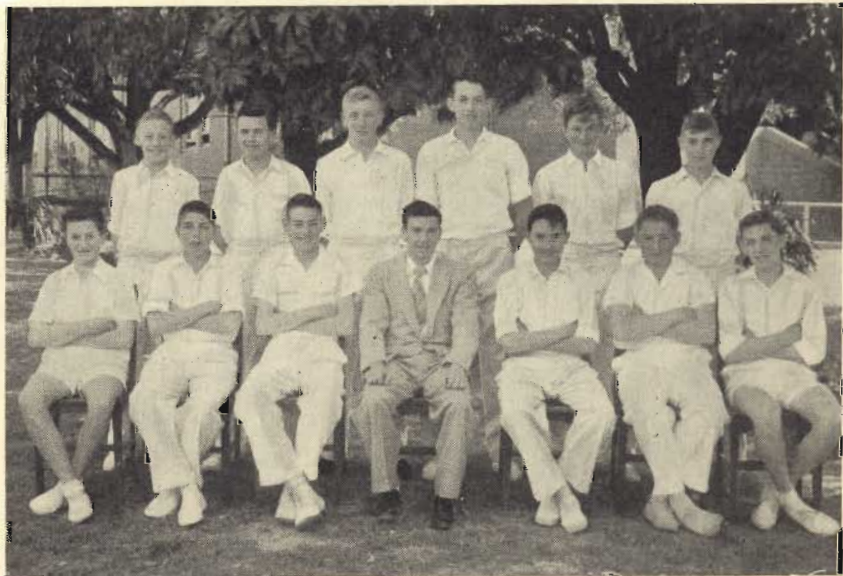




**FIFTH XI**  
 Standing: D. Abbott, R. Baber, A. Emmett (Mr. C. E. Boehm (Coach), N. Callow, W. Barnes, R. Baxter.  
 Sitting: K. Boorman, J. Adams, G. Kenny (Vice-Capt.), J. Cattlin (Capt.), J. Julian, P. Diamond, R. Rosen.



**FOURTH XI**  
 Standing (left to right): D. Robertson, K. Heath, M. Clarke, I. Donald, J. Herbert, G. Knight.  
 Sitting (left to right): R. Cummings, K. Leslie, P. Fellows, (Capt.), Mr. E. Johnson (Coach), T. Connell (Vice-Capt.), T. Steele, J. Eager.





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more enterprise in some matches might have brought outright victories.

Cattlin, as well as leading the team capably, was again the sheet anchor of the side and played several meritorious knocks. Diamond, Baxter, Kenny, Rosen and Adams scored well on occasions.

Most successful bowlers were: Baber (20 wickets), Abbott (17), Cattlin (13), and Boorman (9).

Our fielding has been consistently good, outstanding in this department being Cattlin, Diamond and Adams. Emmett was always a great trier behind the stumps and supported the bowlers well.

—C. E. BOEHM, Coach.

Results of matches:—

N.S., 129 (Cattlin 29, Baxter 21, Kenny 20, Baber 16, Adams 13) v. Manly, 59 (Cattlin 4 for 14, Baxter 2 for 12) and 6 for 30 (Cattlin 4 for 12, Abbott 2 for 12).

N.S., 97 (Kenny 18, Barnes 17 n.o.) v. Cleveland Street, 3 for 39 (Baxter 2 for 14). Rain washed out play.

Crows Nest, 91 (Abbott 6 for 27) and 6 for 91 (Abbott 2 for 23) v. N.S., 118 (Adams 23, Baxter 16).

S.H.S., 69 (Baber 7 for 23) and 85 (Abbott 4 for 34, Boorman 3 for 24) v. N.S., 128 (Cattlin 59 n.o., Diamond 32).

N.S.T.H., 116 (Baber 5 for 26, Boorman 3 for 23) and 124 (Baber 5 for 38) v. N.S., 9 for 201 (Cattlin 62, Diamond 42 n.o.).

Semi-final:—N.S., 187 (Cattlin 48, Abbott 36, Kenny 29, Emmett 17 n.o., Rosen 14) defeated Penrith High, 171 (Boorman 5 for 33, Abbott 2 for 29).

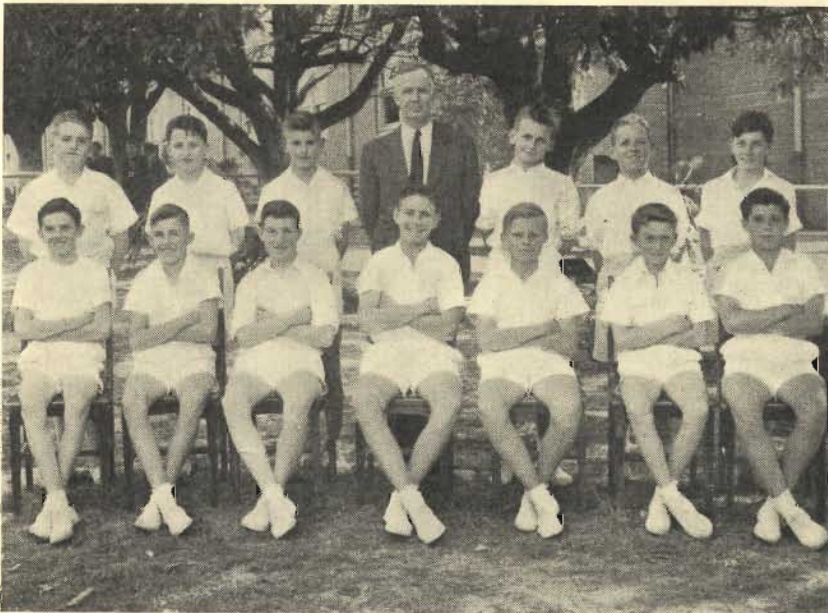
Final:—Randwick High, 9 for 161 (Baber 4 for 29, Boorman 3 for 67) defeated N.S., 79 (Cattlin 20). Congratulations, Randwick!

## Sixth Grade

Our juniors have proved themselves a team of considerable promise and have enjoyed a successful series of matches. The best partnerships have been 39 for second wicket (G. Billing and K. Walker) v. Manly; 92 for first wicket (G. Billing and W. Goff) v. Cleveland Street; 75 for first wicket (G. Billing and W. Goff) v. Sydney High; and 59 for seventh wicket (B. Stinson and D. Shaw) v. North Sydney Technical. G. Billing has taken most wickets, assisted by K. Walker, B. Stinson and W. Scott.

—C. TAYLOR, Coach.

Results:—N.S.H.S. v. Manly, lost on first innings; N.S.H.S. 108, Manly 120. N.S.H.S. v. Cleveland Street, drawn; N.S.H.S. 130, Cleveland Street 2 for 3. N.S.H.S. v. Crows Nest, won; N.S.H.S. 97, Crows Nest 82. N.S.H.S. v. Sydney High, won; N.S.H.S., 143, Sydney High, 67. N.S.H.S. v. North Sydney Technical High, tied; N.S.H.S. 120, N.S. Technical H. 120.



### SIXTH XI

Standing: R. Woolley, L. Belthouse, R. Stinson, Mr. C. Taylor (Coach), H. Sattler, R. Watts, M. Horwood.  
Sitting: D. Shaw, W. Bailey, W. Scott, G. Billing (Capt.), W. Goff, T. Linskey, J. Harkness.  
Absent: K. Walker, T. Gibian.



# ATHLETICS

The Annual Athletics Championships of the School this year were held early during the third term. On this occasion the carnival was held on the main oval of the Falcon Memorial Playing Fields.

As usual, the carnival produced some keen competition between the four houses. The final point scores for the Drummond Shield were as follows:—

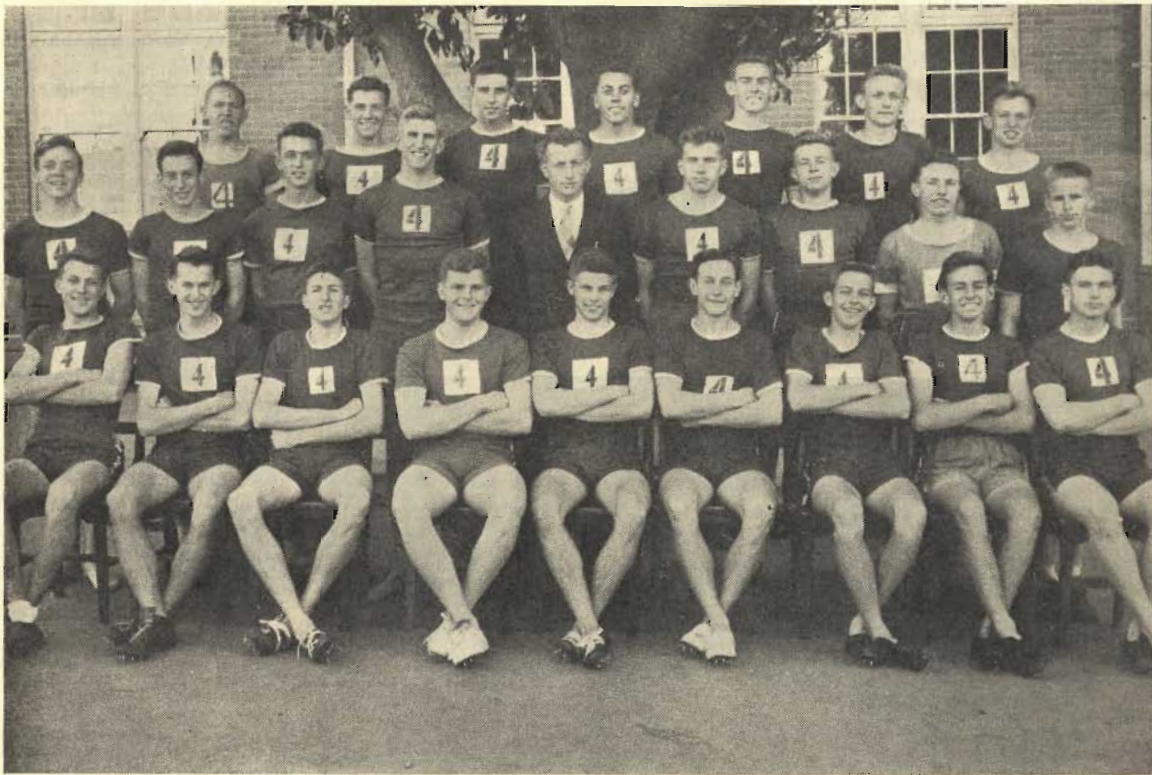
1, Smith, 533; 2, Harvey, 396; 3, Hinder, 395; 4, Williams, 268.

This year the Discus and Javelin Throws were introduced into the Senior Division for the first time and the results in these two events were

noted as records. In addition to these events other new records for the carnival were as follows:—

Javelin Throw, H. Wood, 141 ft. 3 ins.; Discus Throw, J. Anderson, 86 ft. 5 ins.; Senior Hop, Step and Jump, F. Payne, 42 ft. 2 ins.; Under 14 60 yds. Hurdles, S. Denning, 9.1 secs.

The Treloar Shield, for the best performances in three nominated events, was for the second year won by F. Payne, who gained first place in the following events: (a) Senior 120 yds. Hurdles; (b) Senior Hop, Step and Jump; (c) Senior Broad Jump.



**C.H.S. ATHLETICS REPRESENTATIVES**

Senior and Under 16.  
 Standing: Back Row (left to right): D. Richardson, Middle Row (left to right): D. Crain, I. Klineberg, S. D'Alton, P. Burton, P. Berry, I. Anderson, F. Payne, E. Le Couteur, P. Dind, Mr. B. Cooke (Coach), R. Brammall, P. Bellingham, G. Jeffreys, D. Webster.  
 Sitting (left to right): P. Gifford, T. Beardsmore, G. Keating, R. Walkom, D. Black, P. Hodgson, R. Commins, R. Clancy, H. Wood.  
 Absent: K. Davenport.



## ATHLETICS

### Results of Shore Carnival

S. Denning, 1st, Under 14 100 yds.; 1st, Under 14 220 yds.; 1st, Under 14 60 yds. Hurdles.  
 F. Payne, 1st, Senior 120 yds. Hurdles.  
 N. Bruce, 1st, Under 15 High Jump.  
 K. Davenport, 2nd, Under 16 880 yds. Championship (1st Division).  
 G. Jefferys, 2nd, Under 16 Broad Jump.  
 T. Partridge, 2nd, Under 13 100 yds.  
 M. Clarke, 2nd, Under 16 90 yds. Hurdles.  
 P. Hodgson, 2nd, Senior Mile.

