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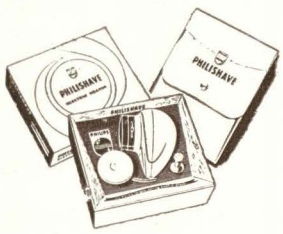
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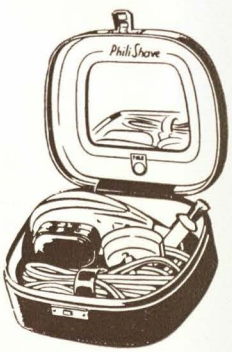
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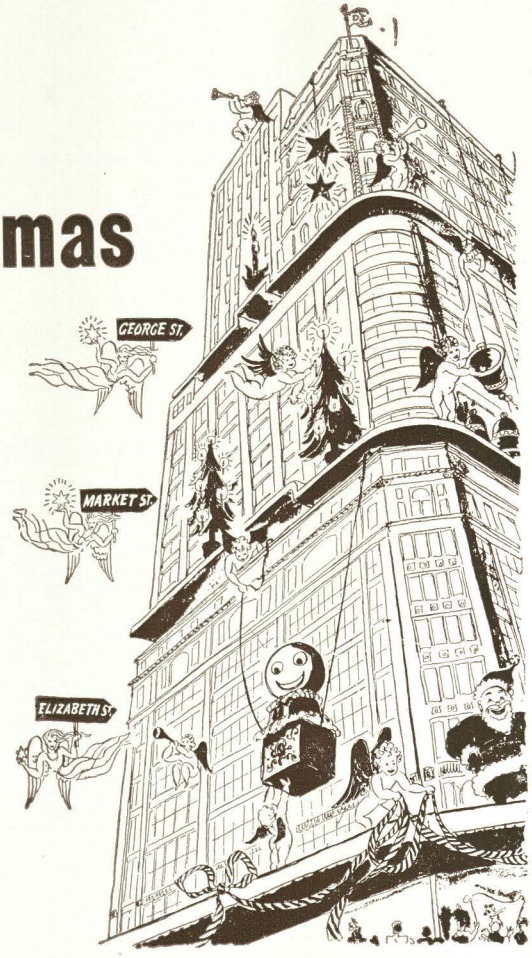


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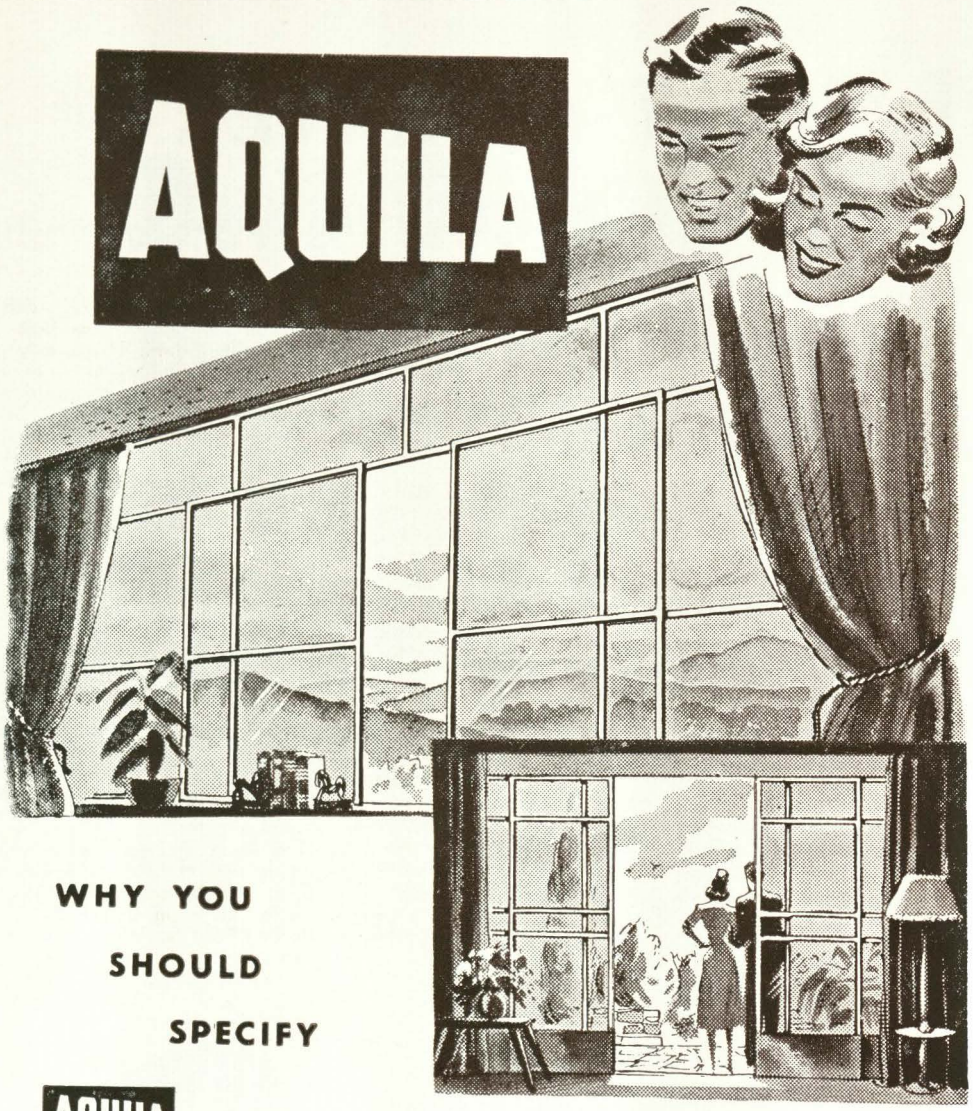
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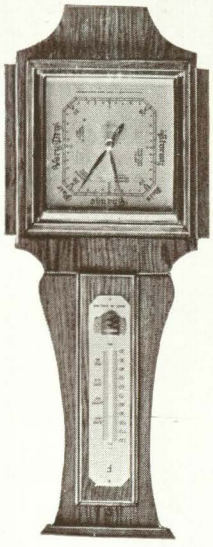
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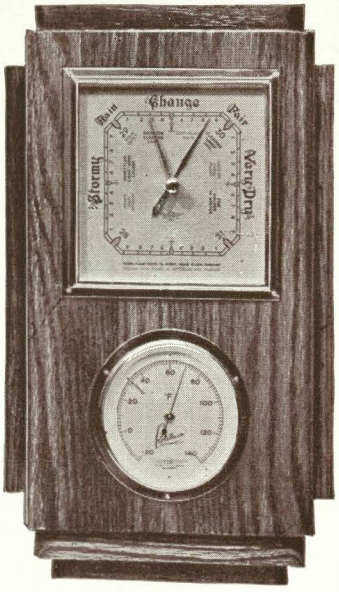
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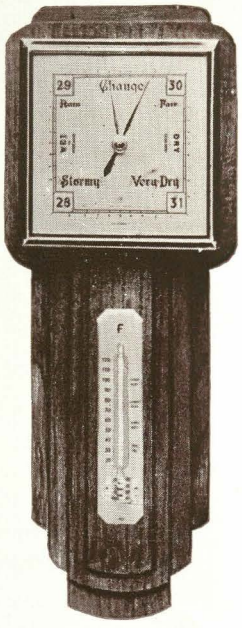
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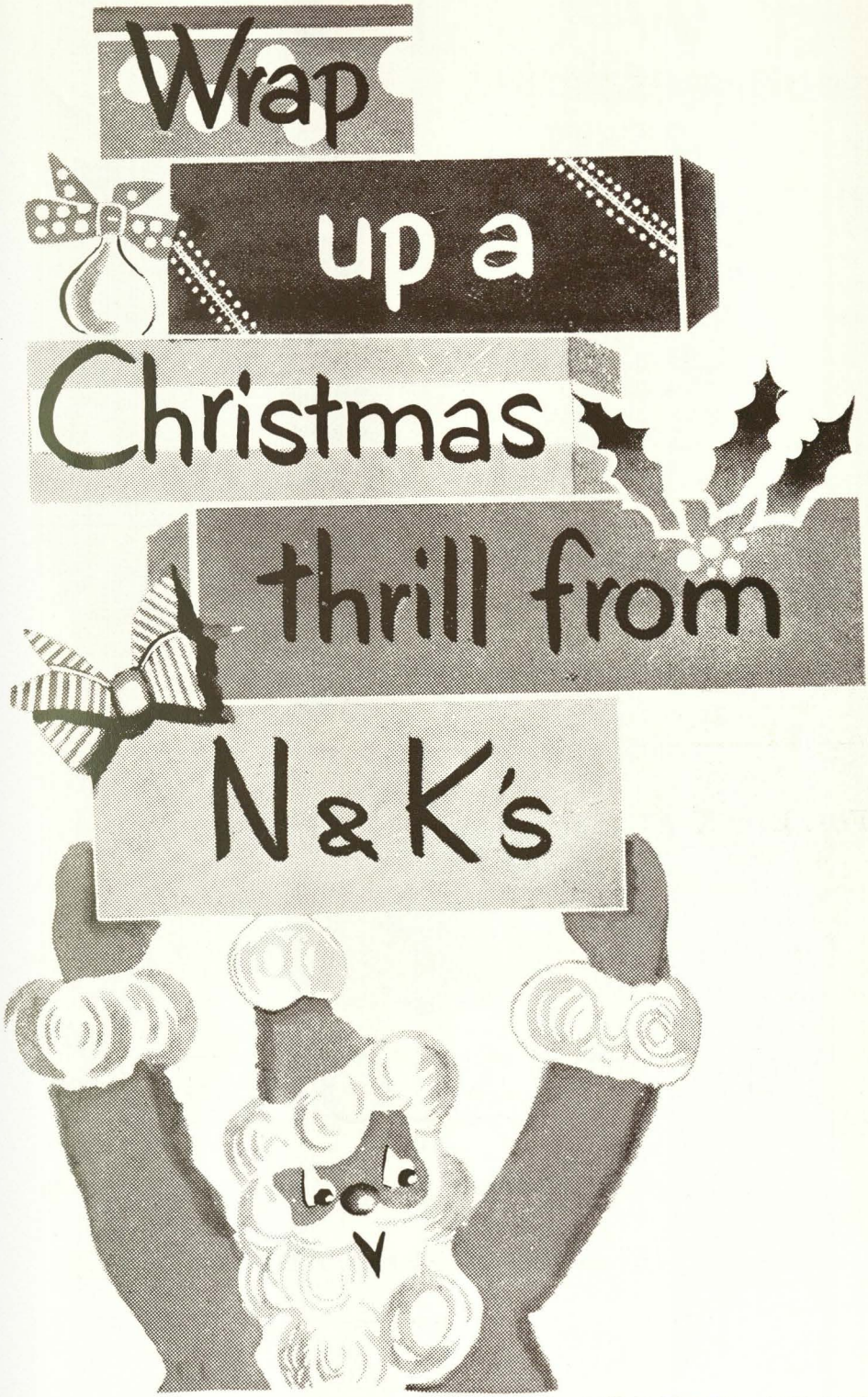




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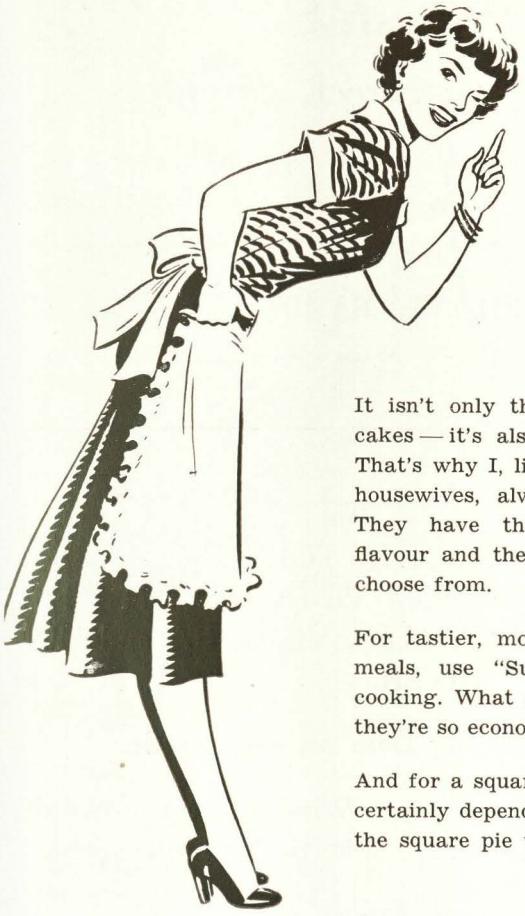
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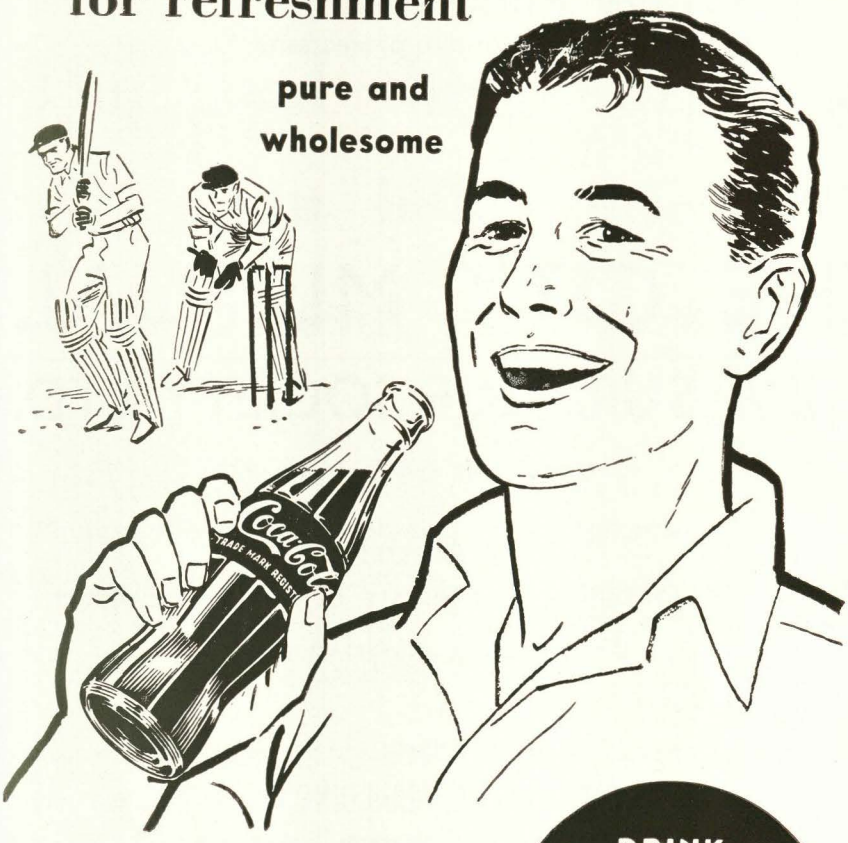
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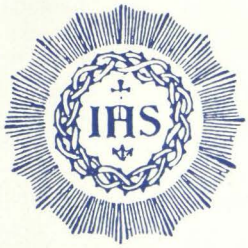
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Preliminary

AS we go to press, the Ignatian year has come and gone. It has had a more than ordinary interest for us all at Riverview, seeing that our College is named after the Founder of the Jesuit Order and claims him as its special patron.

Many details of the life of Saint Ignatius and of our recognition of the 400th anniversary of his death, will be found in the following pages. Ignatius had his difficulties and his problems. He fought them and he prevailed. We, who honour him and who try, in the School named after him, to be worthy of his tradition, are proud to follow in his footsteps, and, win or lose, have done our best too, to prevail over such difficulties as have come our way during our 76 years of life.

The year just closing has been a good one in many ways. The School motto: "Quantum potes, tantum aude"—"try your hardest," has been well illustrated by our activities on and off the sporting fields, in the lives of our Old Boys throughout the country and in the spirit of the present boys within our walls.

In a small way, we have described in this issue, as well as may be within our limited space and without undue complacency, what these activities have been and are.

Loyalty to Saint Ignatius, our soldier patron, loyalty to the School that bears his name, loyalty and friendship to those who, trained in his spirit, try to inculcate that spirit in the present generation and to foster it in our Past, has been outstanding throughout the Ignatian year.

Those who can look back over our history and watch the careers of our boys, young and old, feel satisfied that Riverview has left its mark on those who went before and that it will have reason to be proud of those who are one day to join their ranks.

"Quantum potes, tantum aude"—let us all continue to give of our very best.

We offer our sincere thanks to those who have helped in the production of this issue—our article contributors, our jotters, match reporters, photographers—and very specially to Mr. Bill Davis (O.R. 24-32) of V. C. Davis & Co., who took charge of our advertisements without which it would hardly be possible to produce the Magazine at all. We recommend these advertisers to the close attention of all our readers. Our annual thanks, of course, go to our Printers, Messrs. O'Loughlin Bros., and to our official Photographers, Melba Studios, who have been with us more years than we like to look back upon.

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MAGNANIMITY

WHEN the friends of St. Ignatius Loyola attempted to seize on the one essential quality of this remarkable man, no expression was more often used than "magnanimous". We who look back over four centuries of achievement can see how accurately the word describes his spirit. It is quite clear now that Ignatius was a man of immense heart who did not believe in half measures. Poised as he was in a critical stage of world history, at the end of the Middle Ages and at the dawn of the Modern, he saw, not only the assault on the Church with the Protestant Revolt, but also the conflict in the minds of men as the ancient traditions of learning grappled with the developments of the Renaissance. Under God he was big enough in mind to see the needs of his time and to appreciate what was valuable in the New Learning. Not for him that narrow outlook that is frightened of what is new and retreats hastily and irrationally behind conservative positions.

We cannot but marvel at the accuracy with which he "read the unshapeable shock night". He built up an educational structure that would harness the forces of the New Learning and he built this structure on a basis that was directed towards the protection of the Church he so loved. Education would be a "means of achieving the salvation and perfection of the students, so that they in their turn, might promote the salvation and perfection of their fellow men and thus rigorously and intelligently leaven society with the

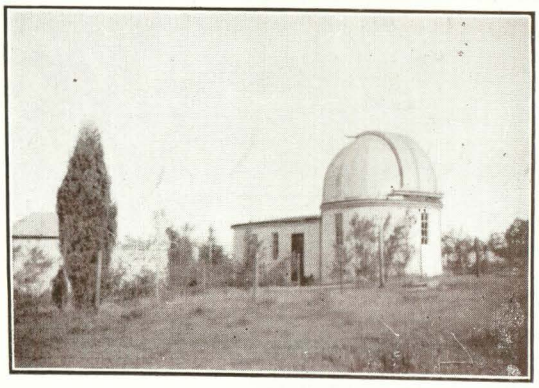
spirit of the Kingdom of Christ". And the new he measured alongside this standard.

He realized that in the expansion of knowledge brought by the Humanists, the Catholic scholar must be in the forefront of the Classical learning, if he were to win respect as a scholar, but that if he were to remain Catholic, his Faith must be fostered and developed. So he included the study of philosophy and theology to ensure that scientifically reasoned Catholic outlook on life among the products of his schools. Equipped thus the Catholic need not fear the New Learning, but rather would welcome it as providing further fields for intellectual exploration.

So we find "the little Spaniard who limped a bit and had such laughing eyes" alert to what was good in the new, courageous himself in introducing new ideas, and most ready to adapt himself to the needs and interests of his times.

We at this College which is honoured to bear his name (is it amiss to wish that we called it St. Ignatius more often than we call it Riverview?) strive to hand down something of that magnanimous spirit of Ignatius Loyola. "Quantum potes, tantum aude" is the motto and it is our prayer that it be a living force on all the activities of the boys. The saint who did not believe in half measures, who went back to school at the age of thirty to learn Latin, who persisted in his studies until he became a Master of Arts in 1535, when forty-three years old, who gave of the best of his sons, Francis Xavier, to the Mission Fields, must surely bless the efforts of those who try to make this motto a reality in their lives.

This is a comfort age, when so often the chief aim is a search for security from want. Parents who themselves have struggled alike to protect their children from such struggles and to leave them secure.



VIEW OF OBSERVATORY.

"We counted the beautiful money
and gave it in our hearts to the child asleep
who must never break his body
against the plough and the stubborn rock and tree."

Yet at times this may be "the wrong dream." It can be dangerous always to have all you need and never to feel the bracing thrill that comes from difficulties met full and square in the face. As our own Christopher Brennan puts it.

"so stood and heard, and rais'd my eyes
erect, that they might drink of space,
and took the night upon my face,
till time and trouble fell away
and all my soul sprang up to feel . . ."

It is also an age when pride in work well and thoroughly done has become worthy of comment, because it is rare.

Because of these twin dangers it is right that boys should share in the full activities of the school and should give of their best in each. Failure in effort in one section has repercussions so often in others. How often do we find that the boy who is not doing well in his class is also half-hearted at his Division activities in sport and cadets. Likewise the wise parent will be very careful before yielding to a son's importunities to drop any particular subject, just because it is hard or he does not like it. Very often such requests are symptoms of a trouble that is as old as man and which we call "laziness".

St. Ignatius felt the need of the adequately trained scholar to face Humanism. So he inserted training in philosophy and theology into the full curriculum. In our crowded courses geared towards competitive examinations what hope is there of teaching scientific theology and philosophy to our youths? True we strive to give an *intellectual* instruction imparting knowledge of the truths of the Faith, and the *moral* training in religious practice. But I am thinking of more than that, without disparaging it in the least. I have a dream of boys who have passed their Leaving Certificates coming back to school for an extra year, in which they would do a special year's course embracing Theology, Philosophy, Sociology, History and English. The purpose of the year would be to furnish that scientifically reasoned Christian outlook and so provide outstanding Catholic leaders in every sphere of society. The benefits to the boys themselves would be immeasurable for their mature development, for so often now they leave school too young.

It is a dream but I have the feeling that it is the sort of dream that St. Ignatius would have had if he were alive today.

F.J.W., S.J.

St. Ignatius Loyola

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It would have been impossible for anyone without prophetic vision to have seen in young Ignatius Loyola the founder of a religious Order engaged in teaching. His acquaintance with learning as a boy was as unwilling as it is with most boys and briefer than with many. His home gave him no love of books; it contained no books to satisfy such a love had it existed. The family was a military one, interested in fighting, hunting, exercises of daring and physical strength and skill. If for want of something really interesting to do he read a book, it was one of those fantastic tales of knights rescuing ladies from giants and magicians and evil spells, that were the rage of his time and remained so until Cervantes set the whole of Europe laughing at them in *Don Quixote*. Occasionally as a young man he would fall in love with some young woman, and like all the young men of his class, would sit down to write a poem about her or to her or both: and we can be sure that literature has lost nothing by the disappearance of these verses. He was no more of a poet by temperament or training than a scholar.



ALTAR IN THE BED-ROOM CHAPEL AT LOYOLA.



When as a man of thirty, his wounds forced him to be inactive and his idleness drove him to reading what few books were within reach, he began with the outlook of a boy. The lives of the Saints, the lives of romantic heroes followed one another through his mind, their interest in the thrills they gave him, the battles, the rescues, the penances, the heroic labours. And there is a charming boyishness about one of the first symptoms of his 'conversion': he copies out his favourite passages in the books about Our Lord and the Saints, choosing paper of fine quality, ruling the pages, using red ink for Our Lord's words and blue for Our Lady's.

The completions of the process of his 'conversion,' the frightening penances, the torturing scruples, the extraordinary mystical flights at Manresa, left him fully a man, experienced and judicious, seeking his vocation.

He thought first that it was to live as a pilgrim in the Holy Land. That failed and he saw that he could work more effectively among people as a priest. So he returned to school with boys, and went on to the university, with no clearer idea than of working in Palestine after ordination. The small band of extraordinary men, Francis Xavier, Peter Faber, James Laynez and

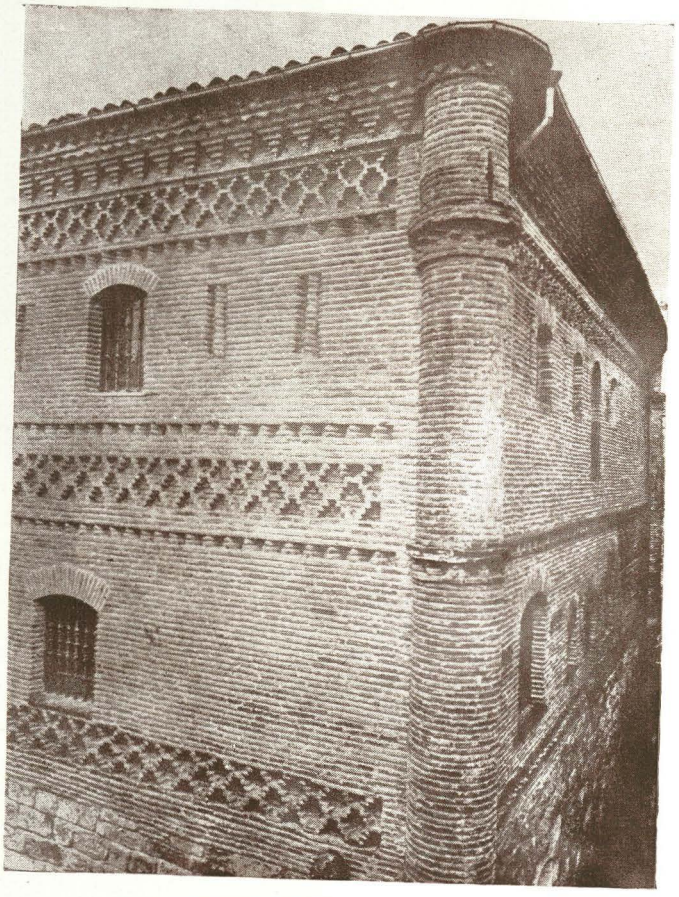
the others, whom he collected round himself — first battering down the repugnance that Xavier felt towards him — shared his hope of a life in Our Lord's native land, part contemplative, part active in priestly work. Should that project too fail — and it did — they were the Pope's men for whatever work he should give them.

Gradually the work took shape. Retreats first of all: he found that he produced radical and lasting changes in those to whom he gave a retreat, based on his own spiritual experiences from the beginning of his conversion. He wrote out brief notes on the considerations that guided him during that time, and they have become one of the most important works of Catholic ascetical literature — the Spiritual Exercises. His companions directed retreats from these notes, and produced the same astonishing results in the retreatants.

Then the preaching of missions: in spite of their ignorance of Italian, the first Jesuits, preaching in the streets of Venice and Padua, found crowds to listen to them and beg afterwards for the Sacraments. And the Pope had a couple of them preach a course of theological lectures in Rome.

Ignatius decided then on a small body of men — not more than sixty — who should move about Europe, hiring a house in some town, giving retreats in it, then moving on to repeat this in another town: preaching in whatever pulpits were offered to them: staying only for as long as there was work to be done usefully, a few days or weeks or months.

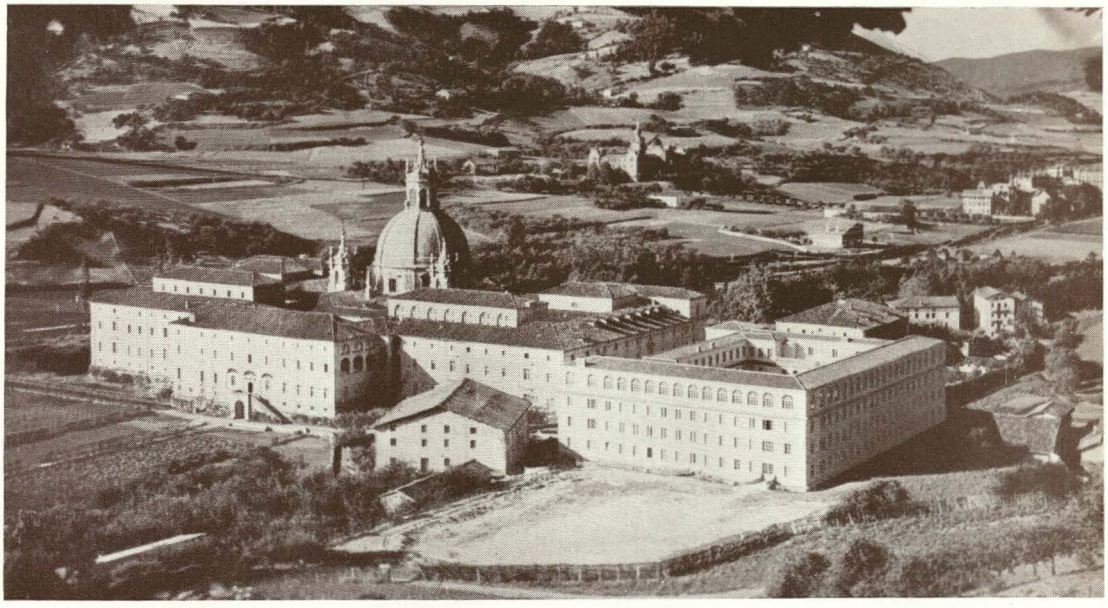
He had had experience in his twenties of those flying columns the King of Spain used in war, moving swiftly and striking suddenly at some vulnerable spot. His Society should be such a



ST. IGNATIUS' ORIGINAL HOME, LOYOLA.

flying column: and so it must not be tied down to any one place or any institution. His men would not, for example, be chaplains to convents, or regular confessors to nuns, and schools, of course, would be out of the question.

The first modification in this plan came from the needs of his own scholastics. He could not recruit only from among priests: young laymen were wanting to join his order and must be trained. He would send them to a University to learn philosophy and theology, but they must have a house of their own to live in as a religious community. But it was not always possible to send them to a University city, so he must have them taught their philosophy and theology by Jesuit professors. That meant tying down some of his men to fixed places and permanent jobs, but it was worth it. And when other students, not Jesuits, asked to be admitted to the lectures in a Spanish House of Studies, he allowed it. So the Society of Jesus entered the field of education, but at the tertiary level.



LOYOLA: THE COLLEGE NOW SURROUNDING ST. IGNATIUS' HOUSE.

Two circumstances combined to bring them into the secondary schools; their own experience as priests and the requests of State, municipal and ecclesiastical authorities.

It was repeatedly borne in on the early Jesuit preaching missions and giving retreats, that for all their success with many of their listeners, they came too late to help others. These were lost to heresy or to sin. They had learnt their heresy young, or had not learnt their religion well enough to withstand heretical influence as adults, or had been corrupted as boys in schools that with pagan literature taught pagan morals. How much more effective would be their apostolic work if they caught their fish young! It was a difficult decision to make for a person like St. Ignatius, to whom the posts kept bringing from beyond the Alps reports by his own men of the results their preaching was having and requests from bishops and civic authorities for missions and retreats, far more than he had men to provide. But in the supernatural world St. Ignatius ranks as a statesman not a politician. He took long views, he was not satisfied with quick results that might not be permanent. He decided to withdraw men from mission work and put them into schools. Not only was he tying them down: he was diverting them to activities that were not apparently religious at all, to teaching Latin and Greek and Mathematics.

He saw these things as being supernaturalised by the end he had in view. Teach the Latin and Greek well, make the school known as one where a good education could be got, and the pupils

would come, and having come, would be educated in their faith too and taught to behave as Christians.

It was surely significant of his idea of a school that the men he chose to start the first Jesuit secondary school — in Sicily — included St. Peter Canisius one of the holiest men and most successful apostles of his century, and as picked by St. Ignatius, who sent the Superior in Sicily an estimate of their abilities — this man is excellent at Scripture and Mathematics, this one in theology and Hebrew, this other has not done much philosophy but is very clever and will make it up. Messina was a great success and the schools spread quickly, to Italy, to France, across the Alps to



THE CONVERSION OF ST. IGNATIUS.
[Statue in the Chapel of The Conversion, Loyola (Spain)].

Rector, Jerome Nadal, a scholar and a planner and administrator of genius. It was to be as efficient as any other school run on secular principles; and it was to be a school where a religious formation of mind and character would take first place: and so the administrator and the Saint founded it. There were seven others

Germany and Austria, across the Mediterranean to Spain and Portugal: and then to the mission fields in the East and the Americas. There were thirty-five colleges established when he died and others were being planned. The men for them were often picked, the very timetable arranged by St. Ignatius himself. The schools conducted

today by the Society of Jesus are descendants of those begun over 400 years ago, and have the same ideals and, please God, the same good effect.

Apart from their value in the field of education the schools are a monument to the adaptability of this great Saint. In, say, 1535 he would have regarded teaching in a school as the very contradiction of the Jesuit vocation: in 1548 he was busy choosing masters, settling the finance, advising about textbooks for Messina. He learnt as he went along. Reading thoughtfully through the letters that came to him from Jesuits all over Europe, chatting with men he had called back to Rome for consultation, he grew more aware of the needs of the Church, different in different countries, of the weaknesses in its contemporary structure, the dangers threatening it, the demands it would have to meet in the future.

When the first Jesuit school was founded he was writing the Constitutions of his order, and there he laid down the principle that in answering requests for men or foundations, preference must be given to work that was likely to have lasting effects, likely to help those who would be called on in their turn to mould, as fathers of families, or leaders of some part of contemporary society, the character or opinion of others.

Therefore the apparent reversal of his policy on schools: apparent because St. Ignatius from the time of his 'conversion' had really only one policy — to procure the greater glory of God. It took him some years to realise that secondary education was one of the most powerful means to that end; but that once realised determined the steady expansion of Jesuit schools throughout Europe and the New World during his lifetime, and through the directives and under his heavenly patronage for the next 400 years.



STEPS LEADING DOWN TO THE RIVER.

St. Ignatius' College, Riverview

Results of Public Examinations, 1955

MATRICULATION

John Beston, Ross Bramma, Anthony Breslin, Cyril Brookes, Anthony Chatfield, Terrence Cody, William Coyle, David Davis, Michael Donnellan, Christopher Flynn, Michael Foley, Peter Foley, Knox Greenaway, Geoffrey Hall, Michael Harrison, Fred Horsley, Robert Hughes, Richard Keighery, Alexander Larking, Alan Lennon, John McCosker, William McGrann, Allan Madden, Peter Madden, Michael Mandl, Philip Morrissey, John Nihill, Peter O'Brien, Michael O'Dea, Sidney Raper, Francis Rava, Terence Roberts, William Russell, Paul Sheridan, Thomas Sloane, John Sullivan, John Taperell.

LEAVING CERTIFICATE

BESTON, J. D.: English, French, Modern History (H2), Chemistry, Economics.

BRAMMA, R. K.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

BREEN, W. J.: English, Ancient History, Geography, Economics.

BRESLIN, A.: English, French, Mathematics I (H2), Mathematics II, Physics, Economics.

BROOKES, C. H.: English (A), Latin, French, Mathematics I (H1), Mathematics II (A), Physics (H2).

CHADWICK, P. F.: English, French, General Mathematics, Economics.

CHATFIELD, A. J.: English, French, Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Physics, Economics.

CODY, T.J.: English, Latin, French, General Mathematics (A), Physics, Chemistry.

CORSER, C. C.: English, General Mathematics, Geography, Economics.

COYLE, W. J.: English, Latin, Mathematics I, Mathematics II (A), Physics (A), Chemistry (A).

DAVIS, D. G.: English, General Mathematics, Ancient History, Geography, Economics.

DE BAUN, P. A.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Economics.

DONNELLAN, M. J.: English, Latin, Mathematics I (H2), Mathematics II (A), Physics (A), Chemistry (A).

FLYNN, C. W.: English (A), Latin (H1), Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II (A), Ancient History (A), Greek (H1).

FOLEY, M. J.: English, French, General Mathematics, Modern History (H2), Ancient History (A), Economics.

FOLEY, P. E.: English, French, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

FURLONG, W. G.: English (A), French, General Mathematics, Ancient History.

GALLAGHER, P. R.: English, Modern History (H2), Ancient History, Economics.

GREENAWAY, K. W.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Geography.

GRIFFITH, J. D.: English (H2), French (o), Modern History, Chemistry.

HALL, G. J.: English (A), Latin, Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Physics (A), Chemistry (A).

HARRISON, M. A.: English, Latin, French (Ao), General Mathematics (A), Physics, Chemistry.

HARRISON, T. J.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History.

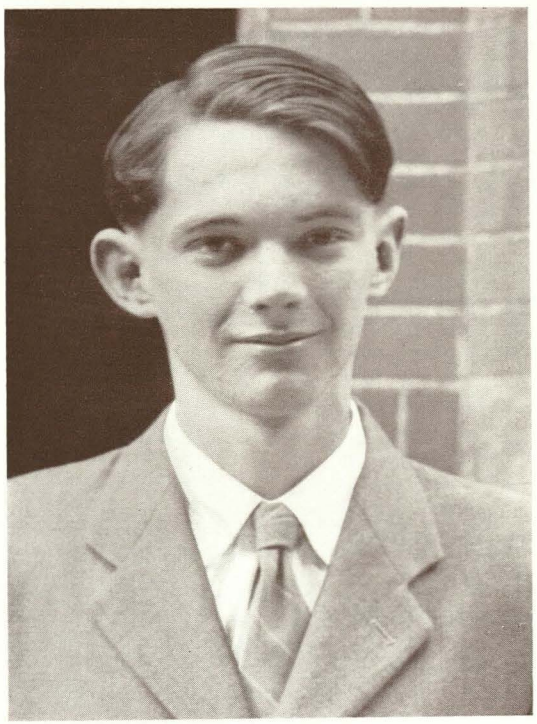
HEANEY, P. J.: English, General Mathematics, Chemistry, Economics.

HORSLEY, A. F.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

HUGHES, R. S.: English (H1), Latin (H1), French (Ao), General Mathematics (A), Modern History (A), Ancient History (A).

KEIGHERY, R. E.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Physics, Economics.

KELLY, P. B.: English, General Mathematics, Chemistry, Economics.



CHRISTOPHER FLYNN.

LARKING, A. D.: English, French, Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II, Physics, Chemistry (A).

LEDLIN, A. P.: English, Modern History, Ancient History, Geography.

LENEHAN, J. K.: English, Ancient History, Geography, Economics.

LENNON, A. L.: English, French, Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II (A), Physics, Economics.

LEONARD, P. A.: English, General Mathematics, Geography, Economics (A).

McCOSKER, J. M.: English, General Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Economics.

McGRANN, W. D.: English, French (o), Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Economics.

MADDEN, A. C.: English, Mathematics I (H1), Mathematics II (A), Physics (H1), Chemistry (A).

MADDEN, P. A.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

MANDL, M. A.: English, French, General Mathematics, Modern History, Chemistry, Economics.

MORRISSEY, P. A.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Chemistry, Economics.

NADER, D. M.: English, French, General Mathematics (A), Chemistry.

NIHILL, J. D.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

O'BRIEN, P.: English, General Mathematics (A), Physics, Chemistry, Economics.

O'DEA, J. M.: English, French, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History.

ROPER, S.: English, Latin, French (o), Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II, Greek.

RAVA, F. B.: English, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History, Geography, Economics.

REGAN, C. R.: English, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

ROBERTS, T. P.: English, Latin, French, General Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.

RUSSELL, W. F.: English, French (o), Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II, Physics (A), Chemistry.

SADDINGTON, M. G.: English, French, General Mathematics, Chemistry.

SHERIDAN, P. W.: English, Latin, French, General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History.

SLOANE, T. M.: English, Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Chemistry, Economics.

SULLIVAN, J. V.: English, French, Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II (H2), Physics (A), Chemistry.

TALTY, M.: English, General Mathematics, Geography, Economics.

TAPERELL, J. S.: English, Latin, French (o), General Mathematics, Modern History, Ancient History.

The letter H1 signifies first class honours, H2 second class honours, A first class pass, o signifies oral examination.

Seven first class honours, eight second class honours, thirtyeight first class passes. Two hundred and twenty one second class passes.

61 boys sat for the examination; fiftyfour passed. Of these fiftyfour boys thirtyseven matriculated.

Commonwealth Scholarships were awarded in this class to:—

C. H. Brookes, C. W. Flynn, G. J. Hall, A. J. Lennon, P. A. Morrissey, W. J. Coyle, M. J. Foley, M. A. Harrison, J. V. Sullivan, J. S. Taperell, M. J. Donnellan, P. R. Gallagher, R. S. Hughes, J. D. Beston, A. D. Larking.

Christopher Flynn

1st in Aggregate in the Leaving Certificate; 1st in Latin; 1st in Greek; The Cooper Scholarship; The Bowman-Cameron Scholarship for General Proficiency; The John West Medal; The Grahame Prize Medal.

Robert Hughes:

5th Aggregate: 1st in English (ex aeq.); 9th in Latin.

A. C. Madden

8th in Physics; 10th in Mathematics I.

"400 Years Ago St. Ignatius Died . . ."

An impressive and moving ceremony, marking for Sydney the end of the Ignatian Year and the 400th Anniversary of the death of Saint Ignatius Loyola, took place in St. Mary's Cathedral on July 31st this year.

For some weeks beforehand the boys of St. Ignatius' and St. Aloysius' had been rehearsing the Missa de Angelis, and invitation cards had been going out to parents and many friends of the Society. The response took the organiser, Fr. Kevin O'Sullivan, S.J., by surprise. It looked as if the Cathedral would not hold all who wished to attend.

Sure enough, by 10 o'clock on the morning of the Mass the Cathedral was packed. Papal Knights, members of the Diplomatic and Consular Corps, of the Army, Navy and Air Force, parents and friends were shown to their places.



The First Vows at Montmartre, Paris.

The Vision of Our Lady at Manresa.

There was not a vacant seat when the Cardinal, the Apostolic Delegate, Bishops, Monsignori, and priests filed through the St. Aloysius' College Cadet Guard of Honour at the main door and in long and impressive procession made their way up the aisle and on to the sanctuary.

In addition to His Eminence, Cardinal Gilroy and the Apostolic Delegate, Archbishop Carboni, there were present on the sanctuary Bishop Norton of Bathurst, Bishop McCabe of Wollongong and Bishop Lyons, Auxiliary Bishop to the Cardinal. The celebrant of the Solemn High Mass was Fr. John Drury, S.J., the Deacon was Fr. William Dalton, S.J. and the Sub-deacon, Fr. Joseph Connolly, S.J.

The choir of Jesuit Students from Canisius College, Pymble chanted the "Ecce Sacerdos Magnus" and the Introit of the Mass of St. Ignatius. Then in powerful, soaring unison the voices of about 700 boys filled every corner of the great Cathedral with the 'Kyrie' and 'Gloria'.

The occasional sermon was delivered by Dr. T. Veech, Vice-President of St. Patrick's College, Manly. He painted a colourful and eloquent picture of St. Ignatius against the background of his times and outlined the work God had done through him and his Society during 400 years. "We are here", he concluded, "to honour a great saint and a great man. All honour to him and to the celebrated Society he founded. We pray God to bless his sons and the great work they are carrying on for the Church, for Christian learning and Christian civilisation."

The massed voices of the boys were raised again in the Creed and at the end of the Mass their spirited singing of the Hymn to St. Ignatius was a stirring thing to hear. The singing was conducted by Fr. Peter Little, S.J. of Canisius College. A letter to him from an acknowledged authority on the liturgy, Fr. Stanislaus Cross, C.P. gives warm praise to the boys: "Congratulations on the function this morning. The boys were all that I, for one, could possibly desire. I have been to a few of these school Masses lately at the Cathedral, and I feel that your Mass this morning was really the best demonstration of what Mass should be . . . A cultured organist friend of mine rang me and



LOYOLA: HIGH ALTAR IN THE BASILICA.

mentioned how deeply impressive the massed singing was . . . About the rendering of the Proper, (by the Canisius College choir) I think that I can truthfully say that it is easily the most persuasive rendering of this music that I have heard."

Among the laity present at the Mass were our two Old-boy Papal Knights, Mr. Michael Meagher, K.C.S.C. and Mr. Peter Meagher, K.C.S.G.; Mr. W. F. Sheahan, State Minister for Health (representing the Premier of N.S.W.); Mr. J. O. Cramer, Minister for the Army (representing the Commonwealth Government); Mr. J. P. McGrath, State Minister for Public Works; Mr. A. M. L. Winkelman, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Netherlands; Monsieur Jean Querton, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Belgium; Dr. J. Manz, Charge d'Affaires of Austria; Mr. E. G. Wright, President of the Legislative Council; Mr. W. H. Lamb, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly; Senator N. McKenna (representing the Leader of the Federal Opposition); Mr. F. M. Osborne, D.S.C., Federal Minister for Customs and Excise; Mr. J. A. Clough, M.L.A., (representing the Leader of the State Opposition); Their Honors Messrs. Justice McClemens, De Baun, Taylor, Beattle, Kelleher; Rear-Admiral J. J. Buchanan, C.B.E., D.S.O., Flag-Officer-in-Charge, Eastern Australian Area; Lieutenant-General E. W. Woodward, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., General Officer Commanding Eastern Command; Group-Captain Colquhoun, (representing Air Vice-Marshal A.L. Walters, Air Officer Commanding Headquarters, Home Command); Mr. T. G. Murray, M.L.C.; Senator J. I. Armstrong; Professor F. A. Bland, M.H.R.; Dr. R. P. Lind, Consul General for Austria; Mr. G. A. Muller, Consul General for Germany; Senor Santiago R. Tabanera, Consul General for Spain; Mr. E. Vanderlinden, Consul for Belgium; Dr. A. Redler, Consul for Guatemala; Mr. H. C. Brierly, Consul for Haiti; Mr. J. C. Britton, Trade Commissioner for Canada; Mr. S. V. Patel, Trade Commissioner for India. Mr. A. R. Bruce, O.B.E., Trade Commissioner for the United Kingdom; Their Honors Judges Lloyd, Clegg, Prior, Hidden and Dignam; Mr. J. C. Delaney, Commissioner for Police; Dr. C. G. McDonald, C.M.G., President R.A.C.P.; Dr. J. Hunter (representing B.M.A.); Professors T. G. Room, M. D. Martin, Spann, J. P. Baxter (representing the University of Technology) and G. McDonnell.

After the Mass, the guests were offered morning tea in David Jones' Great Restaurant. The

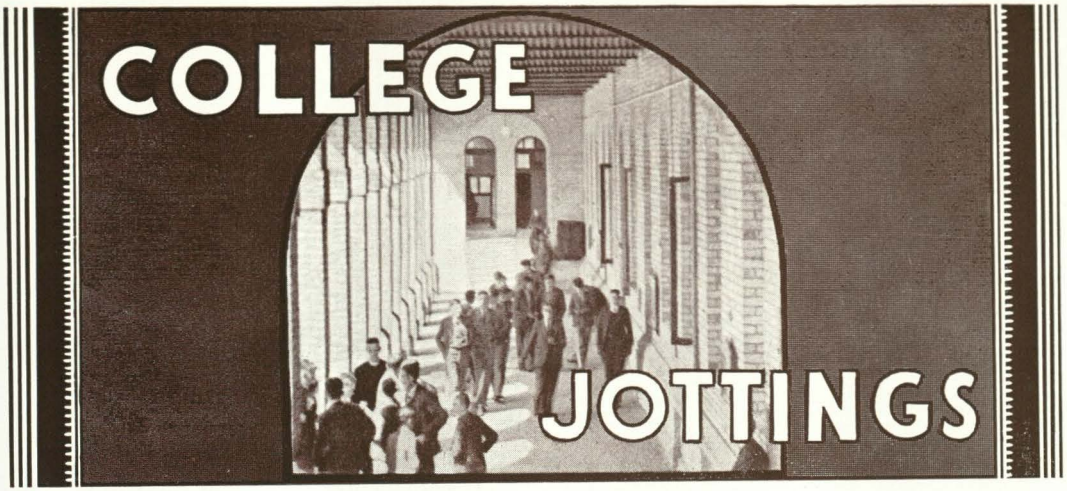


Ignatius and Francis Xavier at The Sorbonne. Paris.

Death of St. Ignatius.

Cardinal attended, and again the crowd was so dense that it made movement difficult. Everybody felt and said that the occasion had been a memorable one and that it had been a worthy commemoration of the fourth centenary of the entry into heaven of Saint Ignatius Loyola.

J.S., S.J.



College Jottings

by

Christopher Flynn, David Connolly, Brian Duc k, John Gallagher, Sean Spence and Tony Dynon.

FIRST TERM

February

Wednesday, 1st: Much bustle and excitement since last night we started our 76th year which we hope and trust will be a bright one.

As usual we have some changes in the teaching staff. Father A. Ryan, S.J. has come back to us from Loyola, Victoria and will specialise in Latin and Greek in place of Father C. Fraser, S.J., who has been transferred to Holy Name Seminary, Christchurch, N.Z. Father P. Kurts, S.J., has gone to Melbourne and Father J. Connolly, S.J., returns to Riverview from St. Aloysius' College, Milsons Point, where he has been for the past two years. We also welcome no less than five Jesuit Scholastics to wit — Messrs. P. O'Sullivan, S.J. R. Walsh, S.J., F. Romanin, S.J., D. Boyd, S.J. and K. Penry, S.J. Among the laymasters, besides those "hardy annuals", Messrs. T. K. Crowley, J. Curran, B. Kinnaird, W. McCrossin, J. Angel, N. Wigmore and Dr. R. King, we notice a new face or two in the persons of Messrs. Hale and Wyn. All welcome and may we have a prosperous and successful year.

Is it necessary to add to the above the name of that old warrior, Mr. Harry Thomas, with us now well over 30 years and still going strong? Well, here he is, anyway — a Riverview "institution".

We were sorry to part with Miss Stephenson who has been teaching music here for so many years and we wish her success and happiness in her new sphere.

We collected what books we could today and the burden fell on Miss Pearce who checks and gives them out class by class. But then, as we all know, she's a wizard, with an automatic memory.

Thursday, 2nd: Our first day's full class. New boys "sizing up" the Masters and so on (i.e., Masters sizing up the new boys!). The "old hands" of course take it all in their stride.

Friday, 3rd: Instead of class in the afternoon, Fr. Rector read the College rules — with suitable annotations — and appointed the College Prefects for 1956. Quite a team: *Jim Lenehan* (Head and Captain of Riverview); *Michael Saddington, Michael Hardie, Cress Corser, Michael O'Dea, Bruce Stevenson, "Joe" Lewis, Christopher Flynn, Paul Sheridan, Peter Lenehan, Rodger Austin, Terry Simpkins* and *Geoffrey Meaney.* Now we're off!

Saturday, 4th: Just as last year, rain made practically all cricket impossible.

It's nearly time we congratulated *Christopher Flynn* on his brilliant L.C. pass, on winning the Cooper Scholarship for Classics and on coming first in the State on the Leaving Honours List. We wish him further success this year.



Monday, 6th: We got into hard practice today seeing the Competition begins next Saturday. Form is promising.

Tuesday, 7th: We got quite a thrill today meeting "Franz" McDermott (07-13) who, living out in the N.W. Queensland cattle country, hadn't seen Riverview for well over 40 years. Needless to say, he saw many changes from his day, but his memory of old time activities is astonishingly bright. Come again Franz.

Wednesday, 8th: We got in quite good practice today, especially on First field. "I think Jim Lenehan should take himself off," said Michael O'Dea. "He's been taking everything else off — the varnish off the stumps, the leather off the keeper's gloves, the grass off the oval and the paint off the boundary fence." But Jim just carried on. (Michael must have been bowling.)

The boys' Retreat began tonight. Father Staunton, S.J. from Ridge Street is conducting it.

Thursday, 9th: Torrential rain kept us confined to the corridors. Dead silence reigned supreme.

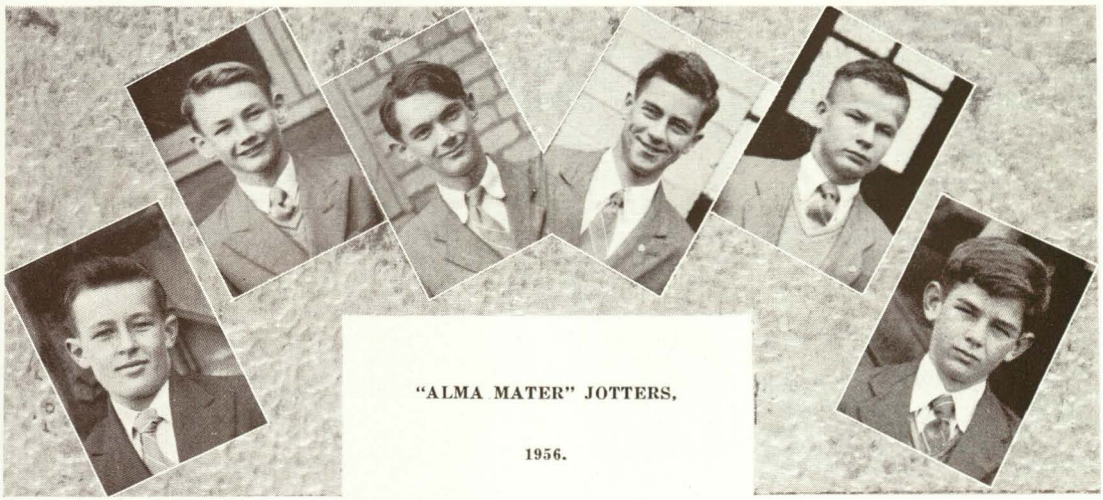
Further distinctions connected with the recent L.C. and Matric Exams were published today. Chris Flynn "collected" another armful. The Bowman-Cameron Scholarship, The John West Medal, The Grahame Prize Medal and a Commonwealth Open Entrance Scholarship. We certainly offer him Riverview's congratulations. In all, we got twelve Commonwealth Scholarships: C. Brookes, W. Coyle, M. Donnellan, C. Flynn, M. Foley, A. Larking, P. Gallagher, G. Hall, M. Harrison, R. Hughes, A. Lennon, J. Sullivan — and two carried over from 1954: — A Madden and J. Griffith.

Altogether an imposing array. Our best wishes go with them all for further and greater success.

Friday, 10th: Further rain "by the foot" kept us all inside again. However, Fr. Staunton's talks gave much food for thought on this second day of the Retreat. David Connolly looking "horribly severe"!

No hope of cricket tomorrow. The fields are completely swamped.

Saturday, 11th: Our tongues were loosened at breakfast this morning — and judging by the noise, "loosened" is the word.



L.-R.: S. Spence, B. Duck, C. Flynn, D. Connolly, J. Gallagher, A. Dynon.
(Photos — Melba Studios).

We got a very fine day for a change — which enabled us to dry out. But cricket is impossible. Other activities, however, such as tennis and squash, were in full force.

Two kinds of cows, according to Paul Jones are:— "The Moo Cow" and "The occasional." (P.J.C. will explain!)

Sunday, 12th: A fine day enabled us to have an interesting game with St. Aloysius' College. It was good practice for both sides.

The Parents and Friends' Association held their Annual General Meeting at the College this afternoon. Mrs. O'Dea was elected President, the joint Hon. Secretaries are Mesdames N. Clements and T. Quinn and the Hon. Treasurer is Mrs. A. H. Stevenson.

We wish this energetic body every success in

the coming year. Their work for Riverview in the past has been beyond all praise.

Monday, 13th: The Cadet Unit — with a much enlarged Membership had its first parade today. The band is already "full-lunged."

Tuesday, 14th: Owing to the construction of the new road, fences are down and the cows were trampling the garden flower-beds. "How many are there?" asked Maurice McGrath. "Abo" Haseler counted them rapidly in groups of three and announced: "Fifteen head." "That's no way to count them," said M. McG.; "You should count the legs in groups of five then divide by four." "Abo" has put it off till next term when he will use log tables.

Wednesday, 15th: L.C. discussing a poem: "Joe" Lewis remarked that "to say 'little wavelet' is to indulge in *unneedless* repetition." We'll take his word for it."

"Why is two-up Australia's national game?" "Because when the copper and tin go up, you hope for the brass to come down." (Bronze Age culture discussion.)

Thursday, 16th: We're getting fine weather but sweltering in humidity. Does this mean another wet week-end? Let's hope not, but "touch wood !" says David Connolly, tapping his head.

Maurice McGovern says a "big shot" means a big game hunter. Has John been coaching him already?

Friday, 17th: Seeing that a week-end and many matches await us tomorrow, rain came down in solid masses this evening! David Connolly (above) can't have "touched wood" vigorously enough.

Robert Hughes ('53) was up today announcing that he is spending his weeks selling plays to Radio companies at £28 a time. So far he has made £28. He will have many friends soon.

Saturday, 18th: Geoff Meagher says the "most wanted area of land is Gore Hill, because everyone is dying to get a section of it." Nothing like being cheerful! Its hard, too, as it rained heavily all day completely "washing out" all our matches.

Sunday, 19th: The first home Sunday of the year. Despite the rain, most of us managed to get away for the day. The rest of us amused ourselves as well as we could between showers.

Monday, 20th: This widespread rain seems to be affecting the spirits of some small boys:—In an essay on the Prodigal Son, a small boy wrote: "Every time the son looked at the pigs, he thought of his father!"

Michael Johnson says that the "mudlark" who broke into Buckingham Palace to see Queen Victoria, was called "Jones". And Michael adds: "He must have been "In - 1 - go Jones." (Supermodern History.)

Tuesday, 21st: Nice (?) steady rain all day except for an hour or two's "drought". During the said "drought". we were able to freshen up in the baths. We must have water on the brain by now. To console us once more, a steady downpour began after tea and saw the night through.