Under 14 team, 2nd, Relay.

R. Bullock, 3rd, Under 15 220 yds.  
 D. Crain, 3rd, Under 16 220 yds.  
 A. Byers, 3rd, Under 16 880 yds (2nd Division).  
 R. Commins, 3rd, Under 16 880 yds. Championship (1st Division).  
 P. Gifford, 3rd, Under 17 880 yds.  
 P. Hodgson, 3rd, Senior 880 yds.

Under 13 team, 3rd, Relay.

Under 15 team, 3rd, Relay.  
 G. Keating, 3rd, Senior High Jump.  
 E. Le Couteur, 3rd, Senior Mile.

Under 16 team, 3rd, Relay.

Senior team, 3rd, Relay.

### Shore, Barker, North Sydney.

This annual meeting took place at the Shore ground on Saturday, 14th September. Although this carnival was held the day after our own School Championships, a team of 55 boys repre-

sented our School. Two representatives from each school took part in each event.

The performances were of a high standard and the team had more success than last year.

The best performances of our team on the day were 3 wins by S. Denning in the Under 14 100 yds., 220 yds., 60 yds. Hurdles, and 3rd position by G. Keating, who jumped in the Senior High Jump; here the two equal winners were representatives of Shore Old Boys.

### Results of the Annual Athletics Championships of the School.

#### Senior:

100 yds.: 1, R. Brammall; 2, T. Beardsmore; 3, M. Kaye (10.7 secs.).

220 yds.: 1, R. Brammall; 2, D. Black; 3, F. Payne (24.3 secs.).

440 yds.: 1, D. Black; 2, P. Burton; 3, R. Walkom (56.8 secs.).

880 yds.: 1, P. S. Hodgson; 2, R. Walkom; 3, P. Gifford (2 mins. 9.0 secs.).

1 mile.: 1, P. S. Hodgson; 2, R. Lowenthal; 3, E. Le Couteur (5 mins. 3.4 secs.).

120 yds. Hurdles: 1, F. Payne; 2, I. Anderson; 3, T. Johnson (16.8 secs.).

Broad Jump: 1, F. Payne; 2, I. Ferrier; 3, P. Dind (19 ft. 1½ ins.).

Shot Put: 1, H. Wood; 2, I. Anderson; 3, P. Dind (38 ft. 8¼ ins.).

High Jump: 1, G. Keating; 2, K. Simpson; 3, I. Anderson (5 ft. 10 ins.).



#### C.R.S. ATHLETIC REPRESENTATIVES

Under 15, Under 14, Under 13 Teams.

Back Row (left to right): R. Winkler, W. Scott, W. Watkins, J. Harrison, P. Jack, R. Sekel.

Centre Row (left to right): D. Smith, J. Goard, A. Browne, P. Marris, Mr. B. Cooke (Coach), N. Callow, P. Hughes, J. Batty, N. Bruce, L. Goorevich.

Sitting (left to right): W. Mirrow, R. Chadwick, S. Denning, B. Hughes, D. Cohen, R. Bullock, P. Robinson, D. Mill, R. Jones.

Absent: W. Wilson, T. Partridge.



Hop, Step and Jump: 1, F. Payne; 2, P. S. Hodgson; 3, I. Ferrier (40 ft. 1½ ins.).

Javelin: 1, H. Wood; 2, P. Berry; 3, P. Dind (141 ft. 3 ins.).

Discus: 1, I. Anderson; 2, P. Berry; 3, D. Gillies (86 ft. 5 ins.).

5th Year Relay: 1, Smith; 2, Hinder; 3, Williams (49.1 secs.).

Senior Tug-o'-war: 1, Hinder; 2, Harvey; 3, Smith.

#### Under 16:

100 yds.: 1, G. Jeffreys; 2, D. Crain; 3, R. Clancy (11.5 secs.).

220 yds.: 1, D. Crain; 2, P. Bellingham; 3, B. Miller (25.8 secs.).

440 yds.: 1, K. Davenport; 2, D. Crain; 3, R. Commins (57.9 secs.).

880 yds.: 1, K. Davenport; 2, R. Commins; 3, R. Lowenthal (2 mins. 19 secs.).

90 yds. Hurdles: 1, M. Clark; 2, D. Crain; 3, S. D'Alton (13 secs.).

Broad Jump: 1, G. Jeffreys; 2, D. Richardson; 3, S. D'Alton (17 ft. 3 ins.).

Shot Put: 1, D. Crain; 2, J. Knox; 3, D. Richardson (37 ft. 6½ ins.).

High Jump: 1, A. McKee; 2, G. Jeffreys; 3, T. Webster (5 ft. 2 ins.).

Hop, Step and Jump: 1, G. Jeffreys; 2, S. D'Alton; 3, D. Richardson (37 ft. 1 in.).

4th Year Relay: 1, Hinder; 2, Williams; 3, Harvey (50.2 secs.).

4th Year Tug-o'-war: 1, Hinder; 2, Smith; 3, Harvey.

#### Under 15:

100 yds.: 1, D. Cohen; 2, R. Bullock; 3, A. Browne (11.8 secs.).

220 yds.: 1, D. Cohen; 2, R. Bullock; 3, A. Browne (26.7 secs.).

440 yds.: 1, D. Smith; 2, B. Hughes; 2, D. Cohen (63.1 secs.).

880 yds.: 1, D. Smith; 2, B. Hughes; 3, D. Aitken (2 mins. 22 secs.).

90 yds. Hurdles: 1, D. Abbott; 2, B. Sheppard; 3, D. Wilson (15.7 secs.).

Broad Jump: 1, G. Rowell and D. Abbott; 3, D. Smith (14 ft. 4½ ins.).

Shot Put: 1, D. Smith; 2, L. Goorevich; 3, Callow (35 ft. 4½ ins.).

High Jump: 1, N. Bruce; 2, J. Goard; 3, B. Sheppard (4 ft. 8 ins.).

Mile (Handicap): 1, J. McFadden; 2, M. Vowells; 3, M. Clarke (5 mins. 57.1 secs.).

3rd Year Relay: 1, Smith; 2, Harvey; 3, Hinder (52.9 secs.).

#### Under 14:

100 yds.: 1, P. Robinson; 2, S. Denning; 3, A. McNab (12 secs.).

220 yds.: 1, S. Denning; 2, P. Robinson; 3, J. Batty (27.1 secs.).

60 yds. Hurdles: 1, S. Denning; 2, — Archer; 3, A. Obern (9.3 secs.).

Broad Jump: 1, A. McNab; 2, J. Matthews; 3, J. Harrison (40 ft. 8 ins.).

Shot Put: 1, P. Marris; 2, J. Batty; 3, S. Gee (39 ft. 9½ ins.).

High Jump: 1, J. Batty; 2, P. Jack; 3, G. Trood (4 ft. 7 ins.).

2nd Year Relay: 1, Harvey; 2, Hinder; 3, Williams (56.8 secs.).

Tug-o'-war: 1, Harvey; 2, Hinder; 3, Smith.

#### Under 13:

100 yds.: 1, R. Scott; 2, T. Partridge; 3, R. Winkler (12.9 secs.).

220 yds.: 1, R. Winkler; 2, T. Partridge; 3, — Johnson (29.9 secs.).

60 yds. Hurdles: 1, R. Scott; 2, M. Horwood; 3, C. Tennant (11.7 secs.).

Broad Jump: 1, R. Scott; 2, T. Partridge; 3, G. Humphries and M. Horwood (13 ft. 7 ins.).

Shot Put: 1, R. Winkler; 2, A. Friend; 3, P. Gobbitts (30 ft. 3½ ins.).

High Jump: 1, G. Toltz; 2, W. Watkins and R. Scott (3 ft. 10 ins.).

1st Year Relay: 1, Harvey; 2, Hinder; 3, Williams (60.3 secs.).

### ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE INVITATION MEETING.

We again competed in this Invitation Carnival, where a larger number of schools were present this year. In addition to St. Joseph's College, Enmore, Randwick, Canterbury, Manly, Sydney High and Homebush were represented.

No point score was kept.

During the carnival F. Payne performed creditably and set new School record figures in the Senior Hop, Step and Jump (42 ft. 2 ins.).

### COMBINED HIGH SCHOOLS' CARNIVAL.

This year many boys began training early in second term, and as a result competition for the C.H.S. team was very keen. The team, however met some very strong opposition and obtained only 3 first places, together with a number of minor places.

Thanks are due to David Stevenson and Brian Fitzgerald, two ex-students of the School. These men gave up a considerable amount of time in assisting and training the boys in preparation for the various carnivals in which they competed.

#### N.S.H.S. Successes.

Senior 880 yds. (2nd Div.): R. Walkom, 4th.

Senior High Jump (1st Div.): —, Keating, 1st.

Senior High Jump (2nd Div.): K. Simpson, 3rd.

Senior Hurdles (1st Div.): F. Payne, 4th.

Senior Hurdles (2nd Div.): I. Anderson, 4th.

Senior Relay: 3rd.

Under 16 880 yds. (2nd Div.): R. Commins, 3rd.

Under 16 100 yds. (2nd Div.): M. Clarke, 5th.

Under 16 440 yds. (2nd Div.): D. Crain, 1st.

Under 15 880 yds. (2nd Div.): B. Hughes, 5th.

Under 14 Hurdles (1st Div.): S. Denning, 1st.

Under 13 Relay: 5th.



# SWIMMING

## C.H.S. CARNIVAL

Because of the great increase in the number of schools competing, the C.H.S. Swimming Carnival was this year for the first time held over a period of four days. The first three days took the form of zone carnivals, and placegetters from events on these days competed in the C.H.S. Championships on the fourth day.

Placegetters in our zone carnival were:

### Senior

Freestyle: 440 yds., K. Makins, 4th; 220 yds., K. Makins, 3rd; 110 yds., P. Dind, 3rd; 55 yds., P. Dind, 2nd; Breaststroke: 110 yds., R. Mann, 2nd; Backstroke: 55 yds., C. Harkness, 5th; Butterfly: 110 yds., B. Brewer, 1st; Dive: P. Berry, 2nd; Relay: North Sydney, 3rd.

### Under 16

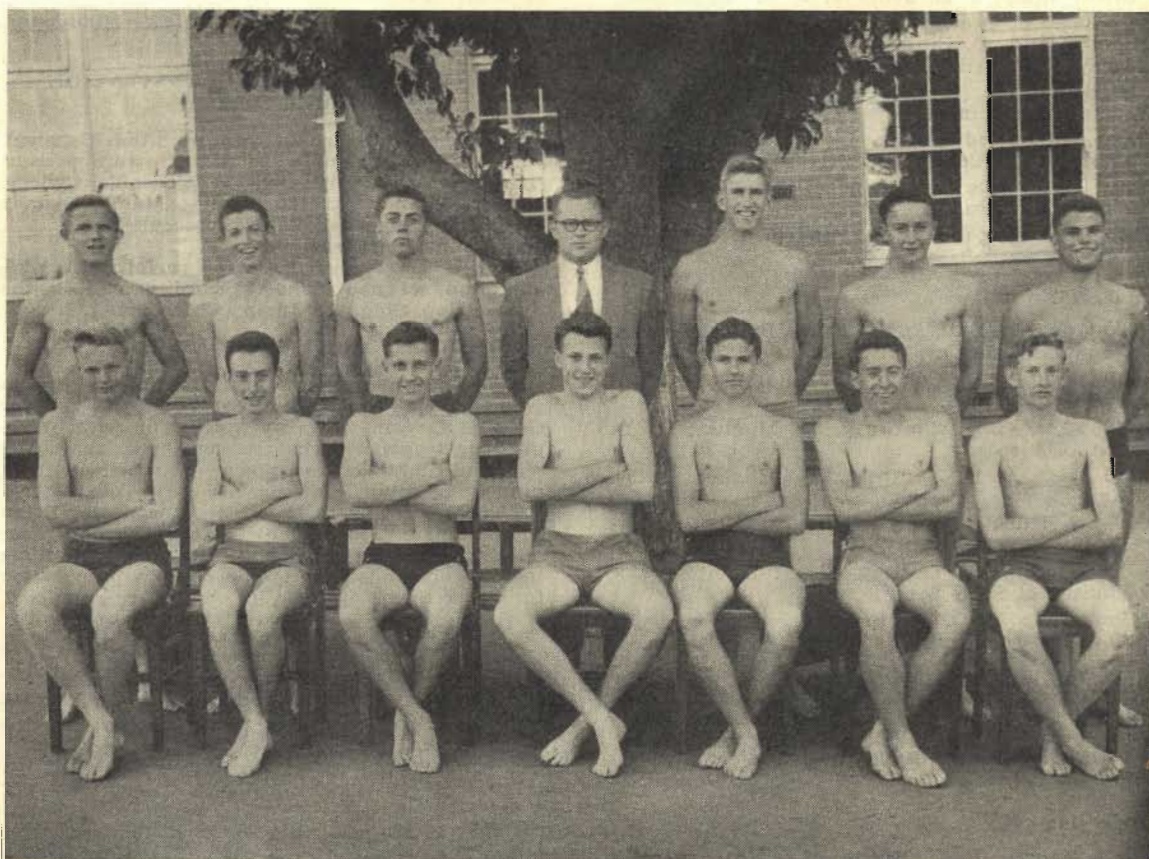
Freestyle: 440 yds., N. Barnes, 4th; 220 yds., N. Barnes, 5th; 110 yds., A. McKee, 5th; 55 yds., A. McKee, 4th; Backstroke: 55 yds., S. D'Alton, 5th; Breaststroke: 55 yds., A. McKee, 4th; Butterfly: 55 yds., S. D'Alton, 1st; Junior Dive: S. D'Alton, 1st; Relay: North Sydney, 2nd.

### Under 15

Freestyle: 440 yds., I. Bund, 4th; 220 yds., D. Richardson, 4th; 110 yds., D. Richardson, 2nd; Breaststroke: 55 yds., G. Booth, 1st; Backstroke: 55 yds., K. Ford, 3rd; Butterfly: 55 yds., D. Richardson, 1st; Relay: North Sydney, 3rd.

### Under 14

Freestyle: 220 yds., P. Lees, 4th; 110 yds., D. Cohen, 2nd; 55 yds., D. Cohen, 1st; Breaststroke:



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C.H.S. Representatives, Senior and Under 16.

Standing: P. Everett, C. Harkness, P. Berry, Mr. L. Wigney (Master in Charge), P. Dind, K. Makins, B. Brewer.

Sitting: R. Mann, I. Klineberg, S. D'Alton, P. Gifford, N. Barnes, J. Furedy, P. Akehurst.



55 yds., D. Cohen, 1st; Backstroke: 55 yds., A. Browne, 3rd; Butterfly: 55 yds., D. Cohen, 2nd; Juvenile Dive: D. Abbot, 5th; Relay: North Sydney, 3rd.

**Under 13**

Freestyle: 110 yds., R. Ritchie, 1st; 55 yds., J. Harrison, 2nd; Breaststroke: 55 yds., J. Matthews, 2nd; Backstroke: 55 yds., P. Hockley, 1st; Butterfly: 55 yds., M. Humphries, 3rd; Relay: North Sydney, 2nd.

Placegetters in the C.H.S. Championships were:

**Senior**

Freestyle: 110 yds., P. Dind, 2nd; 55 yds., P. Dind, 2nd; Butterfly: 110 yds., B. Brewer, 3rd.

**Under 16**

Butterfly: 55 yds., S. D'Alton, 2nd; Junior Dive: S. D'Alton, 3rd.

**Under 15**

Butterfly: 55 yds., D. Richardson, 1st.

**Under 14**

Freestyle: 55 yds., D. Cohen, 1st; Breaststroke: 55 yds., D. Cohen, 3rd; Butterfly: 55 yds., D. Cohen, 3rd.

**Under 13**

Backstroke: 55 yds., P. Hockley, 1st. Congratulations, particularly to D. Richardson, D. Cohen, and P. Hockley on obtaining firsts against very close competition.

**BARKER CARNIVAL**

During first term, a team from the school competed very successfully in the annual carnival at Barker College, finishing second to Barker.

Some of our best performances were from P. Dind, D. Richardson, S. D'Alton, C. Harkness and J. Harrison.

**SCHOOL CARNIVAL**

There were no records broken at the school carnival this year, but nevertheless there was some keen competition and good swimming. The House points were:

Smith 526, Harvey 321, Williams 257, Hinder 220.

**SCHOOL SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Senior**

Freestyle: 55 yds., P. Dind 1, P. Everett 2, K. Makins, 3. Time: 29.9 secs. 110 yds., P. Dind 1, K. Makins 2, P. Everett 3. Time: 1 min. 11.3 secs. 220 yds., P. Dind 1, K. Makins 2, C. Harkness 3. Time: 2 mins. 46.1 secs. 440 yds., P. Dind 1, C. Harkness 2, K. Makins 3. Time: 6 mins 14 secs. 880 yds., D. Richardson 1, A. McKee 2, C. Harkness 3. Time: 12 mins 56 secs.

Breaststroke: 110 yds., R. Mann 1, J. Furedy 2, P. Viola 3. Time: 1 min. 34.7 secs.

Backstroke: 55 yds., C. Harkness 1, K. Makins 2, P. Everett 3. Time: 35.5 secs.

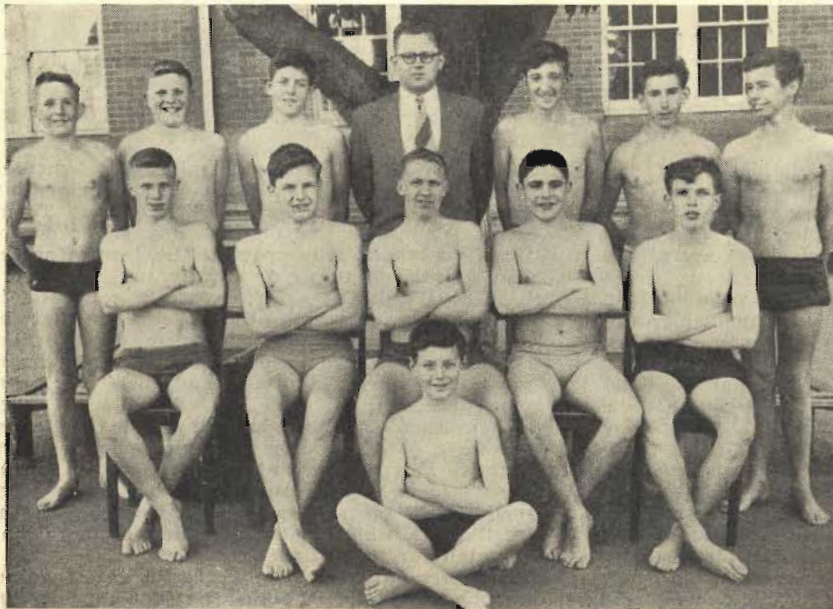
Butterfly: 110 yds., B. Brewer 1, J. Furedy 2, R. Mann 3. Time: 57.4 secs.

Dive: P. Berry 1, R. Mann 2, P. Dind 3.

**Under 16**

Freestyle: 55 yds., A. McKee 1, N. Barnes 2, P. Gifford 3. Time: 30.0 secs. 110 yds., A. McKee 1, N. Barnes 2, S. D'Alton 3. Time: 1 min. 10.9 secs. 220 yds., A. McKee 1, S. D'Alton 2, N. Barnes 3. Time: 2 mins 41.6 secs. 440 yds., A. McKee 1, S. D'Alton 2, N. Barnes 3. Time: 6 mins 8 secs.

Breaststroke: 55 yds., A. McKee 1, N. Barnes 2, K. Simpson 3. Time: 43.8 secs.



**C.H.S. SWIMMING REPRESENTATIVES**

Under 15, Under 14, Under 13  
 Standing: E. Lees, I. Bund, J. Harrison, Mr. L. Wigney (Master in Charge), K. Ford, B. Loomes, I. Cole.  
 Sitting: D. Smith, J. Booth, D. Richardson, D. Cohen, A. Browne.

In front: M. Humphries.



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**Backstroke:** 55 yds., S. D'Alton 1, N. Barnes 2, I. Klineberg 3. Time: 38.8 secs.

**Butterfly:** 55 yds., S. D'Alton 1, A. McKee 2, N. Barnes 3. Time: 30.1 secs.

**Dive:** S. D'Alton 1, A. McLure 2, G. Elith 3.

### Under 15

**Freestyle:** 55 yds., D. Richardson 1, D. Smith 2, R. Scott 3. Time: 30.3 secs. 110 yds., D. Richardson 1, D. Smith 2, B. Loomes 3. Time: 1 min. 12.6 secs. 220 yds., D. Richardson 1, D. Smith 2, B. Loomes 3. Time: 2 mins. 45 secs. 440 yds., D. Richardson 1, D. Cohen 2, I. Bund 3. Time: 6 mins. 21.8 secs.

**Breaststroke:** 55 yds., G. Booth 1, A. Byers 2, I. Cole 3. Time: 43.5 secs.

**Backstroke:** 55 yds., K. Ford 1, I. Cole 2, P. Thorne 3. Time: 41.0 secs.

**Butterfly:** 55 yds., D. Richardson 1, I. Cole 2, G. Booth 3. Time: 35.9 secs.

**Dive:** B. Loomes 1, D. Smith 2, N. Winterton 3.

### Under 14

**Freestyle:** 55 yds., D. Cohen 1, I. Bund 2, B. Lees 3. Time: 32.4 secs. 110 yds., D. Cohen 1, A. Browne 2, I. Bund 3. Time: 1 min. 16.8 secs. 220 yds., D. Cohen 1, B. Lees 2, I. Bund 3. Time: 3 mins 1 sec.

**Breaststroke:** 55 yds., D. Cohen 1, J. Thorncraft 2, J. Batty 3. Time: 43.7 secs.

**Backstroke:** 55 yds., A. Browne 1, D. Knaggs 2, I. Bund 3. Time: 43.5 secs.

**Butterfly:** 55 yds., D. Cohen 1, I. Bund 2, D. Abbott 3. Time: 42.7 secs.

**Dive:** D. Abbott 1, D. Knaggs 2, R. Humphreys 3.

### Under 13

**Freestyle:** 55 yds., R. Ritchie 1, J. Harrison 2, R. Goodsir 3. Time: 35.7 secs. 110 yds., R. Ritchie 1, J. Harrison 2, M. Humphries 3. Time: 1 min 21.2 secs.

**Breaststroke:** 55 yds., J. Matthews 1, R. Hooworth 2, M. Humphries 3. Time: 50.6 secs.

**Backstroke:** 55 yds., P. Hockley 1, R. Ritchie 2, J. Harrison 3. Time: 44.5 secs.

**Butterfly:** 55 yds., M. Humphries 1, J. Harrison 2, P. Marris 3. Time: 49.5 secs.

**Dive:** J. Harrison 1, G. James 2, R. Sweet 3.

### Under 12

**Freestyle:** 55 yds., R. Hooworth 1, P. Dawson 2, T. Linskey 3. Time: 44.8 secs.

### HOUSE RELAYS

**Fifth Year:** Harvey 1, Smith 2, Williams 3, Hinder 4.

**Fourth Year:** Smith 1, Williams 2, Harvey 3, Hinder 4.

**Third Year:** Hinder 1, Smith 2, Harvey 3, Williams 4.

**Second Year:** Smith 1, Williams 2, Hinder 3, Harvey 4.

**First Year:** Harvey 1, Smith 2, Williams 3, Hinder 4.

## WATER POLO

This year has seen the culmination of the steady improvement evident in our water polo over the last few years, so that, whereas in 1954 we were sixth in the championship, fourth in 1955 and third last year, this year we are at the top in every grade.

The Competition this year was organized in two zones, with an inter-zone championship, and the standard of the game in our zone has been particularly high. We should like to congratulate the runners-up in our zone: Randwick in First and Third Grades and Manly in Second Grade, and also the runners-up for the Inter-Zone Championship: Homebush in First Grade, Hurlstone in Second and Sydney Technical in Third.

When all the school teams can reach the top without suffering a single defeat or without even drawing, there must be a cause or a number of causes: in the first place, our 1956 teams, two of which were premiers, were affected very little by boys leaving school, for only five places

had to be filled. Then again, all teams benefited immensely from the skill, experience and enthusiasm of the captain of the First Grade Team, Peter Dind, who has played in First Grade for three years and who coached the teams for the first month of the year during my absence. I wish to thank Peter for his work, congratulate him on his achievement and confess that he left me with very little work to do with the teams. Surely such success is a powerful argument for allowing pupils to run their own sport when the ability to do so is evident. I wish also to thank Mr. Shearman and Mr. McGeorge for their enthusiasm in managing the teams at practice and during matches respectively during my absence. May I also congratulate every team member on his enthusiasm, hard work and the intelligence, which in every game was more than a match for that of the opponents.