Wednesday, 22nd: David Connolly (says a fellow-jotter) called to the infirmary with a minor ailment. "Let me see your toes," said the Matron. "Oh, it's all right," said "Caesar," "I'm not getting web feet yet". (Some of us will, if this rain doesn't ease up.)

Thursday, 23rd: A little Third Divisioner crept timidly up to Noel Dan and showing him a drawing asked: "Do you think this would be good enough for an Art show?" "Well," said Noel, "it certainly wouldn't win the Blake Prize: It isn't half hideous enough."

"Doc" King says that one cause of all the recent rain is this:—Wal Breen began to think some days ago, creating thus an atmospheric disturbance.

Friday, 24th: Less rain today gives us hope of being able to have some matches at the week-end. The humidity now has us all limp and everything is mildewed.

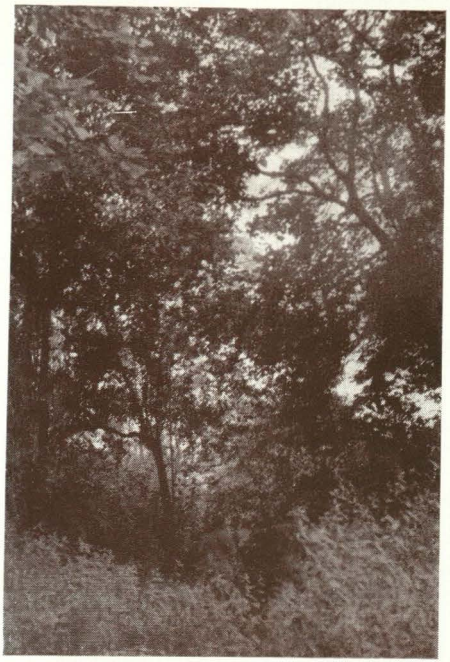
Ross Flanery swears he saw "Spotty" chase a rabbit across the lawn today. This we can believe but Ross, continuing his tale, also assures us that Brother O'Brien called off "Spotty," shouting "stop it, Spotty, don't you know it's Friday!" This part is not so easy to swallow.

Saturday, 25th: "Touch wood !" A fine morning (with about 200% humidity!) enabled the First Eleven to play against St. Joseph's at Hunters Hill. Jim Lenehan (81), Peter Burt 48 and 5 wickets for 27), Mick Hardie (25), struck form early. We have a handy lead of 99 for next week's play and hope for the best.

Sunday, 26th: The Annual O.I.U. v. S.I.C. game was played today in surprisingly cool weather (what a relief!) and ended in a good win for the School Eleven. Details may be seen in the O.I.U. (General) notes.

Monday 27th: Cadets were out in full force this afternoon. "Oh, look!" exclaimed a little Third Divisioner; "My big brother is the only one in step!" He got a glare from the presiding "Loot" which positively shrivelled the poor youngster.

Tuesday, 28th: Dicky Day is accused of saying that a polygon is a dead parrot. But he's not the first who perpetrated that. We were able to put in a full afternoon's cricket practice today. This dry spell simply *can't* last !



A CORNER OF RIVERVIEW "BUSH."
(Photo — J. Kirby).

Wednesday, 29th: We told you so! Rain came down solidly all day and into the night.

Melbourne supporters please note this from a Sydney jotter:—

"The Yarra is the only river that flows upside down; the mud is on top." (We await the "comeback.")

March

Thursday, 1st: "Ne passe pas devant le Soupirail" is thus translated by Peter Haseler:— "No, no! Not in the soup, please!" (He's in it !). Usual downpour all day.

Peter Leckie says Jonah's survival inside the whale can be put down to something like Windsor's slogan: "The whole-way is the safe way."

Friday, 2nd: The monthly "Cards" were posted yesterday. "G" Cards notable by their absence. About 4 in the whole House.

Michael Lewis having been elected President of III. Division Sodality, we expect a big rise down there next month.

Saturday, 3rd: It fined up last night so we hope to be able to complete our match with St. Joseph's. The humidity has us gasping. (Later). The weather kept fine and we were able to register a win at Hunters Hill. You will see the details in the Cricket Notes but we should like to register a short appreciation of the wicket-keeping of Bruce Stevenson who did not let a single bye pass him all day. St. Joseph's made a gallant effort to catch our score but just missed. Best wishes to Jim Lenehan and his team for further success.

Sunday, 4th: Home Sunday. We "oozed" home after breakfast — humidity thick and oppressive — and "oozed" back this evening. (However — no rain to make things worse!)

Monday, 5th: The wicked price of clothes was being discussed at table today. "£17 or £18 for a suit!" exclaimed John Kouvelis. "Cheer up!" said P. Hodgkinson: "Whatever goes up has to come down." We hope so.

Tuesday, 6th: Father X. showed amazement today when Wayne Ashley announced that "cigarettes aren't being made any longer." Asked why, he replied: "they are long enough already." And Paul Bookallil having asked for the water 8 times during dinner, was advised to link himself up with the water-main.

Wednesday, 17th: According to Ian Saddington the difference between a gardener and a billiard player is that one looks after his peas and the other looks after his cues.

The "drought" has started again. No rain today.

Thursday, 8th: We spoke too soon. Down it comes again. It looks like another case of "W.W.-W." i.e., weekly wet wicket. "Golly! it's dry today!" exclaimed Charlie Regan. "Dry!" said Michael O'Dea, "but it's raining!" "Only softly," said Charlie.

Friday, 9th: Steady rain most of the day has us doubting about our match with Shore tomorrow.

We were shocked to have news today of the tragic death in Melbourne of Father Pat Sullivan, S.J. (O.R. 28-33) as the result of a traffic accident. We offer our sincere sympathy to his mother and all his family. R.I.P.



GRAMMAR WINS THE 3rd HEAT
OF THE CHALLENGE EIGHTS.

Saturday, 10th: The rain stopped early last night and the Eleven wended their way to Northbridge, hoping to start our game with Shore.

The game started about 3.30 p.m. — which, considering the state of the wicket, was about two hours too soon! We hope to continue next Saturday.

Sunday, 11th: Mr. V. C. Davis brought up a team from Gordon today and we had an interesting all-day match — which we won. Many dripping from First Division hot-water supply. Yes — but will he drink it?

Wednesday, 14th: Seeing that St. Patrick's Day falls on a Saturday this year we had our full holiday today and the usual swimming Carnival was held at the Spit baths. On the way down in a small ferry, some "landlubbers" had a few trying moments near the Heads. The swimming carnival was very successful. Later on, we did full justice to Father Minister's



COLLEGE PREFECTS.
Back (L.-R.): R. Austin, T. Simpkins, G. Meaney, C. Flynn, M. Hardie, J. Lewis.
Seated: P. Lenehan, M. O'Dea, M. Saddington, J. Lenehan (Head: Captain of the School), C. Corser, B. Stevenson, P. Sheridan.

Old Boys on the premises this afternoon. We were particularly pleased to see Ken Dillon (33-39) after a long absence.

Monday, 12th: Rain again in torrents. It's affecting the brains of some. John Davidson summing up the tennis proficiency of Ross Flanery, says: "Even if he were actually a lot worse than he thinks he is he still wouldn't be too bad." Ross doesn't quite know how to take it.

Tuesday, 13th: Paul Delaney says he is going to make hot coffee with the condensed steam turkeys and worked them off in the afternoon by City v. Country matches in 2nd and 3rd Divisions. Second Division "Country" team won by 1 run and "City" won by the same narrow margin in 3rd Division.

We had a picture after Chapel and "hit the hay" earlier than usual.

Thursday, 15th: Again we shelter from the pouring rain. Are we going to have another "wash out" in our game with Shore on Saturday?

"What is a Greek urn?" Brian Johnson evidently mistaking "is" for "does", calmly replied: "About 30/- a day."

Friday, 16th: Absence of rain today raised our hopes for drying wickets. They'll need some drying too! Work on the new road has been completely held up by our atrocious weather. A serious set-back.

Saturday, 17th: "Touching wood" all round, the First Eleven went to Northbridge in fine weather, but play could not begin until 1.45 p.m., the wicket being sodden.

However, mainly thanks to Peter Burt, we managed to top Shore's score and register a first-innings win.

The school was granted a week-end, so we had a quiet evening.

Sunday, 18th: Only a few stragglers on the premises today, despite renewed showers. The Rowers, of course, have been hard at work, in all weathers, every day. They deserve our sympathy and our very best wishes.

Monday, 19th: Noel Dan when asked the best method of making a Venetian blind said the quickest way he could suggest was to "poke his eyes out."

Tuesday, 20th: "Good morning, Father," smirked Francis Foy to Fr. Burke-Gaffney; "I've been watering the seeds in that pot for days but nothing seems to be coming up." Fr. B-G. nearly had a fit. Frank was pointing to the rain gauge! However he was only looking for a "bite." No harm done.

Wednesday, 21st: It is rumoured that one of our new boys, A. Russell, takes his plastic raincoat with him to the showers in the morning. He says all the rain we're getting keeps him wet enough. (Or is he afraid of "water on the knee?")

David Connolly informs us that he joined the "Girl Guides" for next Saturday's Regatta. (It simply means that he will pilot several visitors invited from local girls' schools. D.C. is wearing a real letter-box smirk round the place.)

Thursday, 22nd: This craze for handling rulers, compasses and what-not during class is unnerving some of our masters: "Fourth Year could have a wonderful symphony orchestra," exclaimed one of them. "How's that, sir?" asked Anthony Loneragan. "Why, everyone is a fiddler," was the answer.

Friday, 23rd: The weather has looked-up marvellously for a fine day tomorrow. We need it badly for our 72nd Regatta and also for our Comp. Match with Scots.

"How many sorts of 'ions' are there?" asked the master, and Peter Burt had the answer 'pat': "Three: positive ions, negative ions and on-ions." (He should get several wickets tomorrow after that. He bowled the master, anyway.)

Saturday, 24th: A nice balmy morning — not too hot, not too cold, and dry, promises a good day all round.

Some Third Divisioners, practising yesterday for their "heavy-weight" races this afternoon, actually brought their boat over the line stern first! This should be worth watching.

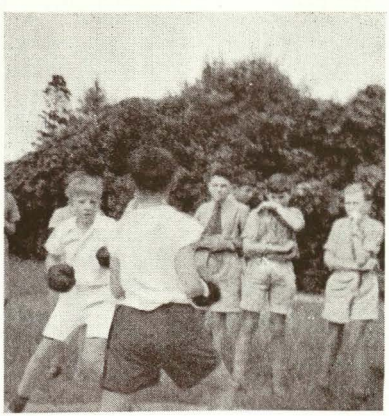
(Later). The Regatta was a great success. The public attendance was larger than ever and conditions for racing were ideal. Congratulations to Father Jones and his officials on their excellent work (see Rowing Notes).

S.I.C. v. Scot's College was played on First Field all day. At the end of play Scots were in a very safe position thanks to their all-round play which was excellent. (For details see Cricket Notes.)

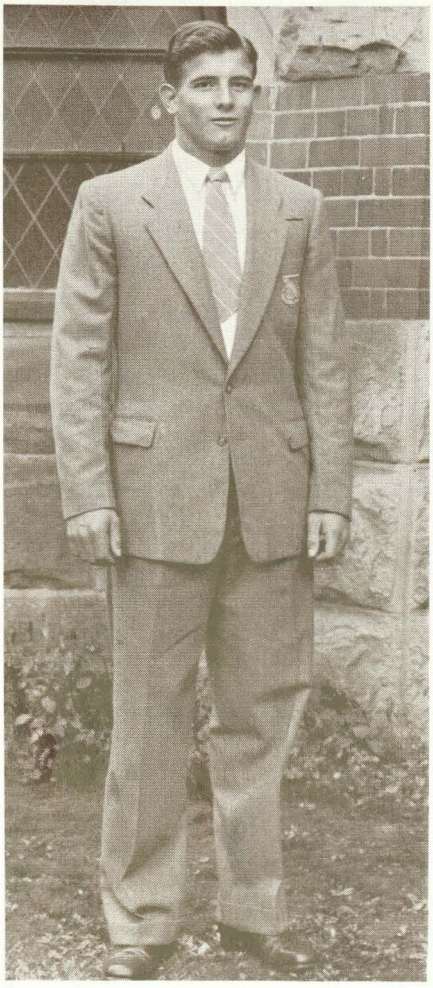
Sunday, 25th: Palm Sunday. The fine weather continues. and we enjoyed, once more, cloudless skies. Football is slowly creeping in — and the grounds are certainly soft enough for anyone's taste.

Monday, 26th: Ken Rennie discussing New Zealand's mineral springs: "I know a spring where the water gushes from a hill just below a cemetery. It's tingling and refreshing — there's real body in it." He's now wondering why everyone resolved to abstain for life from mineral waters!

Tuesday, 27th: Sydney Grammar who tied with Mosman in the final of the Challenge Eights last Saturday, rowed off on our course last evening and lost by three-quarters of a length.



P. JACKSON and P. REDDEN
settle an argument.
(Photo — A. Sullivan).



JIM LENEHAN.
Captain of Riverview, 1956.

We congratulate Grammar on a fine performance.

Wednesday, 28th: "We have just passed out of the Iron Age," said the master. We were hoping to raise a nice tan this summer but all we got was a definite, all-round rust. (Quite in keeping, after all.)

"Joe" Lewis says that a green cherry and a book have this in commen that both have to be *read.*

Thursday, 29th: Holy Thursday. The Holy Week Ceremonies were well carried out this evening the "massed choir" being remarkably good.

Mark Williams (generally known as "the cave-man") gave us this "Ode on returning to School":—

"When I think of what I is.
And what I used to was,
I thinks I've left my dear old cave
Without sufficient Cos. (Cause).
(He didn't ought to have wrote it !)

Friday, 30th: Good Friday. The Ceremonies began at 3 p.m. and again went very smoothly. Several Old Boys and visitors were present.

At their conclusion the boys were free to go home for the Easter "break". Attendance at the Royal Show will now materially increase!

Goodbye until next Tuesday evening when we shall return with our minds set on football. (Of course the representative crews will remain for their usual intensive training in view of the G.P.S. Regatta on April 7.)

April

Tuesday, 3rd: A quiet and subdued return tonight. We have sampled the Royal Show and the beaches. Next excitement will be the G.P.S. Regatta on Saturday.

The crews have certainly put in plenty of hard work over the week-end. The Eleven have been playing Xavier in Melbourne but they did not bring back the Cup !

Wednesday, 4th: Back to the "grind" this morning. Football practice quite keen during the afternoon.

John Lyons thought that "pugnacious" is a boxer named "Ignatius."

Thursday, 5th: Sore backs and stiff necks are apparent already as football "conditioning" gets moving on all the fields.

The Crews representing us in the G.P.S. Regatta on the Nepean next Saturday were away today working on the course. (And "working" is the word.) Good luck to all.

Friday, 6th: Bruce Harding informed Peter Nelson today that once he slept in a stable and woke up "a little hoarse." Poor little thing! It couldn't gallop for some time after that.

Saturday, 7th: Four buses took us to the Nepean River this morning, amid much excitement. A glorious day for the G.P.S. Regatta which drew a very large public attendance.

The First and Second Fours rowed very well to come into third place in their respective races, with plenty of crews behind them.

Congratulations to St. Joseph's on their exciting win in the Eights race.

We "hit the hay" early after a tiring but rather thrilling day.

Sunday, 8th: Well, what can you expect? Days like yesterday need a little "getting over". For all that the football microbe has begun to bite and we had some light practices.



SOME THIRD DIVISIONERS TAKE TO THE WATER.
(Photo — P. Clifton).

Monday, 9th: The Cadet Unit was out in force —some two hundred strong — this afternoon. Anzac Day with its accompanying ceremonial is looming up and everything must be A1. plus.

Tuesday, 10th: We haven't heard this one before: "Why did Cremorne?" asked "Olly" Brummer and Paul Delaney told him:—"Because she saw Athol Bight off Bradley's Head."

Wednesday, 11th: A Prefect in the Study Hall one night, gazing sadly round, was heard to murmur:—"All the Hall's a stage, and all the students in it merely players." ("Occasional" Cornwall excepted, of course!)

Thursday, 12th: Johnny Mitchell (twice as shrewd as he looks) says that the boxing ring is the only square circle in the world. That's a knock-out anyway.

Friday, 13th: For the superstitious ones, classes should have been unlucky today. Yet, things seemed very peaceful. Perhaps the prospect of many matches tomorrow and the Home Sunday to follow, put us all on our best behaviour!

Saturday, 14th: We played "umpteen" matches with Sydney Grammar today. There were two marriages in the College Chapel also, so the number of cars on the premises almost equalled Regatta Day's attendance. Grammar had the better of the arguments in many Junior matches. However, our Firsts and Seconds had wins and showed promise for the coming Competition games.

Sunday, 15th: The Home Sunday released us after breakfast but was somewhat spoilt by several heavy showers. We'd like to think the rain helps one's hair to grow but the facts are against us!

Monday, 16th: Fine weather seems to be setting in. We look forward to resumption of work on the new road which promises to be a splendid job. Cadets are feverishly training for the Anzac Day ceremonial.

Tuesday, 17th: This one was "cracked" by Robert O'Brien — and we're wondering where he picked it up: The Cannibal cook to his chief: "Shall I boil up the missionary now?" The chief: "Of course not! Can't you see he's a friar!"

Wednesday, 18th: Long trousers and warm sweaters suddenly take the places of khaki shorts. There's a nip in the air and it looks as if summer has taken a back seat. Term Exams, though, which are in progress, look like producing blood-pressure!

Thursday, 19th: There was a slight tremor on First Field this afternoon. At first we put it down to the local bull-dozer, then to a passing earthquake. But it was only "Olly" (who's he?) running down the hill. Someone suggested that he could be used as a roller to smoothen off the surface of the new road when it is completed.

Friday, 20th: A report goes that Bill Maher was "very disappointed" when visiting the Royal Show recently, to find that the Paris Model was only a model of Paris (So Christopher Flynn says, anyway.) All teams limbered up for tomorrow's games with Shore.

Saturday, 21st: We had 17 games with Shore today. First, Second, Third and Top Fields were fully occupied all the morning from 9.30 a.m. onwards.

The afternoon matches — Firsts, Seconds and Thirds, drew quite a large number of onlookers — Old Boys and others. The Firsts missed Michael Hardie who is nursing an injury, but had their second successive win, all the same.

Sunday 22nd: Glorious weather enabled us to relax in the sun after yesterday's "hard work."

We are glad to hear that Cress Corser's injury in yesterday's match is not as serious as was feared. The coming holidays should "repair" him. He is needed in our pack.

Monday, 23rd: The Term Exams. are all but over and some hopefuls (from the top down) realise that more "Concentration" will be useful after the holidays. No doubt those holidays will clear the brains — or scatter the "sawdust."

Tuesday, 24th: Exams. ended for the term at 3.30 p.m. It's the masters' turn now. Sheaves of

papers are flying, upstairs. We'll know the worst before long. Many suggest that Term Reports should be abolished!

Wednesday, 25th: Anzac Day. The Chapel was crowded with Cadets and visitors for the Solemn Requiem Mass at 9.30 a.m.

The usual Ceremonial was faultlessly carried out, the Cadet Unit surpassing themselves.

We have rarely seen so many visitors on this Day.

A rather exciting picture at night brought the First Term to an end.

Thursday, 26th: The rapid "get-away" after breakfast was well up to standard and the subsequent all-round silence at Riverview, though strange, was restful.

We'll meet again — May 22nd. Happy holidays to all.

SECOND TERM

May

Tuesday, 22nd: We reassembled from far and near tonight and were greeted with rain and a bleak penetrating wind. However with daily football "coming up" temperatures are sure to rise!

Wednesday, 23rd: All fields were fully occupied today. We meet Scots on Saturday next in many trial games and Scots can never be taken lightly.

Thursday, 24th: When Michael Lewis was asked why a stork sleeps on one leg, he said that if he lifted the other, he would fall down. Very true! Michael sleeps on one ear so that he can hear all that goes on with the other.

Friday, 25th: Cold ! These piercing westerlies! We were pleased to see Lloyd Ryan back today. He'll be needed in the First Fifteen tomorrow — and he's always in condition.

Saturday, 26th: We played "umpteen" matches with Scots, at Bellevue Hill and Riverview this morning — and with varying success. "Condition" generally was somewhat lacking, but we were pleased to see the Firsts register their first win of the term. In the afternoon we joined the huge crowd at the S.C.G. to see Springboks v. Australia. A great game, even though it ended 9-0 against the home team.



A DAY-BOY QUARTET.
B. Kemp, M. Lowery, R. De Viana and P. Wall.

Sunday, 27th: Third Division turned on three exciting matches ("Under 12" series) with St. Aloysius' this afternoon and had quite a large "public attendance" — of parents. They never tire, these "mighty atoms."

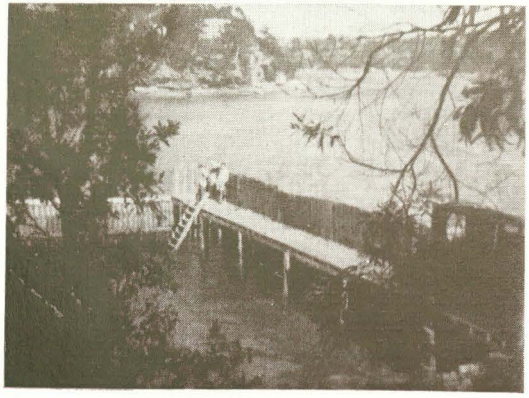
Monday, 28th: Overheard today:—"How can you make a thin man fat?" "Oh, you just call him and make him look round." Trust Scott Mitchell to think that out!

Tuesday, 29th: One reporter says "D. Meyninck is always jumping to conclusions; last Saturday, going to the football, he jumped at the conclusion of the Rose Bay ferry trip and went "into the drink." A conclusion for him!

Wednesday, 30th: Chris Chalmers, always anxious to improve his knowledge, asked the master in History class, if Sardinia is where the sardines come from. Fishy!

Thursday, 31st: Feast of Corpus Christi. We ended class at 12.05 and held the annual Procession of the Blessed Sacrament in the Grounds.

Football practice filled the afternoon.



A CORNER OF THE SCHOOL BATHS.

June

Friday, 1st: We are sorry to record the death, early today, of Dr. Walter Burfitt, Snr. ('90-'92) who has been ailing for a considerable time. He was one of Riverview's most distinguished Old Boys and a credit to his profession. (See Obituary Notes.)

Saturday, 2nd: We played 20 matches today with teams from Newington College. Our visitors won most of them. The Firsts' game in the afternoon gave us thrills and to spare. Some accidents came our way too — but nothing very serious.

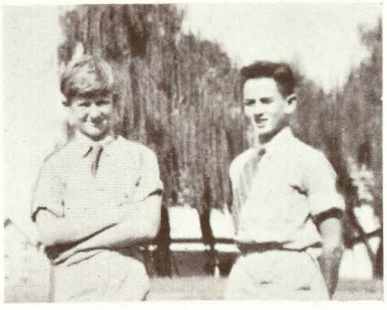
Sunday, 3rd: Resting weary bones today until the afternoon, when the annual match with the Old Boys was played. The Firsts were without some of their best players (temporarily "closed for alterations and repairs" after yesterday's game). However the team that played did so with great enthusiasm and won an interesting game by 16-0.

Monday, 4th: David Ell, Jeremy Flynn & Co. have started a Camera Club. Mr. Clucas, of Kodak Ltd., will help them by his periodical talks — and we, of the "Alma Mater" await with interest the results of their activities. This year, so far, we are short of topical snaps.

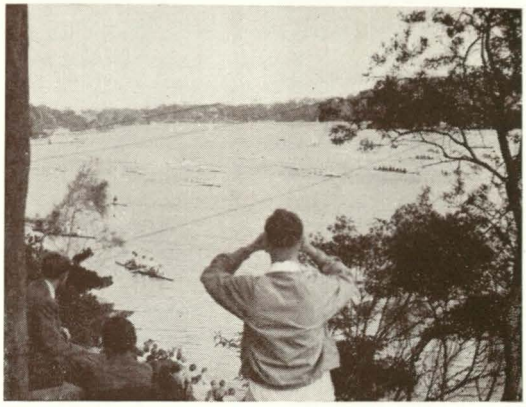
Tuesday, 5th: The master in L.C. English class, forgetting Charlie Regan's name for the moment:—"You — er — blue-shirt — er — er — Charlie Fraser." a gale of laughter in which the master joined, greeted this and we hope that the sound-wave carried to Father Fraser in Christchurch, N.Z. (C. Fl.).

Wednesday, 6th: Tim Barrett, who, they say, has connections in the hotel trade, says his name originated from a "small bar" or, if you like, a "Bar-ette." But Tim assures us that nevertheless he is definitely "on the wagon."

Thursday, 7th: Johnny Mitchell has never heard the word "whom". "*Hooja* meet in Town?"



M. CONRICK and
D. FOLEY.
(Photo — P. Chatfield).



REGATTA DAY. A GOOD VIEW OF THE "RIVERVIEW MILE."

is good enough, he says, for any passer-by. (Wotcha givin' us, Johnny?")

Friday, 8th: Feast of the Sacred Heart. There was exposition of the Blessed Sacrament during most of the day. The fact that classes ended at 12.05 gave us that soothing long-week-end feeling. Rain seems to be coming up, unfortunately.

Saturday, 9th: We had no formal inter-school matches today, but once a series of annual photo groups had been taken, we revelled in some fierce Colour-matches. In the afternoon, the First Fifteen had a splendid practice with a team kindly brought up by Dick Keighery ('55). The rain caught us heavily tonight.

Sunday, 10th: Despite heavy rain, we largely availed ourselves of the Home Sunday and the House cleared quickly.

Monday, 11th: John Kindred says Sydney has the most powerful police in the world and when asked to explain, he said "Well, any of them can hold up a bus with one hand."

Tuesday, 12th: Lex Johnson must be "some" mathematician, or else he has his own ideas about the ancient Romans: From his Latin homework: "All Gaul was divided into three halves." What happened to the other half, Lex?

Wednesday, 13th: John Lyons, who does *not* come from Queensland, informed Bill Cummins (who hails from Townsville), that a young lad boarded a Queensland train and that when he finally alighted, he was on the Old Age pension and his money had to be refunded! Bill is thinking out his "come-back".

Thursday, 14th: Personalities continue:— "John Durrell has such long whiskers" (says our reporter) that he was told he would need a blow-lamp to shave. And Peter Walker (from

the bush) was remarking on how well the streets of the local town were washed. Tim Barrett just replied: "We don't have to wash ours; the rain does it."

Friday, 15th: A week of hard training has prepared the teams for tomorrow's matches with Scots. Most injuries seem to have been cleaned up, so we hope for the best.

We had our first G.P.S. Competition Debate — with Sydney Grammar — tonight. Grammar deservedly won the Adjudicator's decision — by 4½ points. Most of the School attended the debate.

Saturday, 16th: We played 22 matches with Scots today — surely a record number for us. Scots, in most cases "had the better of the argument," winning most of the games. Our Firsts were slightly off form. The Seconds and Thirds each won very hard fought games. There was a very large public attendance in the afternoon. This included a great number of Old Boys. (See Football Notes.)

Sunday, 17th: We had a very interesting lecture tonight on Korea and Japan, illustrated by pictures, with special reference to the Faith in these countries, by Rev. Father Herlihy, Columban Missionary.

Monday, 18th: A batch of Cadets "Got in the hair" of (Sergt.) Noel Dan today when he was looking for a spot to give a lesson on signals. "Look, Sarge," piped up a new-chum, "A nice big tree over there." "Yeah," was the reply, "but I haven't enough rope for you chaps!"

Tuesday, 19th: Our one and only "occasional" declared that no one living within three miles of Gore Hill is buried there . . ." "How's that?" said Toad Ross. "Use your head!" was the reply. "How could anyone *living* within three miles be buried there?"

Wednesday, 20th: Some sarcastic member of Second Division says the best job Second Divisioners can take up when they leave school is white-washing minties.



BOOTS
(With boy attached).



BRINGING IN THE EIGHT.

Coming down to individuals, one said to another: "You'll never be good for anything except standing at a street corner with your tongue out for people to wet their stamps on." These candid citizens!

Thursday, 21st: Our new Father Provincial — V. Rev. D. Hogan, S.J. — came to us this evening for his annual Visitation. In welcoming him we are not unmindful of the many kindnesses we have received over the years from his predecessor, V. Rev. A. Kelly, S.J. who is now Superior of our Indian Mission and whom we hope to help in many ways in the years to come.

We enjoyed a half-holiday in honour of the Feast of St. Aloysius, S.J.

Friday, 22nd: Bill Kelman, during a Second Division Debate, informed us that Captain Cook discovered Australia in 1890. Well, you see, Bill lives somewhat off the beaten track — out at Julia Creek, N.Q. — so he may not have heard about the earlier date. Anyway, we're glad tc know that it has been discovered and not passed over.

Saturday, 23rd: We lost count of the matches we played with King's today. We forget the exact number. But it will be years before we forget the Firsts' game. The best game in every sense, that we have had for years, even though we lost by 2 points. The public attendance was again very large.

Incidentally we were pleased to have with us Mr. Bernie McBride who came to Riverview as a small boy, 70 years ago this month.

Sunday, 24th: Home Sunday was ushered in by a long night and morning of heavy rain. For all that, we see but few faces on the premises.

We're still discussing yesterday's "Firsts v. T.K.S." — our most outstanding match so far.

Monday, 25th: The "ablative absolute" gone all modern — according to John Hodgkinson:— "I bought a banana and ate it" is thus neatly turned:—"I bought a having-been-eaten banana." A raw deal.

And John McGovern is going round telling people that "an iceberg is Nature's permanent wave."

Tuesday, 26th: Congratulations to Christopher Flynn who won a Greek and Latin reading competition at the University this evening. There were over 80 competitors so we think congratulations to Christopher are in order.

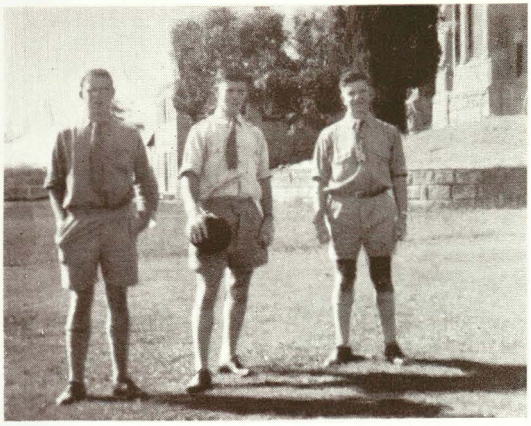
Wednesday, 27th: Geoff. Meagher says he heard a man in a shop ask:—"Can I have a dog for my wife?" and the shop-keeper replied: "Sorry, we can't make these exchanges."

Thursday, 28th: We enjoyed a half-holiday today in honour of Father Provincial's annual visit. A bitterly cold wind went through us but football was keen on all the fields.

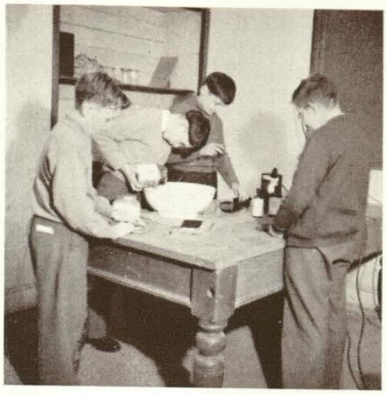
Friday, 29th: Peter Lenehan suggests a new move in football. "The scrum divides and lets the half through." What about the breakaways and the other half and all the other forwards?" "Oh, everyone will get such a shock that they won't be able to move!"

(Hope that's not tried against St. Joseph's tomorrow!)

Saturday, 30th: We played at home about twenty matches with St. Joseph's today and while the junior ones were full of interest, everyone looked forward to the final game between the two First teams. There was an enormous public attendance which included, of course, hundreds of Old Boys of both schools. The game was a thriller, especially in the second half, and St. Joseph's "prevailed" by five points. But the "home" team put up a splendid performance too. (See Football Notes.)



A CASUAL DIVISION SNAP.
(By M. O'Dea).



PHOTOGRAPHERS HOPING FOR RESULTS.

July

Sunday, 1st: Some of the Juniors in Second and Third Divisions had good games this afternoon with teams from Chatswood and Coogee. The others "eased off" after yesterday's excitement.

Monday 2nd: We are told that Peter Talty turned on the wireless one cold night and got Chile. (We seem to have heard that before, somewhere!). If it wasn't freezing tonight it was certainly more than chilly.

Tuesday, 3rd: "The Romans as we all know," wrote Michael Deloughery, "could not tell the time from their sun-dials at night, for in those days they had no torches." (Judging by a certain bell-ringer among us, it's sometimes hard to tell the time at 'View in broad daylight.)

Wednesday, 4th: Richard Roberts on his way to the Infirmary with a touch of chicken-pox was waylaid by several Second Divisioners who begged him to breathe on them. We wonder why?

"Quantum potes tantum aude" (the School motto) means, according to M. Cunich (always ready to explain) — "Drink till you drop." He won't pass the Inter!

Thursday, 5th: "Chook" Hayes was requested by the Master to stop pushing a drawing pin into his class neighbour. "Oh, but Sir," was the reply: "that was only a compass." (The sign of "an early spring," in any case.)

Friday, 6th: "Doc" King to Ian Ingleby (who

had moved up the class to sit next to J. Dawson):—"Are you an aboriginal?" "No, sir," said Ian, slightly shocked. "Then stop 'going walkabout' and get back to your place."

Cress. Corser is said to have such a sharp tongue that (they say) it cut off Wallace Breen's side-levers from a distance of three feet. Cress. doesn't look that severe!.

Saturday, 7th: It rained heavily nearly all last night so we should have some mud-battles when we play Shore today at Northbridge.

(Later). The grounds were soft but the matches good and the First Fifteen came into their own again with a good win. (See Football Notes.)

Sunday, 8th: We enjoyed a week-end granted us by Fr. Provincial some time back and the House was singularly silent last night and today. An interesting game took place this afternoon between teams from St. Joseph's and Riverview's Younger Sets (Men only, obviously!)

Monday, 9th: Eugene Daley, questioned on French irregular verbs got this: "What past participles end in 'u'?" Eugene started off:—"Pu, Tu, lu . . . er," and "Abo" Haseler broke in with "stoo.' Irregular all right.

Tuesday, 10th: Jim Lenehan, a history "expert," was asked: "What was the Triple Entente?" Jim was not quite sure but ventured for luck:—"A tent that Napoleon used three times." James is now revising for the tests.

Wednesday, 11th: After a one-day "drought," rain poured down without a break, so we had early study in the afternoon and "hit the hay" at 8.30 p.m. The best place to be in this bleak, shivery weather. Eugene Daley would have none of it. He "swatted" in the basement much later.

Thursday, 12th: Various schemes are afoot this week, in aid of our Indian Mission. Voting for the "ugliest face" in First Division (at a penny per vote) caused terrific competition. Christopher Flynn's face won (by a whisker?) polling 510 votes to Mick Hardie's 509.

Friday, 13th: It fined up today and the fields got a chance to dry out for tomorrow's matches with Sydney High School.

John Thorpe studying Shakespeare has his own ideas. He quotes:—"Antony, that revels long of nights is not withstanding up." "Gee, it must have been some party!"

Saturday, 14th: Fine, sunny and (mostly) dry fields. We played several matches with High in all three Divisions and we managed to do pretty well. The Firsts' game was an interesting one and ended satisfactorily for us, High battling hard to the end. (See Football Notes.)

Sunday, 15th: Talking over yesterday's match, Vince Hillsdon remarked: "Olly Brummer puts all he's got into his barracking for the Firsts." "I'll say he does," said Pat Hanson: "He goes red, white, purple and blue during the war-cry."

Monday, 16th John Kouvelis' ode to the model aeroplanes:—

"Model planes have hit the top,
But some come down with an awful flop:
Nevertheless they're a mighty show
If you have time and plenty of "dough."

That's just the trouble. The grounds are pretty hard for pancake landings.

Tuesday, 17th: Whealy, anxious to learn, asked his master the French word for "Eau de Cologne."

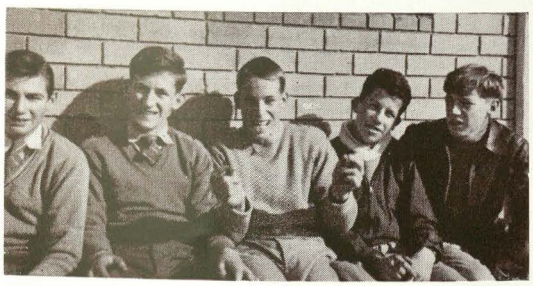
Wednesday, 18th: Student to master:—"What does 'etcetera' mean, Sir?" "It means," came the answer, "that you can simply do the rest yourself."

An ordinary round cup, says Anthony Loneragan, has two sides:—An inside and an outside.

Thursday, 19th: "Hi, Sir! The bell's gone!" said Lloyd Ryan at the end of class. Bob Wilkinson, just waking up from his afternoon siesta, gasped: "Gee! who's taken it?" (It was there, all right last night, when some outsiders ran into the Quad at 1.45 a.m. and rang it ! Oh for a half-brick!)

Friday, 20th: All teams seem well keyed up for our matches with Newington tomorow. The Seconds will miss David O'Dea whose recent concussion will keep him still on the touch-line. His vigorous play is an asset to that team.

Saturday, 21st: The U 12 A's, led by Tommy Meagher, put on a great game this morning and in the afternoon at Stanmore, the Firsts continued their winning sequence in a rugged, hard-fought match. Enthusiasm ran high and every point had to be hard-earned against heavy and competent opponents. (See Football Notes.)



A FEW SUNDAY MORNING "BASKERS."
(Photo — R. Bruce).

Congratulations to Jim Lenehan who led his team well.

Sunday, 22nd: Home Sunday. We enjoyed a glorious day of sunshine and an exciting picture at night.

Monday, 23rd: V. Rev. Father A. Kelly, S.J. Superior of our Indian Mission, paid us a visit today and was presented by Jim Lenehan, our Captain, with a spiritual bouquet offered by all the boys and a substantial cheque — the result of recent competitions held in the three Divisions. Upwards of £70 was raised in a little over a week. Father Kelly, who will soon be leaving for India, thanked the boys for their generosity and hoped to see further Riverview boys joining our Mission, where valuable work is being done.

Tuesday, 24th: Michael Lewis's advice to budding pick-pockets:—"Take things quietly." And Bede Roche denies that the chicken crosses the road to get to the other side. He says it crosses to see Gregory Peck.

Wednesday, 25th: Father A. Kelly (above) secured us a half-holiday which we enjoyed today. Rudi Vandenberg was (they say) very disappointed; he said he would miss French class (Oh yeah?). A fierce colour match in Second Division.

Thursday, 26th: A Hobby Room has opened in Second Division. Model Aeroplanes and Crystal Sets seem to be the craze. What you hear from outside:— "Don't let him in!"; "Quit pushing me!"; "Get out of me road"; "Don't start the engine in here!" "You got a hobby?" "No." "Well, get out !"

We'd like to see some *working* models.

Friday, 27th: Our Captain, Jim Lenehan, to our dismay, with his face "closed for alterations and repairs", has been in the Infirmary for the past few days. Still we have great hopes that he may be available to lead the First Fifteen in our match with Grammar tomorrow. Jim isn't easily knocked out.

Saturday, 28th: Great football weather today for the final G.P.S. Competition matches. We are glad to know that Jim Lenehan is available after all. (Later). And he led his team to victory once more against Grammar. The Seconds and Thirds also won, the former coming first in their Competition. (See Football Notes.) A good season over. It supplied us with plenty of thrills. Those matches — especially those of the First Fifteen will be long remembered.

Monday, 30th: The Combined G.P.S. teams to play next Saturday were picked on last Saturday night. We congratulate Jim Lenehan on again being appointed Captain of G.P.S. I.



A BUNCH OF FIVE SMILES.
(Photo — D. O'dell).

in which Peter Lenehan and Cress Corser were also chosen. In G.P.S. II. our representatives are Michael Saddington, Mick Hardie and Bruce Stevenson while Bill Odillo Maher and Peter Haseler are playing in G.P.S. III.

Best wishes to them all. (See Football Notes.)

Tuesday, 31st: Feast of St. Ignatius, S.J., Founder of the Jesuit Order and Patron of Riverview. St. Mary's Cathedral was filled to the doors by those attending the Solemn High Mass at which His Eminence the Cardinal presided. The boys of Riverview and St. Aloysius' Colleges composed the Choir and sang the Mass extremely well. Father J. Drury, S.J., was the celebrant. It was all in honour of St. Ignatius and was a fitting tribute to the Founder of the Order and the Patron of the School.

Elsewhere in this issue you will find a more detailed acount of this notable function.

We returned to Riverview for dinner and in the afternoon the time-honoured "City v. Country" matches were played in Second and Third Divisions. In Second Division "City" I. and "Country" I. drew 3 all after some torrid play. "Country" II. won decisively by 15 to 6. In Third Division, "City" I. defeated "Country" I., 12-3. "Country" II. however turned the tables by winning, 24-0.

We finished a memorable day with a rather exciting picture programme.

August

Wednesday, 1st: John Plummer, not yet recovered from yesterday's activities translated "the town mouse went to meet the country

mouse" by: "urbs mus obviam ivit rum mum." (What was that again, about the "ridiculus mus?")

Friday, 3rd: James Dick no longer believes in ghosts. "I thought I saw an elephant creeping up on me — as plain as plain as could be," he said — "but I suddenly got a clearer view and saw it was only "Olly." Not much difference after all. Don Chisholm says a "half-wit" is a half-back who throws a bad pass. Most back-liners would enthusiastically agree.

Saturday, 4th: At long last, owing to our much enlarged Cadet Unit, we have decided to re-enter the G.P.S. shooting competition. Mr. Boyd, S.J., leads the way. This morning some twenty or so trekked to Long Bay to fire on the open range.

All the football photos were taken this morning — and in record time, thanks to Mr. Anderson of Melba Studios. In the afternoon we had our final feast of football when we saw the three G.P.S. Combined Teams play at the Sports Ground.

A good season ended.

Sunday, 5th: Home Sunday — in fact, a "week-end" — as we were allowed home last night after the football. The term exams will be "on" next week, so that's about our last "relaxation."

Monday, 6th: The Leaving Class "broke the ice" this morning and wrestled with a Maths. test for three hours.

Third Division ran off some Athletic preliminaries in the afternoon. The rain last week has put back several days' practice.

Tuesday, 7th: Athletics going strong all the afternoon. A "refresher" after a day of exams.

In the Agricultural Science exam. Charlie Hayes, asked for what a bullock would be most useful, said: "I would get mine to mow the lawn and carry me to town so as to duck the fares."

Wednesday, 8th: Some sarcastic onlooker says that "Olly" Brummer's Athletic performances are terrific — 100 yds. in 17.3 secs.; 220 yds. in 41.9 secs.; and 880 yds. in 5 min. 59 secs.! We don't believe it; we saw "Olly" *win* a race!

Thursday, 9th: Agricultural Science again! "What is the use of the skin of a cow?" "That's easy," wrote "Goog" Gowing: "To keep the cow in!" — and "Goog" is well up in these matters!

Friday, 10th: Napoleon once said that "Career is open to talent," but "P.J." Heaney who has many talents, doesn't know which career he meant. Pick and choose, "P.J." pick and choose — or ask your big brother; he was never at a loss for suggestions.

Saturday, 11th: We held our annual Athletic meeting — (or most of it) — this afternoon — instead of carrying over to the third term. Several School records were equalled and broken. Jim Lenehan's Shot Putt once more beat all records — school and G.P.S. Apart from a very cold wind it was most enjoyable (See Athletic Notes.)

Sunday, 12th: This afternoon we ran off such events for which there was not time last week and, apart from our G.P.S. representative teams, Athletics are over.

Monday, 13th: Term Exams. flowed on today and many are realising that they don't know as much as they thought. However this is an annual experience — and the holidays are very close.

Tuesday, 14th: We "downed tools" this afternoon and packed for tomorrow's get-away. A picture programme ended the day and many of the "bright boys" are looking forward to the end-of-the-term dance tomorrow evening — sponsored by the Parents and Friends' Association.

Wednesday, 15th: Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady, and end of the Term. This morning's "scatteration" was well up to standard and boys were "as rare as hairs on a billiard ball!" However tonight large numbers were back to the "home from home" for the Dance which was held in the Memorial Hall and was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. A good finish to a most interesting and enjoyable Term. "Abyssinia Samoa" as they say.

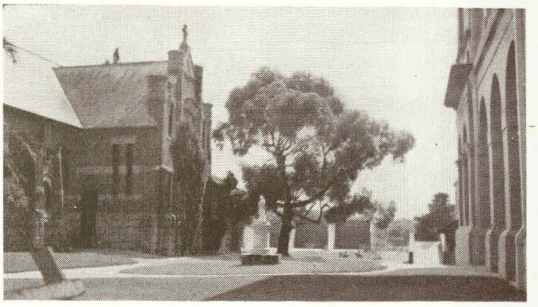
THIRD TERM

September

Tuesday, 4th: This year seems to be going so fast that it's hard to believe we are beginning the final term and facing once more those annual L.C. and I.C. Exams.

However the House woke up tonight with the usual all-round "cackle". Here we go!

Wednesday, 5th: Two optimists — very few —



A "QUAD" CORNER.
(Photo — J. Kirby).



IT MUST BE A JET-PLANE!

appeared in "summer" khaki shorts, but it didn't make the wind any warmer. We shivered at athletic practice and hope that Saturday's "Country v. City" meeting will be graced with a little warmth.

Thursday, 6th: Speaking of optimists we hear that Terry Carver said "an optimist is a man who looks after your eyes and a pessimist is one who looks after your feet". (Another optimist is a master who thinks his boys are going to work very hard on the first day's study and class!)

Friday, 7th: Both optimists and pessimists are as one, welcoming the end of the first three days. "Sleeves to be rolled up" on Monday! (Oh, yeah?).

Saturday, 8th: The Rifle team got away to an early start this morning and we wish them much straight shooting on the range.

A "City v. Country" athletic meeting was held in rather cold conditions this afternoon and resulted in a decisive win for "City" by a margin of 112 points.

Monday, 10th: A bright (?) boy in 2nd Inter. was asked to explain why he got only 16% in his Maths. Term exam. "Well, sir, I must have put down the answers wrongly; I know I worked them out the right way." — Not far enough out, apparently.

Tuesday, 11th: P. J. Heaney:—"I don't know why I've been put at the back of the study; I don't 'muck-up', I've been caught reading a Western, only twice; playing indoor cricket four or five times; ramming my neighbour with a compass merely three times; and talking only twice. Most unjust!"

Wednesday, 12th: One sarcastic reporter says that every time a plane passes over Canberra, it bumps, because of the stream of hot air coming up from Parliament House.

Good job they rarely pass over Riverview when class is "on". There would surely be a pancake landing.

Thursday, 13th: In a recent Second Division debate, Bill Kelman said that Captain Cook discovered Australia in 1890. Well, of course, Bill comes from a long way out (Julia Creek, Q.) and news takes some time to get that far.

Friday, 14th: Tony Garling, specialising in French idioms, suggests the following for those expecting to pass the I.C. or L.C.:—"Bonne nuit" — night nurse; "Pied à terre" — one foot in the grave; "Femme de ménage" — a woman of my age. Honours students please note. Examiners will be pleased!

Feverish preparations in full swing, preparing stalls, etc., etc., in the Quadrangle for tomorrow's Indian Mission Fete. We wish the organisers fine weather, and a large spending public!

Saturday, 15th: We could not have had a better day. Early in the afternoon the "Quad." was crowded with (apparently) eager spenders, when His Eminence the Cardinal, most eloquently assisted by His Honour, Mr. Justice McClemens, officially opened the Fete. Business was brisk from then onwards and we think the organisers should be well pleased with results. Mr. Phil Prior did a roaring — (yes, roaring!) trade in hams until they all ran out and the barbecue caterers (Messrs. O'Dea, Glasheen, W. Conlon and P. Lippmann) also exhausted their supplies (and themselves!). The concerts in the Memorial Hall drew full houses each time and the dance strained the capacity of the same hall. A very memorable day.

Sunday, 16th: The boys of all divisions did a stupendous job this morning cleaning up yesterday's "remains." Under an hour — everything was spick and span again. Congratulations on a splendid job.

In the afternoon we had some interesting athletics in conjunction with members of the Randwick-Kensington A.C.

A good week-end.

Monday, 17th: 'The morning after." Mr. Crowley, doing Stocks and Shares in class noticed Chris Quain having a peaceful doze. "What are we doing now, Chris?" he asked. Chris woke up: "Shocks and Stares, sir," he replied. He got both.

Tuesday, 18th: A certain First Divisioner decided to have a "crue" (?) cut and the effect was so disastrous that (they say) his mother

made him wear a hat at meals. (This wasn't John Herlihy by any chance?).

Wednesday, 19th: A shooting team entered the G.P.S. competition the other day and the report goes that Philip Brandt has been trying to sell his target as a sieve, ever since.

Peter Lenehan says he's "off" sausages after last Saturday's Barbecue. "I'm sick of snags," he said. One is said to have sat up and barked at him.

Thursday, 20th: After the fares rose recently, P. Bradfield entered a bus and offering the conductor a £5 note, asked: "Is that enough?" It is not true that the conductor gave him change in pennies.

Friday, 21st: Peter Brown, amateur magician, assured Steve Fennell that he could turn a hankie into a rabbit. "That's nothing," said Steve, "I saw a man going down Castlereagh Street yesterday and he suddenly turned into a hotel."

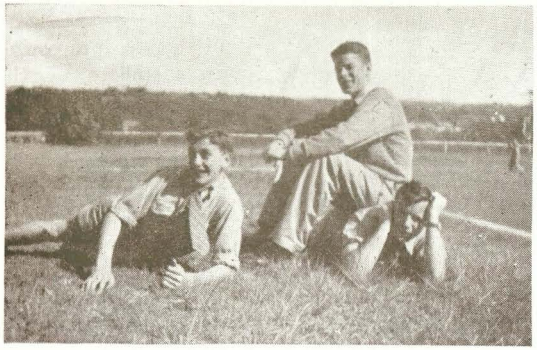
Saturday, 22nd: The Rowing season was formally opened this afternoon when we gathered at the Shed and witnessed the christening of a new Eight, two fours and the speed-boat.

The "Gas Laws", according to Peter White, were passed "so that Dad has to pay the gas bills." You never know what you'll get in Chemistry class. "Gas," anyway.

Sunday, 23rd: Congratulations to Jim Lenehan who today at the Olympic Trials (Moore Park) put the Shot (12 lb.) 54 ft. 5 ins. to set an Australian Junior Record.

At night, the Senior boys put on a very creditable performance of Shakespeare's Henry IV.

Monday, 24th: Scott Mitchell is not a shooting enthusiast. He says he can get just as much fun at the Tuck-Shop where he can make sure of as many bulls'-eyes as he wishes. (You can also get "humbugs" if you aren't one).



LEISURE!



OH, HAD I THE WINGS OF A BIRD!

Tuesday, 25th: We have it on Brian Duck's authority that when a duck grows up it grows down.

And of course, we might remind "Ducky" that if he went upstairs we could easily bring him down on a feather.

Wednesday, 26th: Our Latin Scholar, Chris Quain was asked what "tertium quid" means and promptly replied: "Three pounds."

Peter Brummer hinted to a certain tormentor that he'd better be careful, because "if I hit you on the nose, it (the nose) would be just a wart on the back of your neck".

Thursday, 27th: Daily compliment department and "Pinhead" Hanson to "Chook" Hayes:— "You have a head like an egg!" "That's more than I can say for you," returned "Chook"; "An egg at least, has something in it."

Friday, 28th: While cricket wickets are being prepared, a rash of baseball has broken out and your life isn't safe in any Division. Nick Campbell-Jones however, who usually "goes one better" than the next fellow, got his head in the way of a Shot Put — and was promptly "closed for alterations and repairs." (No — the Shot was only slightly dented!)

Saturday, 29th: Some of us took part in the Schoolboy Championships today at the Sydney Cricket Ground. Jim Lenehan won the Open Hurdles and put up a record in the Shot Put (54 ft. 4¾ ins). Ian Ingleby, Michael Kavanaugh, Robert Meagher were also well up in their races.

Sunday, 30th: We got some sun today and in the afternoon enjoyed very much a picture programme of the Berlin Olympic Games.



TONY HASSALL.
Dux of Riverview, 1956.

October

Monday, 1st: Leaving Honours Test Exams. contributed a headache or two today to those concerned. There's no use hoping to avoid the inevitable, is there?

Tuesday, 2nd: Henley Harrison is not a quick thinker, so when 'Doc.' Deloughery said to him: "Did you hear that Jim Lenehan broke the Shot Put record?" Henley, slowly coming to the surface, replied: "What did he do that for? Are they going to buy a new one?"

Wednesday, 3rd: Terry Carver informs us that during the last holidays, one of their bulls died. When he was cut up they found a hand grenade inside him and Terry's only comment was, if you can follow it:—"Abominable."

Thursday, 4th: We are sorry to hear that Mr. Harry Thomas, who has been on the Riverview staff for 33 years, is a present laid up in hospital. We wish him, needless to say, a speedy recovery. Riverview without him, would not seem the same.

Friday, 5th: Some boys were fishing from the pontoon. Someone asked: "Which of them is Bede Roche?" Came the reply:—"Just look for the line with a worm on one end and a prawn on the other." (It wasn't stated which was where).

Saturday, 6th: Rain interfered somewhat with an Athletic meeting at St. Joseph's College this afternoon. Athletes from King's, Shore, St. Joseph's and Riverview took part and some good performances were registered despite the damp conditions.

Sunday, 7th: Home Sunday left us with an empty House most of the day. The seasons seem to be back-peddling. It's as cold and damp as mid-winter. We finished up the day with a rather hilarious picture programme.

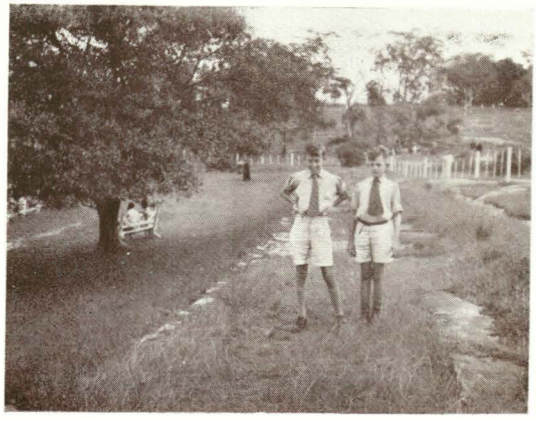
Monday, 8th: The usual "post-Home-Sunday reaction. Brains pretty foggy. R. Bellingham, for instance, said that "the grey thrush, as distinct from the English thrush, is a species of magpie."

Tuesday, 9th: And Tony Dynon preparatory to contracting measles, said in Chemistry class, that there are two kinds of gin — "Oxygin and hydrogin: Oxygin being pure gin and hydrogin being gin and water". He has given them both away and joined the local A.A. (i.e. Pioneers).

Thursday, 11th: At the "G.P.S." preliminaries and Eliminations today, Jim Lenehan broke all records in the Shot Put, doing 57 ft. 2¼ ins. That record should stand for some time — unless Jim breaks it again. Congratulations.

Friday, 12th: A certain "new boy" was trying to buy tomato sauce at the book-shop today. Miss Pearce is always most obliging but she hasn't started a grocery yet. Some of the Latin and Maths. books are indigestible enough.

Saturday, 13th: The G.P.S. Athletics at the



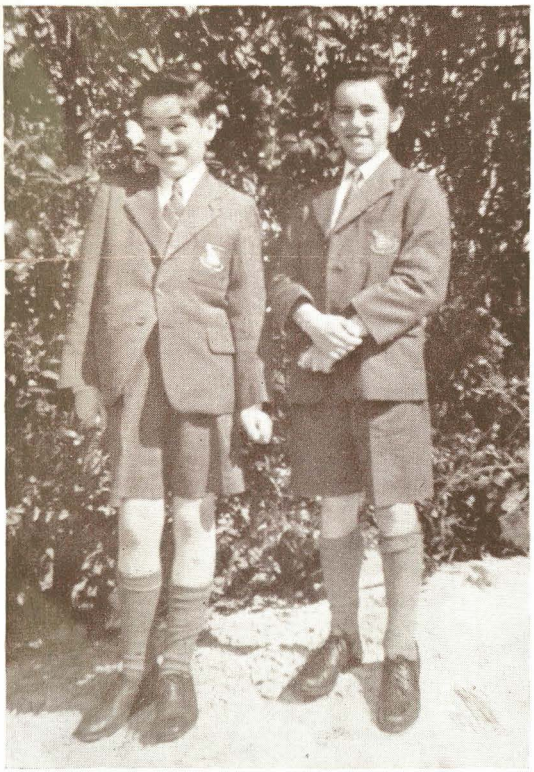
TWO STRAYS.
(Photo — G. McCormack).

Sydney Cricket Ground were favoured with a perfect day. The programme went without a hitch, 17 records were broken and one equalled. A really splendid afternoon, thanks to the Convener, Mr. Rankine of The Scot's College and his army of officials. Details may be read in our Athletic Notes.