In First Grade, which scored 40 goals against its opponents' 10, P. Dind, the brilliant captain,



who also played in the C.H.S. Team, scored 18 good goals; G. White, a clever opportunist, 10; P. Everett, equally at home in attack and defence, 6; B. Brewer, an untiring defender, 3; A. McKee, one of our two fastest swimmers and now also shining in defence, 3; while B. Clark contributed to many an attack. I. McKee has grown to be a very strong goal-keeper and played brilliantly in the Zone Final against Randwick.

The Seconds, scoring 33 goals against their opponents' 2, were captained by S. May, who welded his team into a very smooth attacking force and scored 6 goals. N. Barnes (9 goals) has developed into a very fast, elusive attacker; R. Mann (6 goals) was a strong player, particularly in the first half of the season, while D. Farrington and D. Newman (4 goals each) were always strong links. C. Harkness (3 goals) was relentless in defence. J. Furedy, serving his third term as a goal-keeper, was as indefatigable as ever. P. Viola was a solid defensive

player and K. Makins (1 goal in Seconds and 2 in Thirds) promises to become a fine player.

The Thirds, scoring 20 goals against their opponents' 2, had N. Anderson (2 goals) as their quietly efficient captain. D. Crain and P. Berry scored most goals (5 each), the latter also playing one good game with Firsts. I. Cole (3 goals) is developing into a very reliable player. C. McGilvray (2 goals) was always sound, and R. Scott and I. Ferrier rose to the occasion when required. D. Perkin, a goal-keeper for the third time, was quicker and more alert than ever. D. Richardson scored one goal in his one game.

The departure of twenty of our team members at the end of this year is a sad blow, but they have left behind a proud tradition.

#### Results

First Grade: N.S.H.S. v. Randwick, won 4-3; v. Manly, won 5-3; v. North Sydney Technical, won 5-0; v. Enmore, won 12-0; v. Sydney, won



FIRST VII — WATER POLO — Premiers  
 Standing: B. Brewer, P. Everett, Mr. J. T. Gate (Coach), A. McKee, B. Clark.  
 Sitting: G. White, P. Dind (Capt.), I. McKee.



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5-0. Zone 1 Semi-Final: v. Sydney, won 2-0. Zone 1 Final: v. Randwick, won 3-2. Inter-Zone Final: v. Homebush, won 4-2.

Second Grade: N.S.H.S. v. Randwick, won 6-1; v. Manly, won 2-0; v. North Sydney Technical, won 4-0; v. Enmore, won 5-0; v. Sydney, won 3-0. Zone 1 Semi-Final: v. Sydney, won 5-0. Zone 1

Final: v. Manly, won 2-1. Inter-Zone Final: v. Hurlstone, won 6-0.

Third Grade: N.S.H.S. v. Randwick, won 4-0; v. Manly, won 1-0; v. North Sydney Technical, won 5-0; v. Sydney, won 2-0. Zone 1 Semi-Final: v. Sydney, won 1-0. Zone 1 Final: v. Randwick, won 2-1. Inter-Zone Final: v. Sydney Technical, won 5-1.



### WATER POLO TEAMS Second and Third Grades

Standing: Mr. J. T. Gate (Coach), Third Grade: I. Cole, D. Crain, R. Scott, K. Makins, N. Anderson (Captain), P. Berry, C. McGilvray, D. Perkin, D. Higginbotham (Reserve)

Sitting: Second Grade: R. Mann, D. Newman, N. Barnes, S. May (Captain), D. Farrington, C. Harkness, P. Viola.

In Front: J. Furedy.

Not Included in Photograph: J. Ferrier (Third Grade).

## RUGBY UNION

### FIRST XV

The First XV had an enjoyable, if not an over-successful season. Owing to injuries and a difficulty in filling one or two positions, the team did not settle down to a really good combination.

It was most unfortunate that the captain, Eric Perrett, one of the outstanding forwards of the Combined High Schools, developed mumps after our third competition game and did not play for the remainder of the season; his absence greatly weakened the team.

However, the team did turn on some first-class exhibitions of football, and it is a credit to the

team's fighting spirit that some of its best displays were put up in defeat.

The forwards generally managed to win us a fair share of the ball from rucks and lineouts and M. Wilson did well in the set scrums. Jones, Meincke and Walkom worked hard all the time, while Dind proved most effective in the loose. Mitchell and Wood, breakaways, and Pitts, lock, tackled excellently in defence and combined well with the backs in attack.

Although the backs lacked speed, they made up for this deficiency by their spectacular defence. Time and again, Mood and Gill in the centres





**FIRST XV**

Standing: R. Maclure, H. Wood, M. Parkinson, B. Jones, P. Dind, J. Meincke, R. Walkom, P. Berry, B. Mitchell.

Sitting: Mr. A. F. Henry (Coach), G. Wilson M. Wilson, G. Moore (Vice-Capt.), E. Perrett (Capt.), R. Pitts, A. Gill, D. Farrington, Mr. W. S. Toft (Coach).



**SECOND XV**

Standing: A. Frazer, B. Mann, I. Anderson, F. Judson, Mr. Sherwin, D. Shorter, D. Turner, E. Le Couteur, J. Knox.

Sitting: P. Wilson, C. Barnes, G. Bowd, D. Crain, R. Smith, B. Brewer, G. Richardson, D. Wearn, P. Gifford.



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broke up opposition movements with devastating tackles. G. Wilson played surely at half-back and, although he joined the team when the season was well under way, Farrington made an effective link at five-eighth. On the wings, Parkinson and McLure always ran hard and tackled efficiently, while full-back Berry, who improved greatly, showed himself to be a player of high calibre with his long, accurate kicks and safe defence. Walkom's kicking for goal was again outstanding, and he often turned out to be a match winner.

Two highlights of the season were the match against Waverly College, played as a curtain-raiser to the All Blacks v. Barbarians, and the trip to R.M.C. Duntroon, where we were once more hospitably received.

Five players gained selection in the C.H.S. teams this year. They were G. Wilson, Dind, Berry, Gill and Moore.

We extend our warm congratulations to Sydney High on their well-deserved premiership win, and the team would like to thank Mr. Henry and Mr. Toft for the enthusiastic manner in which they coached us throughout the season.

### Competition Matches

N.S.H.S. v. S.T.H.S. lost, 9-16; v. E.H.S. won, 22-0; v. C.S.H.S. drew, 6-6; v. C.N.H.S. won, 42-0; v. S.H.S. lost, 6-17; v. N.S.T.H.S. drew, 6-6; v. M.H.S. won, 22-9; v. E.H.S. won 32-11; v. S.T.H.S. lost, 0-14; v. C.S.H.S. lost, 8-11; v. R.H.S. lost, 3-9.

### Non-Competition

N.S.H.S. v. Barker won, 17-3; v. Shore lost, 6-22; v. Waverly lost, 9-17; v. R.M.C. lost, 0-16.

### C.H.S.

#### Rugby Union — Final Scores

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Ch'ship
C.H.S. ....	19	18	24	8	18	20	396
D.H.S. ....	7	—	10	6	12	19	183
F.S.H.S. ....	9	21	17	22	14	4	309
H.A.H.S. ....	22	19	18	12	22	17	415
Mq. H.S. ....	7	7	1	12	8	11	174
P.H.S. ....	12	13	11	2	6	4	193
Pn. H.S. ....	2	—	7	12	8	5	108
H.H.S. ....	18	14	8	22	8	16	326
C.S.H.S. ....	15	16	9	15	5	15	286
C.N.H.S. ....	5	—	5	15	11	4	139
E.H.S. ....	5	5	6	5	4	7	116
M.H.S. ....	7	8	21	26	16	26	341
N.S.H.S. ....	14	24	22	14	26	17	399
N.S.T.H.S. ....	19	12	12	12	15	23	348
R.H.S. ....	20	17	20	21	24	12	362
S.H.S. ....	25	26	26	22	15	15	488
S.T.H.S. ....	20	18	12	16	14	17	379
E.H.H.S. ....	—	—	13	21	26	23	249
F.H.S. ....	—	—	13	16	22	9	180
L.H.S. ....	—	—	16	30	15	21	246
Pb. H.S. ....	—	—	18	9	6	18	153
Su. H.S. ....	—	—	30	14	21	19	252

### Second XV

The second XV had a very successful 1957 season, finishing as runners-up to Sydney High School in this zone. We extend our congratulations to High School, who finally completed the season as undefeated C.H.S. 2nd XV premiers.



### THIRD XV

Standing: G. White, D. Batey, G. Thomas, G. Blake, D. Gillies, J. McKee, C. McGilvray, R. Deveson, R. Brammall, P. Burton, T. Beardsmore.

Sitting: B. Cowan, P. Everett, D. Black, D. Rubie (Vice-Capt.), Mr. E. S. Rolfe (Coach), G. Yates, N. Andersen, N. Bovey, J. Campbell.  
In Front: P. Hodgson (seated).





**FOURTH XV**

Standing (left to right): B. Higginbotham, W. O'Rourke, M. Clarke, N. Tasker, Mr. C. Le Febvre (Coach), I. Donald, B. Eggleton, K. Wilson, J. Herbert.

Sitting: D. Smith, J. Clark (Vice-Capt.), J. Eager, G. Toft, T. Connell (Capt.), K. Heath, W. Warner, B. Loomes, J. Weissel.

In Front: D. Aitken.



**FIFTH XV — PREMIERS**

Standing (left to right): D. Abbott, R. Humphreys, D. Cohen, P. Marris, Mr. W. Reichel (Coach), M. Downie, N. Callow, R. Twibbie, P. O'Mara.

Sitting: M. Clarke, I. Bund, R. Cowan, W. Perrett (Capt.), J. Cattlin (Vice-Capt.), L. Davison, A. McNab.  
In Front: D. Mill, I. Finniss, P. Henry.





## RUGBY UNION

Throughout the season the team displayed an excellent team spirit, which was manifest on the field of play by excellent team work and determination to play the game hard from whistle to final bell. This undoubtedly was a strong contributing factor to the team's good competition record. An unfortunate accident during the match against Cleveland Street was the broken arm suffered by Ted LeCouteur whilst defending against a strong Cleveland Street attacking movement in the final minute of play.

The team would like to thank those House players who took their places in the 2nd XV because of illness of regular team members, and so ably played their part in the defeat of a good Randwick team in the final match of the season.

Competition match results were:

v. S.T.H.S., 9-3; v. E.H.S., 25-0; v. C.S.H.S., 6-3; v. C.N.H.S., v. S.H.S., 19-0; v. N.S.T.H.S., 12-0; v. M.H.S., 30-5; v. E.H.S., 30-0; v. S.T.H.S., 14-6; v. C.S.H.S., 9-0; v. R.H.S., 6-3.

### Third XV

Our third grade had a successful season, being only narrowly defeated by the premiers, Sydney High, to whom we tender our congratulations. A heavy pack of forwards gave our fast backs more than their fair share of the ball. In competition matches we scored 187 points to our oppositions' 47.

The players are to be congratulated on their fine team spirit, and their readiness to adapt themselves to the playing of different positions, caused by the numerous promotions and absences due to injury.

As coach, I wish to thank the team, captains and vice-captains for their loyalty and co-operation, and in particular to commend the many House players who regularly attended practice, and aided greatly in the success of the team.

— E. S. ROLFE  
(Coach)

### Results

v. S.T.H.S., 10-6; v. E.H.S., 34-0; v. C.S.H.S., 12-0; v. C.N.H.S., 40-0; v. S.H.S., 11-15; v. N.S.T.H.S., 24-8; v. M.H.S., 8-3; v. E.H.S., 19-0; v. S.T.H.S., 13-6; v. C.S.H.S., 16-0; v. R.H.S., 0-9.

### Fourth XV

Inadequate defence by 4th Grade was the main cause of their long string of early defeats. It is to their credit, however, that they fought back to win their last three grade matches. A fitting climax was their brilliant win over a strong Newcastle combination in the second social match.

John Clark was the best forward, and Mick Clarke the best back.

### Results

v. S.T.H.S. lost, 29-11; v. E.H.S. lost, 9-5; v. C.S.H.S. lost, 33-0; v. S.H.S. lost, 23-5; v. N.S.T.H.S. lost, 19-6; v. M.H.S. lost, 11-0; v. E.H.S. lost, 11-8; v. S.T.H.S. won, 11-3; v. C.S.H.S. won, 6-3; v. R.H.S. won, 8-3.

Social matches: Combined Newcastle, lost, 12-8; Combined Newcastle, won, 16-6.



### SIXTH XV

Standing (left to right): J. Harkness, B. Adams, A. Jones, G. Kewley, Mr. B. Cooke (Coach), W. Wilson, R. Byrne, M. Sime, K. Walker.  
Sitting (left to right): I. Kaplin, P. Brown, B. Donald, W. Scott, J. Harrison (Capt.), D. Lincey, T. Carson, R. Winkler, T. Linsky.



**Fifth XV**

The fifths had a very successful season and won the Combined High Schools premiership undefeated. Each game was played with vigour and in a spirit of good sportsmanship.

The team: Warwick Perrett (Capt.): An inspiration to the team.

Jim Cattlin (Vice-Capt.): There when needed.

David Cohen: Fast breakaway and try scorer.

Michael Downie: Runs hard for the line.

David Abbot: Cuts through well.

Peter Maris: Rugged forward.

Ian Bund, Always on the ball.

Peter O'Mara: Good cover defence.

Douglas Mill: Backs up well.

Peter Henry: Throws a good pass and can take any tackle.

Ian Finnis: Fierce tackler.

Leigh Davison: Dangerous in the loose.

Robert Twible: Rucks well.

Richard Cowan, Good in the line out.

Tony McNab: Always safe.

Neil Callow: Plays hard.

Robert Humphreys: Keen footballer.

Merv Clarke: Good utility player.

**Results**

N.S.B.H. v. S.T.H.S. won, 12-3; v. E.H.S. won, 39-0; v. C.S.H.S. won, 34-6; v. C.N.H.S. won, 17-6; v. S.H.S. won, 20-0; v. N.S.T.H. won, 17-5; v. M.H.S. won, 13-0; v. E.H.S. won, 49-0; v. S.T.H.S. won, 11-0; v. C.S.H.S. won, 64-3; v. R.H.S. won, 15-0; v. H.A.H.S. won, 16-11; v. E.H.H.S. won, 5-0; v. Shore won, 9-3.

**Sixth Grade**

It was, indeed, pleasing to see such a large number of boys turn out for the trials at the beginning of the season.

The team performed creditably and, although the boys were beaten in a majority of the competition games, they were never defeated badly in any one particular game. The total points scored against the team were 69, while 53 points were scored by the team.

After a shaky start, the team developed into a fine combination and during second term section of the competition played some very fine games. I feel that the best performances were against Manly High and East Hills High, where we were beaten 9-0 and 8-0 respectively. It is worthy of note that these two teams were the competition finalists. Although beaten by these two schools, our boys played their best football for the season.

The members of the team were keen players and gave of their best both in training and during the games. The following boys deserve special mention for their performances throughout the season: W. Scott, R. Winkler, M. Sime and B. Adams.

—B. COOKE, Coach.

**LATE REPORT**

**SOCCER**

Over 200 boys played soccer, and about 30 of these trained for the C.H.S. competition A and B grade teams. Three grades of House Soccer were played on Artarmon and Northbridge Ovals. The points score was:

	Smith	Harvey	Williams	Hinder
A .....	30	36	30	12
B .....	26	22	12	12
C .....	15	22½	10½	6
Total ....	71	80½	52½	30

From the House players 1st, 2nd and under 14 teams were chosen for occasional "friendly" games against other schools. The results augur well for next year's C.H.S. teams. Results were: v. Homebush (House teams) 1st 3-1; Crow's Nest, 1st 1-0, 2nd 3-0, under 14 7-1; v. Randwick, 1st 0-1, 2nd 0-0, under 14 1-1; v. Sydney, 1st 1-1, 2nd 3-0; v. Cleveland Street (without their C.H.S. rep. players) 0-1.

**SPORTS RESULTS**

**FINAL POINTS IN CRICKET COMPETITION**

School	Gr. 1	Gr. 2	Gr. 3	Gr. 4	Gr. 5	Gr. 6
N.S.H.S. ....	32	21	31	30	27	21
M.H.S. ....	25	21	27	27	18	36
C.N.H.S. ....	15	6	—	8	24	10
C.S.H.S. ....	7	10	9	6	21	19
N.S.T.H.S. ....	15	25	21	31	14	28
S.T.H.S. ....	23	29	27	8	25	12
S.H.S. ....	22	29	25	20	21	30
R.H.S. ....	16	19	10	19	34	10
Su.H.S. ....	—	—	26	15	2	2
E.H.S. ....	13	17	14	32	10	20
H.H.S. ....	27	33	28	19	17	30
F.S.H.S. ....	15	27	23	17	25	18
Pb.H.S. ....	16	15	—	29	12	17
D.H.S. ....	19	6	6	7	16	22
C.H.S. ....	23	28	29	17	23	18
E.H.H.S. ....	—	—	30	25	23	13
P.H.S. ....	23	4	16	21	—	—
Pn.H.S. ....	11	15	—	4	36	19
H.A.H.S. ....	25	25	32	28	32	22
L.H.S. ....	—	—	20	15	24	18
F.H.S. ....	—	—	38	20	8	19
Mq.H.S. ....	13	12	12	30	16	38

**PREMIERSHIP RESULTS**

- Grade 1. C.H.S., H.H.S. — Co-Premiers.
- Grade 2. H.H.S., S.H.S. — Co-Premiers.
- Grade 3. S.H.S., N.S.H.S. — Co-Premiers.
- Grade 4. N.S.T.H.S. — Premiers.
- Grade 5. P.H.S. — Premiers.
- Grade 6. H.H.S., M.H.S. — Co-Premiers.

**ZONE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

- Grades 1 and 2. N.S.H.S., S.T.H.S., H.H.S.
- Grades 3, 4, 5, 6. N.S.H.S., S.H.S., H.H.S., H.A.H.S.



## HOUSE RESULTS

### HOUSE SHIELDS, 1957

#### Scott-Allworth Shield (For all Sports)

Sport	Smith	Harvey	Williams	Hinder
Cricket .....	4	6	2	0
Water Polo ..	4	0	6	2
Swimming ....	6	4	2	0
Rugby Union ..	4	2	6	0
Soccer .....	2	3	1	0
Tennis .....	5	2	5	0
Athletics .....	6	4	0	2
Grade players (Cricket) ....	3	2	0	1
Grade players (Rugby U.) ..	3	1	0	2
Totals .....	39	24	22	7

**Douglas Paterson Shield (Rugby):** Won by Williams House.

**Drummond Shield (Athletics):** Won by Smith House.

**Treloar Shield:** Won by F. Payne.

### Summer Sport, 1957

#### CRICKET

House	A	B	C	D	E	Champ.
Smith .....	12	24	22	17	14	327
Harvey .....	26	7	16	20	20	352
Williams .....	12	19	16	16	14	286
Hinder .....	14	10	10	7	16	223

#### WATER POLO

Smith, 4 — 3 — 36; Harvey, 1 — 3 — 18;  
Williams, 4 — 9 — 60; Hinder, 5 — 3 — 32.

#### SWIMMING

Smith, 522; Harvey, 318; Williams, 260; Hinder, 220.

#### ATHLETICS

Smith, 533; Harvey, 396; Williams, 268; Hinder, 395.

### House Competitions

#### RUGBY UNION

House	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	Champ.
Smith .....	6	19	15	15	13	13	6	298
Harvey .....	1	2	6	13	23	14	19	239
Williams .....	18	14	17	16	10	17	15	389
Hinder .....	15	9	6	0	0	4	6	174

#### TENNIS

House	A	B	C	D	E	Champ.
Smith .....	11	4	11	5	12	166
Harvey .....	6	8	3	10	7	128
Williams .....	8	13	11	6	5	166
Hinder .....	3	3	3	7	4	72

# THE CADET CORP

1957 has been a year of activity for the Cadet Unit. The number which may enter the Unit is limited by establishment to 325. This number has been maintained throughout the year, together with 20 boys who have been prepared to train without uniform and without the right to attend camp; this is certainly a sign of great keenness on their part.

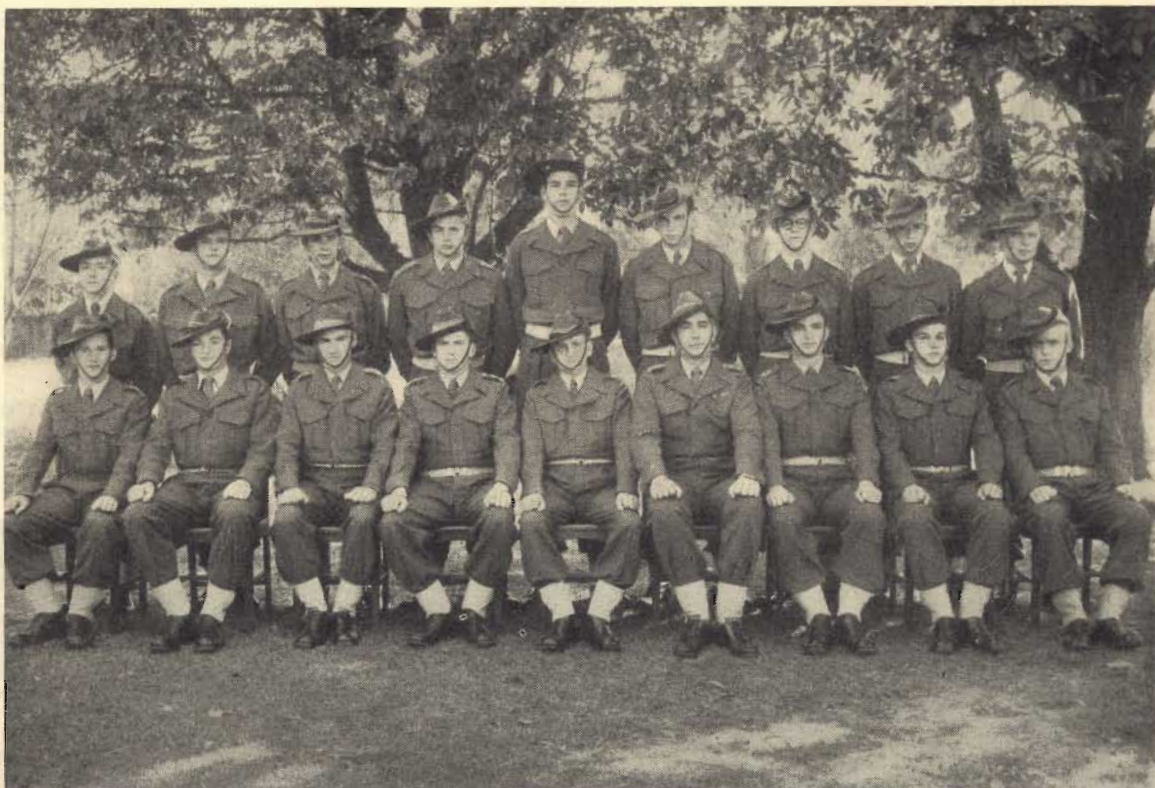
The officers for 1957 were:

Major A. F. Henry (O.C.), Capt. L. Osborne (2 I/C and Quartermaster), Capt. L. Bottomley (Adj.), Capt. T. L. Buck (Bandmaster), Cadet Under Officers H. D. Wood (A Coy.), E. W. Perrett (C Coy.), G. Richardson (B Coy.), G. Kennedy (1 Pl.), A. Williams (7 Pl.), G. Moore (6 Pl.), G. White (4 Pl.), D. Newman (3 Pl.),



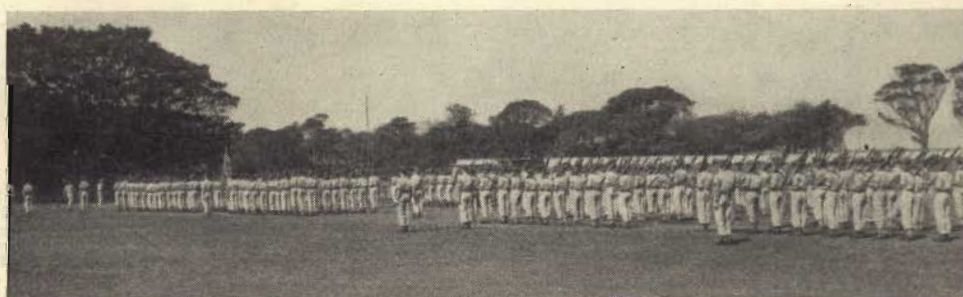
Cadet Under/Officer E. W. PERRETT handing over the Unit Flag to L/Cpl. J. Gifford of 4th Year, indicating the passing-on of responsibilities to the Cadets of 4th Year.





**OFFICERS OF THE CADET UNIT, 1957.**

Standing: Cadet Under/Officers J. Polgar, B. Brewer, G. Moore, R. Brammall, J. McKee,  
D. Shorter, A. Gilbert, K. Makins, D. Newman.  
Seated: C.U.O. G. Kennedy, C.U.O. E. Ferrett, Capt. T. L. Buck, Capt. L. Osborne,  
Maj. A. F. Henry, Capt. L. Bottomley, C.U.O. H. Wood, C.U.O. G. Richardson, C.U.O. G. White.