Sunday, 14th: We regret to record the death, last night, of Sir Mark Sheldon (80-83), one of the first small band to come to Riverview when the College opened in 1880.

Monday, 15th: Michael Deloughery, moaning in the Study Hall, was asked the reason. "I had a tooth taken out today," he said. "Well, dentists are gentle, these days, aren't they?" "The only trouble is," said M.D., "that Pat Hanson was the dentist and his only instrument was a cricket ball."

Tuesday, 16th: Charlie Hayes, pounced on for chewing during Study had a quick explanation: "I just wanted to see if the filling I got in my tooth today would stay in." It's still in.



BARRY HUGHES and WARWICK HAYNES.

Wednesday, 17th: Representatives of General Motors Holden gave us an interesting hour and a half of "Review of Progress" this afternoon. The set-up and "experiments" were quite fascinating even if we did not fathom the "why and wherefor."

Thursday, 18th: Cricket practice is very keen these days in all Divisiones — and as for the rowers, they're doing about twenty miles an afternoon. The blisters will soon be hardened and "condition" will be perfect.

Friday, 19th: Dr. Emmet McDermott, M.D.S., D.D.S. (21-29), gave the School a very practical lecture this afternoon on the care of the teeth. If we follow all his advice, our dentists will go out of business!

By the way, the feminine plural of "heureux" is masculine, if we are to believe Richard Roberts.

Saturday, 20th: The Cricket Competition resumed today and, with many teams, we met Sydney Grammar School. Next Saturday will decide the matches, but Grammar seems to be in a fairly comfortable position.

This being a "week-end," when cricket ended the School emptied in a flash. With fine weather the Home Sunday should be just what the doctor ordered.

Sunday, 21st: Red faces and burnt backs and "don't-wake-me-up" attitudes resulted from today's basking on the beaches. The Home Sunday was positively "super".

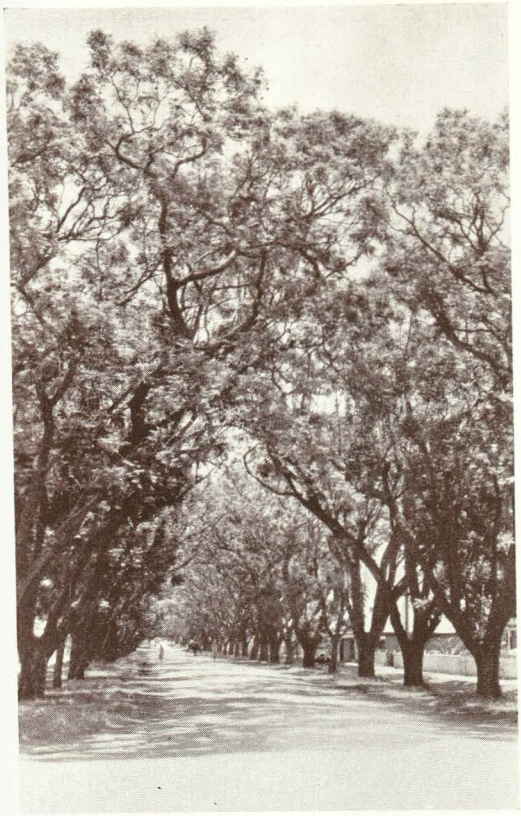
Monday, 22nd: (We don't know where this originated and we're quite sure it isn't true, but these jotters of ours will grasp any straw in a storm):—It is said that Father Burke-Gaffney picked up Monaco's weather forecast last night: "A little Rainier in February."

Tuesday, 23rd: Father Wallace, going through "The Merchant of Venice" with the L.C. Intelligentia, asked where the "Mercy" Speech came from and got some typical answers: — "The Waste Land", "G. M. Hopkins Poems" and "Judith Wright". No wonder Fr. W. is wearing a drawn expression.

Wednesday, 24th: "Caesar" Connolly asked Paul Bookallil for a piece of his cake. "I thought you had a tooth ache," was the come-back. "Yes," said "C." C., "but I can always use the other side."

Jim Lenehan thinks the typical orchestral instrument is the banjo. (He forgot about the Jew's harp).

Thursday, 25th: There's a notice up about the



THE AVENUE.

approaching L.C., I.C. and House term Exams. It has produced a slight panic among those who didn't realise the year has gone so fast. Some admit openly, for the first time, that "we must do some work now."

Friday, 26th: Noel Dan informed Bruce Harding that a "Jewish Organ" was another name for a cash register. On a par with the (reported) Israelite, who, though admitting to be immensely rich, wanted it known that he was leaving his entire fortune to the widow of the unknown soldier.

Saturday, 27th: We completed our matches with Sydney Grammar School today. Grammar had a comfortable win in the Firsts' match.

Sunday, 28th: Back to Riverview Day. Blessed with glorious weather, the Day was generally voted "the best ever." Everything went with a swing from breakfast until the end of the concert at 10.30 p.m. For details of activities see the O.I.U. notes.

Monday, 29th: "When Rothmans introduced their cigarettes into N.S.W. they met great opposition from other tobacco firms," said Mr. McCrossin — "as well as from Father Drury," came a moan from a slowly recovering "victim."

Tuesday, 30th: Said Father Gilchrist to his Chemistry class:—"Now that you boys are nearing the end of your course, you should soon know these fundamental principles"—and many another master might, in other subjects, repeat his words. (" 'Tis true; 'tis pity and pity 'tis 'tis true' "!!)

Wednesday 31st: General Maths. class. A difficult problem on the board and no hands up with the answer. Suddenly a hand *did* shoot up. "You haven't got the answer, Jim?" said the master, staggering back. "No, sir" replied Jim L., "I was just scratching my head!"

November

Thursday 1st: All Saints Day. Sunday Order. The time-honoured Wardens' Picnic considerably cleared the House today, the "non-Wardens" enjoying themselves as well as possible at the "Home-from-Home."

The Picnic was well up to standard and enjoyed by all. As far as class is concerned tomorrow, it's just as well it's a Friday!

Friday 2nd: We told you so:— "If you go to sleep, Michael, please don't snore, or you will wake everyone else," said the hard-tried master. (Michael scarcely heard him!).

Saturday, 3rd: We met Sydney High School today in the second-last Competition match and we hope to be able to announce the result of the match before the Magazine is published.

The Leaving Exams. begin in a day or two and our best wishes go to the "victims".

And now, with regret, though on the other hand, with a sigh of relief, and to give our Printers a chance to produce "O.A.M." by break-up day, we close down our jottings for the year.

Before sinking back into oblivion, we should like to thank our jotters for their help during the year. They have drawn pretty well on their imaginations (!).

All round it has been in many ways, a memorable, a happy and a successful year. We wish goodbye and good luck to those who are leaving their School-days behind them. They have "done their bit" for Riverview and still belong to it. They will not be forgotten and will be more than welcome every time they return to the "old haunts."

A happy holiday and the brightest of bright New Years to everyone.



CECIL O'DEA.
President, O.I.U., 1956.

Old Ignatians' Union

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The year just closing must be regarded as one of the best, in every sense, that the Union has enjoyed. Members of the Executive, led by Mr. Cecil O'Dea, have been very active in ensuring the success of every function held and their work has invariably produced gratifying results. Membership — both Life and Annual — is steadily increasing. The annual Ball was an outstanding success, socially and financially and the Union has been able to satisfy many urgent needs in the sporting sphere of the College.

Enthusiasm has marked the activities of the Executive — enthusiasm in their desire to help the School in every way they can. The College authorities are very much aware of this and are pleased indeed to acknowledge and appreciate the loyalty of Old Boys. Riverview is fortunate in having behind it such a live body to further its interests. We doubt if it has ever been more fortunate than this year.

VISIT OF H.E. THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

Mention should be made here of the Garden Party which took place at Riverview towards the end of November last year — too late, unfortunately, for inclusion in our 1955 issue — in honour of the visit to Riverview of His Excellency, Sir William Slim the Governor-General of Australia.

At his own suggestion, his visit was devoid of all formality. Accompanied by his A.D.C. he was welcomed by the Rector on behalf of the Community and the large number of visitors present, and shown round the College in which he showed much interest, this being his first visit to Riverview.

Mr. Mark McAlary (President of the Union) introduced his Excellency to many of the visitors as he strolled in the front garden, and he made a point of meeting and chatting with several boys, from the Captain of the School downwards.

He remained at the College for a considerable time. We were favoured with a very fine day and Father Fraser, S.J., had the garden looking its very best.

Refreshments in abundance were supplied to all present by the members of the Parents and Friends' Association and handed round by an army of small boys who did this work well.

His Excellency was pleased with his visit and we hope that if possible, he may again come to the College on some future occasion. We felt honoured in having with us the Queen's chief representative in Australia.

O.I.U. Dinner to the Community

Another function which it would ill become us to pass over in silence was a Dinner at the Pick-



THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AT RIVERVIEW.
L.-R.: The A.D.C.; Mrs. Chatfield (President: Parents and Friends' Association); Father Rector, Sir William Slim, Mr. Harry Thomas.

wick Club on December 6th, given to the Community by the Old Boys Union, to mark the 75th Anniversary of Riverview.

As the School had then broken up for the holidays and the "Alma Mater" was already published and distributed, we were obviously unable to mention this function in the last issue.

A very large number of Old Boys attended the Dinner and the evening proved most pleasant and successful.

Mr. Mark McAlary (President, O.I.U) presided and asked Mr. Cecil O'Dea to propose the toast of the Masters and the College. This Cecil did gracefully and sincerely, saying that the Masters and boys, past, present and future *are* Riverview.

Riverview boys, he said, were grateful to their parents for having sent them to the College. He thanked the members of the Community for their presence that evening and thanked them too for all they were doing for the boys. Their work is hard and arduous and very much appreciated. If the Riverview boy had the reputation of being a "hard trier" on and off the playing fields — and he has — it was due to the example and encouragement of his masters down through the years.

V. Rev. Father Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview) thanked the Old Boys for their generous hospitality — typical of the loyalty, always so marked, that has existed among Riverview boys year after year. He congratulated Mark McAlary on his work as President, O.I.U. and said it was always a pleasure to work with him. He wished the Union more and more success in the years to come.

Mr. David de Carvalho in a brief speech, said that "from those to whom much is given, much is expected" and urged all Old Boys to rise to their obligations and recognise by their own actions the devotion to duty shown by their Riverview Masters.

Father M. Fitzgerald, S.J. thanked the Old Boys for their friendship and loyalty to the College.

Sir Henry Manning said he was much impressed by the evident bond that existed between the Riverview Masters and the boys whom they had taught and formed. He mentioned some of the old-time Masters of his own days at Riverview, notably Father John Murphy, S.J. Prefect of Studies.

Father J. Drury, S.J. (Sportsmaster), thanked Old Boys for the encouragement they had given him and the teams during the year. He praised the qualities of the boys even when losing and was quite satisfied they would always give their very best efforts.

Mr. T. K. Crowley remarked on the scholastic successes at Riverview — which were never below the State averages and frequently higher. During his 20 years as Senior Mathematics teacher at the College he appreciated to the full, the invariable courtesy he received from the Community and he thanked the Old Boys for making him an Honorary Life Member of the Union.

A tribute to the Laybrothers was paid by *Messrs. Mark McAlary* and *R. E. O'Halloran*, many names being called to mind — Brothers Doyle, Forster, Girschik and others of the past. Their places were well filled by our present Brothers — the work of Brothers W. Johnson, J. Doran, A. Cahill and M. O'Brien being known to all.

This brought the formal proceedings to a close.

A happy and memorable occasion.

A telegram of good wishes to all present was received from Monsieur Numa Daly of Noumea, New Caledonia — an enthusiastic Old Boy.



AT THE O.I.U. DINNER TO THE RIVERVIEW COMMUNITY (DECEMBER, 1955).
L.-R.: Bro. Doran, Fathers McLoughlin, Durnin, Drury, Kurts, Fitzgerald, Wallace, Bro. Cahill, Bro. Johnson, Fathers Sneddon, Drumm, Mr. T. K. Crowley.
(Photo by Mr. B. Nowland).

FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Despite very rainy conditions, there was a large attendance at the 59th Annual General Meeting, held at the Carlton Hotel on Thursday evening, January 26th.

Mr. Mark McAlary presided and with him were V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), K. J. Slocum, Marc Desmarchelier, J. North, and Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J. Among Old Boys present were: L. P. Kelly, C. J. Bryant, J. J. Bryant, Adrian Bryant, R. J. O'Donnell, M. J. McGrath, J. Grace, W. Sulway, F. Reed, J. Parsonage, R. G. Flannery, P. Andrews, G. and G. Connolly, R. Blake, C. J. McElhone, P. Moore, J. Stinson, G. Long, G. O'Halloran, A. Oxenham, J. Moore, Jeffrey Burns, A. S. Carroll, J. Hunter, P. Ramsay, J. S. White, W. J. Skuthorp, M. Casey, R. J. Barry, J. R. O'Sullivan, P. Spry-Bailey, C. B. Rose, G. Scarf, J. A. Kelly, L. P. Raper, S. Raper, P. Prior, Alan Bridge, Q.C.; A. Clouston, P. Doherty, A. W. Kelly, G. McEvoy, D. C. d'Apice, C. Dalgleish, T. G. Cahill, David Nolan, J. McKinlay, A. Wilson, P. Davis, V.C. Davis.

(It is more than likely that we missed the names of others who were present and if so, to these we tender our (annual) regrets.)

Apologies for inability to attend were received from the following:—

V. Rev. J. Casey, S.J.; Dr. G. H. McElhone, Dr. G. Davies, John R. Davies, M. Glasheen, Adrian Gray, Bert Veech, B. Holland, N. Pelly, J. and H. d'Apice, Dr. C. F. Laidlaw, J. Hunt, E. O'Halloran, P. G. Veech, V. L'Estrange, B. Rush, B. A. McBride, W. Conlon, R. E. O'Halloran, M. G. Meagher.

Mr. Mark McAlary welcomed the Rector, Fr. Wallace, S.J. and all Old Boys present. The minutes of the previous General Meeting, the Hon. Secretary's Report, the Treasurer's Report and Balance Sheet being in the hands of those present, were taken as read. (We may mention in passing that the total financial membership of the Union for 1955 was 930 — the largest membership to date).

Attention was drawn to one item on the agenda paper — "To receive, and if thought fit, approve the following motion: That the retiring President may be eligible for re-election at the Annual General Meeting for a second consecutive term of office." After some discussion it was agreed to defer consideration of the motion to the next General Meeting in May.

Mr. Cyprian Bryant, seconded by Mr. L. P. Raper, nominated *Mr. Cecil O'Dea* as President of the Union for 1956. On behalf of the Union, Mr. Bryant thanked Mr. McAlary for the splendid work he had done as President during 1955. Mark, he said, had worthily represented Riverview and added lustre to the College, to the Union and to himself. All Old Boys had seen his work and noted his enthusiastic support of the School teams and of every function held. We all owed a big debt of gratitude to Mark McAlary and to Mrs. McAlary who so ably and willingly supported him.

There being no other nomination for the office of President, Mr. O'Dea was declared our President for 1956 and took the Chair.

While votes for the Vice-Presidents were being counted, *Mr. Cecil O'Dea* thanked Old Boys for the honour they had done him in electing him to lead the Union. He recognised that it was the highest honour they could give him and he would do his best to further the interests of the Union and the College during his term of office. He paid a high tribute to the splendid work done by his predecessor in office, Mark McAlary. The year just closed had been one of the best in Riverview's history. He congratulated the Rector on the results of the recent L.C. Examinations and on the sporting successes of the boys. He, and indeed, all Old Boys, felt fortunate in having gone through Riverview's training and realised that all had much to live up to. He hoped that in the year now opening, the Union would be able to enlarge its activities.



HEDLEY KELLY.
Hon. Secretary, O.I.U.

On the motion of Mr. B. L. Nowland seconded by Mr. M. Desmarchelier, *Mr. Hedley Kelly* was unanimously elected Hon. Secretary. Mr. Nowland who was seconded by Mr. L. P. Raper also proposed *Mr. V. C. (Bill) Davis* as Hon. Treasurer. He too was unanimously elected, there being no further nominations. *Mr. Jon North*, proposed by Mr. M. Desmarchelier, seconded by Mr. P. Prior was again elected to the position of Assistant Hon. Secretary.

While voting for the new Committee was in progress, Mr. Mark McAlary thanked Messrs.

C. J. Bryant and C. O'Dea for their remarks concerning himself. He had, he said, thoroughly enjoyed his year of office, and appreciated fully the support he had received from the Rector and Community and from the O.I.U. Committee. This support and encouragement had assured the success of the year's functions which, he thought, had been very marked. He gave some figures showing the result of his appeal for the O.I.U. Bursary. The result, while in some respects successful — in gathering in over £600 — could be much improved and he commended the appeal to all the Boys.

(Voting for the Committee resulted as stated at the beginning of these notes.)

V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. congratulated the retiring President on the work he had done during 1955. He was easy to work with and most self-sacrificing. He had the highest admiration for the activity and splendid work of Mark McAlary. He also paid a high tribute to the work of the retiring Hon. Secretary (Marc Desmarchelier), the Hon Treasurer (Kevin Slocum) and Assistant Hon. Secretary (Jon North) as well as to the Executive, who had all done their utmost to forward the interests of the Union and the School. He appealed for greater support and larger attendance at the Mass for deceased Old Boys and the annual Retreat and asked those present to arouse in boys just leaving School a lively interest in the Union. He thanked Mark McAlary for his congratulations and welcomed Cecil O'Dea who, he said, would be a great credit to the Union and to Riverview, wishing him the fullest success during his year of office.

Mr. Garry Scarf was thanked for his proposal for a Riverview Old Boys' tie and for the samples he supplied.

Mr. Jon North spoke briefly of the activities of the Riverview Younger Set who had done much during the year to help the Union and whose own functions had proved successful socially and financially under the Presidency of Miss Margaret Reed.

The meeting then ended — at least officially. (What time the lights went out, we don't know!)

At a subsequent Executive meeting, the Union programme for the year was drawn up as follows:—

Sunday, 26th February: Cricket.
Wednesday, 14th March: College Swimming Carnival, Spit Baths.
Saturday, 24th March: College Regatta.
Saturday, 7th April: G.P.S. Regatta.
Wednesday, 25th April: Anzac Day Mass and Ceremony at College.
Sunday, 13th May: Golf and Dinner.
Sunday, 3rd June: Football.
Saturday, 11th August: Ball.
Sunday, 19th August: Retreat.
Saturday, 15th September: Indian Bazaar — Riverview.
Saturday, 11th August: School Athletics.
Saturday, 13th October: G.P.S. Athletics.
Sunday, 28th October: Back to Riverview Day and Mass for Deceased Old Boys, Riverview Chapel.
Thursday, 6th December: Break-Up.

CRICKET

The annual match between an O.I.U. team and the School, took place at Riverview on February 26th.

The Old Boys' team was not quite as strong as usual and their total score was 85. For River-



V. C. (BILL) DAVIS.
Hon. Treasurer, O.I.U.

view Peter Burt and Jim Lenehan "did most damage" with the ball, Peter getting 4 wickets for 19 runs and Jim 2 for 9. For the Old Boys, Van Doherty scored 27 n.o., Phil McManis 19 and Michael Foley 17. These were the only double figures.

The batting of the home team was rather exhilarating. Michael Hardie retired at 53 n.o., Paul Sheridan at 27 n.o., B. Stevenson at 33 n.o., Jim Lenehan (17), W. O. Maher 12 n.o., and Peter Burt 11, were the other double figures. The School team made 187. For the Old Boys, Michael Foley got 3 wickets. The light was too bad for us to secure a photo of the O.I.U. team. Fielding on each side was keen and accurate.

G.P.S. OLD BOYS' BOWLS

This annual tournament which seems to be growing in popularity was carried out late in 1955 and concluded in April, 1956. Mr. J. O. Stenmark who organises the Riverview Old Boys' teams sends us the following results:

S.I.C. v.:—

S.H.S.: Won: 32-14.
N.C.: Won: 30-24.
S.G.S.: Won: 36-15.
S.J.C.: Won: 23-15.
S.C.E.G.S.: Won: 29-23.
S.J.C.: Draw.
S.G.S.: Walk-over.
N.C.: Won: 30-14.
T.K.S.: *Lost:* 26-29.
T.A.S.: Won: 36.9.

Paul de Lepervanche, John McDermott, Vic. Quarrell and Ossie Stenmark (Skip.) composed the team mainly, but Vin Cunningham, Des Monahan, Tony Stenmark and Frank Hutchinson played in some games.

In May the Riverview Old Boys played Two Fours at the Annual G.P.S. Bowls Day at Manly, the following players participating:—

Jack Kelly, Austin Wilson, Vin. Cunningham, O. Stenmark, Arthur Kelly, Paul de Lepervanche, John McDermott and Vic. Quarrell. Riverview tied with S.H.S., S.C.E.G.S., S.J.C. and S.G.S. St. Joseph's beat us by a shot in the play-off and eventually won the day's play

In the 1956-1957 Competition S.I.C. Old Boys have two Fours: (1) Arthur Kelly, Paul de Lepervanche, Vic Quarrell, Ossie Stenmark (who are still undefeated) and (2) John Kelly, Des. Monahan, V. Cunningham and J. Hutchinson (who have lost one match to Shore).

As we go to press the 1956-1957 competition stands as follows:—

O. Stenmark's Four:

S.I.C. v. N.C.: Won: 23-14.
S.I.C. v. T.A.S.: Won: 21-14.
S.I.C. v. S.J.C.: Draw: (Rain).
S.I.C. v. N.C. II.: Won: 28-15.

J. Hutchinson's Four:

S.I.C. v. T.K.S.: Won: 22-21.
S.I.C. v. S.G.S.: Won: 21-17.
S.I.C. v. Shore II. Draw (rain).
S.I.C. v. Shore I.: Lost: 9-34.

St. Joseph's and St. Ignatius' are the only undefeated Fours: S.H.S. had a tie but no losses.

Old Boys interested in Bowls should get in touch with Mr. J. O. Stenmark. Tel.: UY 1605.

ANNUAL GOLF AND DINNER

The Annual O.I.U. Golf tournament took place at the local links on August 13th and though the morning was very fine, the number of Old Boys present was not very large — between thirty and forty. As the day wore on, conditions became very cold and bleak, culminating in the afternoon with rather heavy rain which obviously prevented many from coming. However, the golf-house authorities made things as pleasant as possible and provided a very satisfactory luncheon.

The continuous rain was responsible for many telephone messages of apology for inability to attend the annual Dinner in the evening. However, after Benediction in the College Chapel, something under 100 Old Boys were present in the Senior Dining Hall and the function proved a distinct success.

Mr. Cecil O'Dea (President of the O.I.U.), had with him, on the official table, the following:

V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J., Rector of Riverview; Sir Henry Manning, Dr. C. J. King, Messrs. C. J. Bryant, M. J. McGrath, Mark McAlary, L. and S. Raper, V. C. Davis, and Jon North.

Some late-comers helped to fill the empty places and as we looked down the Hall we could see but one small table unoccupied. Detailed lists of those present, however, were not available, though we were pleased to see some "hardy annuals" in the room — such as:—

Dr. A. T. Palmer Benbow, Dr. R. A. Gardner, Dr. E. H. Evans, Dr. Emmet McDermott, Dr. P. M. Curtis, Dr. J. Coyne and his brother, Bruce; Messrs. Alan Bridge, Hugh and John d'Apice, B. L. Nowland, D. and P. da Roza, M. Glasheen, R. J. O'Donnell, Maurice Casey, M. Desmarchelier, R. Davis, Don Pinnock, A. E. Wilson, G. Alagna, Ralph Larkins, Alan Oxenham and very many of more recent date.

We were particularly pleased to meet after an absence of 41 years, Victor ("Dally") Butler (13-14). We could add from memory, many other names, but the list would still be incomplete, so we prefer to call a halt.

Apologies were received from:—

Lance P. Kelly, R. E. O'Halloran, B. A. McBride, Harry Thomas, Dr. A. S. Johnson, J. P. Sullivan, Snr., J. W. Hayes, Dr. G. and P. McManis, Dr. C. F. Laidlaw, K. Greenaway, M. Haynes, J. Leese, Dr. G. H. McElhone, Tony Kelly, W. Conlon.

Our President, *Cecil O'Dea*, proposed the toast of the Rector and Community. He stressed the fact that Old Boys, having passed their school days at Riverview, remained attached to it all their lives and never wished to be divorced from the Jesuit influence that had marked their earlier years. One hundred per cent loyalty to the School and to their former Masters should be and was the characteristic mark of every Old Boy. On behalf of the past boys of the College he thanked the Jesuit Fathers for all they had done for them and for what they were now doing in so many cases, for their sons.



ANZAC DAY.
A group of Old Boys at the Cenotaph.
(Inset: Mr. Cecil O'Dea, President, lays a wreath).

V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview) replied and proposed the toast of the Old Boys' Union. He mentioned the success that had attended the Jubilee celebrations last year and was pleased to note the unfailing loyalty of Old Boys referred to by Cecil O'Dea. Field-Marshal Slim had asked him a propos of the various Honour Boards, if we had one erected to our great men of the past, but he thought too many boards would be required to do justice to them. General Chapman on Anzac Day had emphasised in his talk to the boys and visitors, the idea of leadership in every sphere of human activity. Father Wallace had no fear that Riverview Old Boys, whatever their profession or walk in life, would forget that the advantages they had had at School entailed an obligation to be prominent in things that really mattered and that Riverview expected them to be always men of high principle and loyal to their Catholic religion. They would thus be good advertisers of their old School.

V. C. ("Bill") Davis in reply to the Rector's toast of the Union, thanked him for his enlightening words. He was confident that splendid work was being done at Riverview. He agreed that leadership of the right sort was needed in these days and considered that Catholic men should take part in every sort of organisation and widen the effect of really Catholic life.

He took the opportunity of thanking Father Fitzgerald, S.J. and his staff for catering so satisfactorily for the Old Boys this evening. He also reminded those present of the coming annual O.I.U. Ball and urged them to ensure its success by attending it themselves and by encouraging other Old Boys to do likewise.

Sir Henry Manning supported "Bill" Davis and was grateful for the friendship of Old Boys. It would be difficult, he said, to find any other school superior to Riverview in loyalty and in character formation. He thanked the Jesuit Fathers for all they had done and are doing at the College and urged Old Boys to be men of high principle in all their activities. Sir Henry gave some amusing reminiscences and his speech was enthusiastically appreciated.

Alan Bridge, Q.C., gave the toast of "Our Alma Mater" (the School Magazine), stating that he considered it a strong link between all Old Boys and the School. Father McLoughlin, S.J., briefly replied.

Cecil O'Dea referred to the excellent work being done by the Riverview Younger Set, whose functions through the year were so successful and carried out in strict accordance with the wishes of His Eminence the Cardinal. He wished them continued success during this year under the Presidency of Miss Jane Raper.

Trophies won at the Golf Tournament that morning were then distributed by the President. The winners were:—

Handicap Score: A. Clouston.

First Nine Holes: C. Anderson.

Second Nine Holes: W. Quinn.

Poker Hand: Alan Bridge.

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice had been given that a special General Meeting would be held on this day for the purpose of considering and either passing or rejecting the following motions:—

(1) That the Constitution be amended so that a retiring President be eligible for re-election at the Annual General Meeting for a second consecutive term of office.

(2) That a President-Elect. be elected at each Annual General Meeting to commence office at the next Annual General Meeting.



THE OLD BOYS' FIFTEEN.

These motions were put and discussed at the end of the Dinner and aroused considerable interest. Much was said, for and against each motion and when "the air cleared" a vote was taken.

Motion No. 1 was rejected and Motion No. 2 was passed, each by a considerable majority.

Informal talks continued among Old Boys until a late hour and completed a very pleasant function.

FOOTBALL

The annual O.I.U. v. S.I.C. game was played at Riverview on June 3rd. It was slightly marred by intermittent rain but generally speaking proved very interesting.

Owing to injuries sustained in the match against Newington the previous day, the School team was without the services of M. Hardie, Lloyd Ryan, Bruce Stevenson and one or two others, but put up a good performance against a

fast-moving team of Old Boys, who also were limited in age and weight.

The Old Boys attacked early but J. Lenehan cleared well as did Peter Burt who played as full-back. Then the home backs moved fast and well. The ball went to J. Lewis on the wing and back to Jim Lenehan who scored. The kick failed: S.I.C. 3.

The Old Boys pressed hard now to our five yards line but a penalty kick relieved matters. J. Lenehan getting within a few yards of the O.I.U. line. The ball was very slippery, as was the ground. O.I.U. cleared but S.I.C. continued the pressure and P. Bradfield nearly scored.

The Old Boys now brought the ball to a few yards from our line but the wet ball spoiled their movement. Half-time: S.I.C. 3; O.I.U. 0. Upon the resumption the Old Boys again pressed hard to our line, but were well tackled.

P. Burt was handling and kicking well and J. Lenehan's long kicks down field were excellent. A free kick near the O.I.U. goal went astray but another, soon after, enabled the home backs to get going and J. Lenehan scored again for P. Burt to convert. S.I.C. 8. A forward rush by S.I.C. was successful and Peter Lenehan scored. Peter Burt converting. S.I.C. 13; O.I.U. 0.

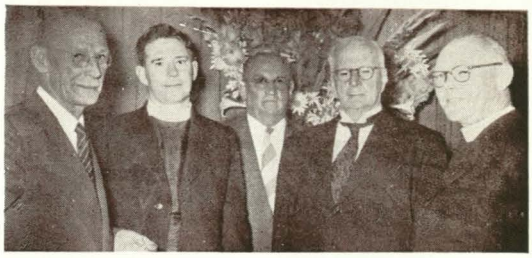
W. Odillo Maher now made much ground by his deceptive runs. The Old Boys played hard and neared the School line but did not score. For a scrum infringement by O.I.U., S.I.C. got another free kick which started a good passing rush, ending in another try by J. Lenehan. The kick failed and the match ended shortly afterwards with the scores unchanged: S.I.C. 16; O.I.U. 0. Paul Lippmann did an excellent job as referee. A very pleasant game viewed by many Old Boys and visitors despite the wet conditions.

THE ANNUAL BALL

The Annual Ball was held this year at the Empress Ballroom, Mark Foy's on August 11th. Good preliminary work had been done by the O.I.U. Executive and the Younger Set, and the function was most successful in every way. Parties were arranged by various Old Boys and the large Ballroom was crowded though not uncomfortably so. The Riverview flag hung from the orchestra dais and blue and white balloons decorated the tables.

Our President and his wife saw to the comfort of the official guests whose circular table was decorated by Mrs. O'Dea with a profusion of flowers and the Crests of the various schools represented.

The official guests received by Mr. and Mrs. O'Dea included:—



AT THE OLD BOYS' DINNER TO THE COMMUNITY.
L.R.: C. J. Bryant, Fr. Wallace, S.J., M. McAlary, Sir Henry Manning, Fr. M. Fitzgerald, S.J.

V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), V. Rev. J. Casey, S.J. (Rector of St. Aloysius' College), Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Ritchie (representing the G.P.S. Old Boys' Council), Mr. and Mrs. A. MacKintosh (Newington O.B.U.), Dr. and Mrs. Connelley (St. Joseph's College O.B.U.), Mr. and Mrs. Falk (Shore). Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Moore (Sydney Grammar), Mr. and Mrs. Callaway (Sydney High School), Mr. and Mrs. Brown (The Armidale School), Mr. and Mrs. Friend (The King's School), Mr. and Mrs. Munro (The Scots' College), Mr. and Mrs. D. Bergin (St. Aloysius' College).

During the evening Mr. O'Dea spoke a few words congratulating St. Joseph's College and the Marist Brothers on their 75th Anniversary this year and presented the President of the St. Joseph's Old Boys' Union with a football on which were inscribed the signatures of the Presidents of the G.P.S. Old Boys' Unions. Mr. O'Dea's thoughtful gesture was enthusiastically honoured by the assembled guests and Dr. Connelley (President S.J.C. O.B.U.) expressed his very sincere appreciation and thanks.

The thanks of the Union are extended to members of the Riverview Younger Set who did their annual splendid work in connection with the decoration of the ballroom and tables. We have rarely attended a happier and homelier function and we congratulate Mr. Cecil O'Dea, Mrs. O'Dea and the members of the Executive on this splendid success.

ANNUAL RETREAT

The annual O.I.U. Retreat was held at Riverview on Sunday, August 19th. Between thirty-six and forty Old Boys attended the lectures which were given by Fr. G. Drumm, S.J. and which were much appreciated. At the end of the Retreat, Mr. Cecil O'Dea (President, O.I.U), thanked Fr. Drumm for his helpful talks and hoped for an increased attendance at future Retreats.

OLD BOYS' REUNION IN BRISBANE

After a lapse of some 30 years, an Old Boys' gathering took place in Brisbane on August 16th, at the Bellevue Hotel, George St. Those present included, besides the President of the Union, Mr. Cecil O'Dea, who came from Sydney:

Fathers L. Harper, S.J. (26-28), Bernard Hosie, S.M. (36-40), H. Carroll, S.J., T. Johnston, S.J. (Rector of St.

Leo's University College), T. J. McLoughlin, S.J. (Riverview), Dr. A. Patterson, Dr. V. Byrne, Dr. W. Murray, Dr. Harold Power, Dr. B. Lipscomb (Murwillumbah), Dr. M. Eakin, Messrs. W. McDermott, H. Godsall, Francis McDermott (Lismore), W. O'Brien, Peter Weaver, T. Byrne, R. Byrne, W. Pendock, M. Pitt, A. Eakin, A. Perriman (St. Aloysius' College), H. Curnow (Xavier).

The President of the Union, *Mr. O'Dea*, brought good wishes from the O.I.U. Executive and congratulated Mr. W. McDermott who had taken great pains in organising this long-desired reunion. He spoke to the Queensland Old Boys of the work being done by the Union in Sydney and how active its members were in helping the College in many ways. It was some return they tried to make for what they owed the Jesuit Fathers and to show their appreciation of the education they had received at Riverview. Old Boys were, everywhere, loyal to their School and to one another. He also spoke of the recent successes of the School in Public Examinations and in sport. He hoped that such reunions as this would increase and multiply.

Mr. W. McDermott agreed with Mr. O'Dea as to the binding force of such reunions as this — bringing Old Boys together and renewing old memories. He then proposed the Toast of the School to which Fr. McLoughlin briefly replied, emphasising the importance of our Old Boys keeping together and remembering in practice the ideals put before them at Riverview.

Father T. Johnston, S.J., spoke of his time as Rector of Riverview, recalled the outstanding loyalty he received from all Old Boys and said that though his period in office had been short, Riverview had "gripped him" so that he had come to love every stone in it.

Dr. Vin Byrne was proud of the standing of Riverview Old Boys and their unswerving allegiance to their religion, which, he thought, was their outstanding quality. He paid a tribute to Mr. McDermott who had started what he hoped would be a series of such reunions in Brisbane.

Dr. Matt. Eakin went back over the years (15-19) and revived many old "adventures" in the Orange Groves (now extinct) and elsewhere at the School.

Mr. Michael Pitt (48-50) was deputed to give the Riverview representative a memento of the occasion — a memento, be it said of which the said representative will show only one side!!

Dr. Alec Patterson (15-17) in a few words, spoke of how lucky Old Boys were to have been to school at Riverview and how pleased they all were to renew old associations.

Father L. Harper, S.J. (26-28) now in charge of the Brisbane parish of Toowong, followed previous speakers in expressing his loyalty as an Old Boy, to his school and gave many anecdotes "tragic and otherwise" of his days as a boy in Riverview. He spoke feelingly of Father Lockington, S.J. to whom Riverview owed so much, and of Fathers W. O'Keeffe and R. Little, S.J., well known to past generations.

Mr. Curnow — an Old Boy of Xavier College (Melb.) agreed with the other speakers concerning the loyalty of Old Boys to their Schools and former Masters.

Mr. Bill O'Brien (46-52) rejoiced at the "Riverview atmosphere" that evening and said we needed more of such functions. He was followed by *Mr. Hal. Godsall* (17-21) who had a wealth of reminiscences in which Brother Doyle figured largely.

Father Bernard Hosie, S.M. (36-40), recently back from his studies in Rome, spoke of Riverview men who, he knew, lived up to the ideals put before them by the Jesuit Fathers. Riverview he regarded as a model School whose methods and activities could well be followed by others.

Dr. Harold Power (14-16) — ("Powder" for short) — revived many memories of Father Pigot, S.J., of observatory fame, and other Jesuits of his years. He sincerely hoped that such reunions as this would increase in number and attendance.

After a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. George Admans (54-55), Manager of the Bellevue Hotel, for the excellent arrangements he had made for the entertainment of Old Boys, the meeting gradually broke up. May we have many more like it.

THE ANNUAL O.I.U. DINNER AT YOUNG

Every reunion held so far at Young has been remarkably successful and enthusiastic. The gathering there this year, at the Royal Hotel, on August 22nd was not only up to standard but, in our opinion, surpassed any of its predecessors. The credit for this must go to the O.I.U. Vice-President for the district, Mr. Murray Bolger and Mrs. Bolger who have made every effort to get together as many Old Boys as possible and saw to the necessary hotel arrangements which were excellent. In this respect they received the fullest co-operation from Mrs. Lucas and the Staff of the Royal Hotel who decorated the dining room with the Riverview colours and the tables with a profusion of flowers. The dinner itself and the service were excellent and everything moved smoothly. We congratulate the management of the Hotel on helping so materially to the success of the evening.

Heavy rain during the day and a bitterly cold evening, during which there was even snow in

the surrounding district, prevented the attendance of some Old Boys who intended to be present. In some cases, creeks were up and roads impassable. Nevertheless the dining room was full and members had exclusive use of the hotel lounge where a big fire made all forget the wintry conditions outside.

Mr. Murray Bolger presided and among those present were:—

Rev. Father O'Connor, the acting Parish Priest; Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., from Riverview (who had been in the district for some days); Messrs. Mark McAlary (Senior Vice-President, O.I.U.), who came from Sydney; Garth Madden, Michael Quilter (Grenfell), Des Maroney, Deane Bowring, Mac. Little, Frank McGrath, Bill Bristow, John and Kevin Bryant, Jim and Brian Cusack, Bayley Payten, Geoff and Kevin Molloy (Forbes), Andrew Meagher (Cootamundra), Jack and Bob Parkman, Tom Corcoran (Binalong), Leon Garry (Binalong), John Garnsey, Murray Crowe (Yass), Richard Dwyer (representing St. Aloysius' College), Tony, John and Michael Bolger, Peter Morton Xavier College), Michael Daley (St. Stanislaus', Bathurst).

Last minute apologies (see above) were received from:—

Mr. Michael Meagher, Peter Meagher, Raleigh Smith, Alan Meagher, John Julian, Dr. John Quilter, Dr. Gardiner, J. Fowler, Joe Manning, George Little, Max Corcoran, Joe Alagna.

a bond of loyalty to Riverview and to one another. *Mr. Mark McAlary* thanked Mr. Bolger and spoke of the strong and active present-day Union which is equal to any in the State. He congratulated Murray Bolger and his wife on the success of this function — always lively, homely and enthusiastic at Young. *Mr. R. Dwyer* represented St. Aloysius College and proposed the toast of kindred unions of which some representatives were present besides himself. Let us all stick together, he said and make this Young reunion bigger and brighter each year. *Father O'Connor* in reply, reminded us that he is an Old Boy of Mungret College, S.J., Ireland and had always noticed the interest taken in their Old Boys by their Jesuit teachers. He was pleased to be present and welcomed all Jesuit Old Boys to Young. He congratulated Mr. Bolger on the success of this gathering.

Garth Madden finally proposed the toast of the Chairman, Mr. Bolger — which was enthusiastically honoured. Formalities then concluded but the "informalities" continued to a late hour. Garth Madden and Deane Bowring were still "going strong" when we left. You can't keep the good men down! Long may the Young reunion continue to flourish.



AT THE NEWCASTLE O.I.U. DINNER.
(Photo — N. Baker).

The President of the O.I.U., Mr. Cecil O'Dea, sent a telegram of good wishes and regretted that he was unable to be present.

Mr. Murray Bolger who suggested that speeches should be few and short — a suggestion very well received, incidentally — welcomed Father O'Connor, Fr. McLoughlin, S.J. and all the Old Boys, regretting that the severe weather conditions had kept many away. He read the list of apologies and asked *Garth Madden* to propose the toast of the College and the "Alma Mater". Garth did so in a humorous speech and was glad to say that Riverview boys were respected everywhere they went and carried high the name and reputation of the School. When Fr. McLoughlin had replied, *Mr. Bolger* proposed the toast of the Old Boys' Union. A good sign he said was that so many Old Boys are sending their sons to Riverview. At present there are 65 sons and 25 grandsons of Old Boys at the College. All Old Boys are willing and ready to help in any way they can, those who have been through the School, a fact which shows

NEWCASTLE OLD BOYS' REUNION

A very pleasant Reunion and Dinner held at the Great Northern Hotel, Newcastle on August 25th was due to the excellent work put in by Mr. Lance Hogg (38-42) who did everything possible to ensure the success of the gathering. Visitors from Sydney included:—

V. Rev. Fr. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), Rev. J. Dynon, S.J., Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., Mr. Cecil O'Dea (President, O.I.U.), Mr. Hedley Kelly (Hon. Sec., O.I.U.), Dr. C. J. King (Vice-President, O.I.U.), and Mr. W. Conlon. Others present were Messrs. B. Holland, P. Daniel, J. Williams, J. Curtis, B. Drinan, F. de Carvalho, J. Youll, B. Youll, J. Alexander, O. Alexander, L. Pierce, Dr. N. Morgan, M. Hodges, Dr. T. Anderson, N. Baker, T. O'Sullivan, C. Hawken, B. Smith (St. Aloysius' College), J. Moroney, J. Deppe, J. Lloyd-Jones, B. Fearon, W. Reid and some others whose names escaped us.

Last-minute apologies were received from:—

Dr. A. Liggins (Taree), F. Burke (Xavier College), Dr. W. Dalton (Griffith), Dr. W. Coyle, J. Mason, D. Rankin, C. O'Malley-Jones, and Tony Strain.

Neville Baker, called upon to propose the toast of the College was pleased to note the presence of Old Boys of so many different Riverview generations — all bearing the stamp of Jesuit education and all proud to hail from the same School to which they owed so much. He coupled the toast with that of the Founder of Riverview (Father Joseph Dalton) to whom the Union owed its existence.

V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J., in reply, quoted a certain writer who said that the Jesuits were an organisation which "taught absolutely nothing". Looking round on Old Boys at these various reunions he wondered if such a writer could be taken seriously, considering the large number of Riverview boys who were conspicuous in every walk of life. He was grateful to Neville Baker for his eulogy of Riverview and the Jesuit Order. We met here, he said, to pay tribute to St. Ignatius the Founder of the Order and the Fourth Centenary of whose death we celebrated this year. St. Ignatius determined to send forth an "elite" of men who would be leaders everywhere. The last four hundred years — down to our own day, had borne abundant fruit in this respect. From his first contact with Riverview, Fr. Wallace said he had been impressed by the spirit of friendliness that existed between Jesuit boys and their masters and by the loyalty to the School where they would always be welcome. (The Jesuit Fathers present then toasted the Old Boys.)

Mr. Lance Hogg welcomed the Sydney visitors and said that their presence added materially to the success of the reunion. He was especially glad to welcome the President of the Union (Mr. Cecil O'Dea), the Hon Secretary (Mr. H. Kelly), Dr. C. King and Mr. W. Conlon who are active members of the senior executive.

Mr. O'Dea said the Union was always glad to have some of its officials at these reunions, held outside Sydney, and congratulated Mr. Hogg on the success of this one. He then gave some details of the various activities of the Union in Sydney and of the help its members were endeavouring to give the College.

Mr. J. Williams, LL.B. spoke of the early days of the Society of Jesus and of the consistent vigor that characterised its members, down the years. Old Boys, he said, would never forget their ties to the Jesuit Fathers.



THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AT RIVERVIEW.
Left: A. Breslin and M. Hardie have a word with His Excellency. **Centre:** Sir William Slim cuts the "Jubilee Cake." **Right:** Alan Madden gets some advice.
(Photos — "Sydney Morning Herald.")

Mr. Hedley Kelly, as Hon. Secretary of the Union spoke of its activity and of how busy it kept him — a sure sign that the Committee is an active one. He reminded Old Boys of Back-to-Riverview Day, the Indian Mission Bazaar and asked them to try and make the annual Retreat a greater success.

Father Dynon, S.J. gave members some details concerning the Australian Jesuit Indian Mission and thanked them for the help they are giving it.

It was close to midnight before this meeting broke up —a meeting which will leave many pleasant memories. Once more, congratulations to Lance Hogg who did so much to make the reunion so successful.

THE WAGGA REUNION

One of the most successful reunions of the year was held at Wagga on September 29th and was attended by well over 40 Old Boys hailing from various districts. Mr. Jim Stenmark (36-42)

now a resident at Wagga was responsible for the arrangements and is to be congratulated on the result of his organisation.

Among those present were the following:—

Rev. J. Dynon, S.J. (X.C.), Messrs. Cecil O'Dea (President, O.I.U.), C. J. Bryant (Life Vice-President, O.I.U.), Maurice McGrath (Vice-President, O.I.U.), Max Glasheen, P. J. Bryant, Alan Lennon, T. Pfafflin, F. Gormley (S.A.C.), J. Scroope (S.A.C.), G. Morton, J. Mahon (X.C.), G. Brown (S.A.C.), Peter Meagher, Michael Meagher, C. J. Olliffe (Griffith), B. Parnell, J. McMeekin, Dr. F. Joseph, Messrs. L. and M. Gooden, D. Nolan (Corowa), J. Montgomery, K. Gorman (X.C.), P. Gorman (X.C.), Cecil Keen, R. Parkman, Peter Wall, B. Brennan, J. P. Ryan, P. Ryan, Lloyd Ryan, W. Higgins (X.C.), John Lenehan, Bill Lenehan, B. Cusack, J. Cusack, F. Rava, B. Murphy, R. Turner, F. Cruise.

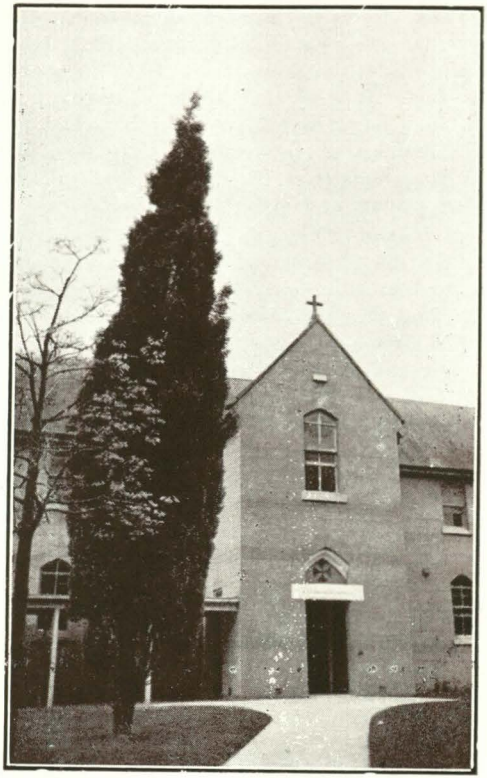
Last minute apologies were received from:—

His Lordship Dr. F. A. Henscke (Bishop of Wagga), V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., Rev. P. J. Stephenson, S.J. (Xavier), Messrs. W. Horsley, C. R. Taylor, F. J. Crowe, A. Hawe, R. Egan, D. W. Gorman, F. Slocum, G. Young, R. A. Cox, F. A. Lethbridge, Col. Walsh.

Mr. Jim Stenmark was in the Chair and having read the list of apologies introduced Father Dynon, S.J. in a short and witty speech interspersed with anecdotes of his own days at Riverview. He called on Father Dynon to say the prayer for the Pope and then asked Peter Bryant to propose the toast of Riverview. Peter spoke of the Riverview tradition which, he said, really dawned on him when he saw the sons and grandsons of Old Boys being photographed at the School and studied these photos in the College Magazine. This tradition, however, was not only developed in this way but also through the Rectors and Masters of Riverview. He referred to Riverview's "Grand Old Man," Father Gartlan, to the Old Boys who themselves had held the position of Rector and to Father Wallace, S.J., the present Rector, who, in previous years had been Sportsmaster and Prefect of Studies and who was well equipped to foster the spirit of the School.

Father Dynon, S.J., in reply, said that the spirit and tradition of which Peter had spoken and which united us all so closely was really founded in the fact that Jesuit education endeavoured to give to the boys of the various Colleges a true meaning of life. The result of that education was well illustrated by the present Captain of Riverview who, while shining in sporting activity was Prefect of the Senior Sodality, modest in his successes and a thoroughly religious boy.

Charlie Olliffe proposing the toast of the Union and the "Alma Mater" pointed out that these reunions were most essential in ensuring that the sons of Old Boys in the country would always remember their College and ensure too that their sons at Riverview would enable the balance of Country and City boys at the School to be maintained. With regard to the "Alma Mater". Old boys, he said, were indebted to it and to its Editor for the copious Old Boys' notes which enabled past students to keep permanently in touch with one another.



GENERATIONS HAVE PASSED THIS WAY.

Cecil O'Dea expressed his pleasure, as President of the Old Ignatians' Union, at being present at this important function. One aim of the Executive, he said, is to make sure, by encouraging the Country reunions, that the College, of which we are all so proud, would not only be kept alive within ourselves but would become known to others who, so far, had not been connected with the Jesuits or their Colleges. He also explained what the Executive is doing to help the College in very material ways.

Dr. Farmey Joseph welcomed the Old Boys of Xavier, and St. Aloysius' Colleges, who were present and said his toast was not confined to those two schools, but included all those who had attended a Jesuit College. He pointed out that Jesuit Education was the same everywhere and that this education is really education in its truest sense.

Frank Gormley replied on behalf of St. Aloysius' College and fully agreed that the bond which existed among Jesuit Old Boys was a real fact. He said that three of those present had two sons at Riverview and others had served their articles in Law under the one solicitor who was himself a St. Aloysius' Old Boy but whose managing clerk was from Riverview.

Pat Higgins (Xavier) supported the toast and thanked the Chairman for extending the invitation to him.

Michael Meagher proposed a vote of thanks to Jim Stenmark for the manner in which the reunion had been organised and for the excellent meal that had been provided. He said that what had impressed him was the wonderful sincerity shown in all the speeches. He laid emphasis on the fact that the College would be judged by the actions of its Old Boys and he especially asked everyone to give his Bishop and his Parish Priest all the support in his power.

The reunion did not by any means, end with the Dinner as may be supposed. On the Sunday morning too, after Mass there were several "minor reunions" as always happens on these occasions.

By general consent, this function was considered one of the best held to date.

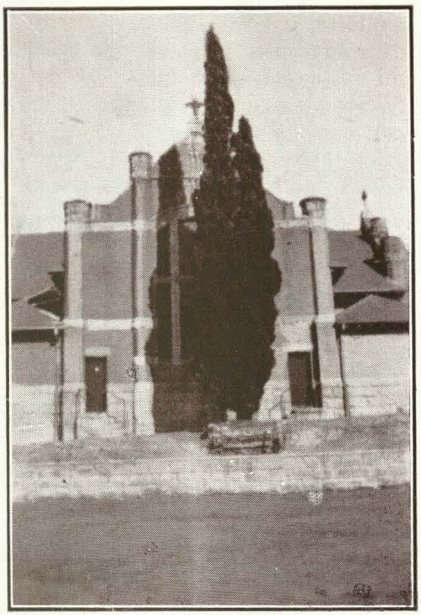
(It being absolutely impossible for us to attend this reunion — to our bitter regret, we may say — we should like to thank Mr. C. J. Bryant for supplying us with the foregoing details.—Editor, O.A.M.)

BACK TO RIVERVIEW DAY

This time-honoured fixture was held on Sunday, October 28th, and, by general consent, was voted the best of its kind within memory.

Mass for deceased Old Boys was said by Rev. Fr. Rector at 9 a.m. who read out the names of those who died during the year. Over 100 Old Boys attended the Mass and subsequently had breakfast together in the main Dining Hall. This was the largest number we have had at the School at such an early hour.

The President of the Union (Mr. Cecil O'Dea) welcomed the Old Boys, wished them a happy day and read a list of apologies which included: Cam. Robertson (Toowoomba), Dr. Bill Larkins (Katoomba), Dr. Harding Burns, Dr. George McElhone (Breeza), Bill Carrigan (Boomi), Michael Meagher (Cootamundra), J. G. Gorman, Jnr. (Queanbeyan), Michael Harrison (Aberdeen), Tim Harrison (Aberdeen), Sir Henry Manning, Jim McKay (Trangie), John Macken.



A SENTINEL.

He also read a telegram of good wishes from a former Captain of Riverview — Jack Davidson (84-92), who never forgets to greet Old Boys on this day from faraway Townsville. Cecil O'Dea spoke of the sustained loyalty of this great Old Boy whose message was received with loud applause.

After breakfast, no time was lost in commencing the two cricket matches, the swimming and the rowing contests.

The Old Boys fielded two strong cricket Elevens. Against the School First Eleven the O.I.U. batted solidly for a total of 187. The double-figure scorers were: M. Foley (51 retired), M. de Carvalho (34), S. A. Carroll (25), D. Le Lievre (29), P. Foley (19). Bowling for the School, W. O. Maher got 3 wickets for 32 runs, M. O'Dea 2 for 35, Jim Lenehan and P. Burt 1 each. The School Eleven replied with 240. The highest scorers were: M. Hardie (60), G. Meaney (25 retired), P. Sheridan (24), B. Stevenson (24), P. Burt (23), J. Lenehan (20), M. Johnson (16), P. Leckie (16), M. O'Dea (10). For the Old Boys, Bill Lenehan got 3 wickets for 32 runs; D. Le Lievre 3 for 14, I. Lees 1 for 32.

The School Eleven thus won by 53 runs. A very interesting game.

The "Second" Eleven played on Second Field, the Old Boys making 123 runs. The best score for them was made by Dave Nolan who was not out for 66. J. Drury (12), and L. Bannister (10), were next best. The School replied with 165, thus winning by 42 runs. Best scores were: J. Joyner (36), J. Grady (29, retired), P. Lenehan (24), and R. Flanery (12, retired).

In the meantime, there was activity on the river. The Old Boys' No. 1 crew was composed of: S. Raper, Sen. (Str.), R. McGrath, B. Seppelt, J. Hendriks (bow). The school crew rowing against them was:—J. Curchod, J. Deloughery, S. Raper (Jnr.), M. Munro. After a keen race (½ mile), the Old Boys won by 3 feet. The O.I.U. No. 2 crew was:—J. Dunford (Str.), P. Davis, G. Connolly, P. Makinson (bow). This crew won by a length from S.I.C. No. 2 (D. Keating, G. Hall, P. Kirby, J. Walker, E. Corcoran, Cox.).

The Old Boys enjoyed a satisfactory lunch laid in the First Division Library.

After lunch the two cricket teams continued their matches on their respective fields while at 2.30 p.m., Third Division boys of Grammar A and Grammar B Classes gave a bright display of physical culture exercises on Third Field. This was under the direction of our Physical Culture instructors from Bjelke-Petersen Bros. It was a bright, nimble performance and reflected great credit on both boys and instructors. The "O'Grady says . . ." competition was most interesting and was won by J. Deschamps. Many Old Boys present tried to emulate them but their referees were not as quick.

The "Scallies" cricket match (O.I.U. v. S.I.C. Rowers) then took place and lasted quite a long time. Old Boy muscles eventually "gave out" and before the end, their fielders were mostly represented by Third Division boys! As usual, the scores couldn't be found — and each side won!

Cecil O'Dea, W. Conlon, D. Pinnock, M. Glasheen, D. Burfitt and others were quickly at work at the Oval kiosk preparing the Barbecue. Mountains of sausages, chips, tomatoes and what-not were served to a long and hungry queue and everyone got as much as (or more than!) was good for him. This proved an excellent, popular and well-cooked meal and finished well in time for Benediction at 6.45 p.m.

The Chapel was filled to capacity by the Present and Past boys who joined in the singing of the Latin and the concluding hymn. Solemn Benediction was given by Fr. Rector and it was a pleasure to see old and young mingle, and participate in the well-known Chapel ceremony.

After Benediction, all repaired to the Memorial Hall for the Concert and Pictures. Items of various kinds were given by Old Boys. Outstanding were the "magic" of John McDermott (which mystified everyone), and the "Grand Opera" performance of Phil Prior and Lach Beckett.

Before the picture, Cecil O'Dea (President, O.I.U.) called Miss J. Raper (President, S.I.C. Younger Set) to the stage and announced that the Old Boys' Union wished to make a presentation to the School Captain — Jim Lenehan — to show the Old Boys' appreciation, not merely of Jim's sporting achievements, but very specially of his sportsmanship all round.

Jim briefly expressed his thanks for this unexpected gift and hoped that all boys leaving school this year, like himself, would make a point of joining the Old Boys' Union. The picture (Father Brown, Detective) was much appreciated and brought a really splendid day to an end.