**PASSING OUT PARADE**

Portion of the Cadet Unit ready to march past.



D. Shorter (5 Pl.), K. Makins (8 Pl.), B. Brewer (2 Pl.), A. Gilbert (9 Pl.), I. McKee (Range Offr.), J. Polgar (10 Pl.), B. Brammall (Asst. Trg. Offr.).

Having won the Bulletin Trophy for rifle shooting during 1955, the Unit repeated the success in 1956. The trophy is presented to the Cadet Unit in New South Wales which has the highest score on the open range for its ten best shots. Hornsby Open Range was used on a number of Saturdays; again some excellent shooting was witnessed, over 40 qualifying as Marksmen. The best scores were (possible 100):

Cpl. P. Burton, 98; C.U.O. H. D. Wood, 96.

During Education Week, our Unit took part in the March of Cadets through the city.

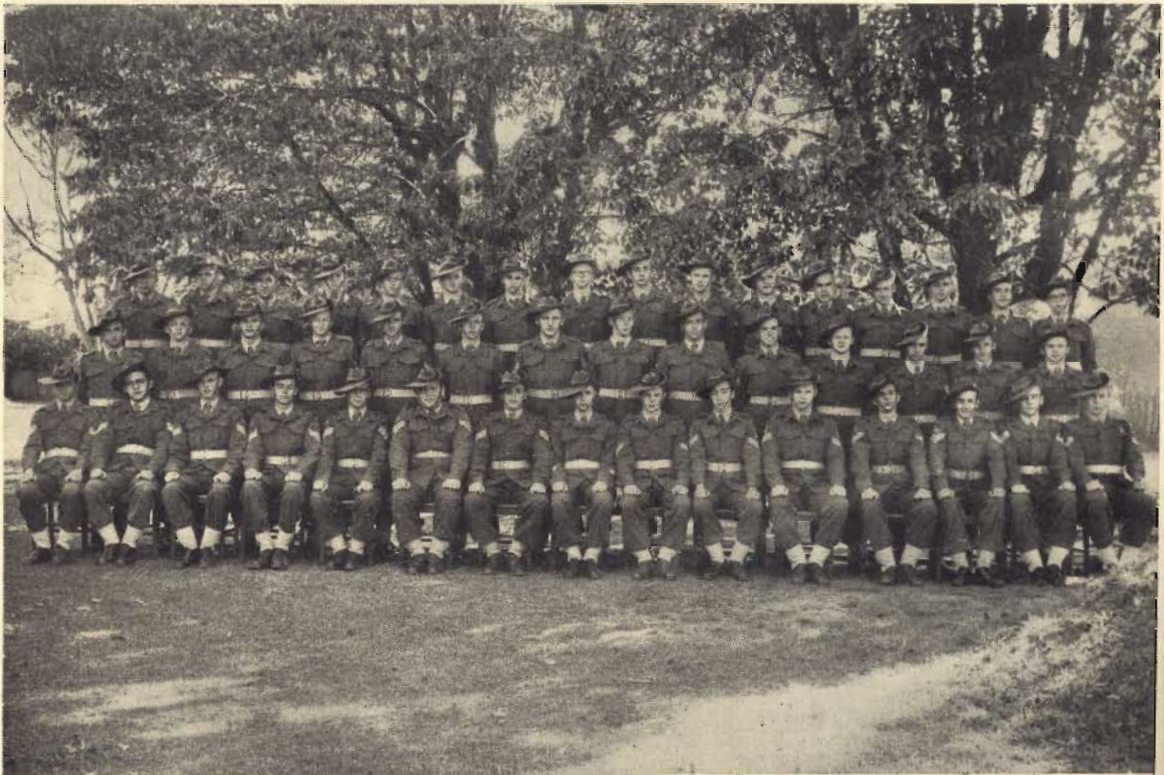
The Annual Camp, held at Singleton, was most successful; a total of 311 officers and ORs attended. A demonstration of field firing with infantry weapons, and of parachute jumping and dropping of supplies, was most inter-

esting. On each of these occasions the Unit had a hot meal served out. Regular infantry training was carried, whilst specialist groups fired their weapons. All cadets who had been in the unit for more than one year fired the Bren L.M.G.

During the May vacation, selected members of specialist groups attended courses of instruction conducted by the Army. The following attended: 3 in. Mortar: Cpl. B. Mitchell, L. Cpl. Gifford, 6 Pr. A/Tk. Gun: Cpl. Kinghorn, Cpl. Walkom, Cdt. Wilkinson.

Signals: L/Cpl. Lowenthal, Cdt. Broadhurst. M.M.G.: Cpl. Ermert, Cpl. Hatherley, Int. L/Cpl. Cornish, Cdt. Woolcott. A.A.M.C.: Cpl. Stahl, L/Cpl. Herrmann.

The Passing-Out Parade was held on 17th October. Maj-General I. N. Dougherty took the salute and inspected the Parade.



CADETS OF FIFTH YEAR 1957

Back Row: Cpl. J. Furedy, L/Cpl. K. Morgan, Cpl. R. Grynberg, L/Cpl. C. Price, L/Cpl. N. Anderson, Cadet T. Creer, Cadet T. Moss, L/Cpl. G. Blackman, L/Cpl. J. Wyndham, Cpl. M. Dadd, Cpl. P. Everett, Cadet R. Scotter, L/Cpl. R. Cope, Cpl. P. Blundell, L/Cpl. J. Healey, L/Cpl. D. Kingsford-Smith.

Absent: W.O. II J. Meincke, W.O. II G. Storum, L/Cpl. N. Wright, Cpl. I. Brown, Cpl. P. Viola, Cpl. P. Blake, L/Cpl. G. Keating.

Centre Row: Cpl. A. Cook, Cpl. R. Brett, Cpl. P. Duval, Cpl. D. Perkin, Cpl. P. Burton, Cpl. G. Bowd, Sgt. D. Gillies, Cpl. B. Jones, Cpl. B. King, Sgt. R. Moorhead, Sgt. J. Streckfus, Sgt. G. Parker, Sgt. I. McTavish, Cpl. M. Kaye, Seated: Sgt. N. Barnes, Sgt. R. Body, Sgt. J. Forster, Sgt. A. Magnussen, Sgt. M. Valentine, Sgt. J. Campbell, Sgt. S. May, W.O. II F. Bochner, Sgt. G. Yates, S/Sgt. R. Court, Sgt. R. Oakley, Sgt. M. Parkinson, Sgt. W. Baillie, Sgt. A. Lush, Sgt. C. McGilvray.



Appreciation is again expressed to the Ladies' Auxiliary for providing afternoon tea on this occasion, and also for the presentation of steel cupboards and floor covering for the cadet room.

A guard of honour with the band was provided for the opening of the Waratah Spring Festival.

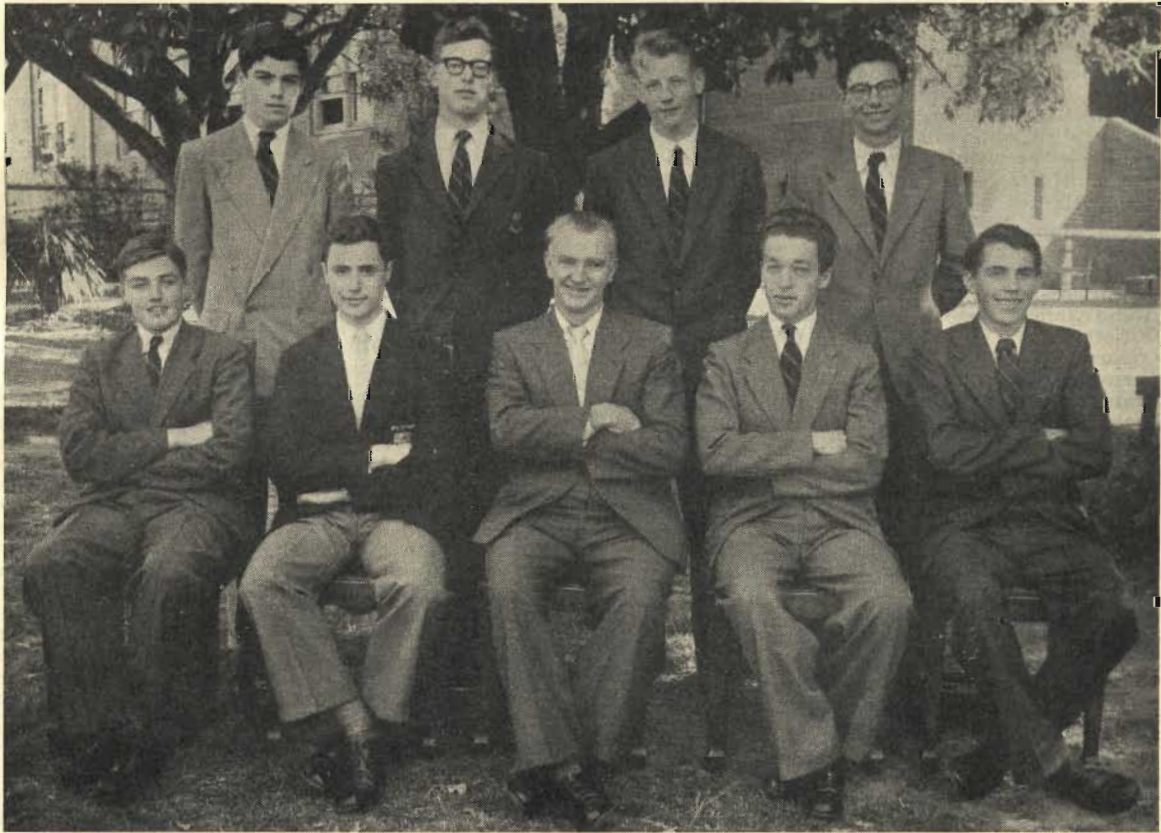
The Cadet Unit Band had a strength of 43 and again had a full year. It carried out its many duties with distinction and once more

brought honour to the Unit.

The Unit won the "Silver Bugle" for the best percentage attendance at camp during 1956.

We were again fortunate to have the help of two former members of the Unit, who are now in The University Regiment, Lts. P. Lawson and L. Hattersley. The presence of these two officers contributed greatly to the general success of the camp and particularly of the training.

## DEBATING - 1957



DEBATING, 1957

Standing: M. Smith, C. Oakley (Junior Team); D. Makinson, F. Marks (Senior Team).

Seated: P. Christiansen (Junior Team), F. Bochner

(Senior Team), Mr. J. Bates (Master in Charge of Debating), R. Court (Senior Team), F. Hatherley (Junior Team).



## DEBATING

Once more we had a successful year, internally and externally, although we again narrowly missed the "double" in the Inter-High School Competition.

The Senior Team, led by Roger Court (whip), with David Makinson (opener), Frank Marks (2nd speaker) and Felix Bochner (reserve), won the Hume Barbour Competition, defeating Sydney High in the Final. It is interesting to note that although Sydney already has eleven wins to its credit, this is our second win in three years. The A. I. Davern Prize for Oratory, which is awarded to the best speaker in the Final, was won by Roger Court.

It was unfortunate that after having a bye in the first round of the Eisteddfod Teams Competition (under 18), we were beaten in the second round by a team from the Brigidine Convent.

The team was greatly honoured, however, when it was invited to debate Sydney Girls' High, the winners of the Girls' High Schools' Competition in a special preliminary debate to the Final of the Australian Teams' Debating Championship (in which, incidentally, the N.S.W. team led by Don Scott, a distinguished Old-Falconian debater, and which also included Frank Hoffman, another Old-Falconian, was beaten by Victoria). It gave us even greater pleasure to win this debate, as Sydney Girls' had been the ultimate winners of the Eisteddfod. We considered our defeat in that competition avenged!

The annual social debate with North Sydney Girls' placed another feather in the cap of the B.H.S. It was also, as usual, a thoroughly enjoyable social event.

The Junior Team — Frank Hatherly, Peter Christiansen, Colin Oakley and Michael Smith (reserve) — was not so successful, being narrowly beaten in its semi-final of the K. R. Cramp Competition by Newcastle (who were beaten by Parramatta in the Final). The Juniors also shared the fate of the Senior Team in the Eisteddfod, being beaten in their first debate by a team from Sydney High (no doubt eager to avenge the Hume Barbour defeat of their Senior Team).