It was very gratifying to see such a large number of Old Boys at the School. Practically every generation was represented, Mr. Bernie McBride (86-93) as usual, being first on the scene.

Great credit is due to the O.I.U. President, Hon. Secretary and Executive for their excellent organisation of this final Union function of the year.

OLD IGNATIANS' UNION.

Life Members, 1956 (to November 1st).

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MEMBERSHIP

Union membership fees are:—

Life Membership: £8/8/-.

Annual Membership: 15/- for those living within 25 miles of Sydney G.P.O.

10/- for those living more than 25 miles from Sydney G.P.O.

As the current expenses of the Union are met from the annual subscriptions, all Old Boys, especially those who have recently left the College, are urged to become financial members. By so doing, they can considerably help the Executive.

"OUR ALMA MATER"

Copies of the School Magazine may be obtained by applying to the Hon. Secretary, O.I.U., Box 386, G.P.O. or to the Editor, Riverview. The price is 10/6. Donations towards the cost of publication will be very welcome.

LISTS OF BOYS AT RIVERVIEW

Lists of boys who have attended Riverview since 1880 may be had for 1/-. Apply as above.

O.I.U. BURSARY

Each year the Old Ignatians' Union provides a Bursary available for sons of Old Boys. Information concerning the Bursary may be obtained from the Rector.

CAR BADGES

Car badges (the College Crest) may be obtained for 19/6 on application to Insignia Pty. Ltd., 123 Blues Point Road, McMahon's Point. (Box 90, P.O., North Sydney).

THE AUSTRALIAN JESUIT INDIAN MISSION

We are very grateful to the Old Boys for their growing interest and generous support of our Australian Indian Mission. In India there are many well known at Riverview — Father Lou Lachal, the Parish Priest of 60 villages in the valley of the Chechari. Father Kevin Grogan, Father E. O'Connor and Father L. Foster are at work in Hazaribagh and in the nearby jungle parishes. Hans Hendriks and Peter Nolan are studying in preparation for their priestly work, both Old Boys of Riverview.

Riverview Old Boys are now aware of the work in India and the men working there and are supporting them by their interest in the Indian Bazaar at Riverview College and by helping on other Indian Mission Projects. One Old Boy who asked that his name should not appear, organised a group of contemporaries and purchased for Father Lachal's travels through the jungle a much needed motor bike. This type of generous giving is an inspiration not only to the Missionaries in India but also to the Riverview Old Boys spread throughout Australia. We ask you to continue the good work and particularly by your prayers to play your part in spreading the Faith in India.

—J.D., S.J.



St. Ignatius' College Rowing Club

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Time-keeper: Mr. N. C. Pottie.

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Time-keeper: Mr. D. Keys.

J. McCaughey's Launch:
Umpire: Mr. V. H. Mossong.
Time-keeper: Mr. C. A. Davidson.

Broadcasting:
Messrs. G. C. Davies and R. Pedlingham.

Activity at the Shed during the season was well up to standard and the fact that Rowing this year was confined to boys of First and Second Divisions cleared the way for smoother work by the coaches and crews concerned.

From an early date the senior Eight and six Fours were on the water every afternoon and very hard training was put in by them all right up to the Riverview and G.P.S. Regattas.

It would be difficult to exaggerate our debt of thanks to the various coaches, to whom nothing was a trouble and whose enthusiasm certainly inspired the boys under their care. Messrs. J. B. Burrell, S. Raper, B. Adams, D. Baggett, H. Hamilton, Paul Ramsay and Mr. de Ritter (an old Cambridge oar) were with the crews every day and at each week-end. They could not have done more than they did with the material to hand and they have certainly earned our most sincere thanks. The Standard of Rowing is definitely rising and we look forward to more success in the near future.

THE 72nd ANNUAL RIVERVIEW REGATTA

This Regatta took place on the Lane Cove River on March 24th.

The programme was a long one. There were 35 races to be rowed between 2.00 p.m. and 5

p.m., and it speaks volumes for the smooth organization of Father Jones and his officials when we note that the last race finished at 5.08 p.m. Punctuality makes all the difference on an occasion like this and for years has been one of the main characteristics of this Regatta.

Father Jones and his Committee once more record their thanks to those in charge of the various launches; to Messrs. Peter Davis and Paul Ramsay who did fine work in despatching the crews from the Shed; to North Shore Grammar School who placed a launch at our disposal when one of ours had broken down; to Mr. and Mrs. L. O'Neil for their generous and practical help to our Club; to Mr. O. Ramsay who, as always, was ready to help when required; and to Mr. Joe Cummings who, in charge of the Rowing Shed, kept us afloat during the whole season.

A special word of appreciation is due also to the members of the Riverview Parents and Friends' Association who, during the afternoon supplied refreshments to a very large number of visitors in the special enclosure.

The public attendance at this Regatta was, if anything, larger than ever and seems to be growing year by year. The College grounds could not accommodate the cars which came and which, eventually had to be parked half-way up Tambourine Bay Road. It was a most successful and pleasant afternoon.

THE PROGRAMME

2.00 p.m. **Tub Fours (Fifth Fours)**

(Course: Tambourine Point to College Wharf).

Heat 1: [T.S.C.; S.C.E.G.S.; N.C. (II); S.I.C.; T.K.S.]

S.C.E.G.S., 1; T.K.S., 2; T.S.C., 3. 2½ lengths; 6 lengths.

Heat 2: [S.H.S.; N.C. (I); S.G.S.; S.J.C. Cranbrook].

S.H.S., 1; N.C., 2; Cranbrook, 3. ½ length; 4 feet.

Final: Newington, 1; Sydney High, 2; T.K.S. and Shore, 3. 1½ lengths; 2 lengths.

2.10 p.m.: **Youths' Regulation Fours (Third Fours).**

(Course: Three-quarters mile).

Heat 1: (N.C.; S.H.S.; T.S.C.; S.J.C.; Cranbrook).

S.J.C., 1; S.H.S., 2; T.S.C., 3. 3 feet; 3 feet.

Heat 2: (T.K.S.; S.G.S.; S.I.C.; S.C.E.G.S.)

S.C.E.G.S., 1; T.K.S., 2; S.I.C., 3. 3 lengths; ¾ length.

Final: S.C.E.G.S., 1; S.J.C., 2; S.H.S., 3. Time: 4 mins., 4 secs. 1¾ lengths; 2 lengths.

2.20 p.m.: **Club Championship: B Grade: Open Four Oars.**

(Course: Leaning Pile to College Wharf).

Black, 1; White, 2; Blue, 3. 3 lengths; 6 lengths.

2.25 p.m.: **Junior G.P.S. Eights.**

(Course: Half Mile).

Heat 1: (T.S.C.; S.J.C.; S.I.C.; T.K.S.; S.J.C. II.)

T.K.S., 1; S.J.C. (I), 2; S.J.C. (II), 3. Time: 2 mins., 45 secs.

Heat 2: (S.H.S.; N.C.; S.C.E.G.S.; S.G.S.)

S.C.E.G.S., 1; N.C., 2; S.H.S., 3. ½ length; ½ length. Time: 2 mins. 30 secs.

Final: Newington, 1; Shore and King's (dead-heat), 2. 1 length.

2.35 p.m.: **Tub Fours (Sixth Fours).**

(Course: Tambourine Point to College Wharf).

Heat 1: (S.C.E.G.S.; N.C. I; S.J.C.; S.G.S. II; T.K.S. II; T.K.S. I; Cranbrook II).

Cranbrook, 1; S.C.E.G.S., 2; N.C., 3. ¾ length; 1 length.

Heat 2: (S.I.C.; T.S.C.; S.C.E.G.S.; N.C.; S.G.S. I; Cranbrook I).

Cranbrook, 1; S.G.S., 2; N.C., 3. 3 feet; 3 lengths.

Final: Sydney Grammar, 1; Cranbrook (I) 2; Cranbrook (2), 3. 1 length; 1½ lengths.

2.45 p.m.: **Youths' Regulation Fours (Fourth Fours).**

(Course: Three-quarters Mile).

Heat 1 (S.J.C. I; T.S.C.; S.J.C. II; S.G.S.; T.K.S.)

T.K.S., 1; S.J.C., 2; T.S.C. and S.G.S., 3. 1½ lengths; 6 lengths.

Heat 2: (S.H.S.; S.I.C.; N.C.; S.C.E.G.S.; Cranbrook).

S.H.S., 1; N.C., 2; S.I.C., 3. 2 lengths; 1¼ lengths. Time: 4 mins., 19 secs.

Final: King's, 1; High, 2; St. Joseph's and Newington, 3. ¾ length; 1 length. Time: 3 mins., 46 secs.

2.55 p.m.: **Club Championship: C Grade. Open Four Oars.**

(Course: Leaning Pile to College Wharf).

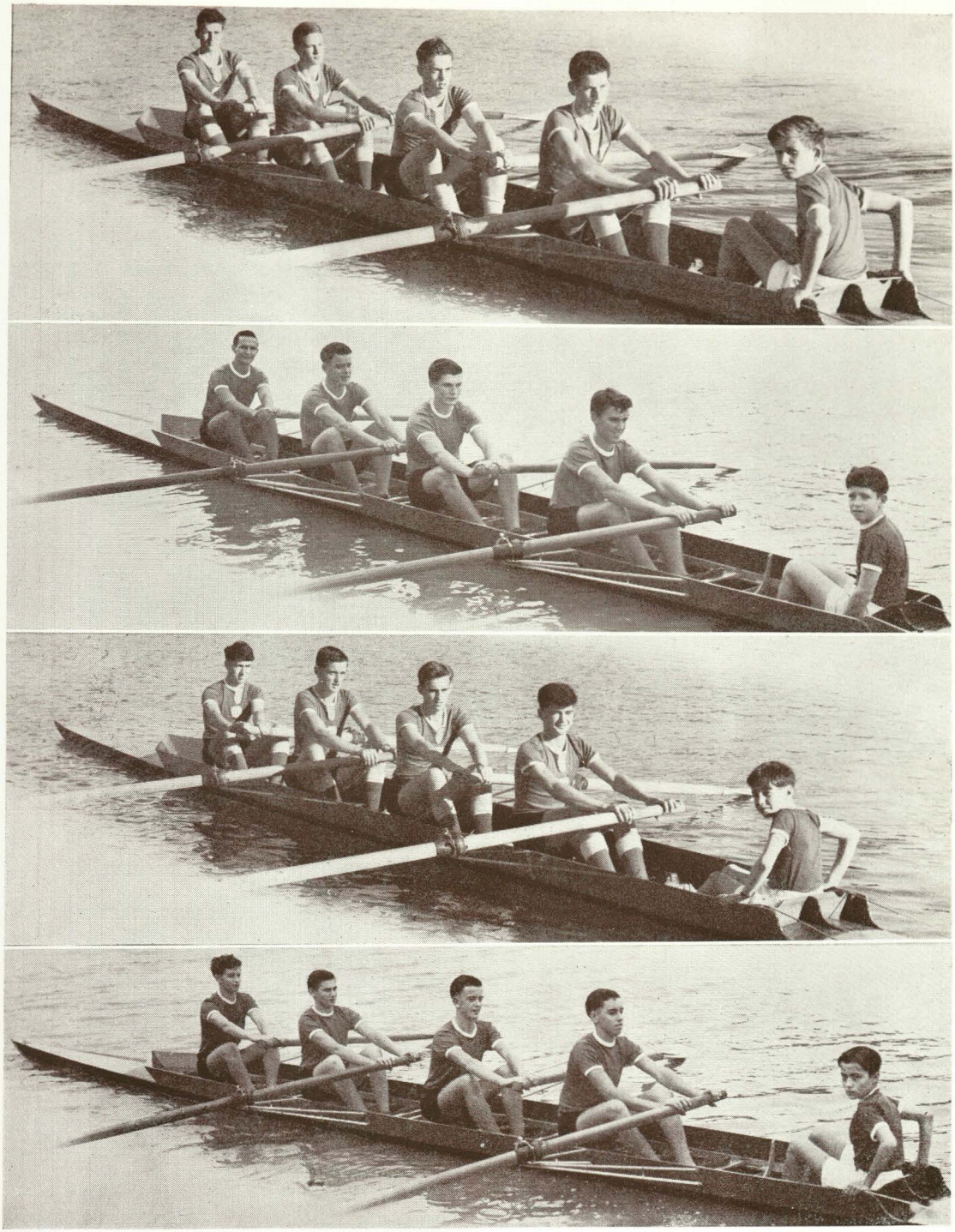
White, 1; Blue, 2; Black, 3. 1 length; 10 lengths.

3.00 p.m.: **Junior Fours.**

(Course: Riverview Mile).

Heat 1: (Mosman R.C.; Nepean R.C.; Haberfield R.C.; Balmain R.C.)

Nepean, 1; Balmain, 2; Haberfield, 3. 3 lengths; 2 lengths. Time: 5 mins. 50 secs.



ON THE RIVER.
(From the Top).

First Four: D. O'Dea, W. Ashley, M. Burfitt, D. Curchod (Str.), T. Barrett (Cox).
Second Four: R. Rose, R. Meagher, J. Dawson, J. Raper (Str.), P. Lubrano (Cox).
Third Four: M. Munro, P. O'Rourke, J. Deloughery, S. Raper (Str.), W. Hedger (Cox).
Fourth Four: R. Bruce, G. Leslie, J. Clements, R. O'Neil (Str.), D. Donovan (Cox)
(Photos — Melba Studios).



THE SENIOR EIGHT.
J. Renshaw, I. Ingleby, R. Wilkinson, M. Saddington, M. Ireland, C. Corser, D. McAlary, M. McGrath (Str.), A. Dynon (Cox).
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Heat 2: (North Shore R.C.; Sydney R.C.; Leichhardt R.C.)

Sydney, 1; Leichhardt, 2; N.S., 3. 1½ lengths. Time: 6 mins. 8 secs.

Final: Nepean, 1; Leichhardt, 2; Sydney, 3. 1¼ lengths; 1¼ lengths. Time: 5 mins. 38 4/5 secs.

3.10 p.m.: **Riverview Challenge Eights (Gold Cup).**
(Course: Riverview Mile).

Heat 1 (Sydney R.C.; Leichhardt R.C.; Mosman R.C. II; S.C.E.G.S.)

Mosman (II), 1; S.C.E.G.S., 2; Sydney R.C., 3. Canvas: 3 feet. Time: 4 mins. 58 secs.

Heat 2: (N.C.; S.I.C.; Mosman R.C. I; T.K.S.)

T.K.S., 1; Mosman, 2; S.I.C., 3. ¾ length; 1 length. Time: 5 mins. 0 3/5 secs.

Heat 3: (S.J.C.; Haberfield R.C.; S.G.S.; T.S.C.)

S.G.S., 1; T.S.C., 2; Haberfield, 3. 3 feet; ¾ length.

5.00 p.m.: **Final:** Sydney Grammar and Mosman (dead-heat), 1; The Scots' College, 3. Time: 4 mins. 56 secs.

(On Monday evening, March 26th, Sydney Grammar School and Mosman re-rowed the Riverview mile to decide the winner of the Gold Cup. After a most interesting race, **Mosman** won by three-quarters of a length).

3.30 p.m.: **Schools' Maiden Fours (Second Fours).**
(Course: Riverview Mile).

Heat 1: (S.H.S.; T.K.S.; S.C.E.G.S.; S.J.C.; Cranbrook).

S.J.C., 1; S.H.S., 2; S.C.E.G.S., 3. ¾ length; 1½ lengths. Time: 5 mins. 45 secs.

Heat 2: (S.G.S.; T.S.C.; N.C.; S.I.C.)

S.I.C., 1; N.C., 2; T.S.C., 3. 4 lengths; 3 lengths. Time: 5 mins. 43 secs.

Final: Sydney High, 1; St. Joseph's, 2; Newington, 3. 3 feet; 6 lengths. Time: 3 mins. 40 secs.

3.40 p.m.: **Schools' Maiden Fours (First Fours).**
(Course: Riverview Mile).

Heat 1: (T.S.C.; S.G.S.; Cranbrook; S.H.S.)

Cranbrook, 1; S.H.S., 2; T.S.C., 3. 3 lengths; 4 lengths. Time: 5 mins. 33 1/5 secs.

Heat 2: (S.C.E.G.S.; N.C.; S.I.C.; S.J.C.)

S.C.E.G.S., 1; S.J.C., 2; S.I.C., 3. Canvas; 3 lengths. Time: 5 mins. 35 secs.

Final: Cranbrook, 1; Shore, 2; St. Joseph's, 3. 1 length; 6 lengths. Time: 5 mins. 34 3/5 secs.

3.50 p.m.: **Club Maiden Fours.**

(Course: Riverview Mile).

Heat 1: (Haberfield R.C.; Mosman R.C.; Nth. Shore, R.C.; Haberfield R.C. II.)

North Shore, 1; Nepean, 2; Haberfield, 3. 2 feet; ½ length. Time: 5 mins. 44 3/5 secs.

Heat 2: (Haberfield R.C. III; North Shore R.C. II; Sydney R.C.; Mosman R.C. I; Drummoyne R.C.)

Sydney, 1; Mosman, 2; Haberfield, 3. 1½ lengths; 1 length. Time: 5 mins. 39 1/5 secs.

Final: Sydney, 1; Mosman, 2; North Shore, 3. ½ length; 1¾ lengths. Time: 5 mins. 48 secs.

4.25 p.m.: **Handicap Sculls.**

(Course: Riverview Mile).

[G. Lawson (Sydney: scr.); T. Tresider (Haberfield, 5 secs.); C. Seaberg (Leichhardt, 15 secs.; L. Foley (Mosman, 20 secs.); J. Tyler (Sydney, 20 secs.) ;W. K. Murray, Snr. (Nepean, 25 secs.)]

T. Tresider, 1; G. Lawson, 2; W. K. Murray, 3. 10 lengths; 20 lengths.

(From 4.30 p.m. until 5 p.m. the Finals of seven races were rowed, with results as mentioned under the heats on previous pages).



THE JUNIOR EIGHT.
J. Walker, D. Keating, J. Raftery, A. Clarke, D. Dempsey, G. Hall, P. Bookallil, D. Rowe (Str.), P. Magennis (Cox).

4.00 p.m.: **Exhibition Rows.**

Through the courtesy of the N.S.W. Rowing Association, the College Authorities were proud to present Exhibition Rows by N.S.W. Representative Crews and Sculler for Australian Championships, 1956, held at Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, May 5th, 1956.

Very Rev. Fr. Rector and Community joined with the boys and staff of the College, and all present, in extending to these oarsmen their best wishes for success in the inter-State Championship Races.

4.20 p.m.: **Club Championship: C. Grade. Junior Open Four Oars.**

(Course: Leaning Pile to College Wharf).

Blue, 1; White, 2; Black, 3. 1 length; 10 lengths.

The complete programme (35 races) was concluded at 5.08 p.m. — a fact which redounds to the credit of the officials who were responsible for the smooth running of events.

The Hon. Secretary and Committee of the Rowing Club wish to express their thanks to the following for their generous donations to the Regatta fund:—

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G.P.S. REGATTA

The G.P.S. Regatta was held at The Nepean River on April 7th and, as usual, attracted a public attendance of close on 30,000 people. It was favoured with perfect weather and the programme was completed with commendable punctuality.

Our first and second fours each rowed into third place, the latter missing second place by the narrow margin of 3 feet. The Eights provided a thrilling finish between St. Joseph's College and The King's School, St. Joseph's winning by 3 feet with 3 feet between King's and Shore, who were third. Our congratulations to St. Joseph's on their splendid win. Our own Eight, though no match for the winners, finished well up in the second bunch of crews.

Once again we record our thanks to Mrs. O'Dea (President) and members of the Parents and Friends' Association for looking after the lunches of the crews at Penrith.

A JUBILEE

To our Neighbours and Fellow-Workers Across the River—

THE MARIST BROTHERS AND BOYS OF
ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, HUNTERS HILL,

Riverview offers its Hearty Congratulations on the 75th Anniversary of a great College and adds its best wishes for continued success in the future.

Jesuit Colleges Overseas

THE COLLEGE OF THE HOLY CROSS

at Worcester, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

by

WILLIAM J. MACDONALD, M.D. ('04-'08)

A tourist, intent upon reaching New York City from the unrivalled but sedate city of Boston, can do so by several routes. He can go by the shore line and enjoy the maritime beauties of New Bedford, New Haven and many other ocean-kissed hamlets and towns. But, if he strikes inland towards Worcester which is thirty-three miles from Boston, he will inevitably, at one point, stop and gasp in astonishment. His vision will quite suddenly take in an immense cluster of very impressive buildings. If he should ask a passer-by to enlighten him and state their purpose, he will proudly be told "that is Holy Cross College".

There are two very large Jesuit colleges in New England. I would sooner call them Universities — which they really are, as the term is understood in Australia. In a previous contribution to "Our Alma Mater" I have detailed to the best of my ability the glories of Boston College — I now wish to introduce you to another large and impressive Jesuit seat of learning.

Holy Cross College and Boston College both boast of ex-students and students who, at the very drop of a pin, are ready to unsheath the sword and strike in defence of their own individual and particular Alma Mater. I remember well that Riverview and St. Joseph's College basically were, and I presume still are brothers under the skin. I also remember that any contest between the two, either upon the football field, the Parramatta river, or in the Great Hall of Sydney University, could and usually did become a very spirited affair.

This very same spirit of rivalry exists today right here in New England. A Holy Cross graduate will become apoplectic if you, in an unguarded moment, mistake him for an alumnus of Boston College. And vice versa. You might compare this rivalry to that which exists between Sydney and Melbourne.

Conceivably, some young Australian, fresh from his father's wool-sheds, might entertain the notion to pack up his bags, cross the ocean,



DR. WILLIAM MacDONALD ('04-08).

and land on the very doorstep of Holy Cross College. This might happen even with Riverview at his back door. To him I would address some pertinent remarks.

That which I call pertinent is of course the range of subjects offered to prospective students. This includes a compendium of variable courses which will eventually enable the student to graduate into one or more of the following liberal arts.

(a) Bachelor of Arts; (b) Bachelor of Science in Biology; (c) Bachelor of Science in Chemistry; (d) Bachelor of Science in Mathematics; (e) Bachelor of Science in Physics; (f) Bachelor

of Science in Business Administration; (g) Bachelor of Science in Social Sciences; (h) Bachelor of Science in History; (j) Bachelor of Science in Education.

You see, that is a very impressive programme. You will note that Medicine and Law do not come into this list of subjects. It is quite unnecessary because the city of Boston has three famous medical schools —Harvard, Tufts and Boston University. It also boasts of several establishments which have graduated men of law whose names are emblazoned on the pages of American history. As a matter of fact, Boston has a wealth of hospitals, art schools, and all manner of establishments devoted to higher education.

Holy Cross College is affiliated with every worth-while association, university, and society in the U.S.A.

I. Educational System.

In aims and methods, the system of education functioning at Holy Cross College is the one common to the 28 Colleges and Universities conducted by the Society of Jesus throughout the United States. The system is based on the famous Ratio Studiorum, a plan of studies evolved from the accumulated educational experiences of Jesuit pedagogues during the last four centuries. Loyally adherent to the traditional standards of liberal education, this system is flexible enough to allow for prudent readjustments and reasonable modifications in coping with current needs and problems in the educational field.

In upholding this integrated and systematic unit of education, Holy Cross College firmly believes that three ideals at least come to fruition.

(1) The enrichment of the student with a storehouse of knowledge;

(2) The sharpening of his scholastic acumen;

(3) A sound moral training of character.

It drills into its students the invaluable assets of accurate observation, keen discrimination, balanced perspectives and sound judgement. Its type of graduate enters life with a fine sense of cultural values. He will always be rich in his friendships. He will lead in every walk of life.

This breadth of educational vision provides, in the manner of a cornerstone, a course of subjects which is prescribed for all students. These subjects must be taken! Some colleges in this country permit the student to arrange his own educational palette. This freedom of choice makes no allowance for the natural premature and untrained powers of observation inherent in youth. The Jesuits will have none of it.

They say: "we have steered this barque of learning through many stormy educational seas. We know where you youngsters will founder. We aim to keep you afloat and bring you safely to anchorage. Therefore, you shall take certain subjects we prescribe. These are — the humanities, history, the natural sciences, mathematics, logic, psychology, ethics and religion."

Holy Cross, Boston College and all the other great Jesuit institutions of learning are certainly combating the forces of evil, irreligion and political chicanery to the utmost of their ability.

The value of this system of education — Ratio Studiorum, is that it underpins in a solid concrete manner the specialistic learnings of the student. One may well ask, can a skyscraper endure the assaults of winds and gales unless it is solidly locked deep below the surface of the earth?

A man may conceivably be a wool-classer, a trainer of thoroughbreds, or a brilliant surgeon. If he is any of these, he is a much better man if he has studied the principles of logic, several fields of science and has been intensively grounded in humanistic lore. This is a matter of plain common sense and has evolved from centuries of observation. That is why a Jesuit-trained man ranks superlatively high in the community. Remember that:—you young Australians who at this time play and study at Riverview College.

This system of education, as taught at all Jesuit colleges, inculcates the serious responsibility of religion into a man's daily life. If he is a surgeon, he prays before he takes up the scalpel. If he is a lawyer, he kneels before addressing the court. Should he be a soldier, he will make the sign of the cross before facing the enemy.

This system rests on the theory that men trained in the humanities, mathematics, the sciences, logic, psychology, ethics and religion develop correct and accurate reasoning powers. They are close observers. They are brilliant business men. Their judgement is sober, astute and sound.

I stress the importance of the system known as Ratio Studiorum. Upon that "Rock," have the

Jesuits here and elsewhere founded their astute and wise edifices of education. You have it at Riverview —modified somewhat I believe — but you do have it. I know. I spent 5 years at Riverview.

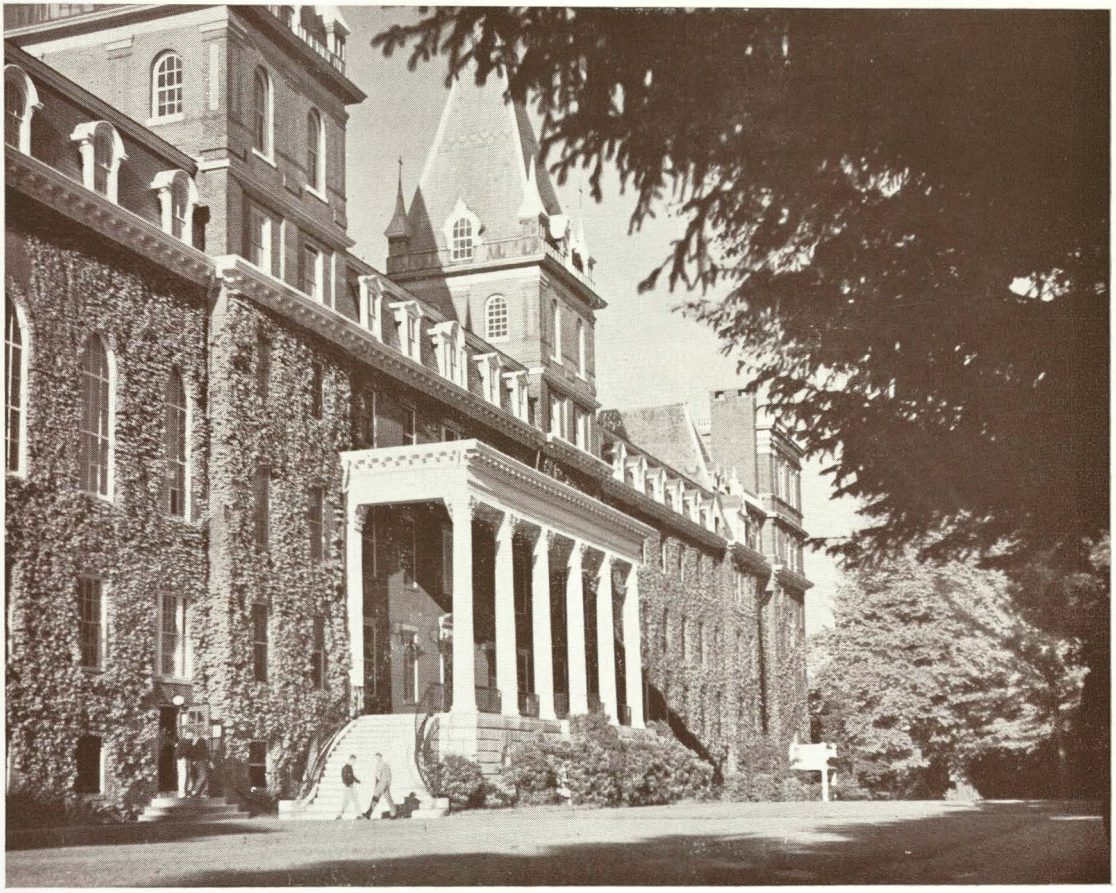
II. Religious Training.

Religious training at Holy Cross College is motivated by the undeniable truth that men cannot truly advance in knowledge unless they march under the banner of Christ. At Holy Cross College, intellectual development is wedded to religious instruction. This harmonious union implants a spirit of rectitude in the student. He never loses it. All through his life he is warned against a breach of ethics by the principles drilled into him at the College. Daily Mass is obligatory and one thousand students receive holy Communion each day.

There is a unique bonhomie at Holy Cross. Pupils and professors intermingle, discuss, fraternise, and come to know each other in a way you will not find in the average college of this country.

III. The College Buildings.

The College Campus of 163 acres is situated on the terraced slopes of Mount Saint James about 2 miles from the city of Worcester, Massachusetts.



HOLY CROSS COLLEGE: FENWICK HALL.

Holy Cross College was founded in 1843. Today it comprises the impressive total of twelve large buildings valued at five million dollars. That's a sizable sum of money isn't it? But no one can ever accuse the Jesuits of parsimony.

The College was founded by the Rt. Rev. Benedict Joseph Fenwick — second Bishop of



HOLY CROSS COLLEGE.
St. Joseph's Memorial Chapel as seen from Fenwick Hall.

Boston. The oldest of the college buildings — Fenwick Hall — does honour to his memory.

The various buildings you will encounter on the College campus are as follows:—

(1) *Renwick Hall* (housing various departments of administration); (2) *O'Kane Hall* (Departments of Chemistry and a spacious assembly hall with well equipped stage); (3) *Alumn Hall* (Practically all the sciences are studied here); (4) *Beaver Hall* (Mostly a dormitory); (5) *Carlin Hall* (Classrooms and residence facilities for Junior Class); (6) *Wheeler Hall* (Freshman and Sophomore Classes and four lecture halls); (7) *Lehy and Hanselman Halls* (Rooming accommodation for 350 members of the Senior Class. Sumptuous lounges for visitors in each); (8) *Dinant Library* (Italian Renaissance style of architecture); (9) *The Biology Building;* (10) *St. Joseph's Memorial Chapel* (Handsome colonnaded building remarkable for its purity of design); (11) *Kimball Hall* (Dining Hall; its kitchen caters for 1400 resident students; cafeteria, theatre, College bookstore, post-office); (12) *The Athletic Plant:* These three words crystallise the awe-inspiring assembly of tracks, courts, playing fields, baseball diamond, football gridiron, and intra-Mural Gymnasium.

Just in passing may I remark that any student who is unfortunate enough to secure under 60% at examinations is flunked!

It is somewhat pertinent to speak briefly about the cost of attending Holy Cross College.

Board and room costs 800 dollars a year. Beginning September, 1956 tuition will be 600 dollars per year. This is roughly equivalent to four dollars per day — and remember, for that outlay of money, the student is fed, boarded, taught and inculcated with all the wisdom and culture of the Jesuit tradition. In addition he participates in all student sport activities.

The Jesuit colleges exact less from their students than some other secular universities. The reason is clear; the professional staff works for God and Humanity and receives no pay!

It is quite evident that attendance at this or any other Jesuit college in the U.S.A. is a downright good investment.

VI. Publications.

Holy Cross College is rich in its literary achievements. I need only mention one—"The Holy Cross Purple". This monthly magazine is an outstanding publication. Of course you need not ask "is there a weekly publication?" There is! It is called "The Crusader." A newspaper of this character culls from the Boston papers the real meat of the news and skilfully blends with it a hundred and one items of strictly campus interest.

VII. The College Colours.

Holy Cross has reached into the evening shadows and plucked from its misty beauty the choicest of all colours — the "Royal Purple". Kings and Queens wear the purple; sunsets in Egypt go down in blazing red but reflect afar off the richest red purple. Holy Cross men love:—

"The fighting sheen of it,
Every thread of it
The Purple!"

VIII. Sports.

The Holy Cross football team is known to all and sundry as the "Crusaders". Most of the colleges in the U.S.A. dignify their football team with an appropriate name. American football is a tremendously specialized game. Each player has a job to do, and do it he must. You are

allowed to execute forward passes. These American footballers certainly are brilliant. I must confess I still think the lateral passing of Rugby football is more picturesque. I believe that Rugby is a more scintillating game. It is certainly faster and allows greater individual freedom for the player. American football, nevertheless, is brilliant, hard fought, rough and characterized by remarkable goal kicking and forward passes.

Holy Cross College has a good basketball team. I am not sure that Australians are quite aware of the fascination of this game. It has certainly gripped this country from coast to coast. Basketball is played here during the winter season, and naturally indoors, on account of the very cold weather.

Holy Cross College not only offers football and basketball to its students but it also dangles before their eyes the temptations of track, golf, swimming, tennis, baseball, hockey, yachting and bowling.

The Jesuit fathers encourage sports, but they refuse to be buffaloed into a god-like adoration of the "Hero" of the playing field. He is a cherished possession, but he is not at all indispensable. All American colleges acclaim with glee and take to their hearts any bright young Freshmen sparkplugs likely to add zest to their teams. Most American colleges, however, place brains before brawn.



HOLY CROSS COLLEGE
Kimball Dining Hall.



HOLY CROSS COLLEGE.
O'Kane Hall and Tower.

When Holy Cross and Boston College clash on the football field skin and hair fly in every direction. No favours given! No favours asked! Just hard clean rugged football. It is "The Game" up North in these New England States. Its only rival is the classic meeting between Harvard and Yale universities.

IX. The College Seal.
"In Hoc Signo Vinces"

Where are these words found? Upon the sainted seal of the College of the Holy Cross. These four dynamic words are written in gold upon the pages of a book which lies upon the Cross of Faith. This ensemble of heraldic symbols is emblazoned upon a shield whose quarterings are red and sable.

X. Finale.

And so — we finish! Now, Riverview men, when you journey to the U.S.A., do not make the

fatal error of missing New England, Boston, Boston College, Holy Cross — and to be fair and just, Harvard of immortal fame. You are welcome! Come along and see us. We welcome you. Goodbye.

OUT AT THE "HEIGHTS"

On May 29, 1956, the class of 1935 met at Alumnus Hall, Boston College, Mass. About eighty men met together in a very convivial spirit — which pleasant state flowered more luxuriantly as the evening wore on.

The guest of honour was Dr. William J. Macdonald, who graduated from Riverview back in the days before World War I. Bill Macdonald gravitated to Boston and has practised Dermatology in that city since 1921.

At the conclusion of the Dinner Dr. Macdonald addressed the audience. If they — the audience — knew little or nothing about Riverview prior to this address, they certainly know a lot now.

The speaker outlined the early days of Riverview, commencing with the foundation of the College in 1880 by Father Joseph Dalton, S.J. He laid emphasis on the higher type of graduate from a Jesuit college — be it Riverview or Boston College or any other college.

You worked at Riverview back in 1906 — or else! Remember Father Brennan's strap? Remember Father Tommy Walsh's eagle eye? And Father Little's pleasant, if slightly sardonic appraisal of the work you were supposed to do — and didn't

Dr. Macdonald glided over some of these facts to the evident amusement of the listeners. He laid stress on the beauty of Riverview standing majestically on its rock-embastioned eminence.

A good deal more was said regarding sports, class-work and the advisability for all Americans to visit Australia and Riverview — and see what a grand country is there. At all events, these brilliant men of the class of 1935, called from all walks of life, were very impressed by what they were told.

So, if Riverview sees some strange faces wandering around the grounds, don't be alarmed. They will probably be good and honoured citizens of U.S.A.!

—W.J.M.

NOEL.

Le ciel est noir, la terre est blanche;
Cloches, carillonnex gaîment!
Jésus est né; la Vierge penche
Sur lui son visage charmant.

Pas de courtines festonnées
Pour préserver l'enfant du froid;
Rien que les toiles d'araignées
Qui pendent des poutres du toit.

Il tremble sur la paille fraîche,
Ce cher petit enfant Jesus;
Et pour l'échauffer dans sa crêche
L'âne et le bœuf soufflent dessus.

La neige au chaume pend ses franges,
Mais sur le toit s'ouvre le ciel;
Et, tout en blanc, le chœur des anges
Chante aux bergers: "Noel! Noel!"

—Th. Gautier.

CHRISTMAS.

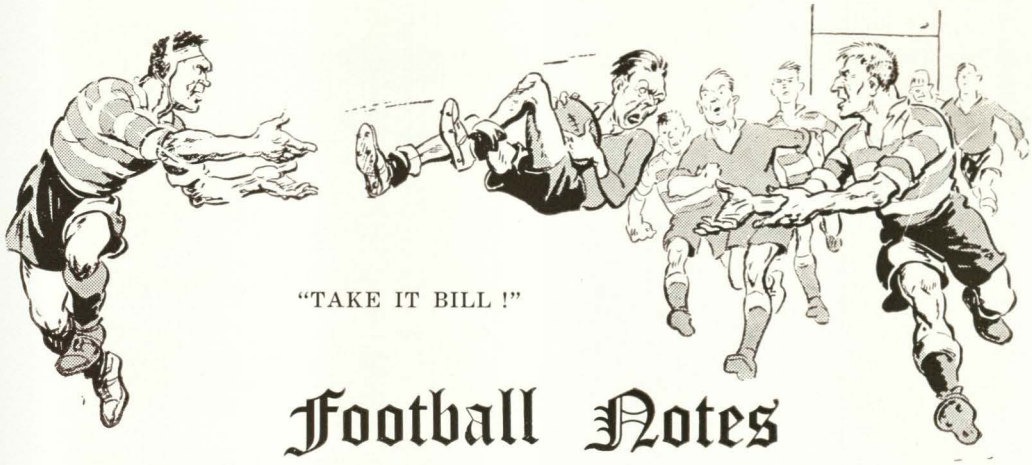
The sky is dark, the earth is white;
Ye joyful bells ring out the story!
Jesus is born; the Virgin bends
Over Him her face of glory.

Never a single guardian screen
To keep the withering wind aloof;
Nothing but spider-webs are seen
Hung on the beams that bear the roof.

He shivers in His misery there,
This new-born Jesus upon the hay;
But ass and ox their warm breath spare,
To drive the chilling gusts away.

Snow-sprays upon the poor thatch swing
But heavenly lights the sky adorn;
And, to the shepherds, angels sing:
"A saviour unto you is born."

—F.A.C., S.J.



"TAKE IT BILL !"

Football Notes

Nineteen fifty-six was a premiership year in that for the first time we won an official G.P.S. Football Competition. True it was only the Thirds (sorry, Thirds!), but they made history and well they deserved to do so with their hard, enthusiastic training, their team spirit, and their grim determination in the face of sometimes heavy odds, in matches played in the relative obscurity of Second Field and similar grounds. A special tribute to Mr. Kinnaird, their coach, to Michael Kavanaugh (C.), Rodger Austin (V.-C.), and to all the members of the team whose names and photos appear ahead in the magazine.

From the beginning of the year, there was high optimism about the prospects for the First XV. Jim Lenehan, Cress Corser, Bruce Stevenson, Bill Maher, Mick Hardie, Sam Hammond, Murray Ireland, all back, with Mick Saddington, "who would have been in last year," fit again, and some of last year's seconds also back. It was certain that the team would be at least good. Some, not so wisely, spoke of a premiership team: they were building castles in the air. We had some "stars," players among the best in the G.P.S., but with a few players short of a good fifteen there were weaknesses in our attack especially in the outside backs and, early in the season, gaps in our defence.

The accounts of matches tell the story of the season as it progressed: victories in all practice matches except one — and that a well deserved win by Newington, but by only three points; defeats in the first three competition matches by three points, two points, and five points, all, particularly the last two, close, thrilling games that were in doubt until the final whistle; victories again in the last four matches of the year during which our line was not crossed and the team played right up to the standards of 1955, finishing equal third in the competition.

By the end of the season, the forwards led by Cress Corser were undoubtedly the best pack that the college has fielded for many years: their ability to win the ball, their power to withstand sustained pressure and then to rally and to counter-attack, their cohesion and understanding in attack and in defence made them outstanding. Cress Corser himself was an inspiring leader, and his return to the pack after the first match (T.S.C.) after being out for seven weeks, revitalized it. He must be ranked among the best lock-forwards the College has had—and he was capable of playing a first-class game for the combined First XV as a left prop. Of last year's other veterans, Sam Hammond, after a slow start, became one of our most reliable players, not shining much, but always in the thick of it, in good condition, using his weight and his experience. Murray Ireland, powerful and vigorous, vastly improved as a footballer in all aspects of his play, and did yeoman service even after an ankle injury slowed him down. Lloyd Ryan's only weakness was a tendency to tackle high; but in his general play, especially in his alertness to relieve backs, to fill gaps, and to grasp opportunities he was first-class. The other breakaway was finally Bill Borthwick, after Charlie Regan and Bill Coyle had been tried and had played well but were shaded by Bill. Breaking the ice in the St. Joseph's game, he showed that in attack and in defence he was all we wanted and by the Grammar match he was playing grand football. Mick Saddington, left prop, was the pick of the tight players, utterly reliable in all situations, in scrums and rucks and line-outs, in attack and in defence, giving every bit he had and he had plenty. Mick proved the perfect support for Peter Lenehan whose ability as a hooker combined with his play in tight and loose won for this fine little



FIRST FIFTEEN.

Back (L.-R.): W. Borthwick, W. Maher, S. Hammond, M. McGrath, P. Haseler, M. Ireland.
Seated: J. Lewis, M. Saddington, B. Stevenson, J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (Vice-Capt.), M. Hardie, L. Ryan.
In Front: P. Lenehan, P. Sheridan.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

player a place in the combined First XV. It is safe to say that as a front row, he, Mick Saddington, and Murray Ireland were not bettered during the year. Maurice McGrath, youngest in the pack, won his place by his keenness and his self-sacrificing team spirit combined with ability in line-outs, loose play, rucks and scrums. He was the forward who probably improved most during the year and with more speed he should be an asset to us next season.

The wings were our weakness from the beginning and various players were tried until Paul Sheridan and Peter Haseler proved the best and by the end of the season were more than competent. Peter's defence and attacking power, his judgment and decisiveness improved enormously as a result of experience, keen determination and hard work, and he finally won a place in combined Thirds. "Sherry," an excellent half-back with all-round football ability, adapted himself well to the wing and his intelligent play resulted in a number of tries. Outside-centre was another problem, and after Jim Lenehan had been played there with Peter Burt at full-back, it was eventually decided that John ("Joe") Lewis should go to outside-centre and Jim back to his best position, full-back. "Joe" was to prove impenetrable in his defence and as he improved, became a match for any opponent in attack as well. At inside-centre, Mick Hardie with his hard determined running, his quick thinking, his swerve, his ability to kick with both feet, safe hands and relentless tackling was recognised as one of the best centres in the schools. In addition his goal-kicking was remarkable, making him a real match-winner—in fact he proved to be so even in the combined match when he kicked the combined seconds to victory in conditions that made goal-kicking almost impossible. Bill Maher at five-eighths began the season brilliantly, but became a marked man and faded somewhat until the defence's attention was diverted to Mick Hardie and Bill was again able to play with all his old dash. His defence during the season improved remarkably. The keystone of our inside trio that has served us so splendidly for two years was again Bruce Stevenson and again he deserved recognition as at least one of the best half-backs in the competition, being chosen as half for combined Seconds. He began slowly but after a few matches his passing, his smartness away from rucks and scrums, his intelligent variety of play, his rugged defence, and his ability to be there at the right time were better than ever and made him irreplaceable.

The inspiration of the team and the dominating influence in its match play was of course Jim Lenehan, Captain for the second year in his fourth year in the team, who must go down as one of the best footballers, and probably the best footballer, that has played for the College. This year his devastating defence was as strong as ever, but there was with it an extra coolness and judgment that had come with experience; besides, his ability to attack, to see the opportunity and to seize it, his power to lead and to direct and to inspire his team had all improved, and not many were surprised and the School felt justifiably proud to see him given the rare distinction of leading the Combined G.P.S. First XV for the second time.

The Seconds began the season well and looked like winning more matches than they would lose. Several among them played matches, practice or competition in the Firsts — Michael O'Dea, Bill Coyle, Charlie Regan, Peter Bradfield, Peter Burt, Geoff Meaney, Nick da Silva, Ed. Conrick, Bob Meagher — and they all continued to play good football; but the team faded in a couple of matches late in the second half after playing splendidly, especially in the forwards, against strong and heavy opposition. For the rest they played sound, attractive football and should provide some useful material for next year.

The Co-Premiership Thirds we have already referred to, and the prominent players you will see mentioned in weekly reports of matches. Waiting to step into the ranks were players in the Fourths, Fifths, the "mighty" Sixths and Sevenths, providing valuable training and enjoyable matches for most of those capable of donning football boots.

Again one cannot speak too highly of the enthusiasm and the keenness, the hard work and the ready co-operation of all players and especially of the three competitions' teams. Win or lose, they trained hard and played with a realization that there was more at stake than merely winning, and their spirit was reflected in their sportsmanship on and off the field.

Once more, we express our indebtedness and thanks to many who made the season so enjoyable: Mr. A. Roper for his invaluable help with the forwards who must have brought joy to his heart; Dr. Dick, for arranging for Mr. Roper to visit us from time to time; Mr. Kinnaird, successful coach of the Thirds and Fifths; Mr. Penry, S.J., inspiration of the Sixths and Sevenths; the Matron and the Turner Brothers of Bjelke-Peterson Pty. Ltd., for keeping the play-

ers on the field (how much we owe to those three); time-keepers Mr. Hedley Kelly and Mr. Griffith; the Ladies in the tuck-shop for their generous service and loyalty; Mr. Frank Fallon, the groundsman, referees, line-umpires, and ball-boys; all our supporters and friends who have been so good to us.

Congratulations to Brother Stephen and St. Joseph's on their Jubilee Premiership, to Newington College on winning the Seconds, and to The King's School who shared the Thirds.

Congratulations, too, to the winners of special awards for the First XV: College Honour Cap for Best Forward, Cress Corser; Best Back, Jim Lenehan.

N. O'Neill and G. Wootten Memorial Prize for Most Courageous Triers: Back, J. Lewis; Forward, P. Lenehan.

Brian Nowland Prize for Best and Fairest: M. Hardie.

(J. D.)

FIRST FIFTEEN.

TRIAL MATCHES.

S.I.C. v. S.G.S.

Our first trial match was with **Sydney Grammar** on April 14th and was played at Riverview. Grammar pressed us hard from the kick-off. There was some vigorous rucking and Grammar were unlucky not to cross. A penalty kick to them, however, enabled R. Perret to open the score. S.G.S., 3; S.I.C., 0. Our forwards combined better now and forged ahead. From a set scrum Bill Maher side-stepped his way through the defence and gave the ball to M. Hardie who scored and converted: S.I.C. 5; S.G.S. 3. We were winning most of the line-outs, scrums and loose rucks. J. Lenehan (full-back) coming up into the back line went through and scored for M. Hardie to convert. S.I.C., 10; S.G.S., 3. From the kick-off in the second half Bill Maher again was able to penetrate and J. Lenehan once more in support, got across for a second try which M. Hardie converted. S.I.C. 15; S.G.S. 3. Grammar, however, got moving and R. Perret, with clever play, went over for a try which was converted. S.I.C. 15; S.G.S. 8. The game ended with the scores unchanged.

It was a good practice game. J. Lenehan, Bill Maher and M. Hardie showed good form, with B. Stevenson solid behind the scrum. The forwards, somewhat out of condition, played hard, C. Corser, L. Ryan, M. Saddington and M. McGrath doing excellent work.

(H.K.)

S.I.C. v. S.C.E.G.S.

On April 21st, a typical football day, cold and sunny, we played our second trial match—with Shore this time. There was quite a large crowd of spectators present at this game. A re-arranged team, to give the "possibles" a trial, took the field for S.I.C., and attacked from the first whistle. W. Maher and P. Sheridan each cut through very well and sent J. Lenehan across for two tries. Both kicks failed. The forwards, not to be outdone, brought the ball down field and M. Ireland toeing it over the line scored a well-deserved try. Combining well with J. Lenehan, P. Haseler, on the wing, ran with determination and scored in the corner.

In the second half the game became rather scrappy and uninteresting but the Shore forwards spoiled many of our possible moves. We were without C. Corser (injured) for most of this half, but the other 'View forwards kept battling hard. J. Lenehan, W. O. Maher, P. Sheridan and B. Stevenson (half) were conspicuous backs. C. Corser, M. Ireland, L. Ryan and W. Borthwick (forwards) also showed good form. S.I.C., 12; Shore 3 (a penalty goal).

(H.K.)

S.I.C. v. T.S.C.

Three days after returning from the holidays we met Scots at Bellevue Hill and after a close game, both teams lacking, naturally, in "condition," we won: 17-13.

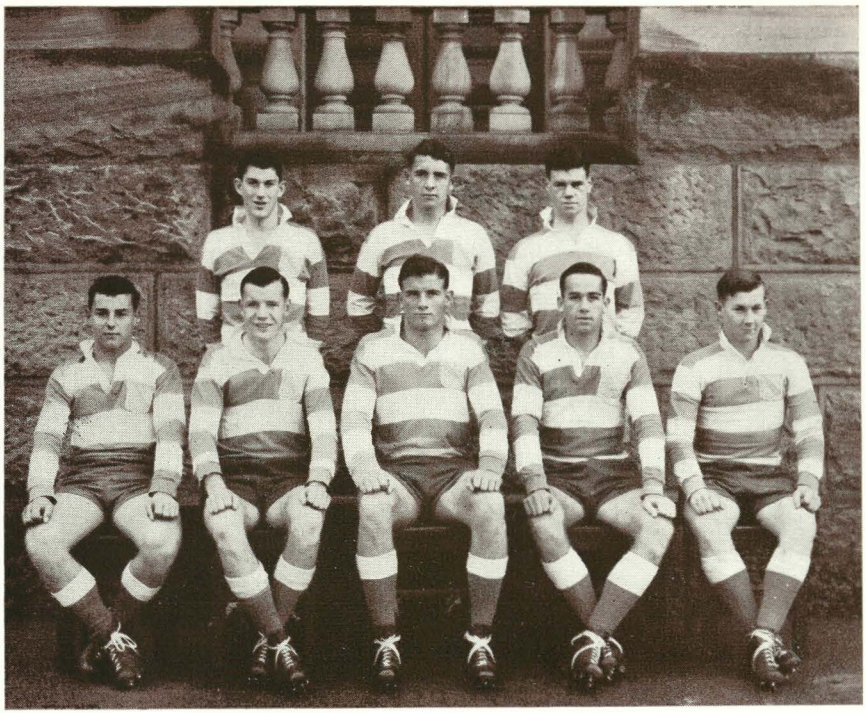
Scots kicked off and after a ruck on our twenty-five their half-back scored. The kick failed. T.S.C. 3; S.I.C. 0. Loose play followed and veered towards the T.S.C. line when P. Haseler secured and scored. T.S.C. 3; S.I.C. 3. The 'View backs got going but a bright intercept by a Scots' player resulted in a runaway try which was converted and T.S.C. led 8-3. Just before half-time J. Lenehan passed to M. Hardie who reversed to him, and he beat several opponents to score in the corner. The kick failed. T.S.C. 8; S.I.C. 6. J. Lenehan mishandled and a Scots' forward toeing through was illegally tackled which gave the oppositon a penalty try (converted). T.S.C. 13; S.I.C. 6. We were awarded a penalty. M. Hardie kicked an up-and-under and M. Ireland securing, passed to M. Saddington who scored between the posts. M. Hardie converted. T.S.C. 13; S.I.C. 11. Close to the final bell we were awarded another penalty and Hardie kicked a goal. S.I.C. 14; T.S.C. 13. From yet another penalty just on time, we added 3 more points bringing our score to 17. Our best forwards on the day were L. Ryan and M. Ire-

land and our best backs were B. Stevenson, M. Hardie and J. Lewis. (C. Corser).

S.I.C. v. N.C.

On June 2nd we met Newington at Riverview and lost: 6-9. For Riverview, M. Hardie kicked 2 excellent penalty goals. Newington scored 3 tries.

Play was hard and fast. An infringement by Newington enabled M. Hardie to kick a penalty goal from the ten yard line—his best kick this season. His second kick, from the side-line, was also a splendid one. From a forward rush before half-time, N.C. scored a try but the kick failed. S.I.C. 6; N.C. 3. Soon after half-time J. Lenehan got the backs moving at top speed and play became exciting. P. Bradfield on the wing, made a fine run before being tackled near the line. S. Hammond and M. Ireland in the forwards were unlucky not to register a try, the latter failing to fall on the ball. After about 20 minutes' play, N.C. scored in the corner, evening the score. S.I.C., 6; N.C., 6. The last quarter was perhaps the best part of the game. We were continually on the N.C. line but were unable to score. Once more N.C. secured possession and their outside centre crossed in the corner. N.C., 9; S.I.C., 6. These were the final scores. Peter Lenehan did a fine job as hooker and Lloyd Ryan made an excellent breakaway. M. Hardie was good in attack and defence and Bruce Stevenson (half) played his usual good game. Jim Lenehan's line kicking was also very sure. (C. Corser).



G.P.S. REPRESENTATIVES.
Back Row (L.-R.): W. O. Maher (G.P.S. III), P. Haseler (G.P.S. III), M. Hardie (G.P.S. II).
Seated: P. Lenehan (G.P.S. I), M. Saddington (G.P.S. II), J. Lenehan (G.P.S. I., Capt.), C. Corser (G.P.S. I), B. Stevenson (G.P.S. II).

COMPETITION MATCHES

June 16th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.S.C.**

Played at Riverview. Lost: 3-6.

S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), B. Stevenson, M. Saddington, N. da Silva, P. Lenehan, L. Ryan, G. Meaney, S. Hammond, C. Regan, M. Ireland, P. Sheridan, J. Lewis, W. Maher, M. Hardie, P. Burt.

The competition opened on a blustery day and Riverview ran with the wind, hoping to have a lead at half-time. Newcomers to first grade competition conditions were M. Saddington, P. Lenehan, N. da Silva, G. Meaney, C. Regan, in the

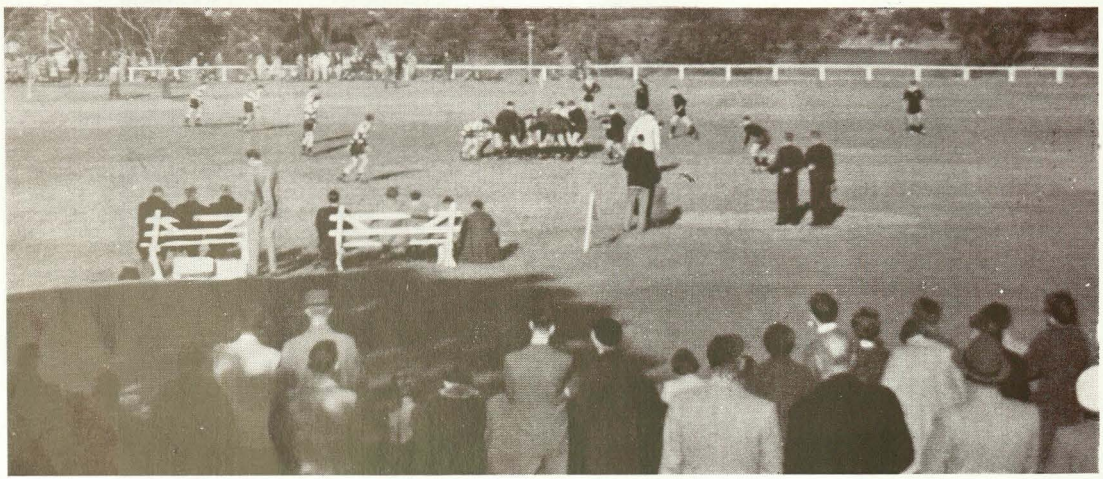
forwards, and in the backs, P. Burt, J. Lewis, P. Sheridan. Reshuffled, the back line was, from the scrum, B. Stevenson, P. Sheridan, W. Maher, J. Lenehan, with M. Hardie and J. Lewis on the wings, and P. Burt, full-back.

From the kick-off Scots, winning possession, moved into our territory for the first five or ten minutes, and were kept out only by hard, determined tackling. Riverview attacked from the Scots' twenty-five. Owing to the wind, play was ragged and loose but T.S.C. forwards were quicker and more alert. From a scrum on the twenty-five Jim Lenehan raced round in the five-eighth's position and a try seemed possible, but T.S.C. defence held firm. Inspired by Catchpole the half-back, who ran, kicked, dummied, passed and backed-up like a champion, Scots pushed us back to our twenty-five. Their forwards continued to win most of the ball. A long kick by J. Lenehan put us back on the attack but the half-time bell rang with the score nil all.