At this point, mention must be made, however, of the two teams — one from 1st Year and one from 2nd Year — which also competed in the Eisteddfod. Each team downed one other, comprising debaters several years their senior, before being beaten (much to the discomfort of the School Teams!). The speakers in these teams were E. Wolfers, R. Sharpe, B. Marks, G. James, K. Walker, M. Sime and D. Colville.

Edward Wolfers, of 2nd Year, was placed second in the Juvenile Prepared Speech (under 14). It was unfortunate indeed that some of our Senior debaters, particularly those in 5th Year, found the exams approaching too rapidly to enter the individual contests in the Eisteddfod (such as Singles Debating), as in the past several of them have competed in these sections with considerable success.

In the 1957 Metropolitan High Schools' Oratorical Competition, conducted by the Mosman Debating Society, which this year attracted over sixty entries, N.S.B.H.S. had three finalists (out of ten), who were placed 1st, 3rd and 4th — a commendable effort, as entries came from High Schools all over Sydney. Our winner was Roger Court, and our other place-getters David Makinson (3rd) and Frank Hatherly (4th).

The highlight of the year's debating activities within the School, the Falcon Oratorical, this year attracted probably the highest standard entries for several years. There were five competitors (two 5th Years and three 4th Years), and the competition was adjudicated by Mr. D. M. McCallum, M.A., B.Phil., a Lecturer in Government at Sydney University and an Adjudicator in this year's Hume Barbour. Roger Court was declared winner, and thus became the first and probably the last person (now that the Contest is restricted to 4th and 5th Years) to win the Trophy for three consecutive years. David Makinson was a close second and Jonathan Stone third.

The Junior Falcon, being held for the second time, was adjudicated by its donor (now "Mr.") David Ferraro (1st Year Uni. student) and was won by Peter Christiansen of 3rd Year. Colin Oakley was second and Edward Wolfers third.

House Debating this year was again of high standard, and the Junior Competition has revealed many promising debaters (promising in more ways than one!). The Senior Competition (for the Scott-Ross-Evatt Trophy) was again won by the strong Smith House, practically School, team of Roger Court, Felix Bochner and Telford Conlon. At the time of going to Press, the David Gray Trophy has not yet found its new owner. The Final between Smith and Hinder will be held very shortly.

In conclusion, I should like to thank the many persons who have done so much to make the Year the success it has been. First thanks should go, I think, to my Committee, who have given me so much assistance throughout the Year. Then, too, I should like to thank those who gave up so much time to adjudicate House debates, both members of the staff (in particular Mr. Tully and Mr. Bottomley) and those Fifth Years who also assisted. Last, and in no way least, I should like to thank our Patron, Mr. Bates, who has given such great assistance and been so really enthusiastic about doing so, no matter whether he was assisting 1st Year or 5th Year, School Team, House Team or even Class team. Without the work of these people, 1957 would not have been what it has.

— ROGER COURT  
(President)

(I'm certain all members of Staff and School interested in Debating will agree with me that much of this year's success, as with previous years, has been due to the self-sacrificing enthusiasm of the President of the Society and Leader of the Senior Team. — J. B.)



## CHESS CLUB - 1957

The Chess Club has completed a very successful year on the competitive side. Last year it held the A and Beginners' Grade Championships, and these were retained.

The 1957 A grade team was: John Furedy (Captain), Graham Wilkinson, William Chia, Nigel Stoneman and John King. Wilkinson and Stoneman went through the competition undefeated, and Furedy lost only his last game on Board 1. Altogether, the team conceded only 5 losses in 35 games.

The B grade team put up nearly as meritorious a performance by winning their zone, and taking second place in the play-off. In the zone play, Klinger and Mar suffered no losses. The team was R. Klinger, R. Wilkinson (Captain), K. Mar, J. Betts, and K. Davenport. The team won 33½ games and lost 11½ in all their matches.

The C grade team did not settle down. Only two players (Robertson and Rowell) played in

every match. The team members were D. Robertson, G. Rowell, A. Maher, R. Reid, P. Townsend, G. Roberts, S. Zawadzski and A. Horowitz.

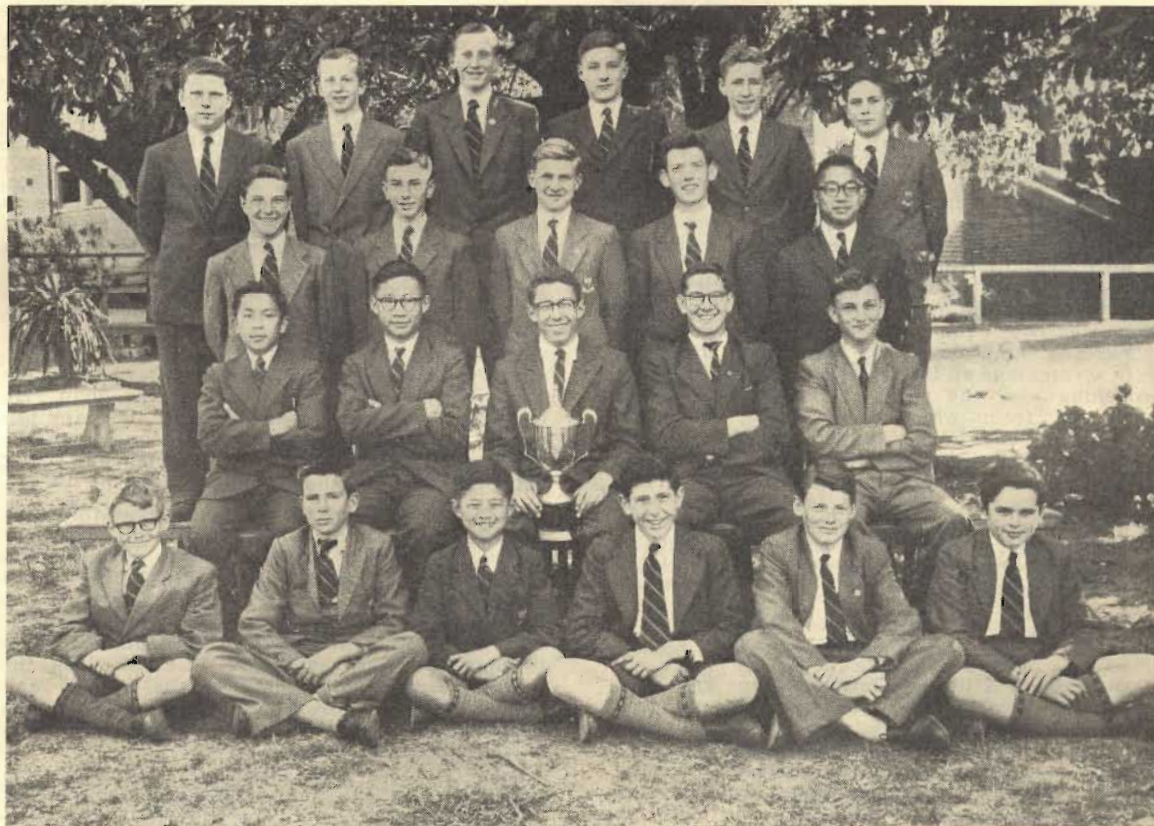
The Beginners' team was exceptionally strong, dropping only 7 games out of 45.

In August, William Chia became under-16 champion of N.S.W. Congratulations to this boy, who has played chess for only two years. John Furedy took second place in the under-16 Championship of N.S.W. Congratulations also.

Furedy, Chia and Wilkinson have been chosen to represent Combined Schools against University, with Stoneman and Klinger reserves—practically N.S.B.H.S. versus University!

The devotion of members like G. Wilkinson and the team captains (as well as others) to the interests of the club has largely contributed to these successes.

R. L. GARNSEY



### REPRESENTATIVE CHESS TEAMS

Back Row: S. Zawadzki, P. Townsend, R. Reid, D. Robertson, G. Roberts, A. Maher.  
Second Row: K. Davenport, R. Klinger, R. Wilkinson, I. Betts, K. Mar.

Sitting: W. Chia, J. Ting, J. Furedy, G. Wilkinson, N. Stoneman.  
In Front: M. Hooper, M. Sime, P. Lin, I. Kaplin, C. Wilkins, B. Meakins.



# LITERATURE

## REPORT OF THE LITERARY COMMITTEE.

We have to admit that the response this year was not as good as we expected. Not that the quality was particularly poor—on the contrary, it was about the same as that of last year—but the quantity was very meagre. And, naturally, with a lower total number of entries, there were fewer good ones. Perhaps people are not feeling very inspired this year.

Nevertheless, there was a considerable variety.

Apart from a couple of pieces purloined from the "Readers' Digest," we were presented with a number of "Storms at Sea" and essays on the Cadet Corps and education as a whole. Although the general tone was not as morbid as last year, Sin remained a favourite topic, together with Evening and a few comments about the literary discrimination of the Committee.

Editorial Committee: T. Conlon, R. Court, D. Makinson (5th Year), R. Browne, J. Stone (4th Year).

## HERE HE COMES

Sunday morning dawned clear and blue, and eagerly I hopped out of bed and dashed to the front gate, from where I gazed hopefully up the street. After watching for half an hour I gave up and turned back disappointedly. Just as I turned away from the road I caught sight of a faint blur in the distance. Could it be? At last it looked as if my patience would be rewarded. Soon I could make out white missiles flying out in all directions from it. I could even make out the wheels that balanced and propelled it. Dogs were soon barking and chasing it until they were distracted by cars, cats, the ice-cream man's truck, and other dogs. At last I saw the faint, dark scratchings on the white missiles and a figure crouching over the front of the object, bearing a burden from which they flew. Finally it approached our house, and I leaped over the fence to meet it. One of the missiles was hurled with unusual velocity and there was a dull clatter on the roof. In silent fury I stalked back to a trellis and climbed on to the roof muttering angrily: "Can't the clot ever learn how to throw the paper. The comic pages will have had it after that throw."

—D. BLACK, 2C.

## ESSAYS.

An essay is a literary form. No one can deny this. Now why should anyone want to use such a form? The answer is perfectly clear: it is the best medium for the egotism of the essayist.

I can hear you saying to yourself: "I can't accept that. It cannot possibly be that all essayists are egotists." And yet, why not? In an essay, the writer puts forward his point of view. The object of doing this is to tell someone else what he thinks. Of course, not all essayists write as emphatically as Dean Inge, but all say just what they think. Each believes that his ideas are worth writing. Each thinks that other

people will recognise the value which he thinks is in his work.

But do they? Of course they don't. The essayist is such an egotist that he forgets that his readers are egotists too. They couldn't possibly accept someone else's ideas unless they happen to coincide with their own. An essayist, therefore, always fails in his chief object: to get others to think that what he thinks is right. Those who did not agree with him will continue to be in disagreement, and the rest will continue to agree just as they did before the essay was ever written.

He succeeds little better in the second aim: trying to make the readers think. On the subject matter, the reader thinks either that the essayist is a fool for taking a different view from his own, or that the essayist is a clever chap. He must be; he thinks what I think." Perhaps the writer may succeed in getting someone to think: "This is rather good dogmatic style," but what good does this do the essayist? None at all.

In his third aim, the essayist invariably gets good results. All readers are entertained by the essays they read. The agreeing reader finds exquisite delight in going through the work and picking out all the places where the writer has put the point of the essay in the best manner. The disagreeing reader also delights in going through the essay piecemeal. He takes all the purple passages (according to the agreeer) and laughs out loud. How could the essayist be such a simpleton as to write that? Why, my opinion is much better than that!

You, who are now either nodding your head rapturously at my wonderful point of view, or who are guffawing on high and low registers of your vocal chords; you are now wondering just what conclusion I shall reach. The only safe one, I think, is that all essayists, including myself, should give up writing here and now.

—F. McKONE, 5A.



## THE DEATH OF A SQUARE-RIGGER.

Through driving rain and lashing hail  
 The vessel ploughs her way,  
 And high aloft are trimmed the sails  
 Reflected in waters grey;  
 Far overhead is thunder's roll,  
 Brightly the lightning flashes;  
 Onward, ever nearing her goal,  
 Through sea's foaming wall she crashes.  
 Her weather'd hull cleaves tossing waves,  
 Whose spray is flung on high;  
 Whistling winds tear at the stays,  
 Outlined against pallid sky.  
 "Land ahoy! on starboard bow!"  
 Hears the sailor at the wheel;  
 Too late, for in the water below  
 Rough coral strikes the keel.  
 Season'd oak is quickly split,  
 The timbers groan aghast;  
 And sky up above with lightning is lit,  
 Where upwards point the masts.

—JOHN MILLS, 3rd Year.