Our forwards improved considerably in the second half. M. Ireland, S. Hammond and G. Meaney were much smarter. Our backs handled and ran well when in possession and finally, Bill Maher snapped up a loose ball, sliced through, passed to Jim Lenehan who burst up-field with M. Hardie in support and scored ten or fifteen yards from the posts. The wind blew the kick aside. S.I.C., 3; T.S.C. 0. Scots now came strongly, determined to equalise. From a line-out, near our line, the ball went back to P. Burt, who, off balance, tried to find the line and put the ball into the arms of a Scots' centre and he made no mistake in scoring, but the kick failed. S.I.C., 3; T.S.C., 3.

We were soon on the defensive. From a scrum our breakaway raced off-side. Catchpole neatly drop-kicked a goal and Scots led 6-3. P. Sheridan was troubled with a knee injury and B. Stevenson suffered a concussion. We were winning more of the ball and moving hopefully up-field. The final bell rang with Scots driving us back, and winning a very even game because their forwards were faster and smarter.

Their skipper, Bennett, a fine forward, and Catchpole, their brilliant half-back, deserve congratulations on their play. For Riverview Jim Lenehan was outstanding in attack and defence.



A "COMP" MATCH IN FULL SWING.

W. Maher, M. Hardie and J. Lewis were also in fine form, sound defenders and dangerous attackers. Lloyd Ryan was probably the best of our forwards along with M. Saddington, P. Lenehan and S. Hammond.

—"Onlooker."

June 23rd: **S.I.C.** v. **T.K.S.**
Played at Riverview. Lost: 12-14.

S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (V.-C.), B. Stevenson, M. Ireland, M. Saddington, P. Lenehan, W. Coyle, L. Ryan, S. Hammond, M. McGrath, M. Hardie, W. Maher, J. Lewis, P. Sheridan, P. Burt.

This match was considered by most spectators to be one of the best and most exciting played on the Riverview ground for a long time.

In the pack, Maurice McGrath replaced Geoff Meaney and Bill Coyle was breakaway instead of Charlie Regan. Cress Corser, after being out

for six or seven weeks through injury, again led the forwards and his leadership meant much to them. He played lock and Murray Ireland replaced Nick da Silva in the front row. The back line was B. Stevenson, W. Maher, M. Hardie, J. Lenehan with J. Lewis and P. Sheridan on the wings. P. Burt was full-back.

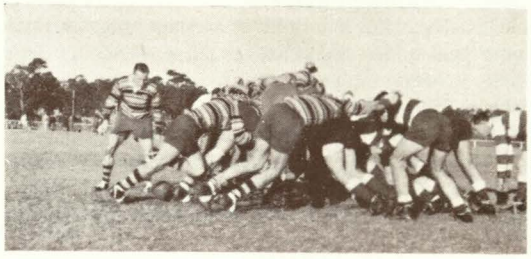
From the start Riverview looked dangerous, the forwards scrummaging and rucking brilliantly against a pack which was considered one of the best in the Competition. Jim Lenehan attempted a field goal but missed. From a ruck B. Stevenson sent a pass to W. Maher who short-kicked into King's twenty-five. M. Hardie and J. Lenehan following up, a score seemed possible, but the bounce beat them. A penalty was awarded to Riverview but M. Hardie accidentally kicked the ball off its mound. Another penalty, far out, enabled him to pull off a glorious kick which put us ahead, 3-0. King's forced play to our territory and a penalty to them enabled Symonds (T.K.S.) to even the scores. S.I.C., 3; T.K.S., 3.

Play was now very close. M. Hardie attempted another kick from thirty or forty yards out and the crowd roared as the ball went straight through. S.I.C., 6.

King's came again. About ten minutes from half-time, Blomfield did some fine side-stepping, beat the home defence and scored near the posts for Symonds to convert. T.K.S., 8; S.I.C., 6. J. Lenehan and M. Hardie each tried a drop-kick for goal from near half-way but each kick went wide by a narrow margin. A penalty kick to Riverview near the twenty-five enabled M. Hardie to increase our score to 9 but Symonds (T.K.S.) kicked another shortly afterwards and at half-time the score was T.K.S. 11; S.I.C. 9. This see-sawing of scores caused great excitement.

Early in the second half, our backs attacked and J. Lenehan looked certain to score, but slipped and King's cleared. It was vigorous, clean and exciting football. King's running offside gave M. Hardie another kick and the ball went straight through the middle. S.I.C., 12; T.K.S., 11.

King's attacked again, Riverview defending desperately and splendidly. The King's captain and half-back nearly got through but J. Lewis saved by a perfect tackle. A penalty kick near the five-yard line gave Symonds another chance and he made no mistake. T.K.S., 14; S.I.C., 12. Riverview came again. B. Stevenson, playing the game of his life, broke through several times as did M. Hardie and J. Lenehan sent a tremendous kick down field for touch, but King's had snatched victory.



S.I.C. v. S.J.C.

Congratulations to King's. Congratulations also to our own team of whom we were proud in their defeat. If there were any "best" in this great game, we should say that in the forwards they were C. Corser, M. Ireland, L. Ryan, M. McGrath and P. Lenehan (hooker). In the backs, B. Stevenson was outstanding, M. Hardie kicked superbly, J. Lenehan and J. Lewis were excellent in defence. (J.D.)

June 30th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.J.C.**
Played at Riverview. Lost: 8-13.

S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (V.-C.), B. Stevenson, L. Ryan, M. Ireland, M. Saddington, W. Borthwick, S. Hammond, M. McGrath, J. Lewis, M. Hardie, P. Haseler, P. Burt, P. Lenehan, W. Maher.

In our third Competition match we faced St. Joseph's with well-founded confidence. Although we had been defeated by Scots and King's the margins had been so low and our play of such good quality especially against King's that many gave us an excellent chance of defeating St. Joseph's. Again we just missed out, 5 points separating the scores.

The game began at a fast pace. In this half the S.J.C. forwards had the edge on ours. They rucked cleanly and fast and their backs moved beautifully. However, our defence was good, many strong attacks being stopped by fierce tackling. Conspicuous in defence were M. Hardie, J. Lenehan, J. Lewis, while P. Burt, then playing full-back, saved a certain try by bundling the speedy McCann into touch. However, the speed of the St. Joseph's boys and their willingness to toss the ball about, brought its reward when first McCann and then Quinlivan went over for tries (both converted by McCann). A well-judged penalty goal by M. Hardie (S.I.C.) and another try by McCann, saw the score 13-3 at half-time. Two other attempts by M. Hardie narrowly missed.

To be down 3-13 at half-time was not an enviable position for us, and even our most ardent supporters must have asked themselves by how much greater margin St. Joseph's would win. But the play of the Riverview team in this half surprised them. From the kick-off S.I.C. went into the attack. W. Maher and M. Hardie brought the ball to about 15 yards from the S.J.C. line. The forwards began to win the rucks and scrums and the backs showed much better penetration. Bill Maher reproduced some of his 1955 form and M. Hardie, playing great football in attack and defence, was twice unlucky not to score. J. Lenehan had now gone to full-back and J. Lewis came into the centres. Quick heeling by our forwards and a determined blind-side run of Bill Maher sent him over for our try—the only score by either side in the second half. M. Hardie brought up the extra points with a good kick. With the score 13-8 against us, forwards and backs strove hard to bridge the gap but St. Joseph's defence was too good and they well deserved their victory. However, it was heartening to see the determination of the home team against heavy odds and to the end. This type of football is worth watching and upon it are assessed the merits of a team.

Outstanding for Riverview were C. Corser (Vice-Capt.) who led the forwards well; M. Saddington, S. Hammond and M. Ireland in the rucks; Bill Borthwick, breakaway, M. McGrath, who shone in line-out work. B. Stevenson (half) showed excellent defence; W. Maher for his attacking play and M. Hardie who was splendid in both attack and defence. J. Lenehan (Capt.) and J. Lewis, as usual, were most dependable in defence.

Congratulations to St. Joseph's on a meritorious win.

July 7th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.C.E.G.S.**

Played at Northbridge. Won: 13-0.

S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (V.-C.), M. Hardie, B. Stevenson, M. Saddington, M. Ireland, L. Ryan, P. Lenehan, S. Hammond, M. McGrath, W. Borthwick, W. Maher, J. Lewis, P. Haseler, P. Sheridan.

We hoped for a win in this game but we were well aware that, in the forwards especially, play would be hard for Shore had been only narrowly defeated by St. Joseph's.



THE FIRST FIFTEEN TAKE THE FIELD FOR THE S.I.C. v. S.J.C. MATCH.
(Photo — P. O. Maher).

In our team P. Sheridan replaced P. Burt on the left wing, Jim Lenehan was at full-back and J. Lewis at outside centre. The centre of the ground was a mud-patch after heavy rain.

Shore kicked off and within a few minutes were awarded a penalty but the kick failed. Play went back to half-way. Bill Maher received a smart pass from B. Stevenson, cut through with M. Hardie who, receiving the pass, dummied well and scored between the posts. He then converted. S.I.C., 5; Shore, 0.

Peter Lenehan began to win most of the scrums, although Shore were better in the line-outs. The defence at outer-centre on each side was sound. J. Lewis tackled very solidly and gave his opposite number no room to move.

After Shore had missed with another penalty kick, B. Stevenson cleared twice with good line kicks. Shore came again but J. Lenehan found touch beyond half-way from behind his own goal line. An open side movement by Riverview —Stevenson, Maher, Hardie, Haseler, Lewis and Haseler into touch brought us near the Shore line. A short throw-in to M. Saddington went to C. Corser who scored. M. Hardie converted from the side-line with a wonderful kick, the ball scraping the bar as it dropped over. S.I.C., 10; Shore, 0. This was the half-time score.

Shore concentrated on forward play in the second half and only stout defence and good scrummaging, especially by M. Saddington, C. Corser, M. Ireland, S. Hammond, L. Ryan, P. Lenehan and W. Borthwick saved the day. Lloyd Ryan, M. Hardie, J. Lenehan, did some thrilling saves from close to our line. Shore received three penalties within kicking distance but preferred to storm by up-and-under. Our defence held them and tackling was fierce and effective.

M. Hardie burst through strongly, on to J. Lewis who made for the line but was pulled down. Shortly afterwards Riverview was awarded a penalty and M. Hardie put over a goal to definitely decide the result. S.I.C., 13; Shore, 0.

Our best players were again M. Hardie and B. Stevenson. W. Maher played with more dash, P. Haseler was the most improved. J. Lenehan at full-back kicked and tackled splendidly. The forwards did a splendid job against a big pack, Lloyd Ryan for his vigour and backing-up being about the best. P. Lenehan hooked very well and C. Corser inspired the pack all the time. A good, clean, vigorous game.

July 14th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.H.S.**
Played at Riverview. Won: 28-9.

S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (V.-C.), M. Hardie, B. Stevenson, L. Ryan, W. Maher, S. Hammond, M. Ireland, M. Saddington, W. Borthwick, P. Sheridan, P. Lenehan, P. Haseler, M. McGrath, J. Lewis.

This was our last game "at home" and the team was on its toes to do well. Rain during the week had interfered with training but on the Saturday conditions were ideal, the field being soft but not slippery. High kicked off and the Riverview backs went right into attack. A scrum, a ruck and a penalty to us enabled M. Hardie to land a beautiful goal from well out. Good passing and kicking brought us near the S.H.S. twenty-five when W. Maher passed to M. Hardie who broke through and scored. The kick failed. S.I.C., 6; S.H.S. 0. Our forwards were getting more than their share of the ball and the backs moved well. B. Stevenson to Maher, to Hardie, to Lewis, to Sheridan, who went for the corner with Jim Lenehan racing from full-back to receive a neat pass and score. M. Hardie put the ball straight through the posts and Riverview led 11-0.

High came again with great determination and had us in trouble. An off-side in front of the posts gave them a penalty kick which netted them a goal. S.I.C., 11; S.H.S., 3. This caused renewed effort on Riverview's part and play was forced into High territory, but several penalties set us back though Jim Lenehan saved with one of his mighty line-kicks. Riverview attacked once more. M. Hardie gathered a high ball, passed to J. Lewis, on to P. Haseler. It hit his elbow but was scooped up by J. Lenehan, again anticipating and backing up, and he went in to score. A good kick went wide. S.I.C., 14; S.H.S., 3.

High forwards were on top until half-time and were playing bright football, Riverview defending on their own line. A penalty to High gave them another goal. S.I.C., 14; S.H.S., 6. After half-time High forwards dominated play for about 10 minutes but Riverview again rallied and for the rest of the game showed their worth in line-outs, rucks and scrums. A High forward left the field with an injured shoulder. Riverview pressed to the S.H.S. line and after some loose play, P. Sheridan shot a pass in-field to Maher, to Hardie who, with J. Lewis and P. Haseler in support, dashed with determination and dived over for his second try. His kick for goal was good. S.I.C., 19; S.H.S., 6.

Our forwards got going very well now, P. Lenehan hooking splendidly and Maurice McGrath shining in the line-outs. High's defence however, kept us back. From a scrum near the High twenty-five Lloyd Ryan picked up, ran on the blind side, passed to C. Corser to score near the corner. The kick failed. S.I.C., 22; S.H.S., 6.

High now attacked vigorously. From loose play, Bill Maher flew down the side-line but was grassed by the full-back. Our forwards got going again, M. Saddington, S. Hammond, M. Ireland and W. Borthwick rucking like champions, until Cress Corser picked up a loose ball and went over for his second try. S.I.C., 25; S.H.S., 6. High were still in it, kicked ahead and being awarded yet another penalty, kicked their third goal. S.I.C., 25; S.H.S., 9.

Play was soon back in High territory and from a loose ruck B. Stevenson dashed around the blind side and dummied his way over the

line but a good kick by M. Hardie swung away. S.I.C., 28; S.H.S., 9. These were the final scores.

In this game the Riverview team gave its best display of constructive, attacking play, this year. The forwards, led by Cress Corser, played with dash, skill and determination. Maurice McGrath played his best game so far but no one should be omitted. The backs too were at their best, M. Hardie again outstanding. Jim Lenehan was in very attacking mood though handicapped by a sore thigh. Bill Maher was in dashing form. B. Stevenson (half) gave quick service and clever variety. P. Sheridan, J. Lewis and P. Haseler were sound and reliable — improving all the time.

—"Onlooker."

July 21st: **S.I.C.** v. **N.C.**

Played at Newington. Won: 17-9.

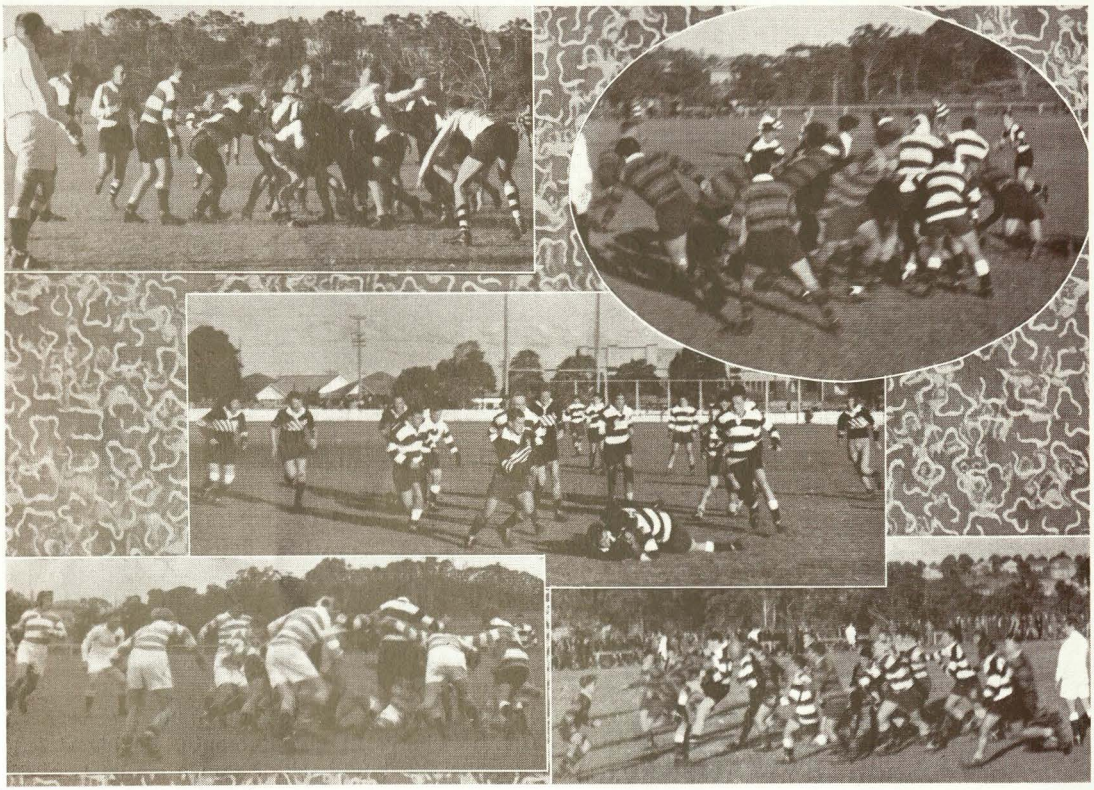
S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (V.-C.), B. Stevenson, M. Ireland, L. Ryan, M. Hardie, W. Maher, M. Saddington, P. Lenehan, M. McGrath, S. Hammond, P. Sheridan, P. Haseler, J. Lewis, W. Borthwick.

The team, unchanged, played Newington at Stanmore in ideal football weather.

Newington started with a speed and vigour which caught us unprepared, and rattled our backs, forcing us back during the first ten minutes. A penalty to N.C. enabled Treweek to put over a good goal from forty yards out. N.C., 3; S.I.C., 0. Newington continued to press but Jim Lenehan cleared several times with beautifully judged line kicks. Riverview now rallied and was soon on the attack. From a scrum we got the ball; Bill Maher passed to P. Sheridan, to Jim Lenehan (racing up on the outside) who scored a splendid try near the posts. M. Hardie converted. S.I.C., 5; N.C., 3.

Newington came back. Rucks were vigorous and there was good forward play on both sides. Newington missed with two penalty kicks and a long penalty kick by M. Hardie, for Riverview, hit the cross-bar and bounced back.

Riverview were presently awarded a penalty



SNAPS FROM VARIOUS COMPETITION MATCHES.
(Photos — P. O. Maher).

and M. Hardie kicked the goal. S.I.C., 8; N.C., 3. These were the half-time scores.

The Riverview team in the second half, played some of its best football this season. Newington played hard and kicked two more penalties and their fine forward, Trevallion, was close to scoring being stopped by Jim Lenehan a few yards from the line. Riverview however, was constantly on the attack and only N.C.'s stout defence kept the score down to 17-9. Bill Maher made an opening, passed to J. Lewis, to Peter Haseler who raced for the corner and dived over to score a grand try, inches from the touch-line. S.I.C., 11. It was now the turn of the forwards. Lloyd Ryan and Michael Saddington broke through, kicked ahead, followed up, beat the ael Saddington and Cress Corser as the best of a good lot.

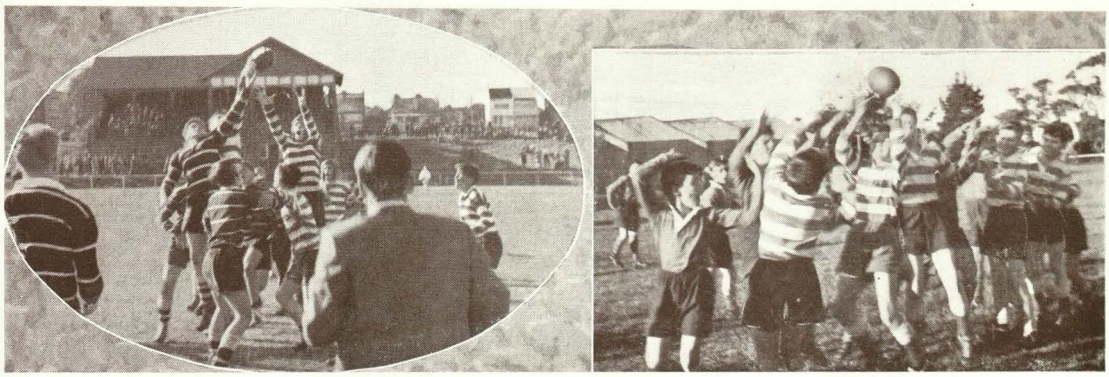
—"Satisfied Spectator."

July 28th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.G.S.**

Played at Weigall Ground. Won: 20-6.

S.I.C.: J. Lenehan (Capt.), C. Corser (V.-C.), B. Stevenson, P. Lenehan, M. Saddington, M. Hardie, W. Maher, L. Ryan, P. Haseler, M. Ireland, W. Borthwick, S. Hammond, J. Lewis, P. Sheridan, M. McGrath.

We boated to Rushcutters Bay to play Grammar in the final round. The team was unchanged, though on the Thursday and Friday we were concerned as to whether Jim Lenehan would lead the team in his final match for the School. Thanks to Dr. Breslin and the Matron



TWO JUNIOR MATCHES.

full-back for M. Saddington to score. The kick failed. S.I.C., 14; N.C., 3. Newington came again and were close to a score. Our forwards too, stormed the N.C. line and met with solid defence.

A back movement had the ball going from Bill Maher, to B. Stevenson, to Jim Lenehan, again coming up, but he was stopped by a fine tackle. Try as we did we could not cross again. M. Hardie, however, kicked another penalty goal which raised our points to 17 and two penalty goals by Newington raised theirs to 9. S.I.C., 17; N.C., 9.

The outstanding player of the day was Jim Lenehan, whose handling, kicking, running and tackling were faultless. Peter Haseler played a grand game in attack and defence. "Joe" Lewis, Bruce Stevenson, Paul Sheridan and Bill Maher did all that was asked of them. The forwards played remarkably well and it is difficult to select individuals. I suggest Sam Hammond, Mich- he was reported fit and went on to play a remarkably fine game as full-back.

Grammar kicked off and it was clear that they were going to make the game a hard one. They attacked and looked dangerous several times, but our cover defence functioned well. Riverview came in to attack, and Peter Lenehan hooking well play went to S.G.S. twenty-five. B. Stevenson passed to W. Maher, to Hardie, to J. Lewis, to P. Sheridan, who nearly scored. From a scrum near S.G.S. line, C. Corser passed to B. Stevenson who ran on the blind side and scored for M. Hardie to convert from the touch-line. S.I.C., 5; S.G.S., 0. Grammar now swept up to our line and J. Lenehan cleared back to half-way. A cross kick by Hardie had Grammar defending. C. Corser came with a brilliant burst, sold a real "Springbok" dummy, but was pulled down short of the line. Grammar retaliated and pressed hard. A penalty went a little wide and Jim Lenehan again cleared. Hardie missed a long

shot and the half-time score remained at 5-0 in Riverview's favour.

It was still anyone's game but slightly in Riverview's favour owing to Peter Lenehan's remarkable hooking. Within a few minutes after half-time, good passing and judicious kicking by Hardie and Bill Maher brought us up field. Jim Lenehan came up to receive from B. Stevenson. From a loose ruck Stevenson ran cleverly and scored untouched. The kick hit the upright. S.I.C., 8; S.G.S., 0. Cross-kicking and backing up had Grammar on the defence. Jim Lenehan flashed through outside P. Haseler and scored. S.I.C., 11; S.G.S., 0.

Grammar fought back and from a penalty near our twenty-five, opened their score. From a scrum, thirty yards out, B. Stevenson cut inside the breakaway, passed to W. Borthwick, to Sheridan, back to Borthwick, to M. Saddington, to P. Lenehan, to Corser — they were all there— back to Sheridan who scored. The kick missed. S.I.C., 14; S.G.S., 3.

Penalties held up the S.I.C. attack, but M. Hardie was given a chance near the five-yard line and did not miss. S.I.C. 17. B. Stevenson initiated another forward movement, running on the blind side and reversing. The movement died a few yards from the Grammar line, but it was great football.

Grammar attacked again and Campbell kicked a splendid penalty goal. W. Maher and M. Hardie made dashes along the side line but stepped into touch. Grammar was playing gamely and well. Another penalty to Riverview and M. Hardie neatly dropped a goal. S.I.C., 20; S.G.S., 6. Full-time.

Honours for the game must go to Cress Corser, lock and Vice-Captain. "The best exhibition of lock-forward play I have seen for some years," said one competent critic. High praise, too, to Peter Lenehan for winning so much of the ball, to Bill Borthwick for his backing-up and general play, to Michael Saddington and Sam Hammond for consistently good play. Bruce Stevenson played one of his best games this season and capped his wonderful service to the play and spirit of the team with two tries Jim Lenehan played the almost flawless game we have come to expect from him. Paul Sheridan's game too was his best. Peter Haseler, Bill Maher and Mick Hardie were also well up to standard.

Our thanks to Grammar for their usual generous hospitality and for a most enjoyable game.

—"Follower."

G.P.S. COMBINED FOOTBALL

The Combined G.P.S. games were played at the Sports Ground on August 4th.

In the G.P.S. First Fifteen our representatives were J. Lenehan (Captain), C. Corser and P. Lenehan. G.P.S. defeated Combined High Schools 17-0.

G.P.S. II played Hawkesbury Agricultural College and won, 14-3. S.I.C. representatives were M. Hardie, M. Saddington and B. Stevenson. M. Hardie kicked three penalty goals and converted a try.

G.P.S. III lost to Waverley College, 5-6. W. O. Maher and P. Haseler were the Riverview representatives.

SECOND FIFTEEN

TRIAL GAMES

We played our first inter-school game— against **Sydney Grammar** on April 14th and won, 17-6. Both teams lacked condition somewhat, but the game was a good one as it always is with Grammar. For Riverview, J. Grady scored 2 tries, M. Hammond and I. Ingleby 1 each. P. Burt played well at full-back kicking a penalty goal and converting a try. His line kicking too, was good and he handled safely. Our best players were J. Grady, P. Bradfield and P. Burt (backs), M. O'Dea, J. Tully and M. Darby (forwards). Our backs penetrated well in the second half.

(P. Sheridan).

On April 21st we met **Shore** and won: 19-6. For so early in the season, the standard of play on both sides was very high. Our backs, notably E. Conrick and B. Sydenham, combined smoothly and the forwards kept well on the ball. P. Lenehan, D. O'Dea and C. Regan were outstanding among the forwards. Our 2 tries were scored by I. Ingleby and B. Sydenham. P. Burt (full-back) converted both tries and kicked 3 penalty goals.

(W. J. Coyle).

We met **T.S.C.** on May 26th and lost 5-11. Each side played hard but in the later stages Scots gained the upper hand. E. Conrick scored our try which was converted by J. Dawson. Best players for 'View were: M. Darby, N. da Silva, J. Renshaw (forwards), J. Dawson, M. Hammond and J. Grady (backs).

(P. Sheridan).

June 2nd: v. **N.C.** Lost: 0-15. Lack of combination and fire among our forwards lost us valuable ground. The N.C. pack were hard to stop. With more practice our team should show bet-

ter form. The backs handled well. Our best players were J. Grady, G. Herbert, W. Coyle and J. Tully.

(J. Lewis).

COMPETITION

June 16th: v. **T.S.C.** Won: 14-9. Scots had the wind with them in the first half but at half-time we led, 6-3. The second half was most exciting. A forward rush gave Scots 3 points to even the scores. The pace was now "terrific." A loose ruck near Scots' line resulted in a try scored a try and Peter Haseler kicked a penalty goal. These two were our best backs and among our forwards C. Regan, Bill Borthwick and the two O'Deas were always conspicuous.

(A. O.)

June 30th: v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 6-16. E. Daley scored a try and K. Rennie kicked a penalty goal. The game was fairly fast. Our team played very well until about ten minutes before the end when S.J.C. scored three quick tries. Our best players today were J. Grady, E. Conrick, in the backs,



SECOND FIFTEEN.
Back Row (L.-R.): C. Regan, N. Silva, P. Bradfield, P. Burt.
2nd Row: I. Ingleby, D. McAlary, R. Meagher, W. Coyle, G. Meaney, E. Daley.
Seated: D. O'Dea, M. Darby, J. Grady, M. O'Dea (Capt.), E. Conrick, J. Tully, M. Hammond.

for us but Scots put over a penalty goal soon after. S.I.C., 9; T.S.C., 9. We fought back and P. Haseler went over for the winning try which M. Hammond converted. David O'Dea and J. Renshaw played vigorous football in the forwards. Among the backs E. Conrick (half) and J. Grady (full-back) were especially good. Tries for 'View were scored by P. Haseler, M. Hammond, W. Coyle and P. Bradfield. M. Hammond converted one. A splendid game.

(M. McGrath).

June 23rd: v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 6-16. A very fast-moving game. The teams were evenly matched though the opposing forwards had an advantage in weight. For Riverview, M. Hammond and in the forwards, D. O'Dea, M. O'Dea and C. Regan. (P. Sheridan).

July 7th: v. **Shore.** Lost: 6-11. Our scorers in a rather lifeless game and in wet conditions were G. Meaney and E. Daley—one try each. Our best players on the day were C. Regan, R. Meagher, J. Tully and E. Conrick. (M. O'D.)

July 14th: v. **S.H.S.** Lost: 3-5. For us, G. Meaney scored a try. Our weakness lay in the fact that we failed to stand up on the opponents. Our handling of passes too was below standard. E. Conrick (half) played a very good game. Our best forwards were J. Tully, M. Darby and C. Regan. (M. O'D.)

July 21st: v. **N.C.** Lost: 9-24. Despite the difference in scores, the team played well but were up against a team unbeaten so far. R. Meagher, M. Oates, M. Hammond and J. Grady were our best players.

(M. O'D.)

July 28th: v. **S.G.S.** Won: 9-3. The forwards "hopped in" from the start and this fact, together with good cover-defence, gave us our victory. The whole pack played well especially R. Meagher, D. O'Dea and N. Silva. John Grady was our best back. Tries were scored by E. Daley and P. Burt (who kicked a penalty goal). (M. O'D.)

gradually wore down the opposition. Our tries were scored by N. da Silva, M. Poirrier, A. Clarke and J. Quinn (who converted one and kicked a penalty goal). The team as a whole played well. A good vigorous game.

(R. Austin).

We met **Scots** on May 26th and lost 3-17. We rather lacked condition after the holidays and T.S.C. had a good team. Half-time score was 12-0 in their favour. We played better in the second half and R. Austin kicked a penalty goal. Scots added 5 points. Our best players were J. Tully, M. Kavanaugh and Paul Burfitt.

(R. B.)



THIRD FIFTEEN.
Back Row (L.-R.): J. Renshaw, B. Sydenham, P. O'Rourke, G. Herbert, A. Clark, W. Tisdale, B. Poirrier.
Seated: R. Payten, M. Green, P. Burfitt, M. Kavanaugh (Capt.), R. Austin, J. Raper, K. Rennie.
In Front: G. Ireland, P. Boland.

THIRD FIFTEEN

On April 14th we played a trial game with **Sydney Grammar** and lost, 0-12. We lacked condition and combination, so soon after the Rowing, but the team should develop well. Our best players were A. Hassall, M. Green and J. Renshaw.

(E. Daley).

On April 21st the match was with **Shore.** Riverview won: 17-14. Up to half-time the game was very keen and then the home forwards

June 2nd: v. **Newington.** Lost: 11-24. For 'View K. Rennie, T. Clarke and M. Kavanaugh scored tries one of which K. Rennie converted. Newington scored 3 tries (2 converted) in the first half. Just on half-time they brought their score to 16. We played much better in the second half. We nearly scored several times, but N.C. defence was too good. Our best players were M. Kavanaugh, K. Rennie, T. Clarke and I. Comrie-Thomson.

(R. Bramma).

COMPETITION

June 16th: The Competition began today and we met **Scots College.** After a splendid evenly-contested game, we won 6-3. The whole team played well, Ken Rennie being outstanding. He scored a try and kicked a penalty goal—our whole score. Greg Herbert was also much in the picture.

(M. Kavanaugh).

June 23rd: v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 5-20. King's proved too experienced for us and outplayed us. M. Poirrier scored our only try which K. Rennie converted. Our best players were K. Rennie and J. Tully. (M. K.)

June 30th: v. **S.J.C.** Won: 11-10. A very keenly contested game. The team all played very well and deserved their win. Tony Clarke scored our only try which was converted by R. Austin (who also kicked two penalty goals). Our best players were G. Herbert, A. Clarke and M. Green.

(M. K.)

July 7th: v. **S.C.E.G.S.** Won: 12-11 after a very close game. The backs moved well, M. Poirrier scoring 2 tries. Greg Herbert scored another before half-time, giving us a lead of 9-0. We slowed up then, Shore scoring 3 tries and converting one thus taking the lead. W. Tisdale saved the day by scoring a final try, giving us a narrow win of 12 points to 11.

(M. K.)

July 21st: v. **N.C.** Won: 13-6. The forwards played excellent football. The backs, while playing well, were not up to their usual standard. Rodger Austin was outstanding and scored all our points — 2 tries, 2 goals and a penalty goal. Bob Payten and Tony Clarke continually spoiled many promising N.C. moves.

(M. K.)

July 28th: v. **S.G.S.** Won: 9-3. A hard, rugged game. Paul Burfitt (full-back) with his solid tackling and safe clearances, played the best game of the day. The forwards combined well and gave the backs plenty of the ball. M. Kavanaugh scored a try and R. Austin kicked two penalty goals. The Third Fifteen ended the season equal first in their competition.

(M. K.)

SECOND DIVISION FOOTBALL

The football season is always a time of bliss to second divisioners and 1956 was certainly no exception. The enthusiasm of the boys and their readiness to train hard and play hard made a coach's task one of joy. Their efforts did not always meet with the success that they deserved yet win or lose nothing could dampen their ardour and they could always be relied upon to give of their best.

For the good of the football in the School it was decided to make the 4ths a combined 1st and 2nd Division team. This meant that the 4ths were in some positions considerably weakened but it is to the credit of the boys that they made no complaints. Again the change meant that such players as Ted Conrick and Mick Hammond were given a chance to prove their worth in the 2nds while John Raper and Warren Tisdale helped the 3rds cover themselves with glory by becoming co-premiers with The King's School. To such players as John Gallagher, whose courageous defence was a feature of every match in which he played, Greg Leslie, Michael Oates, Ian Smith, honest, hard-working forwards, Dan Gale, who as half, at times had a torrid time but never let his team down. Peter Leckie with his splendid handling and reliable boot, Simon Chapman with his steady defence as full-back, and to all those other players not mentioned but who did their part and did it well we offer our congratulations. Make no mistake about it, we will be hearing a lot more about some of them next year.

The under 15 Group produced more than their share of talent. What a pity so many of them are in 4th year. In a couple of years' time they should be more than holding their own in the First Fifteen.

The 15As was led by the half-back Brian Duck. He always gave a polished display and was absolutely fearless. His best match was against Newington when unknown to anyone he played half the match with a badly injured leg. Richard Day at five-eighth played brilliant football both in attack and defence in the early part of the season. If he did not shine in the last couple of games it was due to the fact that he was so closely marked by the opposition.

Dick Roberts struck form early and proved himself a match winner. His speed and penetration were remarkable. We are hoping for big things from him in years to come. He has all the equipment for an outstanding centre.

Pat Hanson was brought out of the forwards in an effort to strengthen the backs. However, he lost form and played a couple of games in the 15Bs. Peter White was moved up from the B's and while he always gave of his best was happier and played better football in the forwards. Pat was again brought back to the A's and as outside centre really shone. He has great courage and as a result is a superb tackler. In attack he is a hard and straight runner and

hence extremely difficult to pull down. His handling was the only blemish in his play. Only in 2nd Year, Pat's future as a footballer is very bright.

Terry Carver on the wing was the speediest man in the team. His pace made him the leading try-getter. Once he polishes up his defence he will be an excellent winger.

John Thorpe on the other wing both in defence and attack was for the most part faultless.

Sean Spence, our full-back, saved his side with his lovely line kicking on numerous occasions. Always good in attack his defence needs attention. The last match of the season saw a marked improvement in his tackling.

Among a good pack of forwards Michael Deloughery, the Vice-captain, stood out. His ability to rally the team when the pressure was on and turn defence into attack are rare virtues in a boy so young. To him perhaps more than to any other individual player the team owes most not only for his all round play but for his leadership of the forwards.

John Stevens as hooker, Charlie Hayes as prop, were always in the thick of things. Noel Dan, the other prop, was a little slow but always gave his best. Peter Kirby, second row, was outstanding. Graham Kirby, his partner, good, but lacking fire. Andrew Harris as breakaway, is worthy of special praise, and will have a great future if he stays sufficiently long at school. Robert O'Brien a late-comer to the team, proved himself well worthy of his place.

Once again congratulations to the 15A's. No team trained harder nor with more enthusiasm.

The 15Bs, like all B teams, saw some of their best players taken from them early in the season to build up the As. However, under the leadership of Tim Barrett they still managed to win their share of matches. Unfortunately they were lacking in weight especially in the forwards, and this more than anything else denied them most of the sweets of victory. Despite this it was heartening to see such lightweights as Remedios, Donelan and Barrett dragging down opponents much bigger than themselves. As in the other teams so too in the Bs there are boys who might well go a long way in the football world. To mention one, George Lawson. If George, a strong boy and hard runner, gets more confidence in himself and his own ability he must certainly be considered for a place in a future First Fifteen. What is true of him is true of at least half-a-dozen other members of this team.

The 15Cs were led by Peter Handran-Smith. Their victories were few but their spirit never flagged and after all, that is the attitude that brings credit both to the team and the College. What is true of the 15 Cs is equally true of the 15Ds. To the boys of both teams who turned up so regularly to practise congratulations and very many thanks. It is easy to be an enthusiastic member of a winning team but it takes real character to remain enthusiastic in the face of defeat.

The 6ths and 7ths. These teams were under the care of Mr. Penry. The zest with which they played and their willingness to take on any teams no matter how great their reputation, quickly made them a centre of attraction. Their defeats were few and what defeats they suffered only spurred them on with a desire to make atonement. To John Dunstan and his 6ths and Dave Moore and his 7ths congratulations not only for the many victories but more for the tremendous enthusiasm manifest at all times.

—G. D., S.J.

FOURTH FIFTEEN

Our first inter-School match was with **Sydney Grammar** on April 14th. Both teams lacked condition but the game was willing and fast. We won, 12-3. For 'View, J. Raper scored 2 tries, E. Conrick and W. Tisdale 1 each. Our best players were J. Gallagher, E. Conrick, J. Raper and W. Tisdale and N. Dan.

On April 21st we met **Shore.** Lost: 3-5. A very even game. P. Potter scored for us and our best players were G. Leslie, J. Raper and J. Gallagher. We were handicapped by losing some of our best players to higher teams.

(J. Raper.)

Three days after our return from the holidays we played **Scots** and after a good, lively game, won 18-6. G. Leslie and K. Rennie each scored a try. P. Leckie converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were: G. Ireland, J. Deloughery, K. Rennie and W. Tisdale.

(J. R.)

June 2nd: v. **Newington.** Won: 13-5 after a keen, rugged game. Our tries were scored by K. Rennie, J. Raper, M. Oates. P. Leckie converted two. Our best players were J. Gallagher, P. Leckie, M. Oates and J. Raper.

(G. I.)

June 16th: v. **The Scots College.** Lost: 3-6 after an excellent game. J. Potter scored a try for

Riverview and the best players were R. Payten, D. Gale and J. Gallagher.

(J. R.)

June 23rd: v. **The King's School.** Lost: 0-11. A good, even game in which our best players were D. Gale, P. Leckie, S. Chapman, M. Oates and J. Raper. (A. O.)

June 30th: v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 8-19. Good rucking, tackling and backing-up kept the score to 8-8 at half-time. After that S.J.C. broke through our defence. Our tries were scored by M. Oates and J. Potter. P. Leckie converted one. Our best players were J. Gallagher, P. Leckie, R. Meagher and D. Gale.

(R. Payten.)

July 7th: v. **Shore.** Match drawn: 8-8. Tries were scored by M. Donnellan and J. Quinn (who converted one). Our best players were D. Curchod, P. Leckie, J. Deloughery, W. Gale. A rather scrappy game owing to wet conditions.

(R. Payten).

July 14th: v. **S.H.S.** Won: 9-8. A good, even game. Tries for Riverview were scored by J. McGovern, J. Quinn and D. Gale. D. Curchod started good moves. J. Deloughery, M. Oates and I. Smith were our best players.

(R. Payten).

FIFTH FIFTEEN

April 21st: v. **Shore.** Lost: 9-11. "Anyone's game" from start to finish. Play was hard and fast. Our tries were scored by D. Rowe and P. Walker. M. Donnellan kicked a penalty goal. J. Davidson and A. Hassall played very well for 'View. (R. Payten).



FOURTH FIFTEEN.
Back Row (L.-R.): J. McGovern, J. Gallagher, J. Davidson, I. Smith, J. Deloughery, M. Oates, R. Henderson.
Seated: P. Leckie, D. Curchod, J. Quinn, G. Leslie (C.), D. Gale, S. Raper, P. Walker.
In Front: S. Chapman.

May 26th: v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-11. A good, even game which might have gone either way. Our best players were J. Raftery, N. Mangraviti, J. Dunstan and Ian Saddington.

(S. Raper).

June 2nd v. **N.C.** Lost: 3-11. Quite a good game, despite our defeat. A Hassall scored our try but the kick failed. Best players were S. Chapman, D. Curchod and S. Raper.

(R. P.)

June 16th: v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-25. Scots played with much better mutual understanding. Our

best players were J. Raftery, D. Rowe and R. Osborne.

(A. Hassall).

June 23rd: v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 6-14. Penalty goals were kicked by A. Hassall and M. Donnellan. Our best players were C. Higgins, S. Raper and J. Durrell.

(J. D.)

June 30th: v. **S.J.C.** Match drawn: 11-11. A very good game. For us, B. Kemp and J. Higgins each scored a try. M. Donnellan converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Best players were I. Saddington, R. Bruce, J. Higgins and M. Donnellan.

(A. H.)

July 7th: v. **Shore.** Lost: 3-9. B. Kemp scored our try and, in an even game, our best players were R. Bruce, B. Kemp and J. Raftery.

(A. H.)

July 21st: v. **N.C.** Lost: 6-8. A good match evenly played. For 'View, J. Quinn and J. McGovern each scored a try. D. Gale, J. McGovern and J. Davidson played very well.

(A. H.)

July 28th: v. **S.G.S.** Match drawn: 8-8. J. Quinn scored a try which P. Leckie converted. P. Leckie kicked a penalty goal. Best players were J. Gallagher, B. Kemp and G. Leslie.

(A. H.)

SIXTH FIFTEEN

April 14th: v. **S.G.S.** Won: 25-0. Tries were scored by P. Walker (2), P. Burfitt (2), J. Dunstan, J. Walker. M. Donnellan converted two tries and kicked a penalty goal.

April 21st: v. **Shore.** Won: 12-0. A good, fast game. Play was good on each side. For 'View, tries were scored by D. Blake (2), R. Bellingham and J. Dunstan. Our best players on the day were J. Clements, D. Blake and M. Alexander.

(J. Dunstan).



FIFTH AND SIXTH FIFTEENS.

Back (L.-R.): M. Johnson, M. Donnellan, R. Osborne.
2nd Row: P. Walker, A. Black, I. Saddington.
Seated: J. Higgins, J. Raftery, R. Bruce, R. Bramma, A. Hassall (C.).

Back (L.-R.): P. Brummer, P. Delaney, J. Durrell, J. Meyninck.
2nd Row: D. Blake, M. Alexander, J. Clements, W. Kelman.
Seated: J. Dunstan (C.), D. Keating, K. Shanley, R. Flanery, P. Bookallil.

May 26th: v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 6-22. M. Donnellan scored a try and kicked a penalty goal for us. Our best players were M. Johnson, J. Clements and K. Shanley.

June 2nd: v. **N.C.** Match drawn: 6-6. M. Johnson and K. Shanley each scored a try. Best players were M. Johnson, K. Shanley, D. Meyninck and P. Bookallil.

(J. K.)

June 16th: v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-6. A very good even game. J. Dunstan and K. Shanley were our best players. (J. D.)

June 23rd: v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 3-17. Peter Chadwick scored a try for 'View and our best players were N. Mangraviti, P. Chadwick and P. Delaney.

(J. D.)

June 30th: v. **S.J.C.** Won: 20-6. A very good, fast game. Our tries were scored by N. Mangraviti, D. Blake, M. Alexander and P. Burfitt. D. Blake converted four. Best players were M. Alexander, D. Keating, R. Osborne and N. Mangraviti.

(J. D.)

July 7th: v. **Shore**. Lost: 3-24. J. Joyner scored a try—our only points against a better team. J. Joyner and J. Clements were our best players.

(J. D.)

July 21st: v. **N.C.** Won: 19-6. Our tries were scored by D. Nader, J. Higgins, M. Johnson, A. Hassall and N. Mangraviti. J. Higgins kicked 2 goals. M. Johnson, N. Mangraviti and J. Higgins were our best players.

(J. D.)

July 28th: v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 3-8. J. Higgins kicked a penalty goal—our only score. It was an evenly played game in which our best players were J. Clements, J. Higgins, M. Donnellan and P. Bookallil.

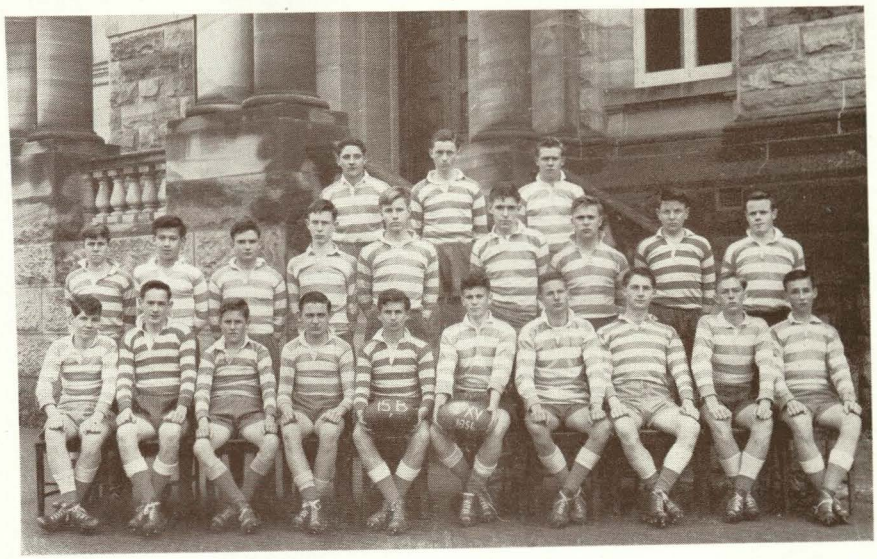
(J. D.)

Our best players were C. Blake, P. Delaney and P. Bookallil.

June 2nd: v. **Newington.** Lost: 0-21. We met a much heavier team and could not penetrate. Best players were: M. Munro, A. Garling, E. Temple, D. Wall, D. Rowe and B. Harding, D. Connolly.

(R. F.)

June 16th: v. **Scots College.** Lost: 0-45. We were up against a much more powerful team. Our best players were J. Alexander, D. Connolly, J. Miles, W. Ashley and R. Bellingham.



UNDER FIFTEEN B and SEVENTH FIFTEENS.

Back Row: P. Talty, B. Johnson.
2nd Row: P. Donelan, C. dos Remedios, A. Johnson, D. Duncan, A. Loneragan.
Seated: C. Higgins, A. Herbert, R. Walker, R. Nichols, T. Barrett (C.).

Back Row: A. Boyce.
2nd Row: R. Hyde, D. Dempsey, A. Whealy, P. Fitzpatrick.
Seated: J. Moore (C.), W. Ashley, W. Breen, D. O'dell, G. Hall.

SEVENTH FIFTEEN

April 14th: v. **St. Aloysius College.** Won: 3-0 after an even game. C. Blake scored our try.

June 23rd: v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 3-34. Once again we met a much better team and could score but one try (G. Hall). D. O'dell and G. Hall were about our best players.

(J. W.)

July 21st: v. **N.C.** Won: 17-6. Our tries were scored by R. Flanery (2), P. Whealy, W. Kelman and J. Dunstan (who also kicked a goal). P. Fitzpatrick and R. Flanery played very well.

(D. C.)

July 28th: v. **S.G.S.** Won: 10-9. A very close match. R. Flanery scored 2 tries both of which were converted by J. Joyner. Our best players were P. Fitzpatrick, J. Joyner and R. Flanery.

(D. C.)

UNDER 15 A, B, C AND D

April 14th: **U. 15 A** v. **Sydney Grammar.** Lost: 0-3. A very even game as the score shows. Our best players were P. Hanson, R. Day, R. Nichols and M. Deloughery.

(B. Duck).

U. 15 B v. **Sydney Grammar.** Lost: 0-6. Another good game, as is usual with Grammar. Our best players were P. Talty, G. Lawson, P. Donelan, R. O'Brien. (T. Barrett).

U. 15 C v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-31. Best players for us in an uneven game were A. Garling, D. Field, A. Phelps, A. Fynmore.

(P. H-Smith).

April 21st: **U. 15 A** v. **Shore.** Lost: 9-16. A good game. For 'View, T. Carver and S. Spence each scored a try and C. Hayes kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were C. Hayes, R. Day, T. Carver and P. Kirby.

(B. Duck).

U. 15 B v. **Shore.** Lost: 3-6 after a very even match. G. Lawson scored our try. R. O'Brien, C. dos Remedios, P. Talty and J. Thorpe were our best players.

(T. Barrett).

U. 15 C v. **Shore.** Lost: 3-20. We certainly met a better team as the score shows. P. Handran-Smith scored our only try. Best players in a rather one-sided game, were P. White, M. Flynn, C. Quain and P. Handran-Smith.

May 26th: **U.15 A** v. **Scots.** Won: 8-6 after a very even game. For us, T. Carver and P. Hanson scored a try each. R. Roberts converted one. Our best players were M. Deloughery, R. Day, R. Roberts and N. Dan.

(B. Duck).



UNDER 15 A FIFTEEN.
Back Row (L.-R.): R. Roberts, T. Carver, A. Harris, G. Kirby, P. Kirby, R. Day, P. White.
Seated: J. Thorpe, J. Stevens, M. Deloughery, B. Duck (C.), R. O'Brien, P. Hanson, N. Dan.
In front: C. Hayes, S. Spence.

U. 15 B v. **Scots.** Lost: 3-12. A. Loneragan kicked a penalty goal for us and our best players in a good, clean game were R. de Remedios and G. Lawson.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **Scots.** Lost: 0-38. This was a runaway victory for Scots who had a much more experienced team. For 'View, P. Handran-Smith, B. Walker, A. Fynmore and M. Flynn were the best. players.

(A. Garling).

June 2nd: **U. 15 A** v. **Newington.** Lost: 3-8 after a very even game. R. Roberts scored our

try and our best players were R. Day, B. Duck, M. Deloughery and P. Kirby.

(B. Duck).

U. 15 B v. **Newington.** Lost: 5-8. Another good game. J. Thorpe scored a try for us and P. White converted. Our best players were R. O'Brien and J. Thorpe.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **Newington.** Lost: 0-11. Play was very even during most of the game but N.C. had the better team on the whole. Our best players were M. Flynn, A. Fynmore, B. Johnson and B. Roche.

(P. H-S.)

U. 15 D v. **Scots College.** Lost 0-57. This was a walk-over for Scots against what was a last-minute "scratch" team.

(A. G.)

June 23rd: **U. 15 A** v. **T.K.S.** Won: 28-0. The team surpassed itself today. Tries were scored by M. Deloughery, T. Carver, R. Roberts, A. Harris, N. Dan, J. Stevens, R. O'Brien and J. Thorpe. S. Spence converted two. Our best players were M. Deloughery, B. Duck, R. Day, R. Roberts and J. Stevens.

(S. Spence).

U. 15 B v. **T.K.S.** Won: 6-3. Another very good game. P. Hanson and A. Johnson each scored a



UNDER 15 C and UNDER 15 D FIFTEENS.

Back Row (L.-R.): A. Fynmore, B. Roche, C. Quain, W. Firth, B. Walker.
2nd Row: R. Rowe, M. Flynn, J. Butcher, M. O'Donoghue, P. Meagher.
Seated: J. Doyle, R. Moses, J. Miles, B. Harding, P. Handran-Smith (C.).

Back Row (L.-R.): D. Hall, J. Exner, A. Phelps.
2nd Row: R. Lachal, C. Rickard, J. Dick, W. Cummins.
Seated: E. Temple (C.), P. Magennis, M. Lowery, P. Nelson.

June 16th: **U. 15 A** v. **Scots' College.** Lost: 11-19. The first half was very even but Scots made better use of the wind after the change over. Our tries were scored by J. Thorpe, J. Stevens and A. Harris. S. Spence converted one. Best players: R. Day, R. Roberts and A. Harris.

(B. Duck)

U. 15 B v. **Scots College.** Lost: 0-15. Quite a good game against a somewhat better team. Our best players were R. O'Brien and A. Loneragan.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **Scots College.** Lost: 3-21. For 'View B. Johnson kicked a penalty goal. Best players: B. Johnson, P. Handran-Smith and M. Flynn.

(A. G.)

try and our best players were R. Nichols and P. Hanson.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 5-6. A very keen game Teams well matched. B. Walker scored a try which B. Johnson converted. Best players were B. Roche, B. Walker and R. Rowe.

(P. S.)

June 30th: **U. 15 A** v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-19. A very good game until late in the second half when S.J.C. got the upper hand. Our best players were R. Roberts, R. Day, M. Deloughery and A. Harris.

(B. D.)

U. 15 B v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 3-8. A very even game. R. Walker scored our try and our best players

in a vigorous match were P. Hanson, R. Nicholls, C. dos Remedios.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-33. We had little chance against a more powerful team. Hard triers were M. Flynn, R. Rowe, J. Moses and P. Handran-Smith.

(B. Johnson).

U. 15 D v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 3-19. A fairly even game most of the time. R. Bellingham scored a try. M. Munro, R. Bellingham, D. Moore and D. O'dell were our best players.

(A. G.)

July 1st: **U. 15 A** v. **De la Salle (Coogee) (U. 15 A)**. Won: 11-3. Tries were scored by M. Deloughery and R. Day. S. Spence converted one and P. Leckie kicked a penalty goal. J. Gallagher, M. Deloughery, P. Kirby and R. Day were our best players.

(A. G.)

July 7th: **U. 15 A** v. **Shore.** Lost: 3-18. T. Carver scored our try and our best players were P. Hanson and C. Hayes.

(A. H.)

U. 15 B v. **Shore.** Lost: 5-9 after a very even game. B. Johnson scored a try which A Loneragan converted. Best players were R. Nichols, R. Johnson and A. Herbert.

U. 15 C v. **Shore.** Lost: 0-9. Our tackling was weak. Best players in a rather poor game were P. Handran-Smith, R. Rowe and C. Quain.

(T. F.)

U. 15 D v. **Shore.** Lost: 0-33. Ours was a very "scratch" team and lacked combination. Our best players were D. Moore, R. Flanery and G. Hall.

July 14th: **U. 15 A** v. **S.H.S.** Won: 14-3. Tries were scored by R. Day, P. Hanson, T. Carew and P. White. R. Day converted one. Our best players were M. Deloughery, P. Chapman, J. Thorpe and R. Day.

(A. H.)

U. 15 B v. **S.H.S.** Won: 15-0. Our tries were scored by R. Walker, C. dos Remedios, A. Boyce, J. Kouvelis and A. Johnson. A. Loneragan, T. Barrett and A. Herbert were our best players.

(T. B.)

July 21st: **U. 15 A** v. **N.C.** Match drawn: 8-8. A very good game: T. Carver scored a try which P. Leckie converted. P. Leckie also kicked a penalty goal. All the forwards played well.

(A. H.)

U. 15 B v. **N.C.** Lost: 3-21. S. Spence kicked a penalty goal and our best players were R. Nichols, D. Duncan and C. dos Remedios.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **N.C.** Lost: 3-17. Our best players in this game were P. Handran-Smith and J. Butcher. Our only score was a penalty goal kicked by J. Doyle.

(A. G.)

July 28th: **U. 15 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 6-16. For us T. Carver scored a try and R. Roberts kicked a penalty goal. R. Roberts, R. Day, J. Stephens and D. Gale were our best players.

(A. G.)

U. 15 B v. **S.G.S.** Match drawn: 3-3. A good, even game. C. dos Remedios scored a try for us and our best players were C. dos Remedios and P. Talty.

(T. B.)

U. 15 C v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-14. We met a better team. For Riverview, the best players were J. Butcher and C. Quain.

(A. G.)

THIRD DIVISION FOOTBALL

This year, Third Division, with Second Division subsidies, ran 11 teams, with varying degrees of success.

The 14 A's, led by Tony Dynon, were a capable little team, but, especially in the forwards, were "little" and owing to lack of weight, not of ability or determination, clinched few of their matches. The backs, especially W. Nevill (who handled superbly) and G. Hepworth, moved well when they got the ball and defended solidly. The forwards, usually outweighed, played some grand games in which A. Dynon and J. Lyons were always prominent.