## THE MOUNTAIN KING.

What is a mountain? Some people would say,  
 "Oh, just a rise in the ground, a large hill." How  
 wrong and ignorant they are, those who cannot  
 see more than that in a mountain.

A mountain is to some a forbidding guard, a  
 powerful monarch ruling its weak dominions,  
 the land over which it towers. To others it is  
 a massive, snow-tipped blockade, a protective  
 wall, a safeguard, which wards off any dangerous  
 foe.

To others it gives a peculiar sickness, the want  
 to conquer the lofty height, an unquenchable  
 thirst, an unmatched thrill, a quick, cruel  
 death, and to some, the survivors (the skilful  
 ones who mastered the perilous traps on it), a  
 tremendous joy, to stand alone where no other  
 man has stood, to look out over the miniature  
 world lying at his feet, he being the conqueror.  
 To these people it is all or nothing, they either  
 win with great glory or lose with cold death.

Wherever there is a tall mountain, so there is  
 a river. As the crisp, dazzling white snow is  
 met by the sun's powerful rays, it melts and  
 trickles down the mountainside like a flood,  
 crashing down waterfalls, swirling down rapids.  
 Then all of a sudden it quietens as it flows into  
 the peaceful valley below. Near the bottom of  
 the mountain, the land has been cleared and  
 crops are being grown in the rich black soil.  
 Snowstorms and blizzards are frequent at the  
 mountain peak. When it rains, the mountain  
 is veiled in mist and cloud.

Also, the mountain is the home of many small,  
 shy animals, and its picturesque, shady trees  
 give sanctuary to the small, bright-coloured birds  
 that flit chirping through them. Rabbits play hide-  
 and-seek in the plush, emerald green grass, and  
 many other animals rest on the cool ferns in the  
 shady hollows. So the mountain is the kind  
 friend of small animals.

Yes, as well as a forboding guard, the moun-  
 tain is a kind, monarchal friend, truly a king.

—DAVID COHEN, 4th Year.

## PAST MIDNIGHT.

No longer does the world lie quivering,  
 Under the warmth of sunset's fluttering air;  
 But cools in still thin layers. The land is bare,  
 Yet shrouded, quietly drowned; above there drifts  
 Night's jellyfish. Trees in numbness bear  
 Their trunks in silence, shadows dampness sift  
 On grass. The ground is slack, sags loose, bound  
 swift

And tight by roads that cut its skin  
 And hold the earth together. Street lamps beat  
 A glaring pulse, through air's dead tissue; the  
 Still railway and humming car on sheen  
 Of silence-fading highway, thrust life and heat  
 Through night. While stones reveal the surge  
 they bear  
 In death, life in man is moving . . . shivering.

—D. MAKINSON, 5th Year.

## DA GRIMMISCH FAIRYTALEN.

Onceisch da ben ein smallisch fraulein namen  
 Redisch Ridinghooden. Ein mornin da mudder  
 der smallisch fraulein ben gesayen!

"Mein gooten childer: Getaker das basketen der  
 goodischen fur da grossmutter."

Der youngischer ben departen mit runnen und  
 skippen und da mudder ben warnen da watchouten  
 for der wolfen.

Suddenisch asch der childer ben runnen ins  
 der wooden ein grosser wolfen ben upspringen  
 und asken whereisch ben goën. Da youngischer  
 ben backsayen dat ist tagoën der housen da gross-  
 mutter. Quickisch der wolfen ben upprunnen to  
 der housen und upgobben da grossmutter mit  
 gechangen der placers.

Soonisch der youngischer ben arriven mit  
 genocken und incomen. Der wolfen ben upjumper  
 und tryen da eaten. Der fader da fraulein ben  
 upprunnen mit breaknecken speeden mit hearen  
 da shouten und screamen.

Ist der fader ein dumbkorf mit ungoën der  
 housen mit ein hungrischen Wolfen, juster fur  
 saven da fraulein?

Himmel! Nein!

—COLIN OAKLEY, 3B.

## THE WRECK.

There she lies in the shallows,  
 Down in the shifting sand;  
 With her bowsprit pointing to the shore,  
 Like an accusing hand.

She is doomed to finish her life,  
 Alone, without comrades to care;  
 That the waters fill her at high tide,  
 And ebb tide leaves her bare.

Her sides are stove by the rushing seas,  
 And the rocks that hold her fast;  
 And her splitting planks and shattered stern  
 Tell a tale of what has passed.

There she remains in the shallows,  
 A thing to look at in awe;  
 And remember she's one of many  
 That lie on the rocky shore.

—A. EDWARDS, 3B.



## LITERATURE

## DEFENSOR NATURAE

Giant guardian of nature, O mountain,  
Who since creation hath stood  
Towering, above the clouds, watching,  
Far below, the neighbourhood.

Enshrouded in the morning mist,  
You watch the dawn, the living creatures stir,  
As, in the new-born sunlight, life's sounds begin,  
Awakening the hare; and from the blue-gums  
Birds o'er you soar; bees whirr,  
Among the flowers, on your lofty flanks,  
And in the gentle breeze, lush grasses waver,  
Until the evening dew, falling, heralds the night.

The flowers wither, the birds pass away,  
But forever you will stand, in summer sun,  
In winter showers; buttress of the earth,  
Giant guardian of nature, O mountain.

—I. J. JACKSON, 4A.

## SIN

A sudden, craving desire, some whim,  
Your sense of righteousness grows dim,  
Slowly temptation draws you in  
And you fall victim — to the sin.  
You will not stop for contemplation,  
A moment of joy, but brief elation,  
A motive too base for examination,  
You can't resist the vile temptation.  
"Stop," from within you comes a voice,  
It goes unheeded, it's too late for choice,  
You no longer yearn, your heart no longer turns  
It churns insanely — faster till it burns,  
But then slowly, surely, you obey the call,  
A victim to the sin you fall.  
You have fought your fight, you have lost your throne,  
Sin has won you for her own.

—A. EVERETT, Fourth Year.

## A CO-ED. BOARDING SCHOOL IN THE MOUNTAINS

Surrounded by beautiful scenery in the Lushan Mountains was the Kuling school. The Lushan Mountains are situated in Central China, overlooking Lake Poyang. These mountains were to China as the Blue Mountains are to Australia, and it was here that the Generalissimo came for his summer holidays.

This school was owned by the China Inland Mission, and, as our parents belonged to that Mission, it was there that my two brothers, sister and I boarded.

There were over one hundred children, ranging from the ages of early Primary School to the Leaving Certificate, boarding at the school.

Set amidst many trees — oaks, elms and planes — the school consisted mainly of two large

buildings, "Macarthy" and "Bruce" Houses. Over the rest of the property were scattered the residences of the staff. Included in the grounds were tennis courts, basketball courts, three small swimming pools, a playing field, a gymnasium, and a scout camping ground.

On holidays, we used to go on hikes in the district — to the "Three Trees," "Emerald Grotto," "Lion's Leap" and many others. In the summer we would swim in the cool stream or one of the pools in the grounds. Winter brought heavy snowfalls, sometimes even up to a foot in depth, and it was then that we went tobogganing.

I was only there a year, but during that time I grew to love the school, and when we went home for our annual winter holidays to our family in North-west China we were very sad to learn that we would not be going back there the next year.

—CLIFFORD SMITH, 3B.

## THE KINDLY BREEZE.

Over the river, through the trees,  
Blows a cool, refreshing breeze;  
Across the water, into the bush,  
Breaking the silence, disturbing the hush,  
Past a few mountains, gaining height,  
By two dingoes having a fight.

Near a billabong, nobody there,  
Through the tall tree-tops, by a cute koala bear;  
Down a deep gully whistling up top,  
Over herds of ponies that gallop.  
It's a refresher that stands to bear  
It saves us from hating the hot Summer air.

—ROB. WATTS, 1A.

## A PRAYER

The general condemnation by the Cultural Régime  
Of the type of entry for the magazine  
Is apparent in the silent sneers of withering contempt  
As the efforts of us mortal ones are seen.  
I have laboured on an essay, sonnet, funeral dirge  
and ode,  
And a Socialistic treatise on divorce;  
They've been thrown back in my face with a literary grace  
And a muttered epithet that's rather coarse.  
Oh, ye Literary Tyrants! Won't your stony hearts relent  
At the sight of weeping authors on their knees?  
Won't you pass one single entry from among the  
Mortal gentry,  
Not by Makinson — Court — Conlon, if you please?  
—I. EVANS, 5A.



## A QUERY

What is this life if, full of care,  
 We have no time to stand and stare?  
 No time to see the cattle graze,  
 Or see the sun break through the haze;  
 To see a rainbow change its hue,  
 Across the sky that once was blue.  
 This life around us full  
 The beauties that are everywhere.  
 So let us make the time to see  
 This world, God's gift to you and me.  
 A poor life this if, full of care,  
 We have no time to stand and stare.

—J. WONG, 4D.

## "PAROLES SANS CHANT".

So you want un poème, Crasseux?  
 Le voici, indeed!  
 Do you want un mauvais rhyme  
 Que j'écris with speed?  
 Maintenant je take ma plume,  
 Dip la dans the ink:  
 "Qu'est-ce que c'est que Crasseux veut?"  
 Il veut... let me think...  
 Oh, I'm ni a La Fontaine,  
 Ni am I a wit;  
 Et though j'essaye d'écrire this;  
 Je cannot finir it!

I. EVANS, 5A.

## DAWN

One hour before the flush of dawn,  
 That all the rosy daylight weaves,  
 Here in my bed, far overhead,  
 I hear the swallows in the eaves.

I cannot see, but well I know,  
 That out around the dusky grey,  
 Across dark lakes and noisy streams,  
 The blind, dump vapours feel their way.

And here and there a star looks down  
 Out of the fog that holds the sea  
 In its embrace, while up the lands  
 Some cock makes music lustily.

Then when over the edge of night  
 The stars pale one by one,  
 And out of his streams of light,  
 Rising the great red, sun.

—CHI-KWAN LAU, Fourth Year.

## REFLECTIONS

There sinks the sun — the day is dying fast.  
 And these last pale rays are fading, too . . .  
 That sun has been rising and setting  
 On this land  
 From time immemorial  
 Deepening blue engulfs the glowing embers —  
 Fiery gold green, palest blue, then deepest violet,  
 The bitter wind whines in from the seas of night,  
 Dank and sharp it furies in from these wide fields  
 And the waves are washing and gushing  
 Over their primaeval rocks  
 As from the depths of the dim past.

Therefore this sea, these rocks have witnessed  
 what happened  
 During the long ages of the past.  
 The eye of the sun and moon saw them  
 Leaping and bounding in joy,  
 Dying and mourning in sadness;  
 The ear of the sea and rocks heard them  
 Laughing and shouting in happiness,  
 Weeping and wailing in woe.

Once:

But never more  
 Will the pretty children's feet  
 Rustle through the grasses,  
 Dabble in the waves,  
 Dig the cool, damp sand,  
 Or climb the rough, warm rocks  
 Never more  
 Will the ear of these ancient rocks  
 Harken to the sound of their voices,  
 Laughing by the camp fires,  
 Calling across the sands,  
 Shouting among the gums,  
 Murmuring in the moonlight,  
 Or weeping by still waters  
 The rocks can never give up their secret  
 Eternally locked in the earth's bosom —  
 None can erase the memory of what was seen  
 and heard,  
 But now no more —  
 They are wiped from the face of the earth.

After living for ten thousand years,  
 The ancient spirits of the crags and quiet streams  
 Are gone —  
 The spirits have died with their people . . .  
 Only the ageless ocean,  
 Remembering faithfully,  
 Speaks;  
 Gurgling and gushing in his cold crevices,  
 Weeping salt tears in showers of spray,  
 And murmuring with sonorous boom on the beach,  
 The hissing foam whispers of what was seen  
 So long and now no more:  
 The moon's eye is dimmed with tears.

—S. ROBSON, Fourth Year.

## MUMBO-JUMBO AND WHAT-NOT

The fight between the two peewits came to an abrupt conclusion as an agitated kiwi dashed at them with the speed of a willy-willy. They flew helter-skelter into the branches of a paw-paw tree. The kiwi, after having a look around for any other intruders in his territory, retired to its nest, a slipshod, topsy-turvy affair consisting of grass, leaves and knick-knacks from the deserted house. In the middle presided a small white egg, like a ping-pong ball. As the kiwi settled on its nest, a bul-bul flew to a nearby branch trailing the remains of a pom-pom, and screamed at it like a hurdy-gurdy gone wrong. Its mate soon joined it, and between them they made a noise resembling both the beating of a tom-tom and the bow-wow of a hysterical dog doing a hula-hula.

—H. YEE, 1A.



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