The 14 B's, also small, were slightly more successful and had some great wins. The forwards rucked well ably led by M. Glasheen. The backs played very well against Shore, J. Kirby and M. Dureau being most impressive. Bill Carrigan and M. Conrick worked well from the base of the scrum and J. Kirby's running and cutting-in was a feature of the team's play.

The 14 C's were the most successful team in the Division, losing only one match after the start of the competition. Solid forwards and clever backs made the play. Combination work by M. Cunich and M. Lewis was excellent. R. Burns was very good and J. Walsh was glorious in defence.

The Division fielded a **14 D** team, led by R. Pfafflin, and though invariably playing against superior forces, always left their mark. R. Marr played consistently well. Like King Alfred, their lot was not victory, but battle!

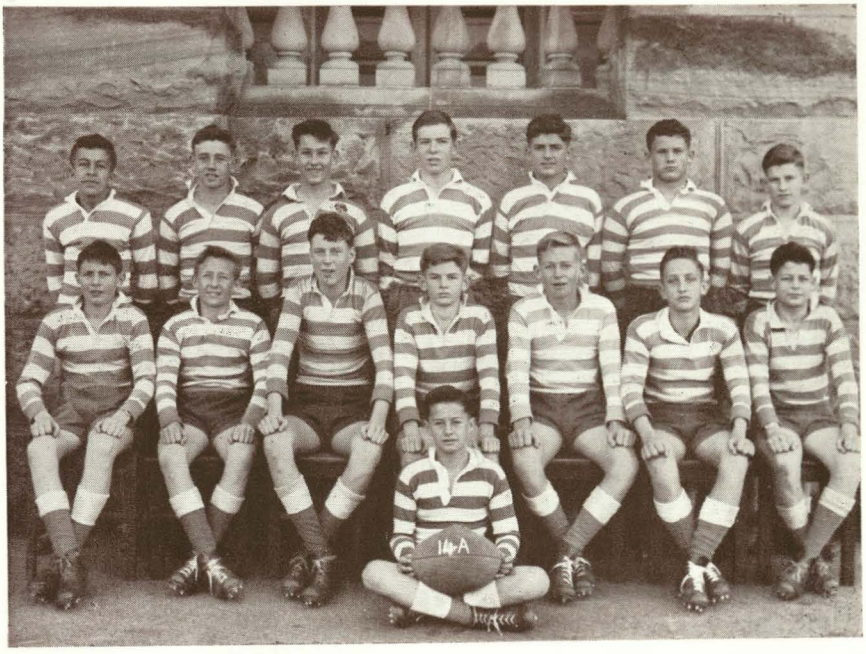
The **13 A's** had a good season and shaped well until they lost Terry Walker who broke his

collar-bone. His play was outstanding and he was sadly missed against Newington and Grammar. The forwards, led by T. Vandaleur, showed real talent. J. Willis, J. Mason, E. Murphy and B. Macintosh always played consistently well. P. Roland (half), V. Edwards and T. Walker were splendid players as were A. McCormack and M. O'Brien especially against Shore.

The **12 B's** were a good team, their best game being against King's when they won 10-3. C. Bull and R. Mater (very speedy) were solid players. M. Ross (half) was alert and reliable

The 12 A's played some fine games and had a very successful season. Their best match was with King's. Down 0-5, they rallied and won 6-5. A splendid game. M. Garling, J. O'Brien and G. Oxenham stood out among the forwards and the backs, especially C. Dureau, J. Mitchell and T. Meagher, showed fine combination. W. Montgomery ran well on the wing and W. Morley was very safe as full-back.

The 12 B's won several games but never recovered from the loss of A. Chan early in the season. Good individual players were G. Mac-



UNDER 14 A FIFTEEN.
Back Row (L.-R.): B. McGirr, P. Locke, G. Knight, D. Field, M. Williams, D. Pearson, A. Lenehan.
Seated: J. Kindred, J. Lyons, G. Hepworth, A. Dynon (C.), W. Nevill, P. McCarron, A. Scriven.
In front: P. Sydenham.

both in attack and defence. R. Chalmers showed fine penetration and D. D'Arcy ran hard and well.

The **13 C's,** usually in a fluid state, showed commendable ability, responsibility mainly resting on D. O'Connor who, as full-back, tackled superbly and was faultless in every game. R. Stack (forward), B. Jones, J. McDermott and R. McCombie (backs), were among the best players.

The 13 D's did not fare well against other schools but in Division matches were good, subduing the 12 B's by 3 points.

kintosh, M. Pirola (forwards), W. Haynes and G. Windsor (backs).

The 12 C's quickly settled into consistently good play and beat a Grammar Prep. team 26-0. B. Zlotkowski, Paul Jones (forwards), R. Chisholm, P. Jones and G. Kelly (backs) were always prominent.

Sincere thanks are due to Father Rector, Father Sneddon and Father Connolly from the teams they coached and to those boys of First Division who were ever ready to referee the games.

"CITY" v. "COUNTRY"

"City" I defeated "Country" I — 12-3.

"Country" II defeated "City" II — 23-6.

The Colour Competition was won by the Blue Club. (P. O'S.)

UNDER 14 A, B, C AND D

April 14th: **U. 14 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 3-25. For 'View, P. Sydenham kicked a good penalty goal —our only score. Best playere were: P. Sydenham and A. Scriven.

(A. Dynon).

U. 14 B v. **Shore.** Won: 22-0. Peter Locke sccored 5 tries, R. Burns, 1. H. Meagher kicked 2 goals. Best players were P. McCarron, A. Lenehan and J. Kirby.

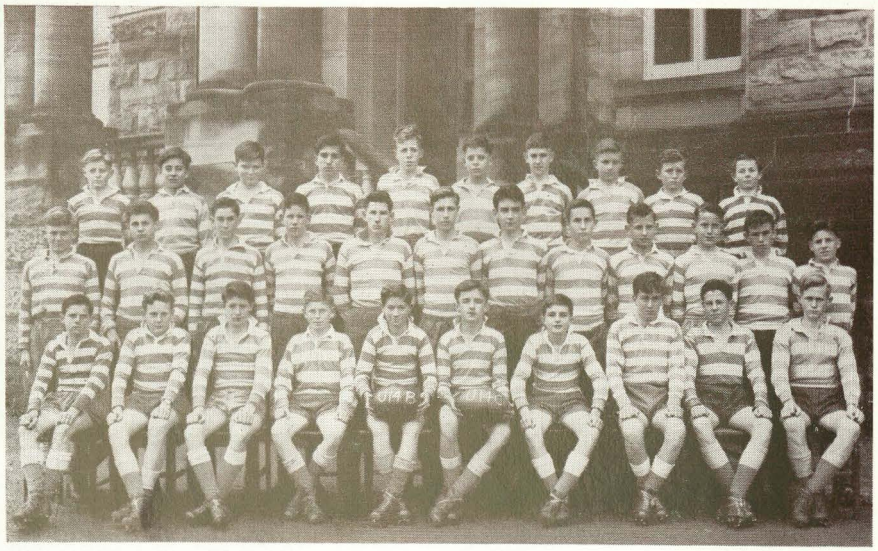
(J. Collins).

U. 14 C v. **Shore.** Lost: 6-11. J. Sherwood scored a try and M. Lewis kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were M. Lewis and R. Chambers.

(S. Fennell).

May 26th: **U. 14 A** v. **Scots.** Lost: 0-12. Despite the score, it was a very good game in which our best players were D. Pearson, G. Hepworth and M. Conrick.

(A. Dynon).



UNDER 14 B and UNDER 14 C FIFTEENS.

Back Row (L.-R.): J. Lyons, W. C-Jones, M. Raper, J. O. Maher.
2nd Row: M. Conrick, R. Herlihy, A. Garling, M. Perrottet, E. Cahill.
Seated: D. Johnson, J. Kirby, V. Hillsdon, M. Glasheen, W. Carrigan (C.).

Back Row (L.-R.): T. Zlotowski, Gf. Meagher, P. Heaney, M. Cunich, J. Walsh, M. Loneragan.
2nd Row: P. Brown, J. Taylor, S. Fennell, D. Chisholm, P. Lamerand, R. Greenaway, H. Meagher.
Seated: M. Lewis (C.), J. Conlon, G. McCauley, P. O'Halloran, R. Burns.

U. 14 B v. **S.G.S.** Won: 13-6. Our tries were scored by H. Meagher and J. Collins. H. Meagher converted both and M. Lewis kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were D. Johnson, P. McCarron and J. Collins.

U. 14 C v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 8-10. For 'View R. Burns scored a try and converted. P. O'Halloran kicked a penalty goal. Best players: J. Conlon, P. Fourter, and R. Burns.

(S. Fennell).

April 21st: **U. 14 A** v. **Shore.** Game drawn. 14-14. Our tries were scored by D. Field (2), G. Hepworth and W. Nevill. D. Field converted one. Our best players were D. Field, G. Hepworth and B. McGirr.

(A. Dynon).

U. 14 B v. **Scots.** Lost: 3-8. A good, even game. P. Sydenham kicked a penalty goal, our only score. J. Kindred, P. Locke and P. Kirby were our best players.

(J. Collins).

U. 14 C v. **Scots.** Lost: 6-17. For 'View M. Lewis kicked a penalty goal and J. Collins scored a try. Our best players were D. Chisholm, J. Conlon and J. Walsh.

(M. Lewis).

June 2nd: **U. 14 A v. N.C.** Lost: 9-12 after an excellent game. G. Knight scored two tries and

kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were M. Lowery, G. Knight and D. Pearson.

(A. D.)

U. 14 B v. **N.C.** Lost: 0-22. We met a much better team. Our best players in a hard game were A. Scriven, D. Johnson and N. Campbell-Jones.

(H. M.)

U. 14 C v. **N.C.** Won: 25-0. Our tries were scored by R. Greenaway (2), D. Chisholm, S. Brown, J. Conlon and M. Loneragan. M. Lewis converted 3 and kicked a penalty goal. Best players were J. Conlon and J. Walsh.

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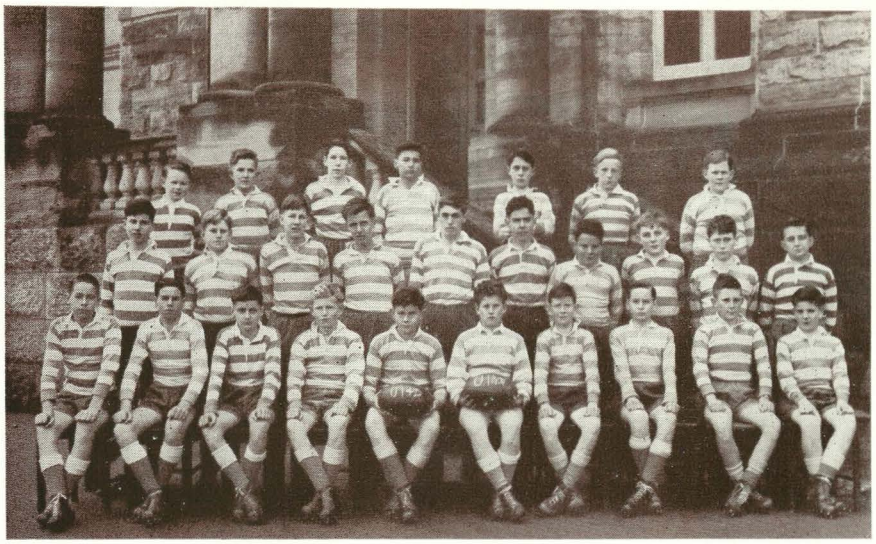
(H. M.)

U. 14 D v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-22. We met a much better team. Our best players were R. Pfafflin, Tim O'Sullivan and P. Fourter.

(H. H.)

June 23rd: **U. 14 A** v. **T.K.S.** Match drawn: 14-14. Our tries were scored by M. Conrick, D. Field and D. Pearson. G. Knight converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Best players were B. McGirr, D. Pearson and G. Hepworth.

(J. D.)



UNDER 14 D and UNDER 13 D FIFTEENS.

Back Row: D. McDonald, D. Ell, D. Frost, D. Wall.
2nd Row: B. Clarke, W. Stephens, D. Gowing, S. Mitchell, P. Finn.
Seated: P. Curtin, R. Marr, J. Flynn, H. Harrison, R. Pfafflin (C.).

Back Row: G. Lister, P. Jackson, M. Schiller.
2nd Row: P. Cornwall, P. Hurley, T. Hartigan, K. Reddan, J. Sutherland.
Seated: P. Chatfield (C.), P. Costello, T. Hunter, P. Johnson, B. Duhigg.

U. 14 D v. **N.C.** Lost: 9-31. More or less a walk-over — probably "more." R. Pfafflin and P. Fourter (2) scored our tries and our best players were A. Ward and R. Pfafflin.

June 16th: **U. 14 A** v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 3-11. Peter Locke scored our try. Our best players were P. Locke, A. Scriven and D. Pearson.

(G. Hepworth).

U. 14 B v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-21. A rather ragged game as far as we were concerned. Our best players were J. Lyons, M. Cunich, and M. Glasheen.

(P. S.)

U. 14 C v. **T.S.C.** Won: 14-0. A good, even game. D. Chisholm scored 2 tries and J. Taylor one. M. Lewis converted one try and kicked a

U. 14 B v. **T.K.S.** Won: 9-6. Tries were scored by P. Locke, J. Kirby and M. Williams. A very good game, like the previous one. Best players: M. Williams M. Cunich, M. Glasheen and J. Kirby.

(P. S.)

U. 14 C v. **T.K.S.** Won: 21-3. This was a rather easy game for us. Tries were scored by S. Fennell (2), H. Meagher and P. Heaney. M. Lewis converted 3 and kicked a penalty goal. The whole team played well.

(H. M.)

U. 14 D v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 0-26 to a more experienced team. Our best players in a rather one-sided game were J. Deschamps, Gf. Meagher and G. McCauley.

(R. P.)

June 30th: **U. 14 A** v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-10. A good even game most of the time. Our best players were B. McGirr, D. Pearson, G. Hepworth and A. Lenehan.

(A. Dynon).

U. 14 B v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-22. We met a better team. Best players for us were J. Lyons, M. Perrottet and M. Glasheen.

(P. S.)

U. 14 C v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 5-14. Quite an interesting game, keenly played. M. Loneragan scored a try which M. Lewis converted. P. Brown, J. Walsh and J. Conlon were our best players.

(M. L.)

U. 14 B v. **Shore.** Won: 22-0. Our tries were scored by A. Garling (2), J. Kirby (2), M. Dureau (1); M. Dureau and A. Garling each converted one. Our best players were J. Kirby, M. Glasheen and M. Dureau.

(W. Carrigan).

U. 14 C v. **Shore.** Won: 18-0. Our tries were scored by M. Cunich, S. Brown, P. O'Halloran and J. Conlon. M. Lewis converted 3. Our best players were J. Conlon, S. Brown and S. Fennell.

(M. L.)

U. 14 D v. **Shore.** Lost: 3-22. Our opponents were much too strong. J. Deschamps kicked a penalty goal for us. D. Ell, J. Deschamps and G. McAuley played well.

(R. P.)



UNDER 13 A and UNDER 13 B FIFTEENS.

Back Row: F. McInerney, M. O'Brien, T. Walker, A. McCormack, M. Mason, J. Mason, P. Redden.
2nd Row: V. O'Toole, C. O'Hanlon, R. Macintosh, E. Murphy, G. Canning, V. Edwards.
Seated: J. Willis, R. Chalmers, G. McCormack, P. Roland, T. Vandeleur (C.).

Back Row: R. Mater, F. Kelly, P. O'Brien, D. Glasheen, R. MacKenzie.
2nd Row: D. D'Arcy, J. Burke, A. French, B. O'Halloran, W. Hedger.
Seated: C. Bull (C.), M. Ross, P. Meagher, D. Aaron, P. Quinn.

U. 14 D v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-23. S.J.C. showed better combination. Best players: R. Pfafflin, P. Lamerand and D. Wall.

(M. C.)

July 1st: **U. 14 A** v. **De la Salle** (Coogee). Won: 13-3. J. Collins and G. Knight (2) scored tries, two of which G. Knight converted. A good game in which our best players were B. McGirr, G. Knight, R. Lowery and J. Lyons.

(A. D.)

July 7th: **U. 14 A** v. **Shore.** Lost: 6-9. For us P. Locke scored 2 tries in a close game. He and P. McCarron were our best players.

(J. D.)

July 14th: **U. 14 B** v. **S.H.S.** Won: 14-3. Tries were scored by A. Garling, J. Kindred, M. Williams, M. Dureau and W. Carrigan converted one. Best players were M. Williams, J. Kirby, R. Herlihy.

June 21st: **U. 14 A** v. **N.C.** Lost: 0-15. Our opponents were a better team. Best players for us were J. Kindred, P. Locke and G. Hepworth.

(A. D.)

U. 14 B v. **N.C.** Lost: 0-23. As above. N.C. showed much better combination. Our best play-

ers were J. Kirby, J. Lyons, B. McGirr and P. O'Halloran.

(W. Carrigan).

U. 14 D v. **N.C.** Lost: 3-35. Mostly a walk-over for N.C. P. Nelson scored a try. Best players for S.I.C. were R. Pfafflin, P. Nelson and P. Marr.

July 28th: **U. 14 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-17. Grammar were too good for us. Our best players were A. Scriven, G. Hepworth and P. McCarron.

(A. D.)

U. 14 B v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-21. As above. We lacked combination. B. McGirr, J. Lyons and M. Perrottet were our best players.

(W. Carrigan).

U. 14 C v. **S.G.S.** Won: 13-6. Tries for us were scored by M. Cunich (2) and H. Meagher. P. Brown converted one as did M. Lewis. Best players: R. Burns, M. Cunich and M. Lewis.

(S. F.)

UNDER 13 A, B, C AND D

April 14th: **U. 13 A** v. **S.G.S.** Match drawn: 6-6. All the forwards played very well. P. Roland scored our 2 tries. Our best back was V. O'Toole.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-13. A good game, despite a few costly mistakes. Our best players were J. Mason, F. Kelly, and C. Bull.

U. 13 C v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-17. Our play lacked combination. (Too many captains!). Best players were B. Jones and D. O'Connor.

(D. G.)

April 21st: **U. 13 A** v. **Shore.** Won: 15-3. Our tries were scored by A. McCormack (3), T. Walker and P. Roland and our best players were E. Murphy, J. Borthwick, V. Edwards and T. Walker.

(T. Vandeleur).

U. 13 B v. **Shore.** Match drawn: 0-0. A good, even game. Best players for 'View were M. O'Brien, M. Ross and P. Redden.

(C. Bull).

U. 13 C v. **Shore.** Lost: 0-8. Play was even most of the time. Our handling was weak. Our best players were G. Meagher and R. McCombie.

(D. Glasheen).

May 26th: **U. 13 A** v. **Scots.** Lost: 6-14. For us P. Roland kicked 2 penalty goals. We met a better team. Our best players were M. O'Brien, P. Roland and G. McCormack.

(T. Vandeleur).

U. 13 B v. **Scots.** Lost: 0-21. Scots had much the better team. Our best players were P. O'Brien, R. Chalmers and R. Mater.

(C. Bull).

U. 13 C v. **Scots.** Lost: 0-12. Not a very interesting game in which our best players were D. O'Connor, B. O'Halloran and D. Glasheen.

(G. Meagher).

June 2nd: **U. 13 A** v. **Newington.** Lost: 3-17. V. Edwards scored our try. The N.C. players were much superior. Our best players were P. Roland, V. Edwards and G. Canning.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **Newington.** Won: 9-8 after a very keen, even game. J. Mason scored 2 tries and A. McCormack converted one. Best players: C. Bull, J. Mason and G. McCormack.

(R. C.)

U. 13 C v. **Newington.** Lost: 0-15. Our handling and backing-up was not good. Our best players were D. O'Connor, G. K. Meagher and F. Kelly.

(D. G.)

U. 13 D v. **Newington.** Lost: 0-37. This was a "walk-away" for Newington. Our best players on the day were A. French, G. K. Meagher and A. Kevin.

June 16th: **U. 13 A** v. **T.S.C.** Won: 11-6. A very interesting, even game. For 'View, G. McCormack scored 2 tries and P. Roland one. V. O'Toole converted one try. Best players: V. O'Toole, R. Mackintosh and G. McCormack.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-11. Quite a good game. T.S.C. combination was very good. Our best players were R. Chalmers, A. Aaron and B. Smith.

(A. McC.)

U. 13 C v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-15. T.S.C. were too strong for us. Our best players: D. O'Connor and D. Cloonan.

(D. G.)

U. 13 D v. **T.S.C.** Lost: 0-49. Scots practically scored at will against our weak side in which the best players were P. Chatfield, P. Leahy and T. Collingridge.

(A. Kevin).

June 23rd: **U. 13 A** v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 5-9. C. O'Hanlon scored a try which V. O'Toole converted. Our best players in a very good game were J. Mason, V. Edwards and P. Roland.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **T.K.S.** Won: 10-3. An excellent, even game. R. Mater and R. Chalmers each scored a good try and V. O'Toole converted both. B. O'Halloran and R. Mater were our best players.

(J. D.)

U. 13 C v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 0-12. A good game in

which our best players were D. O'Connor, G. McKay and R. McCombie.

(G.K. M.)

U. 13 D v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 3-23. P. Chatfield kicked a penalty goal but T.K.S. were too strong. Our best players were P. Chatfield, P. Hurley and T. Hartigan. (J. D.)

June 30th: **U. 13 A** v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 8-10. A very good, even game. G. McCormack and T. Vandaleur each scored a try. V. O'Toole converted one. R. Mackintosh, J. Mason, V. Edwards and T. Walker were our best players.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-15. Our tackling and passing were weak. Our best players were R. Chalmers, R. MacKenzie, R. Mater and M. Ross.

(C. Bull).

U. 13 C v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-17. The opposition showed better combination all through. Best players for us were F. Kelly, D. O'Connor and G. Higgins. (B. Jones).

U. 13 D v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-52. This was a walk-over — but not for us. Best players in an uninteresting game were P. Hurley, P. Johnson and A. d'Apice.

(P. Chatfield.)

July 1st: **U. 13 A** v. **De la Salle** (Coogee). Won: 21-3. Our tries were scored by C. O'Hanlon (3), P. Roland, J. Willis and J. Mason. V. O'Toole converted 3. Best players were C. O'Hanlon, V. O'Toole and P. Roland.

(T. V.)

July 7th: **U. 13 A** v. **Shore.** Won: 22-0. Tries were scored by C. O'Hanlon (3), A. McCormack, V. Edwards and R. MacKintosh. R. Chalmers converted 2. C. O'Hanlon and R. MacKintosh were our best players.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **Shore.** Lost: 0-3. A very even game in the wet. Our best players were M. Ross, P. Meagher, V. O'Toole and M. Mason.

(R. M.)



UNDER 13 C and UNDER 12 C FIFTEENS.

Back Row (L.-R.): A. d'Apice, G. Higgins, B. Flynn, D. Cloonan.
2nd Row: B. Smith, G. Rogers, J. Borthwick, T. Collingridge, P. Leahy.
Seated: A. Kevin, J. McDermott, A. Quain, G. K. Meagher, B. Jones (C.).

Back Row (L.-R.): J. Baggett, G. Kelly, L. McGovern.
2nd Row: P. Jones, D. Ireland, C. Finn, B. Hughes, W. Fanning.
Seated: D. Zlotowski (C.), I. Horsley, R. Chisholm, C. Azar, J. Vercoe.

U. 13 C v. **Shore.** Lost: 0-14. An uneven game against a better side. D. O'Connor, G. Meagher and J. McDermott played very well.

(B. Jones).

July 14th: **U. 13 B** v. **S.H.S.** Won: 11-3. A good game. Our tries were scored by A. French, and A. McCormack. R. Chalmers converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Best players were A. French, G. McCormack and J. Mason.

(A. D.)

July 21st: **U. 13 A** v. **N.C.** Lost: 3-14. G. MacKintosh scored a try and our best players were J. Mason, V. Edwards, J. Willis and P. Roland.

(T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **N.C.** Lost: 0-35. We were up against a much better team. Our best players were M. Ross, M. Mason and J. Mason. (R. M.)

U. 13 C v. **N.C.** Lost 0-53. Another walk-over for N.C. D. O'Connor and R. Stack were our best players in an uninteresting game.

U. 13 D v. **N.C.** Lost: 0-30. A poor game because very uneven. For us M. Sullivan, A. Kevin and P. Hurley played well.

June 28th: **U. 13 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 3-15. Our passing was weak. P. Roland scored a try and our best players were V. Edwards, R. Mater and P. Roland. (T. V.)

U. 13 B v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 8-15. Tries were scored by D. D'Arcy and M. Ross. V. O'Toole converted one. Best players: D. D'Arcy, M. Ross and P. O'Brien. (R. M.)

U. 13 C v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 6-11. A good game. Our tries were scored by J. McDermott and B. Jones. Our best players were B. Jones, J. McDermott, D. O'Connor and A. Nuland. (A. D.)

U. 13 D v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-20. P. Neil, J. Sutherland and E. Rushton were our best players in an uneven game. (P. C.)

UNDER 12 A, B AND C

April 14th: **U. 12 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-15. We lacked combination. Best players in a lively game were G. Oxenham, J. Mitchell and G. Windsor.

U. 12 B v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 3-9. P. Flynn scored our only try and our best players were A. Rogers, R. O'Neil and W. Montgomery. A good game.

April 21st: **U. 12 A** v. **St. Aloysius' College.** Won: 11-5. Gordon Oxenham scored 3 tries and A. Mann kicked a goal. The game was keen and fast. Our best players were G. Oxenham, A. Mann, M. Garling and B. Montgomery. (T. Meagher).

U. 12 B v. **St. Aloysius' College.** Won: 20-0. A rather one-sided game. Tries for 'View were scored by B. Young (2), T. O'Sullivan (2), S. Walsh and G. O'Brien. A. Chan converted one. Our best players were A. Chan, B. Young and G. O'Brien. (T. O'Sullivan).

U. 12 C v. **St. Aloysius' College:** Lost: 0-6. A very close game. Our best players were G. Riley, G. Kelly and A. Mort. (C. O'Neill).

May 26th **U. 12 A** v. **Scots.** Won: 13-3. A very good game. Our tries were scored by J. Mitchell, G. Oxenham and T. Meagher. Alan Mann converted two and our best players were M. Coyle, M. Garling and J. Mitchell. (T. Meagher).

U. 12 B v. **Scots.** Lost: 0-8. A good, even game. Our best players were G. O'Brien and A. Chan. (T. O'Sullivan).

May 27th: **U. 12 A** v. **St. Aloysius'.** Lost 3-16 against a much better team. T. Meagher scored a try and our best players were M. Coyle, M. Garling and G. Oxenham.

U. 12 B v. **St. Aloysius'.** Won: 3-0. A very close game. A. Parker scored our try. Best players were A. Parker, B. Young. (T. O'Sullivan).

U. 12 C v. **St. Aloysius'.** Lost: 0-9. Our backs did not tackle well but otherwise the team played quite well, the best being P. Jones, G. Riley and J. Vercoe. (C. Azar).

June 2nd: **U. 12 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-12. It was a good game against a slightly better team. Our best players were J. Mitchell, R. Vandenberg and C. Taperell. (M. C.)

U. 12 C v. **Newington.** Lost: 0-12. A very good game too in which our best players were I. Horsley, P. Jones and D. Ireland. (C. A.)

June 16th: **U. 12 A** v. **Scots' College.** Won: 12-5. A good, even game. Tries were scored by J. O'Brien, W. Montgomery and A. Mann (who also kicked a penalty goal). J. Mitchell, G. Oxenham and W. Montgomery were our best players. (M. Garling).

U. 12 B v. **Scots' College.** Lost: 6-17. G. O'Brien and P. Ryan each scored a try. Best players for us were G. O'Brien and P. Ryan. (T. O'S.)

U. 12 C v. **Scots' College.** Lost: 3-14. Pat Jones scored our try. Our best players were P. Jones and D. Zlotowski. (P. M.)

June 21st: **U. 12 A** v. **St. Aloysius'.** Won: 9-5 after a most evenly contested game. Our tries were scored by A. Mann and T. Meagher (who also kicked a penalty goal.) These two as well as J. Mitchell and G. Oxenham played very well.

June 23rd: **U. 12 A** v. **T.K.S.** Won: 6-5. A splendid game right up to the end. J. Mitchell and C. Dureau each scored a try. Our best players were T. Meagher, M. Garling, C. Dureau and G. Oxenham. (M. L.)

U. 12 B v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 0-13. Another good game in which our best players were C. Taperell, M. Corcoran and G. O'Brien. (T. O'S.)

U. 12 C v. **T.K.S.** Lost: 0-16. Our backs were weak. Best players were F. Kelly, P. Jones and R. Chisholm. (K. Azar).

June 30th: **U. 12 A** v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 9-13. A good keen game all the time. J. Mitchell and C. Dureau each scored a try. A Mann kicked a penalty goal and our best players were A. Mann, H. Moore and W. Montgomery. (T. Meagher).

U. 12 B v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-30. We met a more experienced team. Our best players were G. O'Brien and M. Corcoran. (T. O'S.)

U. 12 C v. **S.J.C.** Lost: 0-29. As in the previous match. Our combination was weak. Our best

players were R. Chisholm, P. Jones and M. McGovern.

(I. Horsley).

July 1st: **U. 12 A** v. **De la Salle** (Coogee). Won: 5-0. A very even game. W. Montgomery scored a try which A. Mann converted. Best players were M. Garling, J. O'Brien and J. Mitchell.

(T. M.)

July 7th: **U. 12 A** v. **Shore.** Won: 39-3. We met a weaker team. Our tries were scored by T. Meagher (3), C. Dureau (3), J. Mitchell (2), W. Montgomery, G. Oxenham. A. Mason and T. Meagher each converted 2. T. Meagher, C. Dureau and P. Flynn played well.

(L. M.)

July 14th: **U. 12 A** v. **S.G.S. (Prep.).** Won: 53-0. An uneven game against a weak team. Tries were scored by J. Mitchell (3), A. Mann (3), T. Meagher (3), C. Dureau (3). T. Meagher converted 6 and kicked a penalty goal. A. Mann converted one. Best players were C. Dureau, J. Mitchell, G. Oxenham and T. Meagher.

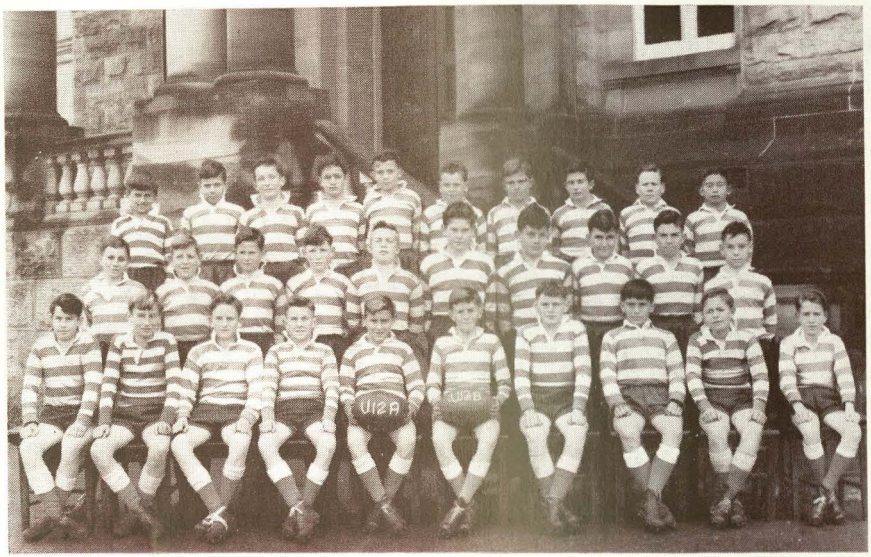
U. 12 C v. **S.G.S. (Prep.).** Won: 26-0. P. Jones scored 3 tries, W. Haynes, K. Azar and T. O'Sullivan one each. W. Haynes converted one. Best players were T. O'Sullivan, W. Haynes and P. Jones.

July 21st: **U. 12 A** v. **N.C.** Won: 21-0. A very interesting game despite the score. Our tries were scored by T. Meagher (2), G. Oxenham (2), M. Ross (1). T. Meagher converted 3. Our best players were J. Mitchell, G. Oxenham, J. O'Brien and T. Meagher.

(A. D.)

U. 12 B v. **N.C.** Match drawn: 6-6. P. Ryan kicked 2 penalty goals and our best players were P. Ryan, G. MacKintosh and M. Pirola.

(M. D.)



UNDER 12 A and UNDER 12 B FIFTEENS.

Back Row (L.-R.): J. O'Brien, C. Dureau, M. Garling, M. Coyle, H. Moore.
2nd Row: P. Flynn, M. Darmody, S. Walsh, D. Bruce, G. Oxenham.
Seated: W. Montgomery, W. Morley, A. Mann, T. Meagher, J. Mitchell (C.).

Back Row (L.-R.): P. Brindle, G. O'Brien. M. Corcoran, B. Young, A. Chan.
2nd Row: R. Vandenberg, G. MacKintosh, M. Pirola, P. Ryan, A. Rogers.
Seated: T. O'Sullivan (C.), A. Parker, V. Haynes, T. Mort, P. Clifton.

U. 12 C v. **N.C.** Lost: 3-12. A good, even game. P. Ryan scored a try. Our best players were W. Haynes and P. Ryan.

(P. Jones).

June 28th: **U. 12 A** v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-14. Grammar were too heavy for us. Our best players were J. Mitchell, G. Oxenham, C. Dureau, M. Garling and T. Meagher.

(A. D.)

U. 12 B v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-15. As above. We could not penetrate the strong opposition. Our best players were B. Young and T. Mort.

(T. O'S.)

U. 12 C v. **S.G.S.** Lost: 0-26. Our opponents were much too strong for us. Best players for us were G. Riley, I. Horsley and P. Jones.

(C. B.)

Let's Talk Cricket

J. O. STENMARK (O.R. 16-17)

Some years ago the late John Boylan wrote a most interesting story about Riverview's Golden Age of Football.

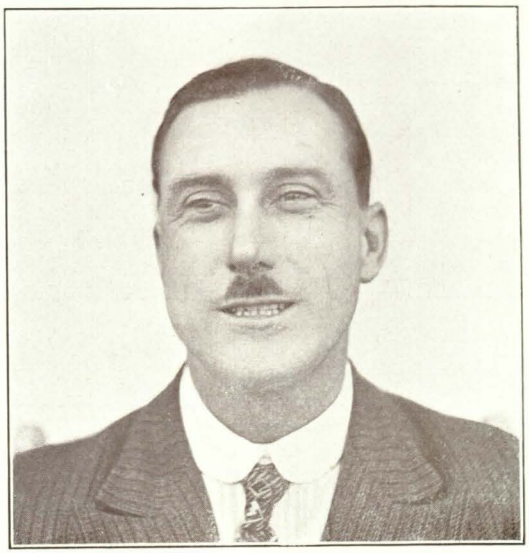
With due appreciation of the Old Ignatians whose G.P.S. careers have been outstanding, who have been "capped" for N.S.W. and who have worn the Green and Gold for Australia in Rugby, I am tempted to pen my choice of Riverview's greatest cricket years and my opinion as to who was the best cricketer the College has produced during my knowledge of Riverview cricket.

Our Golden Age of Cricket was certainly the 1927-1935 period, when Tom Parsonage, Wilson Bull, Len Wooldridge and Hedley Kelly stood pre-eminent among a band of good players — and there were many: — Ron Porter (who captained Newman College, Melbourne and made 66 against a M.C.C. team), "Tug" Morrissey (who played for N.S.W. against Queensland), Jim Sullivan, Bede Kelly, Tom Magney, Terry Glasheen, Vin Golden Jack Parsonage, Clem King, the Johnsons, Jim Stenmark, Alan and David Meagher. I am sure to have omitted many worthy ones, but each of those mentioned has some special claim to cricket immortality on Riverview's Roll of Fame.

With great respect to the "Big Four" mentioned above, I nominate Jim Sullivan as Riverview's "best ever." As "wake-up-Uni" (Mr. Dum.) used to say: "You're off side; any objections?" I have my opinion on the overall performances in G.P.S. and afterwards. Unfortunately I am unable to quote Jim's school figures in detail, but I am certain of these in 1917:— 78 n.o., 5 wickets for 48, 45 and 6 for 19, 118, and 8 for 34, 40 and 6 for 48, 65 n.o. and 3 for 33. In 1916 he took 39 wickets at 9.3 including 5 for 28 off 22 overs, against Grammar, 6 for 20 against Scots and 6 for 36 against Newington.

Jim captained the S.I.C. eleven, gained combined G.P.S. selection three times, making 96 n.o., 101 n.o. and getting 3 wickets for 17 runs. Mr. Ben Jarvie of Newington captained the side as was the custom then and presented Jim with the ball. Some thirty years later, Dave Meagher made a century for the Combined Eleven.

Jim played for Gordon in their famous team — Gerdes, Phillips, Macartney, Taylor, Moyes, Boyce, Kelleway, Oldfield and Campbell, each of whom was a State or Australian Eleven player.



J. O. STENMARK

He frequently opened the attack with Kelleway and in 1926-27 topped the bowling average with 5.58 per wicket. He hit over 400 runs several times. He succeeded Macartney and Kelleway as captain, with Oldfield in the side, and visited Tasmania with "Gar" Waddy's Eleven which included Kippax and Jackson, heading the batting averages (80 odd) and aggregate, getting most wickets and taking most catches. In the winter of 1927 he was invited to accompany Macartney, Woodfull, Bardsley, Andrews, Everett, Mayne, Gamble and Adams to Malaya.

For Newcastle against Victoria, Jim made 7 and got 4 wickets for 14, and against N.S.W. 44 n.o. with 4 for 41. In Country week he took all the honours, averages and aggregates — averaging 85 with the bat and 9 per wicket. Playing against St. George, Jim "took" O'Reilly for two hours while the team got the runs at the other end. How many internationals could bat for two hours against "The Tiger" in his prime on a Test pitch, let alone on a grade wicket prepared to last one afternoon? Thirty-nine was his score and thirty-nine was his age.

His service to Riverview deserves special mention in connection with our "Golden Age". From

1927 to 1933 inclusive, Jim coached Riverview teams, bowling to them every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. He took Third Division on Sunday mornings and brought near State teams to play against the boys — sides containing Macartney, Kippax, Jackson, Dwyer, Moyes and Phillips.

These players were anxious to assist and as Riverview cricketers were under the influence of such great players, they were brought up in a "big cricket" atmosphere. We won two premierships during that era, 1929 and 1933. These were the teams: 1929: T. Parsonage (Capt.), W. Bull, V. Moses, J. Parsonage, O. Alexander, D. Wall, J. Scott, V. Heaton, G. Burke, G. Maher, J. McGrath. 1933: L. Wooldridge (Capt.), T. Magney, H. Kelly, T. Glasheen, P. Casey, A. Zions, D. Hollywood, V. Golden, J. Norris, S. Foley, G. Dillon.

Now, who were the outstanding players? First of all, **Tom Parsonage.** Unfortunately, his complete figures in detail are not available, but some of his scores in 1928 were: 59, 139 n.o., 92, 47, 102, 98 and 94. In 1929 he made 87, 133, 24, 104, 28, 42 n.o., 39, 25, 139, 69, 41, 8, 111, 125 and 117 n.o. An aggregate of 1,116 runs at an average of 79.7. His bowling performances were: 2 for 24, 2 for 35, 7 for 34, 2 for 32, 2 for 29, 2 for 29, 4 for 19, 3 for 38, 5 for 43, 6 for 39, 4 for 29, 3 for 41, 3 for 40, 1 for 55, 6 for 35, 4 for 26 and 5 for 59. An aggregate of 64 wickets at an average of 9.5. Tom secured in all, 2,636 runs at an average of 41.2.



BILL GISSANE.



JIM SULLIVAN.

Wilson Bull of whom Macartney said: "If this lad could stay in Sydney, he may well play for Australia". He took 82 wickets at 10.1 apiece in 1929. His best figures were: 7 for 54 (v. T.K.S.), 6 for 28, 5 for 2 (v. S.G.S.), 6 for 15 (v. T.S.C.), 6 for 54 (v. S.H.S.), 7 for 59 (v. S.C.E.G.S.).

Jack Parsonage, who, when all looked lost, scored 171 n.o. against St. Joseph's — our highest score until Hedley Kelly made 173 n.o. Then Clem King made 191 n.o. against Shore — a record which still stands and a partnership with Vin Golden of 218. That was a tragic match. We closed with 6 for 392; Shore made 506 and we lost outright.

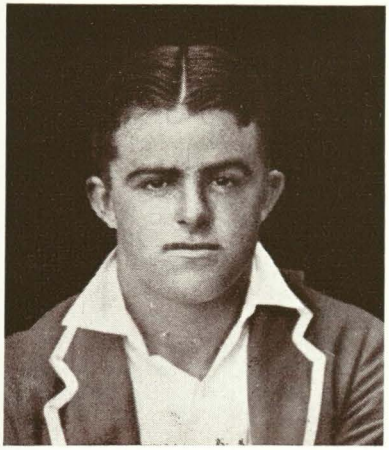
Len Wooldridge. An excellent keeper who turned fast bowler with great success. He made 798 runs at an average of 57 and captained the 1933 side, leading the Combined eleven in 1932 and 1933. He aggregated 1,426 runs at an average of 34.8. Len's greatest bowling performance in point of merit, speed and purpose, was against St. Joseph's. There was no play on the first day. S.I.C. were sent in to bat. Five wickets were down for 25 runs. Then Hedley Kelly (51) and Tom Magney (46) added 94. All were out for 174. Then Wooldridge got to work with frightening speed, clean bowling five for 13. Tom Magney completed the rout with 3 for 15. Len finished with 6 for 46.

Hedley Kelly who came from the sixths in Third Division into the First eleven in 1932, made 53 n.o. in his first match. He was another Riverview schoolboy Bradman. He gained Combined G.P.S. selection in the second eleven in 1932 and in the G.P.S. Firsts in 1933-4-5. He was captain in the last two years, thus following Tom Parsonage and Len Wooldridge in a long succession of G.P.S. captaincy. He was one of the very select few who made three consecutive centuries in G.P.S. matches. His list of ten centuries is: 100, 106 n.o., 108 n.o., 118 n.o., 126, 129, 143 n.o. 144, 148 and 173 n.o. His complete Competition batting analysis in G.P.S. games is: Innings, 52; Not out, 11; Highest score, 178 n.o. Aggregate: 2,298. Average: 56.0.

There were some magnificent partnerships in this 1927-1935 period. M. Scott and B. Johnson made 132 for the first wicket against King's who had made 250. Riverview had lost 7 wickets for 103 when Ossie Alexander joined Tom Parsonage, and they added 111 (Alexander 36). Needing 30, D. Wall, the last man, stayed for 5 n.o. while we won by a wicket, with Parsonage 139 n.o.

Vic Moses (138) and Tom Parsonage (133) established a first wicket record of 210 in 1929. Bristow Johnson (78) and Tom (102) held the second wicket partnership of 158 until J. Scott (74) and Tom (125) put up 205 against Newington after the first wicket had fallen at 10 in the match that gave us the 1929 Premiership. For the 5th wicket, Tom (98) had S. O'Sullivan (46) as his partner when they added 112 against Shore.

B. Johnson, twice unlucky to miss his century (95 and 91), partnered Tom (59) in the addition of 97 and V. Moses (69) in putting on 140 against High School in 1928. Johnson claimed 23 victims that year — 8 caught and 5 stumped — a record that lasted only a year when Vic Moses eclipsed it with 12 catches and 16 stumpings.



TOM PARSONAGE.



HEDLEY KELLY.

The Golden Age of Riverview Cricket? Yes, I think so.

The record partnerships are interesting:—

1st wicket — T. Parsonage — V. Moses 1929 v. High — 210.

2nd wicket — B. O'Neill — A. Keating 1940 v. N.C. — 245.

3rd wicket — M. Scott — T. Parsonage 1927 v. Shore — 219.

4th wicket — V. Golden — C. King 1935 v. Shore — 218.

5th wicket — T. Glasheen — H. Kelly 1932 v. Shore — 178.

6th wicket — L. Wooldridge — J. Norris 1932 v. S.J.C. — 115.

7th wicket — L. Wooldridge — T. Glasheen 1932 v. Shore — 85.

8th wicket — M. Burfitt — B. Lipscomb 1925 v. Shore — 136.

9th wicket — L. Wooldridge — T. Magney 1932 v. Scots — 117.

10th wicket — B. Parle — C. Brennan 1947 v. Shore — 71.

The select few to have made more than a thousand runs for Riverview in Competition matches are:

	Runs	H.S.	Average
T. Parsonage	2636	139 n.o.	41.2
L. Wooldridge	1426		34.6
H. Kelly	2298	193 n.o.	56.0
J. Stenmark	1072	124 n.o.	26.8
D. Meagher	1431	128	51.1

Dave Meagher was extraordinarily consistent. These were his scores in 1946:— 42, 19, 42, 93, 34, 23 43, 34, 49, 37, 74, 73. In 1944 he scored 303 runs in 3 matches in third Term: 82 n.o., 20, 73, 128. Jim Stenmark narrowly missed the distinction of making 100 in each innings against Shore: 124 n.o. and 95. In 1947, B. Parle scored 134 and 100 v. Scots and 138 next match, i.e., 3 in a row.

Chatting to an old N.S.W. player, Austen Diamond, I learned that Sir Henry Manning was the stylist of the University team of his day. This made me look up the 1894-95 issues of the College Magazine. I discovered that Sir Henry was Captain of our Eleven, scoring most runs at the best average and that he came second in the bowling averages with 33 wickets at 6.8.

W. Fraser (father of Rev. C. Fraser, S.J.) that year took 83 wickets at 5 runs each. In 1893 the late beloved Father Healy, S.J., took 37 wickets at 6.4, including 8 wickets in an innings against Shore. And of course the late Percy McDonnell played for Australia.

Greatest bowling performance was surely that of George McElhone (1899-1903) who, against Newington in February 1903, secured 6 wickets for 9 runs in the first innings and 7 wickets for 13 runs in the second innings — a total of 13 wickets for 22 runs. K. McManis holds the record for the largest number of wickets taken in a single innings — 9 for 36 against Newington in 1939. J. Hunt (9 for 50) in 1947, equals this number.

Who was Riverview's most stylish wicket-keeper? I think Bill Gissane (1915-16), but Bristow Johnson, Vic Moses and Bill Lees were also "class". One might ramble on ad infinitum about the days in the sun on Riverview's oval. It has been great fun musing on great schoolboy players and recapturing the thrills of those days.

Ossian Stenmark (1916-17)

(The writer of these notes himself has had quite a notable career too. He took over 1000 wickets in his day, captained the Cumberland C.C., went to Tasmania with Waddy's team in 1936 and represented the Association in the Country matches, etc.)

Editor "O.A.M."

Exchanges

We acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of the following magazines, and apologise for possible omissions:—

The Aloysian (St. Aloysius' College, S.J.); The Xaverian (Xavier College, S.J., Melbourne); The Patrician (St. Patrick's College, S.J., Melbourne); The Clongownian (Clongowes Wood College, Eire); The Eagle (St. Louis, S.J., Perth); The Mungret Annual (Mungret College, S.J., Limerick, Eire); North Point Annual (St. Joseph's College, S.J., Darjeeling, India); The Xaverian (St. Xavier's College, S.J., Calcutta); St. Joseph's College, Hunter's Hill; The King's School Magazine; The Waverlian; The Armidalian; "Manly"; The Record (S.H.S.); Scots College (Sydney); Stonyhurst College, S.J. (Lancashire); The Sydneian (S.G.S.); The Melbournian (Melbourne C.E.G.S.); St. Aloysius' College, Ceylon; Monthly (Cummins and Campbell, Townsville); The Star Wah Yan College, Hong Kong); Downlands (Toowoomba): John's (St. John's College, University); R.A.A.F. College (Point Cook, Victoria); The Newingtonian; New England University; The Australian Genealogist; St John's College, Woodlawn, Lismore; Woolwich Convent; "Viking" (C.E.G.S., Brisbane); "Loreto", Nudgee College, Q.; Aquinas, S.A.; St. Stanislaus, Bandra, Bombay; The Shield, Hong Kong; C.E.G.S. (Sydney); Wesley College (Sydney University); R.M.C. (Duntroon); Portaceli, S.J. (Seville, Spain); St. Mary's High School, Bombay; Wesley College, Sydney University; Brisbane Grammar School.

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PART I.

THE BOY'S POINT OF VIEW

by

"HIC, HAEC, HOC."

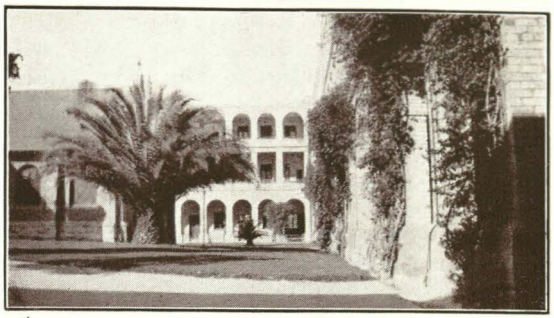
"The long day's task is done,
And we must sleep . . .
(Antony and Cleopatra.)

Riverview strikes everybody differently, but usually in the same place. This blend of the consistent and the unpredictable characterises the place, and therefore makes it much harder to write of the boy's attitude to it. The average boy would acknowledge that Riverview has its enjoyable moments, such as holidays, home-Sundays and week-ends — but these are really only enjoyable because they contrast so vividly with what intervenes. This article is a brief survey of what intervenes, namely Masters and Work. It is sympathetically dedicated to those who are at present not allowed to write articles on the boy's attitude to school life, but who are the best authorities on it, anyway.

Masters, and not the foreshore, are the most interesting things about Riverview. The credit for this should go to St. Ignatius Loyola, who encouraged the first Jesuits to be different from each other so as to divert their pupils' minds from plots and mutiny. Right from the start, all modern Jesuits resolve to be different from each other, and they go at it with unshakeable determination, from building stone walls and cottages to tending lovingly a rose-garden.

However, this diversity does not extend to matter relating to work or penals. There, an unsympathetic and stern uniformity prevails. It was amazing and disturbing to hear the amiable Gaelic reminiscences of the Master who patrolled the Refectory, suddenly resolve into concise English sentences like: "Go up to my room and wait there for me," or "B card for refectory — throwing bread." It was, however, symbolic.

Three nights in a row, my French exercise was returned to me with "Repeat 5" written on it. The fourth night there wasn't a single error in it and I rightly expected some acknowledgement of this triumph, which was certainly unique. However, Jesuit consistency prevailed. My exercise was returned entirely covered by a drawing in red ink of a spindly little demon with



WE KNOW THIS CORNER OF "SCHOOL" VERY WELL.

horns, pitchfork, tail and ferocious scowl. At the time I thought this a symbol of thwarted rage; however, having since seen the same master gamely struggling through a pile of French exercises, I believe he drew the demon more in sorrow than in anger.

Contrary to appearances, masters are vulnerable and can easily be unnerved. An achievement in this field must be credited to a certain Latin student whose ignorance and volubility at last made his mentor shout very loudly — "Blazes!". The shocked silence that followed and the elaborately reproachful faces of the entire class were calculated to exasperate him. They certainly did. "I'll say it again," he said furiously — "Blazes!". He had a closely attentive audience for the rest of the class.

Another very well known and revered master, for all his trouper's self-possession, was once faced with an equally unexpected situation. He was patiently enduring a rehearsal of "Macbeth", when a long pause made it obvious that Lady Macbeth hadn't entered on cue. He went behind the scenes to investigate — and found Lady Macbeth tightly bound to a chair.

That friendly suspicion which characterises the relations between Masters and boys at Riverview, sometimes makes it difficult for the boys to enjoy the few hours of leisure available to them in class-room and study-hall. It used to be the practice — and a very pious one too — for Second Certificate to discreetly prepare its R.K. in the Economics class which preceded the R.K. period by a couple of hours. This inspired the same terse dialogue between Master and pupil every day — except that the pupil was usually a

different one from occasion to occasion. It would start with an abrupt question, addressed to whatever victim seemed either uninterested or unsuccessfully fighting sleep. The question would follow upon some emphatic truism from the Economics text-book:—

"Well, what do you think of that?". The reply was usually given thoughtfully and slowly: "There does seem to be something in what he says, Father". "Do you agree with that statement?" A long pause, but any attempt at prompting is impossible in that glacial silence. "Naturally, one is hesitant about contradicting it, Father." "Well?" "Well, I think there's a lot to be said for both sides." "What are we discussing?" "Im afraid I don't know, Father." "Penals — half-past nine to ten."

The Jesuits in the class-room are similar only in so far as they are all pretty good teachers. Their methods are certainly unconventional, but are usually alike in the dauntless confidence with which they are applied. Anyone who wandered into Ancient History class would wonder whether it was Geology, Unarmed Combat or a lecture on Elementary Sanitation. More time was spent on the system of drainage beneath the market place of Athens, than on the philosophers who frequented it. The result is that that particular teacher never had a failure in his subject; and Ancient History — heresy of heresies — was almost enjoyable.

The worst side of school life is certainly the examinations. Only one of these is enjoyable and that is the Leaving Certificate French Orals. My own experience of this exam was rather bitter, as I didn't hear Madame say that she would repeat each phrase twice. It surprised me to discover that each subsequent phrase I was expected to write was exactly similar to the one which had preceded it — until I arrived at the obvious conclusion. Madame was reading out a piece of modern French poetry in which the rhyme was achieved by repeating each line twice, I am sure that my paper is framed somewhere in the Education Department, particularly since I understood the words for 'comma' and 'full-stop' to mean "maiden" and "stab" respectively.

I have to end this rambling survey somewhere and this last paragraph seems a good place to do so. Let me briefly sum up. The boy's attitude to school life is one of patient, wary resignation. He endures each tribulation with a grandeur of spirit that does him great credit. He seldom casts acid on the clapper of the school bell and he runs away only once in every three years. He never mines the avenue and he never snipes at masters from the roof. He is duly appreciative of the simple things of life, like money, parents and winning the G.P.S. Competition. And if they are simple enough, he has a soft spot even for masters.

PART II.
THE MASTER'S POINT OF VIEW
by
"Ho, Hay, To"

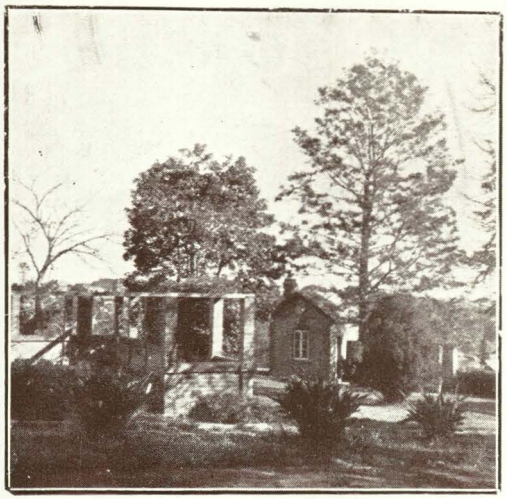
The old woman, when asked by the clerk of the court if she would swear to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, gave the famous reply: "Yerra! what sort of a fool do you think I am?" And I, when asked by the charming but peevishly persistent editor of "O.A.M." to write about school from the master's point of view, felt that, in consenting to do so, I was not as wise as, of course, I am.

It was impossible to shield myself against the law of libel, by the ingenious and ingenuous statement of detective story writers, that all my characters are fictitious and that no reference is deliberately intended to any living person. My characters, alas! are alive, blatantly alive! They equally alas, are not fictitious. They exist — and how! Nor do I wish anyone, least of all the little blisters themselves, to think that they are to be regarded as pure figments of my fevered fancy. I am not (yet) as mad as all that! I only trust they recognize themselves. Of course being the psychological pachyderms they are, they will not squirm — more's the pity! But law of libel or no law of libel, here goes.

At Long Bay, Her Majesty's guests at least are spared the torment of teaching! My subject is boys. Not any boys or all boys (thank Heaven!), but the ones it is my lot to teach, or — let the writer of the other article take heed — to have taught.

"Maxima debetur puero reverentia" said a Latin Poet. C. Juvenal, his name was, young ignoramus, (or ignorami). And who was Juvenal? A bachelor, if you please, who had no boys of his own to bring up, I'll swear, nor any Master's term report to get round. What did he know of schoolboys? Perhaps by accident the old rogue once rose early enough to be greeted by them with their usual hypocritical angelic smiles. He did not know they were cheerfully inventing an original (as they thought) excuse for work not known. He was too deaf to hear their pungent witticisms on his grey hairs or lack of them. More probably he invented the whole thing out of his own mind: I think, like you, he never grew up.

Anyhow, that whole thought of his suggests an enchantment due to distance and ignorance.



IN THE GARDEN.

More likely to have known boys and even (God rest his soul) to have taught them, was the old monk who records with sympathy the story of his younger confrere watering dry sticks in the garden at the bidding of his superior. Yes! I can see that old monk as a schoolmaster, perspiring freely under his holy habit, as in crystal clear words (all masters are crystal clear — witness me!) he conveys priceless treasures of learned lore — the square on the hypotenuse, the delightfully intricate verbs in — i (mi), the imperfect subjunctive of s'asseoir and the like. I see him chalk-covered, chalk-parched, casting his pearls before — (fill up the blank there is no prize), who yawn, fidget, scrawl over the desks or give bad imitations of ventriloquists as they endeavour unnoticed to convey fatuous witticisms to their equally uninterested neighbours. I can see my old monk envying the novice watering the dry sticks. After all, the superior will not ask him to make *them* pass an examination. That would be carrying a joke too far in the novitiate. But wait, thinks the old monk, grimly smiling, he too will come to this, my fine young novice who prides himself on obedience, and finds himself with worse than dry sticks to water.

And his gaze turns back to those before him, looking at him, when they do deign to look at him, with the glazed eyes of sub-moronic fish. The only time those eyes become bright with the sparkle of intelligence is when the bell goes at the end of the period. The only time those lackadaisical forms, those indistinct voices betray life and intelligibility is when, at the end of the term, they give three hypocritical cheers for the sage they have plagued actively and passively for a whole three-months term.

Nor are the old monk's worries over when these hitherto inanimate deadweight logs are jumping like dervishes outside his window after school, or beating interminable tatoos on drums, or playing over and over again, with devilish delight, on their brazen bugles, their repertoire of two tunes, to cease only when one of them with a voice like a superannuated and asthmatic fog-horn, bawls orders that pierce the ear-drum.

Then, when the little animals have gone to feed or are herded unwillingly into the study hall, he must face the correction of Latin exercises, supposed Latin and French which resemble a medieval Portuguese dialect written by a half-witted and not too sober Zulu.

Ah! my dear old monk, you knew what watering dry sticks meant. You *were* a school-master! I affirm it with that infallibility which all schoolmasters, of course, enjoy. But stay — I hear the hated voice of Juggins Minor (slightly less obnoxious only than Juggins Maior) dare to interrupt: "But you were a boy once, and . . ." "Stop your impertinent, snivelling drivel. Of course I was a boy once. But a very different one from you. I delighted in the verbs in — mi, was happy with my hypotenuses, immersed in my irregular verbs, I and all my fellow victims, the other learned masters in this school."

Juggins Minor is silent, as he rarely is, save when his mouth is filled with toffee. But who, ah! who is this pale ghost with eerie locks that glares at me! Can it be my old master of former days? It is. What says he? " . . . minor, do you not remember when you had your Home Sunday stopped for giving me infernal cheek? Do you not remember when you stopped a whale of a six, for copying your Greek exercise? Do you not remember when you said that La Fontaine was one of the four great rivers of France? Do you not . . . ?" Prithee, good ghost, raise not thy reedy voice. The boys will hear thee. 'Tis true I'm getting old and thin on top, and thick in the middle and forgetful at least of some things I would fain forget. Haunt me no more and I anon shall have done. I crave one boon alone of thee whom I in my turn plagued and then forgot, and it is this: I want to ask those dry sticks of mine who read this article to remember that if ever grim fate makes them school-masters, they never agree to write an article for the Editor of O.A.M. on the master's point of view.

As sure as they do, I shall return to haunt them with unpleasant forgotten memories of their own school days, unless, of course, in future they prize my pearls as they ought.

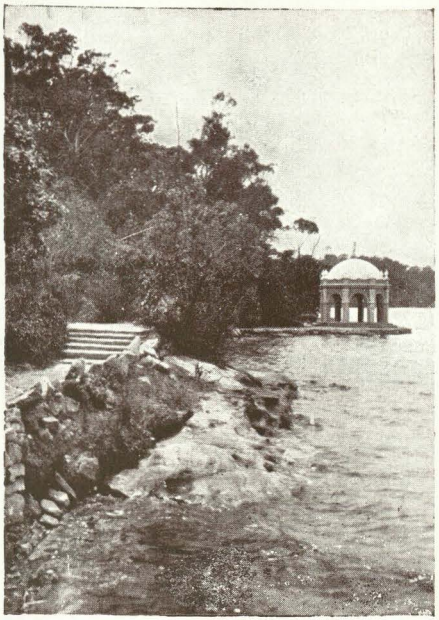
Say, ghost, do you think that will do the trick? You wonder? So do I.

"The Legacy" of St. Ignatius

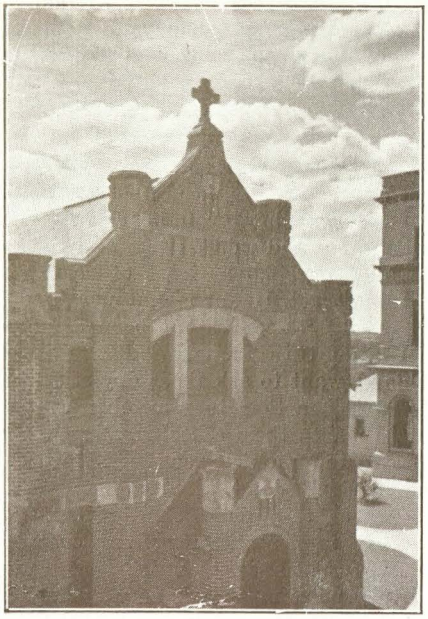
St. Ignatius died on July 31st, 1556. This year we commemorate the 400th anniversary of his death. The occasion is an apt one for reviewing some of the figures which illustrate the growth and activities of the Society of Jesus, whose founder St. Ignatius is.

On the 27th September, 1540, Pope Paul III. by a special Bull, confirmed the Society which then counted ten members. At first a limit of sixty members was imposed. Soon, however,, owing to various circumstances, the limitation was lifted, and at his death St. Ignatius saw over one thousand Jesuits in 100 different houses, and divided into ten Provinces for the sake of Government.

As the years went by, the activities undertaken by the Society went on increasing together with its members, who grew from strength to strength. These members from the earliest years of the Society's existence were to be found in many countries. The work of winning souls for God and the Church was blessed with great success in Europe as well as the Far East, in countries Catholic, Protestant and Pagan. By 1750 the membership had increased to 22,589. In all there were 1,563 houses divided into 39 Provinces. 15,000 Jesuits were staffing no fewer than 845 Colleges.



NEAR THE WATER.



CHAPEL FRONT.

As for all human institutions, an end had come to the flourishing Society of Jesus. The enemies of the Church and of the Society prevailed over Pope Clement XIV. It was the year 1773 that witnessed the Suppression of the Jesuits. The Society of Jesus was no more, except for a handful of men working in White Russia, under the Empress Catherine II. who forbade the promulgation of the Papal Bull of Suppression.

After recognising the Society in Russia, Parma and the Kingdom of Naples, his Holiness Pope Pius VII. in 1814 formally restored the Society of Jesus to the World. Membership rose to 600. Growth has been rapid ever since. In 1850 the Jesuits numbered 4,600. By 1900 there were 15,073 members in 23 Provinces. Fifty years of further growth saw 30,579 members of whom 4,954 were working in the Foreign Missions. The old activities were once again flourishing. The numbers are still on the increase. The latest figures available indicate a membership of over 32,900. But the Society can proudly boast of her Saints. Twenty seven Jesuits have been Canonised, 143 have been Beatified and over 200 are Venerable Servants of God.

Today Jesuits are to be found in practically every country of the world. Their activities are as varied as the 74 countries in which they are to be found. There are, in fact, some 885 in Africa, 11,200 in the two Americas, 4,155 in Asia, 16,000 in Europe and 350 in Oceania. Each year about 1,540 new members are received. The annual death roll is approximately 350 (the average age being between 70 and 80). Each year sees also about 530 Jesuits Ordained. Besides Priest and Scholastics — those studying for the Priesthood — there are over 5,000 Jesuit Brothers, men who are doing sterling work for God in the Society, at the various menial tasks about the house, in offices and at clerical work in connection with big Institutions.

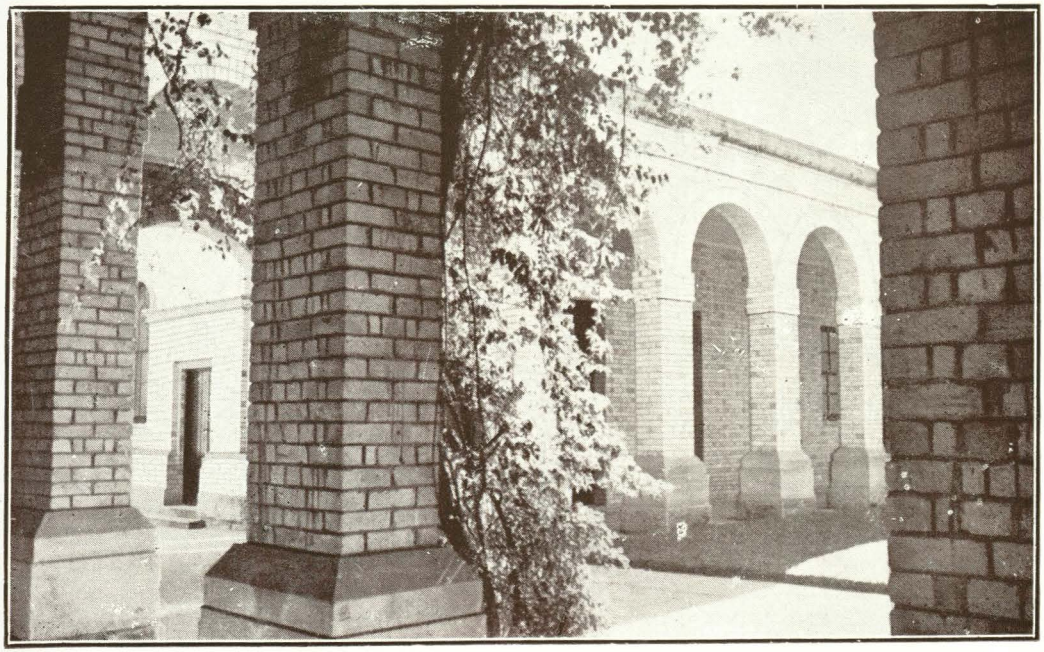
Seventy one Mission Fields claim 5,733 Jesuits (Priests, Scholastics and Brothers). Thirty-two are Australian Jesuits working on the Indian Mission of Hazaribagh and Palamau, in Northern India.

In the field of education, the Society is directing 95 Universities and Institutes of Higher Studies. Chief of them is of course the Pontifical Gregorian University the Pope's own University, in Rome with a roll of 2,572. It is the descendant of the Roman College founded by St. Ignatius himself, and always very close to his heart. These students represent 28 Religious Orders, and 56 Congregations, and comprise men of 58 different nationalities.

For Laymen the Society directs 59 Universities and University Colleges with a total of 153,000 students. In U.S.A. there are 33 of them, with 97,183 students. Besides these there are 382 Secondary Colleges with 169,000 students, 192 Technical and Industrial Schools, Mission Schools with 400,000 children; 28 Seismological Stations, 12 Radio Stations, 16 Leper Asylums (10,187 lepers), Orphanages (13,400 orphans). Annual Society publications (books) number 834, 1,320 Periodicals in 50 languages. Total number of copies issued each year — 143,207,000.

In Australia, the Society's educational work so far has been chiefly in Secondary and Primary Schools (8 in all) though it has charge of a Major Seminary (Corpus Christi College, Werribee, Vic.) the Holy Name Seminary, Christchurch, N.Z. and four University Colleges, (Melbourne, Adelaide, Brisbane and Perth). A number of Australian Jesuits also lend their services to Catholic Adult Education and Catholic Organizations, for example at the Central Catholic Library and the Institute of Social Order, both in Melbourne. In general we can say that in a limited way the 310 Jesuits in Australia are doing work typical of the Society of Jesus, for the Greater Glory of God.

F.R., S.J.



THROUGH THE ARCHES.



The Cadet Unit

With the decision to make Cadet training obligatory for boys in third and fourth years, our Cadet Unit was greatly increased this year. Enrolments rose immediately to the two hundred mark, and more significantly, stayed there throughout the year. Certain Fifth year members resigned as the year advanced and studies pressed harder; but the second term promotions to Second Division from Third Division provided more recruits.

The rapid increase in numbers brought many problems of organisation and training — but enthusiasm was to be found in nearly every kitbag, and difficulties were never insurmountable. Lack of issued uniforms was a disappointment but not an obstacle. By Anzac Day the Unit was ready for inspection by high ranking officers of the Armed Forces.

Major-General John A. Chapman, C.B., D.S.O., inspected the parade, and addressed the Cadets at the Memorial Honour Roll in the quadrangle.

From ceremonial drill we moved in the second term to battle training, the more realistic feature of Cadet activities. For this purpose our Unit was re-organised on the actual pattern of an infantry battalion. We now had three companies with Headquarters, Intelligence, Rifle Platoons, Signals, Vickers, Mortar Platoons, and an Assault Pioneer Platoon.

The College surroundings proved a fine training area for battle procedure, and the Cadets were able to engage in many small-scale offensive and defensive tactics which are the main role of infantry in warfare.

It was particularly interesting to have our Regimental instructor Sgt.-Major Cullen, a veteran of Korea, teach us the tactics of platoon offensive and defensive when not so long ago he had been using these same principles in a shooting war against the Communists.

Because of this emphasis on battle procedure, many half-holidays and Sunday afternoons were accompanied with the noise of battle as parties fought it out with blanks. And while wars were won and lost in the bush around the College, the underlying principle of all this activity was that when one fighting man fired at another he always hit him and put him out of action. This must be the rule in mock warfare, but we have to see that in real warfare our shooting is straight.

And so much time was spent at the Miniature Range and thousands upon thousands of rounds were fired as the year went on. Entries were made for the Empire Shields Competition on the Miniature Range and the results will be declared in the coming year, since this competition covers the Empire.

During the second term, a Rifle Club was formed among Cadets interested in Open Range Shooting. Many enjoyable trips to Long Bay Rifle Range were arranged. Teams for the G.P.S. Shooting Competition were chosen, and despite lack of experience and many of the helps which are part of good rifle shooting equipment, our participants were not without honour.

The third term brought up the competition for the Champion Shot of the Unit. And then our mind was just a dither with thoughts of Camp at Singleton circling continuously around like a certain variety of insect whose biological nomenclature I cannot remember.

I would like to thank all boys in the Unit for the interest they have had in Cadet Activities, and particularly all our Cadet Under Officers and N.C.O.s without whom the Cadet Unit would have been a very dull affair. I will not mention names, because there are so many, and I fear I would forget some — but at least a tribute must be paid to Cadet Under Officer Michael Saddington, Second-in-Command of the Unit. A magnificent rifle shot, a smartly drilled officer, he was a leader the Unit could be proud of. To him I give my grateful thanks for work so well done.

One thing remains — a tribute and a special "thank you" to Captain Leonard Skewes, who



ANZAC DAY.
Top Left: Father Rector and Officials watch the March Past.
Top Right: The Chapel Guard.
Centre R.: Inspection.
Lower R.: The Cadet Band.

is a very good friend to the Unit, and a former Officer Commanding. He has not neglected us this year. He has smoothed the path of many projects and given freely of his time and his talent to help us in every way possible. Many of the things the new Officer in Command did were first discussed and worked out at night with Captain Skewes. We are very grateful to him for his assistance and very pleased with the visits he has made to us during the year. For his magnificent work in the past years, we can find no adequate words of thanks, but we feel sure that he himself will find it in the minds of all the boys he helped during his years as Officer in Command.

Douglas Boyd, S.J.
O.C. Unit.

ANZAC DAY

A very large number of visitors was present at Riverview this year for our annual Anzac Day ceremonial.

Before the Solemn Requiem Mass began at 9.30 a.m. the Chapel was full to the doors with Cadets, parents of deceased Old Boys and other visitors. Additional chairs had to be brought from the Memorial Hall to accommodate those present and even then many could find no room.

Major-General John A. Chapman, C.B., D.S.O., arrived punctually and was received by Lieut. D. Boyd, S.J., O.C. Cadet Unit and Capt. L. Skewes. The Mass was celebrated by V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview) Fathers J. Connolly, S.J. and H. Sneddon were Deacon and sub-deacon respectively. At the organ was Cpl. Brummer. Father G. F. Jones, S.J., preached the occasional sermon which was short and to the point. He reminded those present that we were commemorating the supreme sacrifice made by our Old Boys in both wars, fighting in defence of the Cross of Christ against the mutilated cross — the Swastika — that we, who survived might be secure. He urged the present generation to think well on what that sacrifice meant and to be ready when, and if called up, to defend by their practice in life, the Cross of Christ and all it stood for.

At the end of Mass Cpl. Brummer played Chopin's Funeral March as the guests moved towards Third Field where the Cadets led by Cadet Under Officer M. Saddington were drawn up in three companies. The Cadet Band was under the direction of Drum-Major Dawson .

General Chapman, accompanied by the Rector and Capt. L. Skewes, then inspected the Cadets whose bearing and precision of movement were very favourably commented on.

After the inspection, the Cadets marched to the Quadrangle and lined up opposite the War Memorial upon which wreaths were laid by the following:—Major General Chapman on behalf of the College Cadets; V. Rev. Fr. Rector on behalf of the College; Mr. Cecil O'Dea President, for the Old Ignatians' Union; Mrs. O'Dea, President, for the Parents and Friends' Association; Miss J. Raper, President, on behalf of the Riverview Younger Set.

Father Rector then welcomed General Chapman and thanked him for gracing with his presence the annual commemoration of our Old Boys who had given their lives in defence of us all, in both Great Wars. He felt, he said, that their example would be an inspiration to the younger generation who would be ready and generous in their service if the occasion ever arose.

He also welcomed Colonel O'Sullivan, former S.O.S.C., N.S.W. and an old friend of long standing on these occasions.

General Chapman frankly confessed that he was thrilled at the whole Ceremonial and offered his sincere congratulations to the Cadet Unit on their efficiency and smart turn-out. The day started, as it should, with the Church's liturgy which, in itself, was inspiring and carried out in a beautiful Chapel. The military procedure followed and he hoped that today's ceremony would live long in our memory. "Anzac" stands out in the history of our country and the heroic deeds of our men at the Dardenelles 41 years ago will never be forgotten. Let us hope, he said, that Anzac Day will ever be more splendidly observed with the passage of the years. The present boys are the heirs of the spirit of Anzac and as the Colleges of today will supply the leaders of tomorrow he was confident that all boys present would be prepared to play their part and would cultivate the qualities of leadership. He urged them to develop strongly the special qualities of integrity, trustworthiness, honesty and justice. These they could and would develop now in their school life — and stick to them all their lives.



A SILENT PATH, RIVERVIEW "BUSH."
(Photo — J. Kirby).

The general, accompanied by Father Rector, Col. O'Sullivan and Captain L. Skewes, then proceeded to the front porch of the College and took the Salute at the march past.

Morning tea was served in the Front Garden by members of the Parents and Friends' Association. It was no light task, considering the very large number of visitors, but, as usual, was carried out by these ladies with their customary efficiency and brought the Anzac Day Ceremonial to a pleasant conclusion.

Perhaps we should have mentioned earlier in this account the efficiency displayed by the Flag Party, composed of Sgt. J. Raper, Cpl. G. Herbert, D. Rowe, L/Cpl. M. Hammond and L/Cpl. K. Shanley. The Ceremonial Guard, also very impressive, was led by C.S.M. D. Connoly, and con-

sisted of Cpl. P. Bookallil, Cpl. R. Bellingham, Cadets J. Kouvelis, R. Roberts, I. Saddington, J. Deloughery, P. Meagher, G. Kirby, M. Loneragan, A. Black. And the Catafalque Guard, much and favourably commented upon consisted of Sgt. J. Davidson, Sgt. D. Blake, Cpl. N. Silva and L/Cpl. M. Kavanaugh.

CAPTAIN L. J. SKEWES

With very great regret, the Cadet Unit parted this year with Captain L. F. Skewes, who has rendered it great and efficient service over several years and brought it to a very high standard.

He took over the Unit from Father Morrison, S.J., at the beginning of 1949, with the idea of keeping it together until a member of the College staff could be found to replace him. This was not an easy matter and it was only at the end of last year that he was able to relinquish Command to Rev. D. Boyd, S.J. recently appointed to Riverview.

During his term of office, Captain Skewes did much to improve the standing of the Unit. He was responsible for the formation of the Band, increased the voluntary membership to 133 and also formed the first Colour Party. (The College Colour was presented by Mrs. R. Duval in memory of deceased Old Boys at Riverview and the King's Colour was given by the Parents and Friends' Association).



CAPTAIN L. SKEWES.

Features of the Unit's activities were the annual trips made, under Captain Skewes, to many different parts of Australia and beyond. The first party of Cadets went to Hobart and this trip was followed in subsequent years, by others — to Perth (W.A.), Adelaide, Melbourne, Canberra, Queensland, Hayman Island, and even to New Zealand.

The Cadets thoroughly enjoyed these trips and, incidentally created a good impression and enhanced the reputation of the School wherever they went, rising every time to the heights of behaviour expected by their O.C.

They were entertained at every Government House in Australia and during the Royal Tour, met some of the world's leading figures. Captain Skewes presented two Cadets to His Royal Highness, the Duke of Edinburgh. Other members of the Unit were included in a Special Guard arranged for Her Majesty at Parliament House, Canberra. They were also presented to Viscount and Viscountess Bruce, visiting English Generals, the Prime Minister and Dame Pattie Menzies and to His Excellency the Governor-General Sir William Slim and Lady Slim.

The Anzac Day Ceremonial at Riverview, which has become the high-light of the Cadets' year was organised in the first place by Captain Skewes, at the request of V. Rev. Father J. Casey, S.J., then Rector of Riverview. This Ceremonial, as we all know, has now become a big, important and impressive event in the life of the School.

It will be seen by the foregoing remarks that the Riverview Cadet Unit — and the College — owe a big debt of gratitude to Captain Skewes to whom nothing was a trouble, whose initiative and efficiency were by-words and through whom the Cadets have come to play an integral part in College activities.

His departure from our midst will be sadly noted. No matter who it is who succeeds him in Command, it will be difficult to keep to the high standard he created and fostered. We can but hope that his influence will still be felt in the ranks of the Unit, and we are quite certain that his sterling service will never be forgotten. Our best wishes follow him together with our grateful thanks.

"Civilian".

Parents and Friends' Association

President:
Mrs. C. O'Dea.

Vice-Presidents: Mesdames Harrison, O'Brien, Clark, Haynes, Conrick and Raper.

Joint Hon. Secretaries: Mrs. N. M. Clements and Mrs. T. Quinn.

Hon. Treasurer: Mrs. A. H. Stevenson.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The annual General Meeting was held at the College on Sunday, February 12th, 1956. Mrs. Pearce presented the Secretary's Report which was unanimously accepted. The Balance Sheet and Treasurer's Report was read by Mrs. Hall in the absence of Mrs. Larking. A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. K. Slocum for his invaluable help as Hon. Auditor during the year.

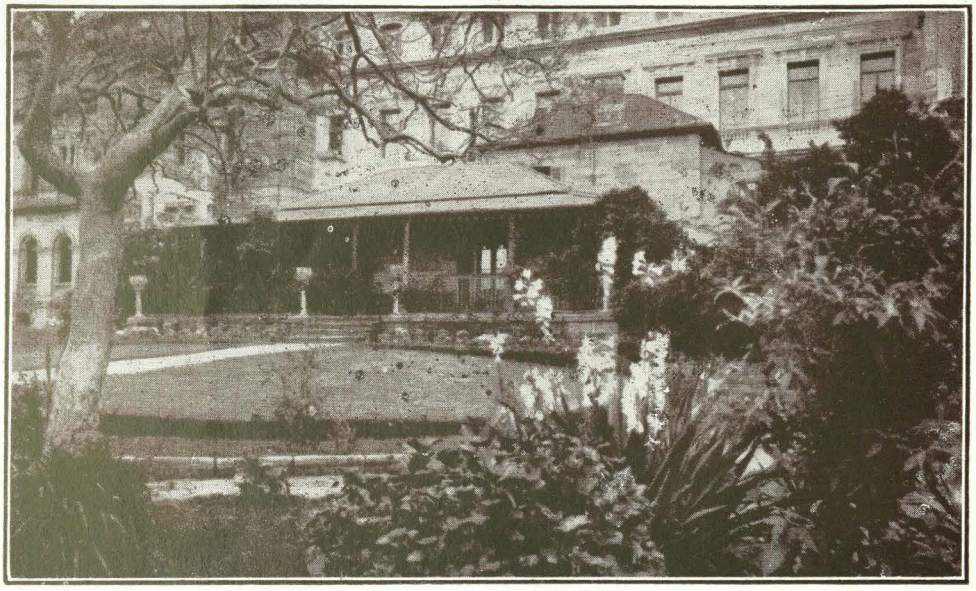
Mrs. Chatfield, the retiring President, thanked the various members for their help throughout the year and presented to Father Wallace a cheque for £472/19/9 towards the construction of the new Drive.

After the election of office-bearers for 1956, Father Rector congratulated the outgoing Committee on the work they had done, welcomed the new Committee and wished them every success during the Ignatian year. In return for all the work done by the Mothers, Father Rector suggested a Day of Recollection if such an idea appealed to them.

The incoming President, Mrs. O'Dea, thanked Father Wallace for his address and the members for the honour they paid her in electing her as President.

WELCOME TO NEW MOTHERS

At the Carlton Hotel, on March 7th, fifteen new Mothers were welcomed by the Committee and Members of the Association. It proved a very happy gathering which was honoured by the presence of Father Wallace, who addressed us during the afternoon. Before afternoon tea, a short musical interlude was rendered by Mrs. Curtin.



"THE OLD AND THE NEW."

RIVERVIEW "GOLD CUP"

The Riverview "Gold Cup" Regatta was held on March 24th in bright sunshine. The official party included Rev. Father Provincial, Father Rector, the Minister for the Navy and Mrs.

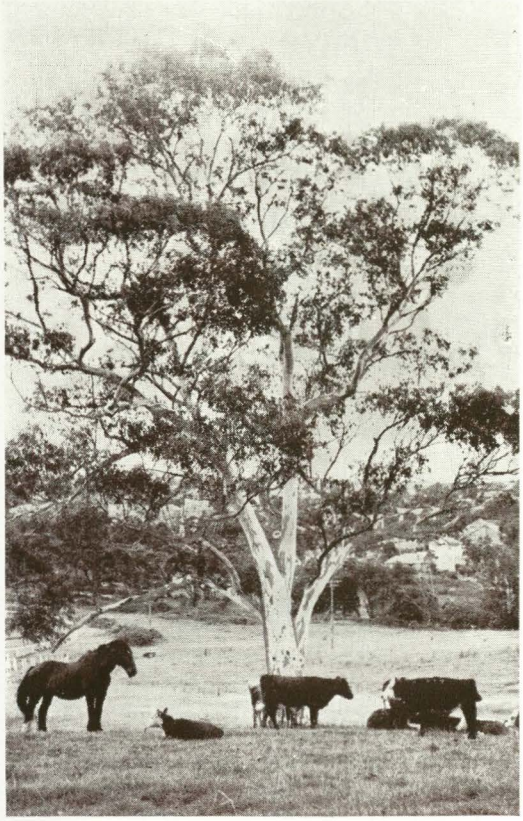
O'Sullivan, representatives of the Great Public Schools and Rowing Clubs. Afternoon tea was served by the Committee whose thanks are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Kinnaird for the use of their home.

PICTURE EVENING

Our first function for the year was a pre-view film evening on April 11th. Our thanks are due to Dr. and Mrs. Brian Haynes for their co-operation and the use of their home, and to the members of the Committee who so generously donated and helped with the supper.

ANZAC DAY

Requiem Mass was celebrated by Father Wallace. This was followed by the placing of a wreath on the War Memorial by our President, Mrs. O'Dea. Morning tea was served in the garden to a very large number of guests, and we thank all those who helped, including the Cadet Corps.



A PEACEFUL AFTERNOON.

DINNER DANCE

At the Wentworth Hotel on Saturday, 30th of June, approximately 200 members and their friends enjoyed a delicious dinner and an evening marked by its informality. At the official table Mr. and Mrs. O'Dea entertained Rev. Father Provincial, Father Wallace, Father Casey and Mrs. Slocum.

BOYS' DANCE

An innovation this year was the holding of the Boys' Dance in the School Memorial Hall. The Hall and Refectory were artistically decorated and a hot supper was donated and served by the Committee and Association members. To these we offer our sincere thanks. Thanks also to Father Rector and members of the Community for all their assistance.

INDIAN MISSION BAZAAR

A large crowd attended this Bazaar held at Riverview on Saturday, 15th September. The afternoon tea, sandwich and coffee bar, sweets and drink stall were conducted by the members of the Association. Previous to the Bazaar, at the request of V. Rev. Father A. Kelly, who was then Provincial, a picture afternoon was held at Hoyt's Theatre, Double Bay, to raise extra funds for the Missioners in India. Our many members and friends responded generously by their attendance and donations of goods to the stall held in the foyer of the theatre. We take this opportunity of thanking all for their co-operation. As a result we were happy to forward to Father Dynon, a cheque for £66.

TUCK-SHOP

Our Tuck-shop days were busy ones and we sincerely thank Father Fitzgerald and Brothers Johnson and Doran for their untiring assistance on these days. We are grateful too, to Mrs. Quinn who so ably organised the catering and helpers —and to the boys who tended the fires and helped in so many ways.

In conclusion, the Association thanks Father Wallace, the members of the Community, the Lay-teachers, Matron Maher and Sister Kirk for their care, spiritual and temporal, of our sons.

Naomi M. Clements,
Hon. Secretary.

[The College authorities are fully aware of the generous, unselfish and cheerful co-operation and help given to Riverview by the Members of the Parents and Friends' Association year by year. Nothing is a trouble to them and our most sincere appreciation and thanks go to them for all they are doing for the School and its boys.]



THROUGH THE CLASS-ROOM WINDOW.

THE RIVERVIEW YOUNGER SET

President:
Miss Jane Raper
Vice-President: Tony Patterson
Treasurer: John Dunford
Secretary: Paul Ramsay
Assistant Secretary: Mary Armstrong

The Regatta Dance at the Pickwick Club which was the first function held by the newly elected Executive Committee proved to be the best Regatta Dance held for many years. Over 200 people attended the Dance which proved a most social and financial success.

The next function was a "Steak and Dance Night" held at Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Raper's home, taking the form of a barbecue and a dance combined. This was another social success and over 150 people attended this function. The Committee would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Raper for the use of their home and for their wonderful co-operation in making this show a success. Jane, our President, also deserves a lot of the credit for the work she so unfailingly gave. The girls of the Committee co-operated wonderfully and amongst the boys Brendan Smith deserves a mention. We decided after this function to hold another barbecue within the near future.

A Dance was held in a private hall at Waverley and this was attended by a considerably smaller number of people but nevertheless proved to be quite successful.

Amongst the new innovations of the present Committee was a magazine entitled "The Review" which also proved to be quite popular, the idea of the magazine being that all information and matters of interest were included in this Review to keep in touch with the many members dispersed over New South Wales. This magazine was received very well and the Committee is hoping to make it a monthly bulletin to the members.

A function called "A Hayride and Barbecue Sunday" is to take place on the 25th November and from all reports the sale of the tickets is going wonderfully well. This indicates that another successful barbecue will be held by the Riverview Younger Set. The barbecue is to be held at Mr. Roy Ranyard's property situated at Mulgoa. It will take the form of a barbecue and a general day in the country with boating, horse riding thrown in for good measure.

Special credit is due to our President, Miss Jane Raper who has attended all our meetings and given unfailing support throughout the year. Her method of conducting those meetings was, in every respect, faultless. Brendan Smith, a member of the Committee, did great work organising the football fixtures and in the general running of functions. John Dunford, our Treasurer, has done a good job and given keen and enthusiastic support to every project.

Paul Ramsay, Secretary of the Younger Set, also deserves a word of thanks for his splendid work. He represented the Younger set on the Committee of the Old Boys' Union, and did it well.

—W. Anthony Patterson.

(The President of the Younger Set would like to thank Tony Patterson for his enthusiastic assistance during the year especially at the barbecues that were held. — Ed. "O.A.M.")

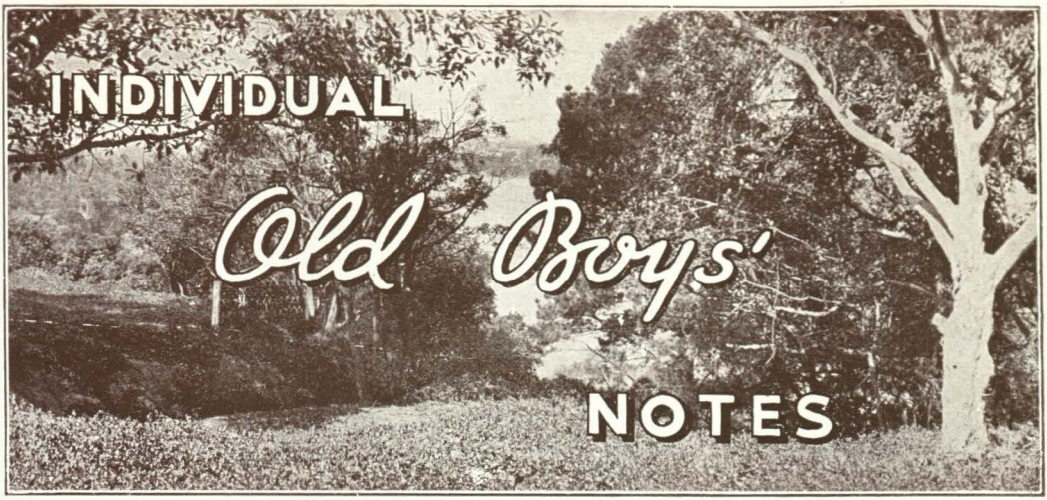


Photo: IN THE FRONT GARDEN. "Melba" Studios.

We are well aware that inaccuracies may be found among the following notes and that between the time of writing and printing, changes may have taken place of which we are not aware. Such mistakes are inevitable, unless Old Boys themselves (who have supplied these notes) on whom we rely for information let us know.

We are naturally anxious to "chronicle" the whereabouts and activities of individuals as accurately as we can and shall be more than grateful for any corrections or additions that may be sent us.

We have endeavoured to increase slightly this section of the Magazine, for we recognise that our Old Boys are "Riverview at large". The more we know of them, wherever they are, the happier we are. With a final request then, that they help us all they can we leave these notes to their indulgent criticism.

George Admans (54-55) was only two years at Riverview — coming to us "in advanced years" so to speak. But he quickly entered into our ways and became one of us. We were sorry to lose him after the L.C. Exams. last December. He is now doing a very full day's work with his mother at the Belle Vue Hotel, George St., Brisbane and — of course — has joined the Old Ignatians' Union. We wish him well.

Our old friend **Joe Alagna** (21-30) pays us a visit at least once a year and when possible attends the O.I.U. reunion at Young. He works during the year on "Whareora," Boorowa.

Jack Alexander (22-23) whose boy **Michael** is nearing the end of the Riverview course, comes to see us more than once each year. He is always at the Newcastle reunion too as is his brother **Oswald** (25-29). Both are in business at Newcastle and **Alan** (22-23), Chartered Accountant has his office in Sydney (Jack's "sun-room" attracts us. Look out Jack!)

K. T. ("Frosty") Allan (12-15) once captain of the Sheds at Riverview and a keen oar, is, as usual, working on "Stirling," Rob Roy, Inverell and has his son **Bill** (44-47) as his right-hand man. Time we saw them both again.

Dr. Peter Anderson (35-40) resident M.O. at St. Vincent Hospital intends to be an eye specialist. His brother **Dr. Tom** (35-40) has been practising as a Radiologist in Newcastle for a considerable time. We offer them our sincere sympathy on the death of their father, Mr. T. Anderson on Good Friday this year. R.I.P.

We accused **Pat Andrews** (47-48) of neglecting to pay us promised visits. Just to prove us wrong Pat has been up our way several times. He says he's very busy at his work with Thomas Cook & Son travel agents, and that he has long hours — but he doesn't look a bit haggard! He must have other attractions! (It was only recently that we discovered that Pat is now married).

Lou Anivitti (94-97) Life Vice-President of the Union has been living at Wentworth Falls for several years. He has retired from the active business world and plays much golf in congenial surroundings. His son **Lou, Jnr.** (30-32) is with the Dunlop Rubber Company in the City.

Alan Anning (24-25) is a Chartered Accountant of long standing and in recent years has his office in Townsville, Q. Does he ever get down as far as Sydney? (We're getting old, you see!) **Frank** (25-26) looks after a cattle station

out from Charters Towers, and **Clem** (24) we believe, has a home in Brisbane, but we don't know his occupation.

Bob Arkins (43-45) whom we rarely see, is at work with Garrett, Davidson & Matthey Pty. Ltd., George St. His brother **Geoff,** solicitor (43) practises at Lyceum House, Pitt St. We usually meet him on Regatta Day and during the football season.

Dr. Ray Asprey (45-46) is at work this year at the Mater Misericordiae hospital, Pacific Highway. His brother **Warren (44-46)** Solicitor, practises in Sydney.

"Stoo" Baalman (44-51) has been facing up to the severe Exams. of the Engineering course and now has the satisfaction of knowing that the finals are the only hurdle to clear. May he "sail over".

Jim Baggott (48-53) is nearing the end of his Law Course just now. Both he and his brother **John (49-53)** (Dux of Riverview in his final year) who is following the Science course at the University, owe us a visit.

Neville Baker (42-46) who is as usual of formidable and football proportions is at work with his father in Estate Agency business in Newcastle.

Peter ("Bunny") Baker (44-49) was with Grazco Ltd. until May this year when he went to Goodooga where he has taken over the managership of part of Paul Lamerand's property.

We were all very upset at Riverview when we heard of the untimely, tragic death of **Peter Baldwin** (46-50) last December, in a motor accident. Our deepest sympathy goes to his parents and to his brother **Otto** (51-54) at "Durham Court", Manilla, N.S.W.

Bernard ("Bambi") Bambach (47-52) did very well in his Law III. Exams last year. He takes such things in his stride — and some stride too! He is with Garland Seaborne and Abbott, Solicitors, Bligh St. He can't sleep nearly as much now as in the old L.C. class.

Bob Barry (37-40) has been in charge of the Rex Hotel, Macleay St. for some time now and is very busy indeed. We were glad to see him at the General meeting O.I.U. this year. If his two small sons don't become hefty footballers, it won't be Bob's fault. He's already training them!

Greg Bartels (39-42) has been at work with U.N.O. for some time now, if our reporters are accurate. He has been a happily married man for two years already.

We haven't had direct news for some time from our old friend **Teddy Bartlett** (37-42) who, as a qualified chemist, runs his pharmacy at Burleigh Heads, Q.

Lloyd Beach (50-54) has paid us at least one visit since he left us two years ago. He is working on the home station, "Strayleaves," Warren. His elder brother **Barry** (47-50) now two years married looks after "Yarrandale" Station in the same district. Both brothers doing well.

Not a word out of **John Beaumont** (51-54) since he left the city and took up work on Mr. Ryan's Station near Boorowa. They say he likes work on the land.

Lach Becket (39-42) has been managing the Becket-Thomson Advertising Company for several years now. You are pretty sure to see him at the College during the football season.

Rev. Peter Beer, S.J. (46-50) is just now completing the final year of his course of Philosophy at 'Loyola', Victoria. (He might possibly be "getting some of his own back" at Riverview next year. You never know). His brother **John Beer** (40-50) is facing up to the finals of the Medical course as we write these notes. Best wishes, John. (Later: He's through. Good luck and best wishes).

We don't see **Dr. John Benecke** (38-43) very often, though he has his home on Fig Tree Road, quite nearby. He practises in the city and also attends St. Vincent's Hospital.

Melvyn Bennett (45-50) topped his year — Med. III. — in 1955, sharing the Wigram Allen Scholarship and winning the Margaret Dalrymple Hay Prize. Should finish well (on these signs). **Nicholas** (44-46) Dip. Mus. is at work with his father in Tumut. **Dr. Andy Bennett** (44-47) the third brother is, we think, still at the Royal Newcastle Hospital.

Harold Best, Solicitor (16-18) has been practising in Lismore for many years and has with him **Michael** (44-48) his son, also a solicitor, who relieves him of many burdens. Michael whose football at Riverview was a pleasure to watch, still plays in the local competition, with all his old skill.

John Beston (53-55) a House Prefect in 1955, left us at the end of his L.C. Exams. and this year is probing the mysteries of the medical course. We need scarcely add that our best wishes are with him always.

John Black (42-46) married two years ago at Riverview, has paid us occasional visits — during the football season. He has been at work for some time now with Lever Bros.

Roddy Blake (45-52) has been following a Pharmacy course since last year. He takes a very live interest in the Riverview Younger

Set. His two brothers, **Denis** and **Christopher** are at Riverview.

Murray Bolger (14-16) organises the annual O.I.U. reunion at Young and does it well, aided by Mrs. Bolger, Garth Madden and others round about. Murray looks after "Clover Hill" and gets substantial assistance from **Tony** (41-45), **John (44-46)** and **Michael** (48-52) — all three of whom are "searching for the stars" as far as feet and inches go.

Dr. Peter Boon (43-47) graduated in 1954 and has been getting experience since then at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney.

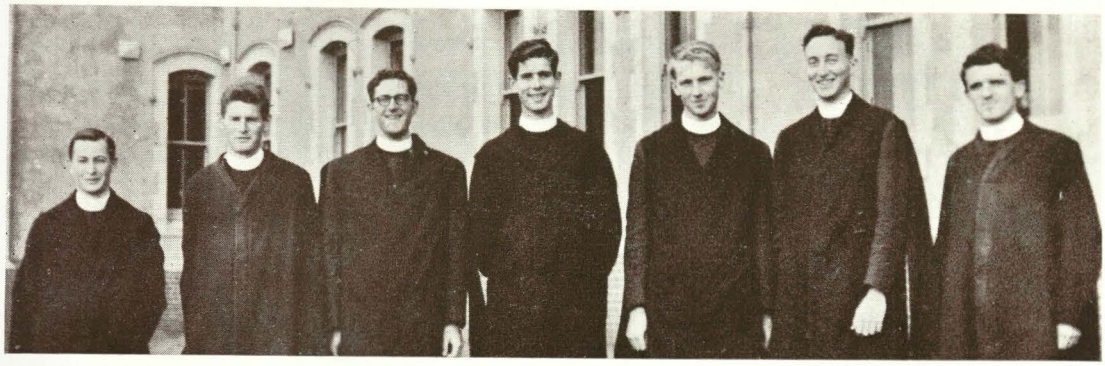
We sometimes hear from **Arthur Booth** (45-47) and/or his brother **Teddy (39-40)** both of whom look after "Karingai" Station, Gilgandra. They are prospering, we are glad to say.

well. His brother **Peter ("Ben") Bowyer** (39-44) is also on the land not far from Dick.

Tom Boyce (38-43) of the I.X.L. firm, comes to see us at the main yearly fixtures. He always plays with the O.I.U. team against the School, eleven and on Back to Riverview Day.

We sometimes have word from **Frank ("Buzz') Bown** (15-19) who contributed an article to last year's "Alma". He lives at Lower Hutt, Wellington, N.Z. and during business hours, is with the Todd Motor Organisation in that city. Still keenly interested in all that affects 'View.

Dr. Carroll Brady (31-35) has an ever increasing practice at Lindfield. His brother **Dom** (32-36) is looking after the Commercial Hotel at Bega.



SOME RIVERVIEW OLD BOYS AT LOYOLA COLLEGE, MELBOURNE.
L.-R.: Rev. W. Wootten, S.J.; P. Lewis, S.J.; R. Bruce, S.J.; P. Meagher, S.J.; M. Breen, S.J; J Ramsay, S.J.; P. Beer, S.J.

We suppose there is little hope of seing **Cyril Bowler** (16-17) up this way. You see, his working year is spent on "Annandayle," Holbrook, and in his spare time, Melbourne probably claims him. We should like to talk over the old days with him, all the same.

We have had a visit or two during the year from **John Bowring** (39-43) Solicitor who practises with the firm of Beswick, Heydon and Lochrin in town. John is usually accompanied to Riverview by his brother **Deane** (41-43) who works hard on "Mirimichi," Grenfell Rd., Young and annually adds to the gaiety at the Young O.I.U. Reunion. Both brothers are now bringing up young families.

Congratulations to **Dick Bowyer** (39-43) who was married last November to Miss Patricia Cory of "Vacy", Dungowan. His wife is a cousin of **Bill** and **Jack Keen** (35-39). Dick looks after "Yangarata," Dungowan, and does very

David Branagan, B.Sc. (42-46) has been overseas since May, 1955. Before going he had been at work in the Mines Department and with an American Company in Cloncurry. He has toured practically all Europe (outside the Iron Curtain) and seen everything worth seeing in various countries. Since the beginning of this year he has been with Hunting Geosurveys in England and has submitted a thesis to Sydney University for the degree of Master of Science. On Easter Monday he was married, with Nuptial Mass, at the Brompton Oratory, London, to Miss Gillian Robinson (of Chatswood). He is not likely to be back in Australia for some time yet.

Rev. Michael Breen, S.J. (41-53) took his first vows in the Jesuit Order last February at Loyola, Watsonia (Vic.). When we saw him there last January, he and many other O.R.'s

seemed to be much enjoying the life. We wish him a "century not out."

Len Brennan LL.B (22-26) has his chambers at Martin Place. We have not met Len for quite a long time. **Stanley** (27-31), Dental Surgeon, practises at Gloucester. **Denis** (27-33) is looking after "Mullaly" a property in the Gunnedah district.

Tony Breslin (46-55) after a long "innings" at Riverview, finished his L.C. Exams. in 1955 and this year began his studies for the priesthood at St. Columba's College, Springwood. Best wishes, Tony. Congratulations to his eldest brother **John** (42-45), Dental Surgeon, who was married last July, at Riverview to Miss Marianne Rick who he met in Germaany and who, under the auspices of Mrs. Seppelt, came to this country. Long life and happiness to them both. **Dr. Frank** (44-48) since graduation, has been working hard at St. Vincent's Hospital. A strong silent man who will do very well. **Peter** (46-51) should soon be qualified as a chemist. He has our best wishes if he searches for a hair-restorer! — (and even if he doesn't.)

Alan Bridge, Q.C. (21-26) is busier than even in his city practice. He is Challis Lecturer in Procedure at the University and Senior Lecturer in the faculty of Economics. He was elected a Vice-President of the Old Ignatians' Union this year. You may meet him at all our fixtures — Union and College. **Jack Bridge** (07-12) has been in the wool business in Brisbane for many years, but is now back in Sydney. Still looks a ball of muscle. **Wally** (02-09) is with the A.M.L. and F. company in town.

Cyril Brookes (50-55) left us on the completion of the L.C. Exams. last year. We understand that after a trip to his native country (U.S.A.) he has started in the Sydney University Engineering course. His Commonwealth Scholarship should come in handy and we wish him success.

Peter Brown (38-44) **B.Sc.** works with an engineering firm in the city. His brother **Tony** (39-47) has been with his father's firm (Horace Brown & Sons) since he left us. Congratulations to Tony on his marriage at Riverview last April, to Miss Judith Kirkby. **Philip** (45-51) has been with Morley Johnson & Co., in the city for quite a long time now.

We heard last year that **John Brown B.E.** (44-48) went to Colorado, U.S.A. on a Scholarship he was awarded by C.S.I.R.O. Presumably he is still there. **Peter** (49-53) is on the land ("Melia" via Darrich) .

Arthur Browning (23-28) usually drops in to see us during the summer holidays. He is a very busy man during the year and carries it all with his infectious smile.



JOHN BRESLIN AND HIS BRIDE.

Rev. Bob Bruce, S.J. (46-50) is another O.R. at Loyola, Watsonia, who took his first vows last February. He looks a ball of muscle, as usual. Our best wishes are always with him.

Cyprian Bryant (03-13), Life Vice-President of the Union continues to give his ever-ready help at executive meetings and may be relied upon to further all projects connected with the O.I.U. and Riverview. No meeting is complete without him. **John ("J.J.") Byrant** (46-49) qualified Chemist of several years' standing works usually as relieving manager in one or other city pharmacy. We congratulate him on his marriage last August to Miss Carmel Garner.

Peter Bryant (42-45), Solicitor, and also a happily married man is as busy as he wants to be in his legal practice at Wagga. **Paul** (42-47) having completed two years of study at St. Columba's College, Springwood is now doing the third year of philosophy at St. Patrick's College, Manly. His brothers, **John** (45-47), **Michael** (50-53) and **Kevin** (51-54) work the year round on 'The Kurrajongs," Greenthorpe (Young). Michael spent some time in hospital after a serious accident, but has made a good recovery. **George** (37-38) who runs a truck and taxi service at Cooma spent a year at "The Kurrajongs" while his brother **Adrian** (37-41) took his place at Cooma. Adrian is now a clerk in one section of the Snowy River Scheme down there and George has resumed his truck service and does very well at it.

We have seen **Peter Bryant** (42-45) of "Mt. Mulyah" station, Bourke, once or twice since he was married at Riverview last year. He and his wife (nee Mary Hagarty) are enjoying life out there and that is our wish for them.

Wilson Bull (22-30) whose son Charles is at Riverview, does not often come south to Sydney. He is busy all the year on his property "Cooningoora," near Bingara.

General regret will have been felt at the death, on June 1st this year of **Dr. Walter Burfitt, Snr.** (90-92), an honoured and distinguished member of his profession and in many other ways a prominent figure in Sydney. His old school always regarded him as one of our best known and respected Old Boys and offers its sincere sympathy to Mrs. Burfitt and the other members of her family.

Dr. Walter Burfitt, Jnr. (24-27) is in practice at Elizabeth Bay and pays frequent visits to 'View where his son Paul is now facing up to the L.C. Exams. **Desmond** (27-33) also a frequent visitor to the school which his two sons attend, has a business out at Bondi. **David** (26-31), Chemist is at Woollahra. **Dr. Tom Burfitt** (24-30) practises at Casino.

Dr. Maurice Burfitt (21-26) has been in practise at Waverley for many years. **W. S. ("Wal") Burfitt** (20-24) had his pharmacy at Belmont when we last had news of him. **Charlie Burfitt** (34-40) has been working his property "Little Hills", Blandford, near Murrurundi for several years and is doing very well.

Roger Burge (48-50) when we last met him, was, besides his keen athletic practice, doing the Solicitors' Admission Course in his father's office. We do not know at the moment if he has yet completed it.

Stewart Burke (30-33) whose son **John** is climbing the ladder at Riverview, is in business at Mt. George, N.S.W. where he runs a store and presides over the district Post Office. Pays us visits during the school year.

Graham Burns (46-52) finished his course at the Hawkesbury Agricultural College and, as we write, is at work on "Pooginook" Jerilderie. His brother **Jeffrey** (46-53) is polishing off his course of Architecture. So he is already "laying foundations" for a future successful career.

Michael ("Alfy") Burns (48-52) should be completing the fourth year of his Medical course as we write. "Alfy" takes these exams. "in his stride." Study never worried him.

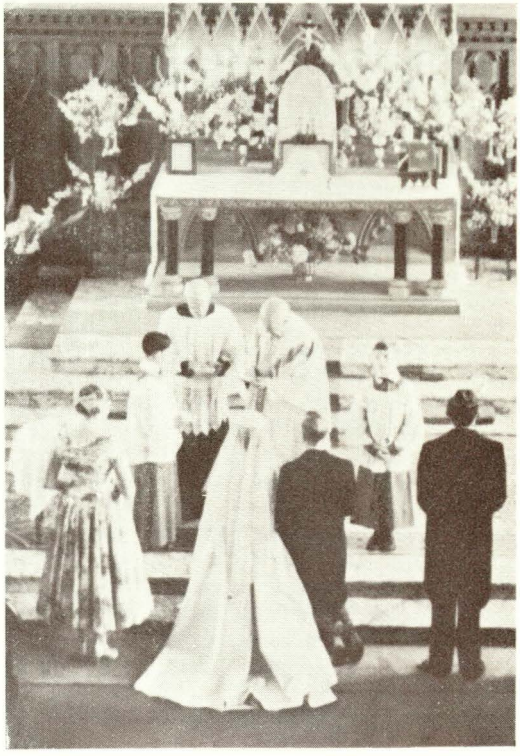
Dr. Harding Burns, M.R.C.P. (London) (37-42) since his return to Australia and his marriage in October last year, is practising in Sydney and has his home at Arncliffe. His brother, **Dr. Rob. Burns** (38-43), is also back overseas and practises in town.

Jim Burt (49-53) is, we think, at work with Sargood Gardiner Ltd., in the city. He is, naturally, interested in the bowling feats of his brother **Peter** in our First Eleven.

John Bush (48-52) was with Strand Distributors Ltd., Kent Street, when we last met him. Pays us periodic visits during the year.

Dr. Vin Byrne (14-17) who has been practising at Wickham Terrace, Brisbane for many years, hasn't taken a trip down Sydney-way for a long time. Time we saw him again. **Roger, B.A., LL.B.** (42-46), Solicitor, has been practising in Brisbane since graduation with Macrossan & Co. **Tom** (42-45) as far as we know, graduated in Medicine at the end of last year. All three attended the Brisbane O.I.U. reunion last August.

We had a surprise and welcome visit last May from **Victor ("Dally") Butler** (13-14), after an absence of 40 years, and were able to exchange memories of top field and gymnasium in



The Dr. Harding Burns-Mary Horsley Wedding at St. John's College (University).

the old third Division days. "Dally" works with David Jones nowadays.

We haven't seen **Dr. Kevin Byrne** (39-40) for a considerable time. He enjoys a very busy practice at Wiley Park. His brother **Roger** (39-45) is rising steadily from post to post, with Emmco and had a useful trip to U.S.A. last year in the interests of his firm. We are glad to know he is doing so well. We offer the two brothers our sincere sympathy on the death of their father this year.

Kevin Byrnes (40-48) is always to be met at the Pharmacy of Mr. W. Austin at Lane Cove. Kevin has been a qualified chemist for some years now.

Tom Cahill LL.B. (43-48) finished his Law course without getting a wrinkle on his face. He may be met at several of our yearly functions and as a hefty footballer has lost none of his "steam" and vigour. We'd hate to bump him in a forward rush! He is practising in the city. (Not football — Law!)

Bruce Campbell (45-50) and his brother **Ian** (45-52) work the year round on "Mundooie" Station, Warren. Our very deep sympathy goes to them on the death of their mother and father [Norman Campbell (08-09)] this year.

Eddie Campion (45-50) is doing the third year of his course of Philosophy at St. Patrick's College, Manly as we write. Theology will follow and then Ordination will not be far off. His brother **Lough Campion** (39-42) is in the hotel business in the city.

Father Leslie Campion (39-41) was transferred this year from Naremburn to the Lewisham parish. From what we hear, Naremburn's loss is Lewisham's gain, for Father Les is a vigorous worker in all parish matters.

We meet our old friend **George Cannon** (29-36) every year when he comes down for his annual holiday from "Horton Park", Booligal. A "hardy annual," he never changes. He is bringing up a hefty family, some of whom we hope to see at Riverview before very long.

We see **Greg Cannon** (43-44) now and then during the year. He is with the Australian Society of Accountants, and has his office at Bankstown.

John Cannon (36) is looking after "Lorimer" station, not far from Cassilis.

Terry Cannon (37-40) and **George** (36-38) are at work on or near "Bulgandromine," Tomingly, N.S.W.

John Carew (44-46), is with an insurance company in town and **Paul** (49-52) should have just about finished his Law course this year. He will make a shrewd lawyer. (We have heard that John has moved to Adelaide but we await more details—Ed.)

We are wondering when we are going to have a visit from **John Carey** (35-39) who spent several years in Melbourne with Greater Union Theatres, but is now (with the same firm) in Sydney. No. 5, High Street, Caringbah will find him. He is bringing up a flourishing young family.

J. B. Carlton, K.C.S.G. (87-89) retired last year from his Estate Agency in Lismore after 50 years of hard and fruitful work. High tributes were paid him upon his retirement, by the Bishop and Administrator. He now lives with his daughter, Mrs. H. Simpson at Broadwater.

Brian Carlton (43-45) is at work in the Bank of New South Wales, Burnie, Tasmania. We hope he has met the other O.R.'s there.

John Carmody (45-50) safely weathered Med. IV. and as we write is putting Med. V. behind him. It won't be long now before he jumps these hurdles. His brother **Dr. Frank Carmody** (38-39) is in very active practice at Bondi Junction and thriving on the work.

"Ritchie" B. Carroll (47-52) has, we think, finished his Pharmacy course as we write. He has been at work at the Durkin Pharmacy, Clovelly Rd., Randwick. His younger brother **Tony ("Stan") Carroll** (50-54) is doing the Law course and is in the office of J. J. Carroll, Cecil O'Dea & Co., Castlereagh St. He played for the O.I.U. Eleven against the school early this year.

Ray Carroll (47-53) is steadily going through the University Medical course as is his brother **Tony** (47-51) who already has his Pharmacy degree "under his belt." They pay us periodic visits during the year. (The "Honour" Students are more than welcome!)

John A. Carroll (45-48) paid us a visit early in the year, we were pleased to note how much he was improved in health. He is now a radio officer on sea-going ships.

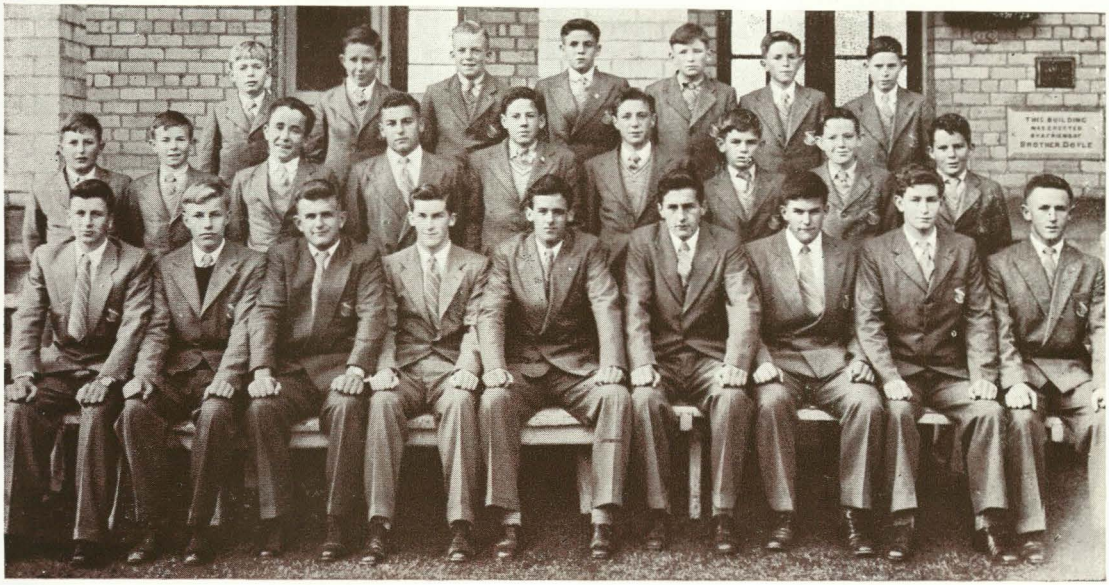
Hugh Carter (47-51) went across to Malaya in January and was to take a position with Malayan Breweries. If we understood him properly be intended later to go to New Guinea and later still to the Argentine. His brother **Guy** (47-51) is managing "Ballarang" Station, Weemallah (via Garah).

David de Carvalho, B.A., LL.B. (42-48) is in Mr. Cecil O'Dea's legal office, Castlereagh St., completing his articles. Still plays cricket for the University. His brother, **Fernao, B. Econ.** (40-41) is managing an expanding Estate Agency at Newcastle, with a "subsidiary" at Gosford.

Father John Casey, S.J. (23-26) Rector of St. Aloysius' College, Milson's Point since last year, pays us occasional visits during the year. His work at Riverview and the many improvements for which he is responsible, ensure his memory being fresh at the School. His brother **Maurice** (25-30) is, as usual, Accountant with Bernard James (A'sia) Pty. Ltd. at Burwood. **Frank** (30-32) works at Garden Island and **Pat** (28-32) is on the staff of the Sydney Technical College.

Congratulations to **Michael Chapman** (48-49) who was married, with Nuptial Mass, at Riverview on April 14th this year, to Miss Nancy Orth. His brother **Peter** (48) works his property "Morrillyah", Ilford, during the year. Michael is on "Inverway" nearby.

Tony Chatfield (50-55) always a solid worker at Riverview, left us last December and has started on the University Medical course. We wish him a successful passage. His brother is still with us.



BOYS OF THE THIRD GENERATION.

Back (L-R.): T. Mort (J. Mort, 96-98), G. Meagher (P. F. Meagher, 93-94; K. Meagher, 24-31); G. Oxenham (H. Oxenham, 99-01); G. Oxenham, 33-36); A. McCormack (P. Hurley, 95); D. Bruce (E. Dalton, 87-93); T. O'Sullivan (T. O'Sullivan, 82-86; T. O'Sullivan, 22-27); A. d'Apice (W. d'Apice, 86-92; J. d'Apice, 32-36).

2nd Row: D. Ireland (J. Ireland, 81-84; J. Ireland, 16-19); M. Loneragan (R. Loneragan, 91-93; C. Loneragan, 23-31); G. McCormack (P. Hurley, 95); P. Lenehan (R. Lenehan, 81-83); P. O'Halloran (P. F. Meagher, 93-94); C. Hayes (J. W. Hales, 82-83; John G. Hayes, 20-22); A. Dynon (F. Dynon, 87-94; F. Dynon, 29-30); B. O'Halloran (P. F. Meagher, 93-94); P. Hurley (Pat Hurley, 95; Percy Hurley, 18).

Seated: D. O'Dea (T. D. Roche, 90; Cecil O'Dea, 17-22); A. Loneragan (E. Loneragan, 89; E. ("Tim") Loneragan, 17-18); M. Ireland, (J. Ireland, 81-84; J. Ireland, 16-19)) P. Burfitt (W. F. Burfitt, 90-92; W. Burfitt, 24-27); W. Coyle (W. Coyle, 82-86; J. Coyle, 24-27); M. O'Dea (T. D. Roche, 90; Cecil O'Dea, 17-22); G. Ireland (J. Ireland, 81-84; J. Ireland, 16-19); R. Bruce, (E. Dalton, 87-93); P. Sheridan (W. Sheridan, 84-89; P. Sheridan, 24-28).

Our old friend **Victor ("Gundi") Catip** (20-26) doesn't often "strike" Sydney, seeing that he is always busy in his General Store at Townsville, Q., quite a step from here. But when he does come as far south as our city, he always comes in for a yarn, and we are always glad to see him.

Vincent Cavanagh (49-55) finished his course with us last December and is now, we hear, interested in picture theatres at Quirindi. We may apply for a free seat one day.

Henri Chaverot (51-53) is with a Belgian wool firm (Zurtrassen et Fils) in town and expects to go to France before long (Military service). When we met him in Martin Place in January, he promised us a visit — "any time between now and Christmas."

Bill Clapin (50-54) who has taken up the study of Law, may be found in his father's office in King St. (Purcell and Clapin, Solicitors). Later on we guarantee that Bill's "scowl" will intimidate many a witness!



FROM THE FRONT GARDEN.

We were pleased to meet **Rev. Peter Clifford O.F.M.** (46-50) in Melbourne last January. He is continuing his studies for the priesthood there, with the Franciscan Fathers. His brother **Michael** (50-54) has taken up the study of Pharmacy and no doubt will soon ease the burden of his father, **Jim Clifford** (19-23) who has been in the Pharmacy business at Tumut for many years.

Tony Clifford (51-52) and his brother **Brian** (54-55) who left us last December, are at work in "Kuroona," not far from Cooma.

Arthur Clift (01-04), despite the passage of the years, thrives and prospers on "The Dip", Breeza. His son **John** (38-41) a happily married man, is on "Bald Ridge" not far away and doing very well. **Joe Clift** (08) is on "Nangrum" Station near Miles, Q. **Bill** (08) develops through the year "Condabri" not far from Condamine. **Jack** (01-04) lives at Wirra Wirra St., Toowoomba. A chess expert, we hear. **Jack Clift** (21-24) of whom we don't see enough, has been with Austral Bronze in the city for several years.

Basil Clifton (31-35) and his brother **Kevin** (34-37) are both looking after the interests of Boyded Ltd. Basil is managing director in Sydney and Kevin looks after the Tamworth branch. We were pleased to welcome to the Riverview roll this year, Basil's son, Peter.

Michael Cloonan (51-55) has taken on the course of Architecture since he left us at the end of last year. "Good foundations," Michael, are a first essential, and we wish you every success.

John Clouston B.Sc. (36-40) has had much experience at the Long Range Weapon Installation, S. Australia and sailed for England where he hopes to pick up further degrees at London University. His brother **Tony** (39-45) is with Commonwealth Industrial Gases. (His visit to 'View is overdue!)

Terry Cody (49-55) started on the Medical course this year and at the time of going to press he is hoping to see his name on the list of passes in Med. I. We are with him in the hope.

Dr. Kevin Coen, F.R.C.S. (27-28) practises at 215 Macquarie St. **John** (26-30) Solicitor, has his rooms at 2 Carrington St., City. **Joe LL.B.** (25-27) has been practising in England for some years. **Dr. Joe Coen** (98-99) notwithstanding the passage of the years, is keeping fit out Vaucluse way. He is one of the Foundation Members of the R.A.C.S.

Dr. John J. Collins (41-43) has been overseas (London) for some time already. He hopes to conclude his F.R.C.S. degree very soon. We can see a bright and successful future ahead of him when he returns to Australia. "He has what it takes."

We don't know if **Pat Collins** (49-51) has yet completed his engineering course and wish someone would let us know.

Neil Collins (48-51), as we write, is completing the second year of his Theological Course at St. Patrick's College, Manly. Ordination is not far off now.

Our last news of **John T. Collins** (41-44 & 49) was that he is engaged in the Real Estate business in town.

Tom Collins (43-50) has for some time now been at work as a lay teacher on a Franciscan Mission in New Guinea. He writes to say he likes his work and the boys of whom he has charge. He is doing good work and we wish him well (Catholic Mission, Lumi, via Wewak, N.G. will find him. Contemporaries please note his address).

We see **Ian Comrie-Thomson** (16-21) frequently during the year, especially during the football season. **Ian, Jnr.,** his son, is nearing the Leaving Year at Riverview. **Eric** (20-24) directs his firm (Comrie-Thomson Pty. Ltd., Clarence St.) and Ian has been for many years with the Bank of New South Wales.

W. ("Dinkum") Conlon (12-17) is a member of the O.I.U. Committee and has been so for many years. Nothing is a trouble to him when the interests of the Union or the College are at stake. He has always been most helpful. His brother **Jack** (12-15) is with "Dinkum" is in the wool firm of Conlon Brothers. Of course, "Dinkum's" son John is now at Riverview.

Father Vin. Conlon, S.J. (04-09) has been on the staff of Burke Hall (Xavier Preparatory School) in Melbourne for several years. It's time he paid us another visit. His work at Riverview in days gone by is still well remembered. His brothers **Joe** (00-05) and **Val** (09-16) are in business in Sydney. Val usually turns up for the annual O.I.U. Dinner in May.

Des. Connolly (43-48) is, as usual, doing well in the jewellery business at Newtown. We think his visit to 'View is somewhat overdue (and we hope Des. reads this!)

Father J. Connolly, S.J. (29-32) returned to the teaching staff at Riverview this year, from St. Aloysius' College, Milson's Point.

As we write this, **Geoff Connolly** (47-49) has but one exam. to polish off before he completes

his Accountancy Course. **Graham** (47-52) is now sitting for his second exam. in the same course.

Tony Coombes (51-54) favoured us with a welcome visit early this year. He is having a smooth passage through the course of Architecture at the University of Technology. Come again, Tony — soon.

Jim Conrick (48-51), Life Member of the O.I.U. is with Goldsborough Mort Ltd. and, as we write, is at Millicent, South Australia. He attends the Combined G.P.S. annual functions in S.A. His father, **Ted Conrick** (05-07) has acquired a property at Meningie, S.A. and has disposed of the famous "Nappa Merrie" Station in N.S.W. **Jack** (05-07) is on "Popiltah" Station in Western N.S.W. and **Clive** (05-07) is looking after "Bogalarah," Casterton, Vic. Jim will welcome news from his contemporaries.

We were pleased to welcome once more a member of the **Corcoran** Clan when **Clarrie** (25-29) sent us his boy Michael in February. But deeply regret Clarrie's death late this year. R.I.P. His brother, **Tom** (08-15) who sometimes played draughts in the "Busy B." Class long ago (!) has been to see us too. He is at "The Elms," Binalong and doesn't look older than he was 40 years ago. **Russell** (06-12) and his sons **Max** (44-46) and **Jim** (44-45) live on or near "Bullyryan," Boorowa.

Dr. Frank Costigan (14-17) is, as usual, very busy with his practice in Collins St., Melbourne, and rarely comes to Sydney.

Harry ("Bipto") Cotton (12-17) has been living in Sydney for some time now, having left "the land." He is at work with Stuart-Lowe Ltd., Interior Decorators at St. James' Building, City. He paid us a visit last August.

We haven't seen **Des. Coughlan** (36-40) or **Jack** (36-38) for a long time. They probably take "time off" in Victoria from their station at Darlington Point.

Frank Coughlan (32-36) doesn't seem to come to Sydney very often. He is always busy on "Yarrabee Park," Morundah. **Jack** (27-28) looks after "Windarra" Station near Wagga.

Cyril Coyle (14-17) is in business in town and his brother **Dr. Bill Coyle** (14-19) is at work in the C.I.C. camp at Greta. It is over a year since they paid us a visit.

Rev. John Cowburn, S.J. (36-44) went overseas towards the end of last year and is continuing his studies for the priesthood in Austria. He will probably see a good deal of Europe before he returns.

Laurie ("Boiler") Coy (42-50) will shortly complete his medical course at the University. A tough course, but he isn't losing any weight over it !

Dr. John Coyne (46-47) as far as we know, is working at Lewisham Hospital and his brother **Bruce** (46-48) who is a Dental Surgeon, has returned from overseas and now practises in town.

Horrie Craven (07-12) and **Harry** (07-12), have put a manager on their property "Carumbi," Grogan) and now live on a smaller property at or near Bowral. **Bill Craven** (49-54), Dux of Riverview in his final year, is, as we write, coming to the end of his second year of Jesuit training at Loyola College, Victoria.

Graham Crawford (45-52) got caught in a few brambles in Law II. but is well on the way now. We hope he hurdles the others safely. Aim high!

Warwick Creaser (46-50) B.Sc. and B. Econ., has gone to England on a two years Scholarship recently awarded him and will be engaged with an industrial firm over there. His brother **Bob** (38-46) is, we are told, Accounts Executive with W. E. Smith & Co., George Street.

John Crellin (45-51) has not worn any holes in the Riverview road of late. Chartered Accountancy is his target and he works with Cox, Wilson & Co., Bond St.

Jim Crisp (51-55) left us in the middle of last year and is now at work on the home property "Ardlair" near Glen Innes with his brother **Tony** (48-50). We await their next visit to 'View.

Kevin Crowley (20) was with the C.M.A. in Sydney for many years. His untimely death late this year was a sad surprise.

Bill Cummins (17) whose son, **Bill, Jnr.** is at Riverview usually comes down from Townsville once a year and drops in to see us. He has "unearthed" some Old Boys for us too, in the far north — boys whom we had lost sight of. We are glad to say he still sends us that interesting magazine published by his firm (Cummins & Campbell) in Townsville, and we look forward to it, month by month.

Charlie Curran (47-54) came to see us early in the new year. Unless we are mistaken he is following the Arts course at the University with his eyes on a Law degree later. Our best wishes are with him.

Peter ("Pug") Curtis (38-47) secured his Law degree at Oxford University and according to most recent news, happily married, lives in Geneva, working with U.N.O.

William J. ("Wicky") Curtis, Solicitor (29-32) is a regular reader of O.A.M. and keeps up

to date regarding our doings. He practises at Muswellbrook. (He should also make a practice of "calling in" when in town). We were glad to see him at the Newcastle O.I.U. reunion in August.

Jim Cusack (46-49) — 'Big Jim" to his contemporaries — and his brother **Brian** (47-50) are doing steady work on "Noonameena" Station, Galong. Both regularly attend the O.I.U. reunion at Young, and are keenly interested in all Riverview "doings".

Tom Cusack (05-06) after 45 years work in the P.M.G. Department, retired last year, to the regret of his fellow-workers there. You will meet him each year at the O.I.U. Dinner in May.

Peter Cusack (44-47) is going strong on his property "Rath-Erin" near Young. Always joins the (very) merry throng at the Young annual reunion.

Tim Daley (48-53) has not worn much shoe leather on the Riverview road in recent times. We will admit to one or two visits from him, but we want more! He works in the city in a Stevedoring firm.

John Dalgarno (45-46 & 51-54) whose name we mixed up so often with "Delandro" that he finally answered to it, resides at St. John's College (Univ.) and is doing a special course in Architecture. Judging by his own size in feet and inches, he may eventually go in for skyscrapers!

Carlyle Dalgleish (42-44) started a Pharmacy course last year and is working with a George St. chemist.

Dr. Reg Dalton (18-22) has been practising at Singleton for many years now but does not often come to Sydney. His son **Tom** (45-51) finished his course at Wagga Agricultural College in 1954, coming third in his final year and winning a prize for horsemanship. He is now with an agricultural and machinery firm in Orange. (c/- New Holland P.O., Box 167).

Pat Dalton (43-48) has been flexing his muscles for the past four years against the day of graduation in Dental Surgery. The day has come and passed. Pat (with Paul Lewis) has been practising in Melbourne for some months and in October went overseas (with P.L.) to practise for a time in London. His father, **Dr. Bill Dalton** (07-13) has retired from active practice in Griffith and does some work on the farm of his son **Jim** (41-45) who prospers, not far from the town, on sheep, rice and so forth. We are wondering when we shall have another visit from **Brian Dalton** (15-22) and/or that energetic son



PAUL DANIEL and his bride leaving the Chapel.

of his, **Michael** (44-51) who are busy all the year round on that "super" property "Kangaroobie," Orange of which we once caught a glimpse.

We had an unexpected visit from **Bob Daly** (46-47) and his wife last June. They had just arrived from France where they were married in 1954 and were on their way home to Noumea, New Caledonia where Bob's father, our old friend, **Numa Daly** (21-23) has been for many years, in charge of the well-known firm, Maison Barrau. Numa is a great "booster" for the charm of New Caledonia.

Our old and valued friend **Paul Daniel** (46-49), Chartered Accountant of Newcastle, was married, with Nuptial Mass at Riverview on November 25th last year (after we had gone to press) to Miss Cynthia Burke. We need hardly tell them both that our warmest good wishes will always accompany them. Paul is a very busy man but not too busy to pay us occasional welcome visits.

Rev. Bill Daniel, S.J. (42-46) continues his studies at Loyola (Jesuit) College, Victoria, and judging by his appearance when we saw him there early this year, the studies are muscle-builders.

John d'Apice LL.B (32-36) and **Hugh LL.B** (32-37) are practising as usual in Carrington St. and pay us regular visits. John's son Tony is climbing the Riverview ladder. **Ivo** (38-46)



PAT DALTON, Dental Surgeon.

solicitor, works with John and Hugh in town; **David** (38-42) has been with the Lisgar Building Society for some years. You will meet all these brothers at most of our yearly fixtures.

Joe d' Apice, Solicitor (86-91) despite the passing of the years, keeps up his active practice in Crown Street, Wollongong. Keeps in touch through the pages of O.A.M. each year.

Denis ("Tubby") da Roza (38-45), Dental Surgeon, who has been practising at Lilydale (Vic.) for some time, has returned to Sydney and acquired a practice in one of the suburbs. As far as we know, **Manuel ("Laddie") da Roza** (38-43) also a dental surgeon, still practises at Belgrave (Vic.) not far from Melbourne. **Dr. Bruno da Roza** (38-42) is practising at Toongabbie and **Peter** (44-51) a Junior wool-buyer, is with I. H. Patterson & Co. in Sydney.

Jack Davidson (84-92) — "Davo" to his contemporaries — is still going strong at Townsville, Q. We hope he avoided being "washed out" by the cyclone up there early this year. Takes a very keen interest in all Riverview activities and never fails to send greetings to the Old Boys at the main Sydney functions. His name is familiar to us all and we wish him well.

John Davies, Solicitor (31-32), is enjoying his practice at 81 Elizabeth St. You will always meet him at the Annual General Meeting and other main functions. His brother **Dr. George Davies** (31-35) has been practising in England for some time now.

V. C. ("Bill") Davis (24-32) was elected Hon. Treasurer of the O.I.U. at the beginning of the year. He is the V. C. Davis Publishing Company of 40 Miller St., North Sydney. He gave us sterling service last year in the matter of "Alma Mater" advertisements. In fact, but for him the "Jubilee Issue" would have been very much "in the blue." To say we thank him for his continued help doesn't nearly express what we feel. We simply rejoice to have his expert business experience behind us and in his own firm we wish him further and greater success. "Bill" is a keen cricketer on "off" days and frequently gives our Eleven a helping hand. His elder brother **Roger** (17-24) is on the staff of "Truth" newspaper and paid us weekly visits while his boys were at 'View. **Peter** (46-54) one son, is at work with Nuffield's Ltd. (Production Planning Dept.). Victoria Park. **David** (46-55) who left us last year (Roger's second son) is doing an Arts course at Canberra University and hopes to join the Department of External Affairs.

Eddie Dearn, Solicitor (40-45) always had a persuasive tongue and we are not surprised to know that he has a busy practice at Wagga.

Dr. Bill de Meyrick (43) thrives on his practice at Seaforth these days and is also keenly interested in the development of his growing family. (Hefty boys!)

Jean de Lepervanche (02-06) retired from active business some time ago and now lives at Narrabri (P.O. Box 1). His brother **Paul** (07-08) has been living at Collaroy for several years (17 Stuart St.). It is quite a long time since we have had a visit from either brother.

Paul Dempsey (50-54) has been at work on Pibbow West, Mendooran, since he left us two years ago. His brother, still at Riverview, keeps him posted with our news.

John Deppe (44-53) who has been at work with A. F. Bambach Pty. Ltd. for some time now, is doing very well. He has opened and is managing a new branch of the firm at Newcastle where we met him at the O.I.U. Reunion in August.

Marc Desmarchelier (46-50) took a rest this year from the Hon. Secretaryship of the O.I.U. His work in that capacity was outstanding and he is still keen to help on all our functions. He will soon be a Chartered Accountant and has gone up country with another Chartered Accountant.

We were pleased to see **Harry Devlin** (10-12) in Melbourne last January. As usual he is Southern representative of Bristol Myer Ltd., and seems to us as young as he was 40 years ago.

Robert Dick (50-54) safely weathered the exams. of Med. I at the end of '55 and should be putting Med. II behind him as we go to press. We wish him a smooth trip through that course. He comes to see us periodically—and to note the progress of his brother James.

Ken Dillon (33-39) we have not seen for a long time—which is definitely our loss. He is on "Millewa" Station near Moree. **Rex** (32-36) and **Barry** (43-49) are working "Budgildool." **"Jardy"** (27-34) and **Eric** (26-31) being on "Boonara" Station near Boggabilla.

Van Doherty (45-52), as we write, is finishing off his Pharmacy course. You may meet him at most Union and College functions. Still a cricketer and footballer to be reckoned with.

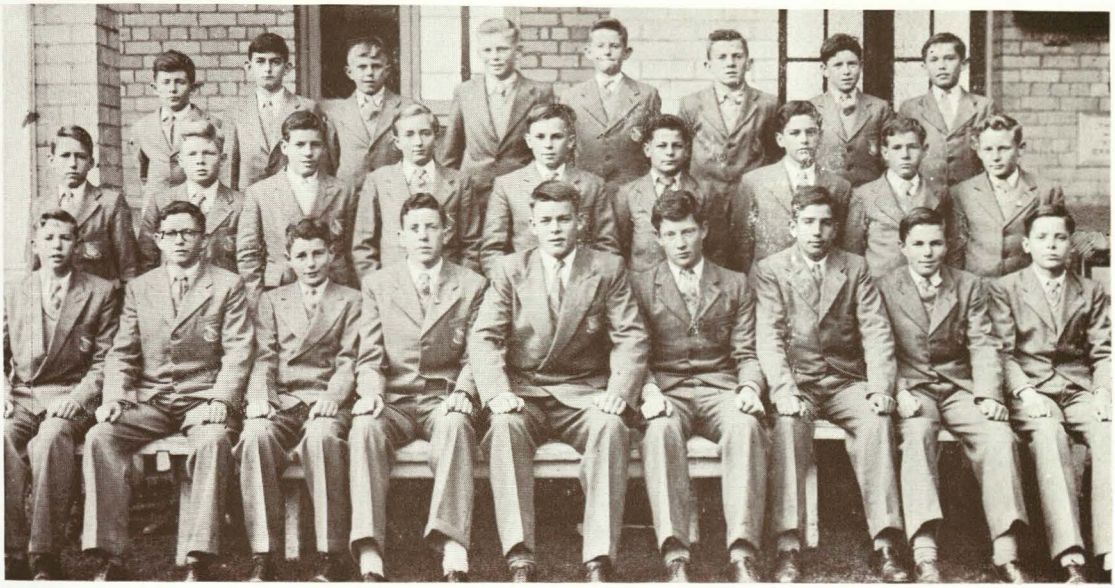
Tony Doherty (42-50) went, this year to St. Columba's College, Springwood, to begin his studies for the priesthood. We wish him all success. His brother **Peter** (36-45), as usual, works with the McCall Publishing firm in town. He was elected this year to the O.I.U. Committee.

You will meet **Joe Donnelly** (34-35) at most of the annual fixtures. A Manufacturers' Agent, he has his offices at 33 Macquarie Place.

We were pleased to see **Owen Dooley** (38-42) looking so well when we met him in Melbourne last January. He was Hon. Secretary of the O.I.U. until he was transferred in charge of the Melbourne branch of E. J. Dwyer Ltd.

Ruy dos Remedios (51-54) is completing the second year of his course at Gatton Agricultural College near Brisbane. We hope he will one day find time to pay us a visit.

Father Francis Douglas (30-31) is doing parish work at Kangaroo Point, Brisbane. Does not often come south. **Sholto Douglas, LL.B.** (24-27) is, as usual, practising in the northern capital. **Judge Robert J. Douglas, K.C.S.G.** (97-01) now retired from the Bench, has his home in Townsville.



BOYS OF THE SECOND GENERATION.

Back (L.-R.): M. Corcoran (C. Corcoran, 25-29); I. Horsley (W. Horsley, 11-16); D. Glasheen and M. Glasheen (Max Glasheen, 26-31); G. Walsh (Bruce Walsh, 21-27); T. Meagher (Paul Meagher, 13-20); P. Lubrano (Garry Lubrano, 24-32); W. Haynes (Bryan Haynes, 26).

Second Row: J. McDermott (Emmet McDermott, 21-29); G. Ferguson (G. Ferguson, 25-28); H. Meagher (Anthony Meagher, 14-16); J. Burke (Stewart Burke, 30-33); A. French (Tom French, 17-22); A. Scriven (William Scriven, 11-15); D. D'Arcy (John D'Arcy, 14-16); C. Bull (Wilson Bull, 22-30); P. Kirby (Leo Kirby, 18-25).

Front Row: E. Murphy (Kevin Murphy, 27-31); C. O'Hanlon (Kevin O'Hanlon, 16-17); T. Collingridge (Edmund Collingridge, 23-25); P. Meagher (Paul Meagher, 13-20); R. Meagher (Michael Meagher, 15-21); J. Kirby (Leo Kirby, 18-25; John O. Maher); A. Sullivan (John Sullivan, 26-31; G. Meagher (Michael Meagher, 15-21).

Father Leon Dowden, S.M. (38-43) went early last year to do missionary work in the Islands. **Richard** (45-50), we hear, went last year with the scientific expedition to Macquarie Island.

Hunter Doyle (26-28), who is Secretary to McLaughlin & Co., Clarence Street, can always be relied upon to lend a hand, when required, to the O.I.U.

Ken Doyle (49-53) is well surviving his course at the British Institute of Engineering Technology.

It is time that we had another visit from **Harry Drake** (45-48) who may be found at

work, with his brother **John** (47-51) in his father's jewellery firm, Sydney Arcade.

Bernard Drinan (27-30) Chartered Accountant, who practised for many years at Muswellbrook is now in practice in his home town, Singleton. His cousin, **Francis** (Prof.) (28-29) is doing well on his farming and grazing property, "Manresa," Glendonbrook. Last year he was elected a Director of the Denman-Singleton Pastures Protection Board. Bernard attended the O.I.U. Reunion at Newcastle, last August.

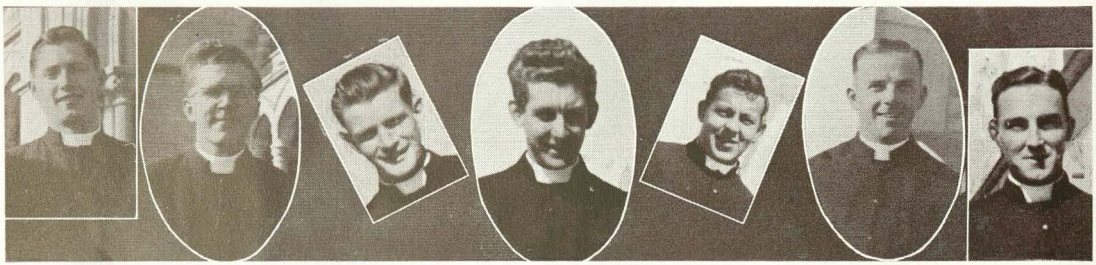
Father John Drury, S.J. (35-36) as First Division Prefect and Sportsmaster, has trained some fine teams and certainly has the secret of "conditioning" his charges who have responded well at both cricket and football. His brother, **Tom** (36-40) manages "Morendah," a station in the Walgett district. Tom was blessed with a son early this year. **Jim** (28-32) as usual, is busy in the firm of Le Tourneau Ltd.

He made a long trip last year from Crookwell to be present at the O.I.U. reunion at Young.

Frank Dynon (29-30) whose son Tony was cox of our Eight this year, has disposed of the Goulburn Hotel, City, and now lives at Newport. The New Brighton Hotel at Manly is one of his interests.

John Dynon (45-54) is following Arts and Law. We understand he may be found in the offices of Freehill & Hollingdale, Solicitors, Martin Place. **Basil Dynon** (16-18) and **Jack** (16-18), John's father, are in business in the city.

We have had little news from **Andrew Eakin** (51-54) since he left us, but we know he is following in his father's footsteps [**Dr. Matt. Eakin** (15-19)] and is now "negotiating" the Medical Course at Brisbane University. Both were present at the O.I.U. reunion at Brisbane in August. Matt was particularly eloquent on episodes of the old days.



RIVERVIEW OLD BOYS AT ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE, MANLY.
L.-R.: E. Campion (50), Dr. A. Ryan (44), J. McGee (48), N. Collins (51), J. McCarthy (44), B. Yates (47), P. Bryant (47).

John Dunford (49-53) a former Captain of the School, is nearing the end of his Law Course as we write. In another year he should graduate and we wish him success. A keen member (Hon. Treasurer in fact) of the Riverview Younger Set.

Fritz Dunstan, Solicitor (20-25) has been practising in Cooma for many years and, with the vastly increased population down there, is busier than ever. He has with him his son, **Peter** (44-48) who recently completed his Law Course. Peter's brother, **Russell** (46-50) is now at work on "Trahlee," a property near Blackall, Q. **Russell, Snr.** (14-18) brother of Fritz, is works manager for Tutt Bryant Ltd. We offer the two brothers our very sincere sympathy on the untimely death last April of **Ken** (20-23), who was a very popular boy at Riverview and will be sadly mised by a wide circle of friends.

George Durrell (24-27) turns up periodically during the year to visit his son at Riverview.

Bob Egan (43-48) whom we meet at some of the Country O.I.U. reunions is working, if our guess is right, on "Corywinna" station, Carathool. If the guess is wrong, please tell us.

John Ell (41-45), Dental Surgeon, is now practising at Cardiff, an outer suburb of Newcastle. His brother, **Brian** (42-48) acquired a Pharmacy at Hurstville last January and, by all accounts, is a very busy man.

We don't see much of **Ken Evans** (45-50) during the year—at least, not as much as we would like—but he is a busy man (and a very happily married one) on Tambua Station, Cobar. Congratulations on the birth of a son and heir last June.

Dr. Ted Evans (09-16), despite the passage of the years, is in very active practice at North Sydney and is one of the Medical Advisers of the College. His son, **Ian** (43-52) is attacking the Medical Course these days at the University. We hope he "beats" it. **Austin** (07-15), Ted's

brother, is, as usual, with Chubb & Co., Clarence Street.

Dr. Kevin Fagan (23-26) one of Sydney's busiest surgeons, has done much of his work at North Shore Hospital and Lewisham. We understand that he went overseas early this year for a fairly lengthy absence. His brother, **Vin** (27-30) is, as usual, farming in Tasmania.

We hear now and then from **Bob Fagan** (35-36) who is working "Wirrindi" Station near Manilla. His brother, **Tony** (36-40) is, we think, as we write, with his mother at Neminga. We should welcome a visit from these brothers.

Paul Fagan (49-52) paid us some visits during the football season. He is now following the University Medical Course and resides at St. John's College. He is, of course, a financial member of the O.I.U.

Russell Fahey (38-39) has held important posts for several years with Pitt Son and Badgery. There is very little he doesn't know concerning the wool industry. His brother, **Rex** (43-48) has been at work on the home property, near Boorowa since, he left us. He was married in 1954.

Dr. Leo Feain (45-47) at present working at the Mater Hospital, North Sydney, was married at Riverview on September 8th, to Miss Madeleine McNamara. Best wishes to them both.

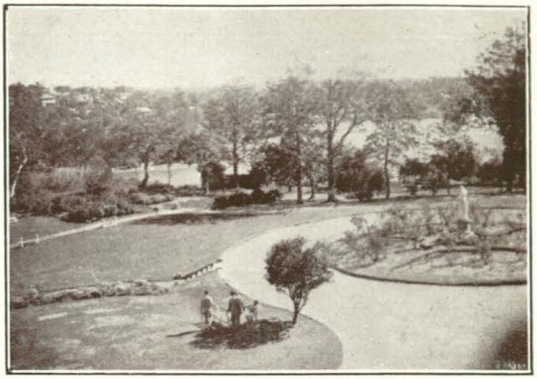
Barry Fearon (43-44) called in to see us in March. He now has his Chief Engineer's ticket and has travelled the seas to America (East and West) as well as taking in New Guinea. He is, incidentally, a Life Member of the O.I.U. We were pleased to meet him at the Newcastle O.I.U. Reunion last August.

Bill Fennell (18-21) is doing very well and enjoying good seasons on "Maynard" near Jericho, North Queensland. He gives us news now and then of other Old Boys in or near (as distances go up there!) his district.

John Fisher (44-50) and Pat (50-53) are prospering on the land at "The Glen" near Goulburn. They are not often in town, but when they are, they look us up. Both were with us on Back-to-Riverview Day.

Michael Fisher (50-54), **Tony** (42-46) and **Kerry** (46-50) are together on "Melyra" not far from Grenfell. One or other of them calls at Riverview more than once during the year.

Congratulations to **Pat Fitzgerald** (43-48) who was married at Riverview on February 11th this year to Miss Gillian Backhouse. Pat is a Pharmacist of some years' standing and now may be found at work in Lane Cove.



IN THE FRONT GARDEN.

John D. Fitzgerald (44-48) and **Paul** (50-54) work, as usual, on "Krui Plains," Ashley, Moree. It's time they both called in to see us.

We usually see **Ken Fitzgerald** (18-22) once a year when he comes down from Bourke on holidays and can get away from his hotel work there.

Sq./L. Bryan Fitzgerald, R.A.A.F. (30-34) is now, we believe, staff officer, ground training, at Laverton, Victoria. **Adrian** (35-37) and **Ron** (35-37) work the year round on "The Prairies," Ashley, Moree. **Neil** (35-40) runs "Glenesk" in the same district. **Brian** (42-44) is on "Amaroo" Station, Narrabri.

Edmund Fitzpatrick (20-21) is Atlantic Oil representative at Cootamundra. His boy Peter is facing up to the L.C. Exams. this year at Riverview. **Norman** (12-15) may be found on "Warre Warral" Station in the Wagga district, and **Clarrie** (12-17) is on the home station, "Erin Vale," Junee Reefs.

We invariably meet **Dick Flannery, LL.B.** (31-35) at the O.I.U. General Meeting and the Annual Dinner in May. He always looks, as we say, "offensively well" and good luck to him. He has his chambers in Phillip Street.

Vincent John Flynn (51-53) is doing well at the University and obtained High Distinction in Latin II at the end of last year. His two brothers, Christopher and Jeremy, both at Riverview, will, no doubt, follow in his footsteps (Arts and Law). "V. J." must have been pleased at the brilliant success of Christopher at the 1955 L.C. exams., topping the State.

In more ways than one, we missed the **Foley** brothers, **Michael** (50-55) and **Peter** (50-55) when, having safely negotiated the 1955 L.C. Exams., they left us last December. In every way they were an asset to Riverview. They are



FROM THE BAND-STAND, Riverview foreshore.

now studying Accountancy, Peter with David Fell & Co., Michael with C. T. Hartigan & Co. We still have their brother Denis with us. His class successes last year show that he is a worthy successor to his (twin) brothers.

Gordon Forsyth (51-55) writes from Borambala Park, Tarcutta, to let us know he is jackerooing at Coonong Shorthorn Stud under Mr. McCaughey. He reminds us that the stud had the champion shorthorn bull at this year's Royal Show.

We see periodically **D'Arcy Foy** (36-39) and his brother, **Don** (36-40) both of whom have been with Mark Foy's Ltd. since they left us. Their brother, Francis, is still at Riverview.

Riverview was sorry to lose **Father Charlie Fraser, S.J.,** from our staff at the beginning of this year. He was transferred to the Holy Name Seminary, Christchurch, N.Z. He left the Riverview garden in first-class condition and we hope, for his sake, that he will be able to continue his "garden bending exercises" in N.Z. They did him good here!

Jack Fraser (12-18) hasn't come our way for a long time but we know he is doing as well as ever on "Deltroit," Tumblong, and we hope to see him before long.

Tom French (17-22) is in charge of the Fiji Trading Company, with his headquarters at Suva. We were pleased to welcome his son Tony to Riverview this year.

Father Dom Furlong (14-17) has been doing very solid parish work at Maroubra Bay for several years. We hear he is an experienced builder, too. **John M. Furlong (Snr.),** (19-20) is in charge of the Station Hotel, Auburn. **John M. (Jnr.),** (41-48) who was married last year, is, we think, in the same line of business. **John F.** (43-45) is mostly responsible for the Royal Hotel, Auburn.

Walter Furlong (50-55) always struck us as a budding actor. We understand he is studying for a scholarship in that profession, leading to "Old Vic." We shall be amazed if he doesn't succeed. Even in class ———— !!

Brian Gallagher (47-52) sits for Law IV this year, so his worries will shortly be over. He resides at St. John's College (Univ.).

Peter Gallagher (50-55), Captain of Riverview over his last two years with us—and a mighty good Captain too, incidentally—left us last December after the L.C. Exams. He is now at home in Brisbane (Gresham Hotel, Adelaide St.) and learning the ins and outs of that business. He has enrolled at the University in the faculty of Economics and Commerce, but will not begin the course for some time yet. We missed him at Riverview, in many spheres, this year, but we shall follow his career with interest and we all wish him well. He paid us a visit about Easter time.

Paddy Galvin, Solicitor (10-13) practises at 17 Castlereagh Street and pays us a visit or two each year — usually on the O.I.U. Dinner and Back to Riverview days.

We see **Ben Garner** (50-51), usually during the football season. Still very keen on the game. We understand he is with the Royal Exchange Assurance Co., Pitt Street.

John Garnsey (53-55) who left us at the end of last year, has, since then, been at work on "Babaneek," Murringo. In September he went as a jackeroo to "Evesham" Station near Longreach, Q. **James** (44-45) runs a stock and station agency at Ivanhoe, N.S.W.

Congratulations to **John ("Bill") Garry** (45-49) who was married at Riverview on December 1st, 1955, to Miss Jennifer Purtell. "Bill" looks after "Mylora" Station, Binalong, while his brother, **Leon** (45-49) runs "Weilora," close by. Both brothers are welcome visitors to 'View when they "strike" the city.

We hear regularly from **Dr. Charles Gaudron** ('01) Dental Specialist in Paris and Examiner at the Sorbonne. He is still keenly interested in Riverview's progress and success. We much appreciate the French illustrated papers he sends periodically. They are both interesting and useful at Riverview.

Diarmuid Gavan Duffy, Solicitor (99-05) does not often come to Sydney from Camperdown, Victoria. He has been practising there for many years and can tell you interesting facts about the Riverview of 50 years ago.

Dr. Eric Giblin (35-39) has been in practice for several years now, at Asquith, Northern Suburbs. A keen footballer himself at Riverview, you may meet him at our matches during the season. His brother, **Dr. Dexter, F.R.A.C.S.** (35-37) also practises on the northern side of the Harbour—Wahroonga. We have not seen him for quite some time.

Des Giffney (39-44) slips in to see us occasionally and attends the main yearly O.I.U. and College fixtures. He is at work with Flavelles Dental Pty. Ltd. in town.

Dr. Don Gillespie (39-43) has a very busy practice at Queanbeyan and while we don't see him often in Sydney, we have heard golden opinions of his work, in his district. **Malcolm** (38-44) is in the Refrigeration business—with A. G. Healing & Co., Goulburn Street. **Jock** (39-46)

may be found at work with Caldwell Motors Ltd. at Crows Nest, and **Pat** (37-44) has been with J. J. Sullivan Pty. Ltd., Sussex Street, for several years now.

It is quite a long time since we have had word from **Dr. Bill Gissane, F.R.C.S.** (15-17)—a cricketer and boxer of note in his days at Riverview. He has been for several years Clinical Director of the Birmingham Accident Hospital, England.

Max Glasheen (28-31) Solicitor, practises at 3 Castlereagh Street. He has been for many years and still is, a member of the O.I.U. Committee. His two sons, Michael and David, now enliven proceedings in their respective classes at Riverview.

Ian Glover (40-46) went overseas with his wife early this year and on his return in May had much of interest to say of his trip on the Continent, being specially "taken" with Switzerland. With his brother, **Ross** (42-48) he looks after "Toorang," Tarcoon (via Brewarrina). Both were at the O.I.U. Dinner in May.

Ted Godsall (17-21) is looking after his farm at Beerwah, North Coast Line, Q. We hope the cyclone and rains did not affect him unduly. **Hal, LL.B.** (17-21) has been practising in Brisbane for many years. It was good meeting him this year at the Old Boys' Dinner in Brisbane. As light-hearted as ever!

Vin Golden (29-35), Dental Surgeon, practises at Mortdale. **Dr. Albert Golden** (35-37) is, we believe, practising in the Newcastle district. We haven't seen him for a long time. **Paddy** (26-31), Solicitor, has his rooms in Phillip Street, City. **Rev. J. Golden, S.J.** (26-28) has been for some years already at Newman College, Melbourne University.

Lynton Gooden (46-49) and his brother, **Mark** (49-53) work, as usual, on "Berrembee" Station, near Wagga, and look very fit when we meet them.

John Gorman (40-44) and his brother, **Neville** (40-41) are on the land near Queanbeyan—"Googong" is the property. John's home is named "Bunyip" and as far as we know, Neville's is "Beltana." Both have continued with the Army. John is a Major of the 1st Lancers (Parramatta) and Neville a Captain in the Werriwa Regiment.

Tony Gould, LL.B. (41-43) is still overseas and as we write is teaching English at Strasbourg. His brother, **John** (42-45) has been for some time now with Stapleton Pty. Ltd., Estate Agents, in Sydney. (Time these brothers paid us a visit.)

Jock Graham (33-34) has been to see us once or twice in recent years and we look forward to having his son at Riverview before very long. He looks after his property "Eulorga," Coolac.

Knox Greenaway (54-55) left us at the end of last year and is now at work on the family property "Merrinong," Brewarrina.

John Griffith (50-55), that inspiring player on our 1955 fifteen, left us at the end of last year and early in February went to Loyola, Watsonia (Vic.) to commence his training as a Jesuit. Everyone's good wishes follow John.

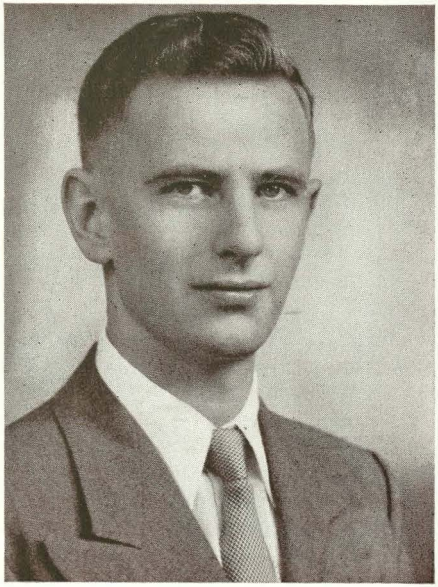
Greg Guest (47-51) intends to enter the teaching profession after doing a course at the University. We usually see him at the principal annual fixtures.

Recently we have had no direct news from **Dr. Frank Gwynne** (12-14) who, a specialist in Radiology, practises in Auckland, N.Z. (3 Alfred Street.)

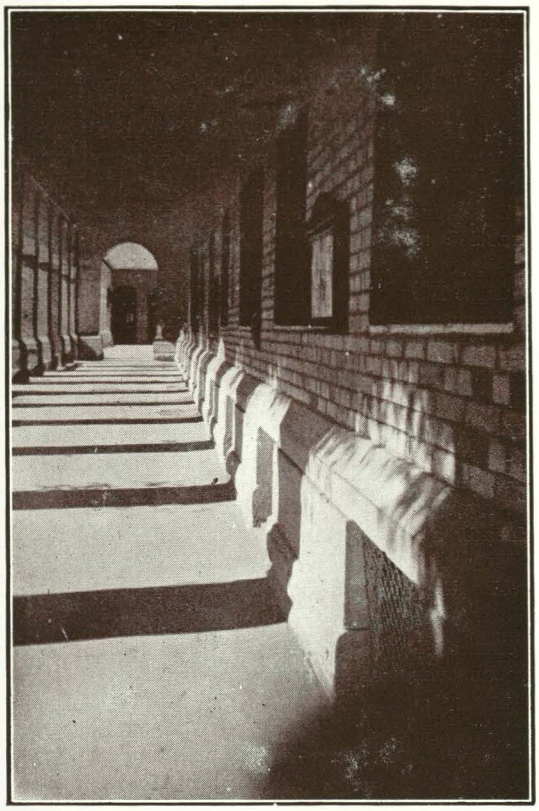
Dr. Trevor Gyton-Brown (39-43) went overseas last year in search of the coveted F.R.C.S. (Eng.) degree. We wish him complete success.

Jean Hagen (36) who passed but one year—and a very full one—at Riverview, is an important business man in New Caledonia. ("Jean Hagen, Noumea, is sufficient address). Whenever he visits Sydney, which is not often, he calls to see us. Always welcome.

You will always meet **Vav. Hammond** (42-44)



DR. JOHN HARRISON.



WHERE THE NOTICES GO UP!

at the O.I.U. Dinner in May and at many of the football matches. He works as Chief Property Officer of the Australian Stevedoring Industry Board.

Captain Dick Hannigan (41-47) was married at Riverview on July 21st this year, to Miss Margaret Carter. Best wishes to them both. We are not sure where Dick is situated at present.

Francis Harding (48-51) who switched from Engineering to Dentistry at the University, should have his second year's exams. behind him as we write.

Bob Harper (44-50) is a qualified Accountant but we do not know where he is at work. We await details.

We were very pleased to note the success of **Dr. John Harrison** (45-48) in his final Med. Exams. at the end of 1955 and we wish him a successful career. His brother, **Owen** (46-51) is fast approaching the end of the same course. John is now getting experience at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney.

Michael Harrison (48-55) and his brother, **Tim** (48-55) both finished up at Riverview last December and lost no time in joining the O.I.U. They are both working on their father's property, Blairmore Pt., Aberdeen, and evidently enjoying the life.

Jack Hayes (20-22) is as busy as ever in his Millthorpe store. His son Charlie is in his third year at Riverview.

Fred Hayes (11-16) has a flourishing business at "The Esplanade," Terrigal. **Evie** (17-20) is on the land out by Bourke; **Herbert ("Dreamy") Hayes** (13-18) lives in Canberra and **Jack** (20-25) at Cronulla. We were glad to meet Herbert at the G.P.S. (Combined) Football.

James W. Hayes (82-83) despite the passage of the years, retains his youth in an amazing way and is usualy present at the Annual O.I.U. Dinner in May. His memory of the early days of Riverview is still very fresh.

Dick Hazlitt (43-48) who has spent several years at the Law course, went, last February, to St. Columba's College, Springwood, to begin his studies for the priesthood. He has several O.R.'s with him there and we wish them all success.

P. J. Heaney (50-55) "put it across" us many times in class last year but always with that "poker face" which won his point. We believe he is now diving into the Pharmacy course in which his father can give him many hints. We miss "P.J." and we wish him well always. We are pleased to have his brother with us this year.

Eddie Heaton (35-41) is with the Taxation Department in town and **Val** (22-30) is working a property not far from Yass.

Mark Heesh (41-47) and his brother, **John** (40-44) are Dental Surgeons and each has a busy practice—Mark at Warialda and John at Boggabri. **Paul Heesh** (27) works a newsagency at Summer Hill. **Peter** (27-34) is with Thomas McPherson Ltd. in the city. **Albert,** R.A.N. (27-35) dental mechanic, lives with his family at Flinders Naval Base, Victoria.

Pat Heffernan (37-38), on the land, works "Wandong" Station, near Byalla. **Frank** (37-38) is on "Wallerina." **Laurie** (47-48) on "The Pinnacle" (Byalla) and **Greg** (41) on "Moorlands." All keen sheep enthusiasts.

Bob Henderson, B. Econ. (40-48) since returning from his post-graduate course at Harvard University, U.S., has been at work with Caltex Ltd. in town. We congratulate him on his marriage to Miss Sylvia Adamson, of Boston, U.S.A., at St. Canice's on March 6th this year. Best wishes to them both.

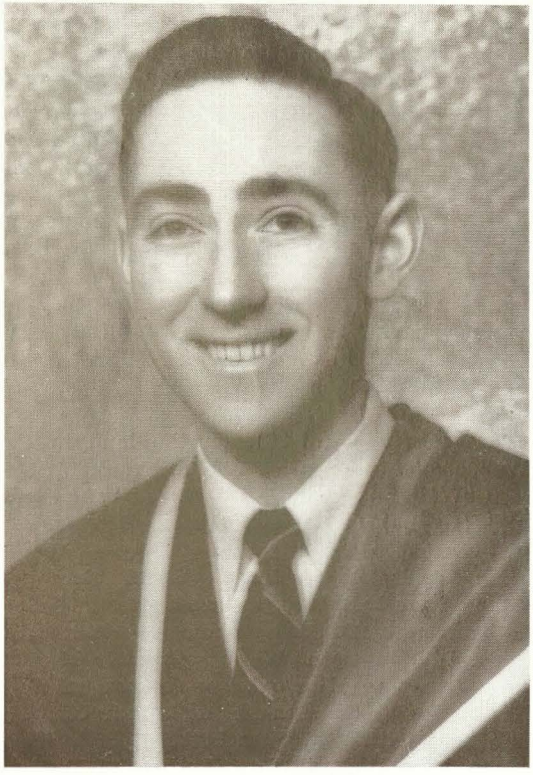
John F. ("Buggsy") Henderson (46-50) has lately transferred to the A.N.Z. Bank at Glen

Innes. We understand that he still plays superlative country cricket.

Dr. John A. Henderson (45-48) completed his Medical Course at Melbourne University last December and is now getting valuable experience at St. Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne. He was, when at the University a crack 880 yards runner too. We wish him a happy and successful career.

Rev. Hans Hendriks, S.J. (45-49) who has been in the Australian Jesuit Mission for some years now is completing his course of Philosophy at Poona. He writes cheerful letters from there. **Jon ("Spot") Hendriks** (45-49) has been a Junior Wool-buyer for some years with Waltine-Bosut Ltd. He went to France and Belgium this year and returned at the end of August with much valuable experience "under his hat." **Harry** (45-52) is doing very well with Swift & Co., Importers, in the City.

Frank Hennessy (14-17) an athletic record-breaker at Riverview in his day, doesn't go so fast now and has been with the Country Producers' Selling Co. for many years. His brother, **John** (16-18) for several years a member of the O.I.U. Committee is in the Taxation Department.



DR. JOHN A. HENDERSON.

Doug Henwood (47-51) who did two years' study in the London University External Students' Medical Course, switched recently to a general dealer's business and is doing very well. Called to see us more than once this year.

Dr. John Herlihy (34-35) has an ever-growing practice at Leichhardt where he has been at work for several years now.

Clive Hey (43-46) is in the Insurance business in town and when we met him on his city rounds one day, seemed quite enthusiastic about his work.

Brian Higgins (44-48) is in the Millthorpe branch of The Bank of New South Wales. We have not seen him down our way for a considerable time.

Roger Hogan (51-55) who left us last year is already a Life Member of the O.I.U. and keenly interested in all the activities of the School. He works the day round on Brookbank, Crookwell. We await an early visit from him.

Lance Hogg (38-42) looking as hefty and active as ever, has taken over the O.I.U. Vice-Presidency for the Newcastle district. As far as we know, he works with Lamson Paragon, Printers, in that city. He did good work organising the Newcastle O.I.U. Dinner in August. (Ask him if he knows a Capt. Webber!!)

Bruce Holland (26-31) has been with the B.H.P. in Newcastle for many years and is a well-known figure there in Rugby Union affairs. He was recently, and still is, we think, President of the Referees' Association in Newcastle.

Hilton Hollingdale (37-42) is prospering, we are told, on his property, "Barragowa," Cargo. We have not seen him for a year or two. His brother, **Peter** (38-44) Solicitor, is a partner in the firm of Freehill, Hollingdale and Page, Martin Place. Peter rejoices in a steadily growing family.

David St. J. Honner (42-46) is successfully developing his very fine property—"Eurimburra" at Reid's Flat, ably assisted by his wife who has much experience of station life. He does not often come to the city.

Ray Hood (42-46) now deals in Radio Advertising with his father and lives at Northbridge. May be met frequently during the football season.

Fred Horsley (50-55) safely left the L.C. Exams. behind him last December. This year, we understand, he is "back on the farm," i.e., at work on "Yabtree," Tumblong, with his father, **Lach Horsley** (06-11) but we can't say he's an

expert correspondent (and hope he takes the hint!) Good luck, "Gee." **Wally Horsley** (11-16) whose son, **Ian,** is with us at Riverview, supervises "Gundillawah," Tumblong, which is managed by **Bruce** (37-41) a very happily married man.

Father Bernard Hosie, S.M. (36-40) secured his Doctorate of Theology in Rome last year and since his return to Australia, has been on the staff of Woodlawn, the Marist Fathers' College, near Lismore. When is Bernie going to pay us a visit?

John Hoult (49-53) conquered the difficulties of Med. I last December. "Going" should be somewhat easier now. At least we hope so, for his sake.

Tom Hughes, LL.B (36-40) is one of Sydney's prominent Barristers and of late has been engaged on very important cases, at home and overseas. His chambers are in Philip Street. His brother, **Geoffrey** (37-45), a partner in the well-known legal firm of Hughes, Hughes and Garvin is as busy as he could wish to be. **Robert** (51-55), a debater of note at Riverview, left us last December and is now doing the Arts Course at the University, to be followed by Law.

John Hunt (42-47), Solicitor, practises in town with Mr. Cecil O'Dea (President, O.I.U.). John plays for the O.I.U. every year against the College Eleven and is still a cunning bowler.

Paul Hunter (45-49) and **John** (48-51) may be found at work in the Earlwood Hotel, Earlwood. **Maurice** (41-45) manages the Oatley Hotel, Oatley. Our congratulations to Paul on his marriage at Riverview on January 25th to Miss Anne Borthwick.

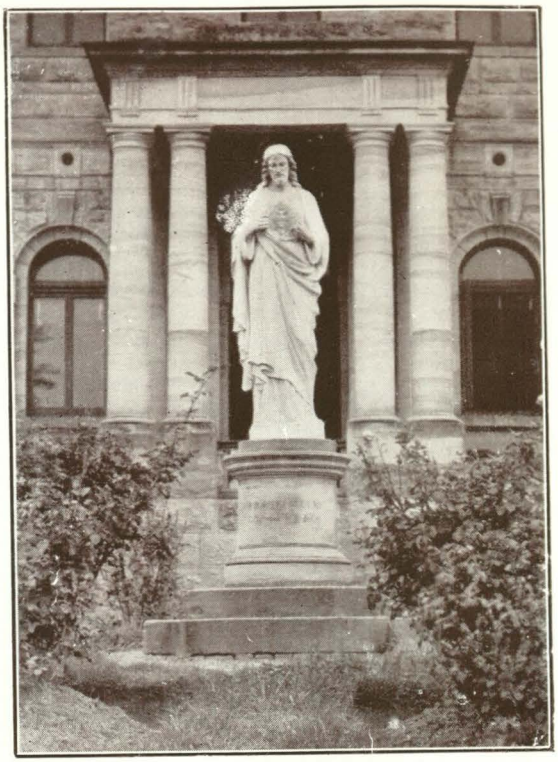
John ("Betty") Hutton (46-52) should be nearing the end of his Accountancy course as we write. He is one of the mainstays of the Riverview Younger Set.

Marcus Hyndes (31-35) is working "Prestwick," a property near Dungowan. (Has he seen the Harbour Bridge lately?!)

As far as we know, **Warwick Ingall** (46-51) has been with the National Cash Register Co., York Street, for the past few years.

Jim Ireland (16-19) has no less than three sons at Riverview this year. Very solid "specimens" too! The air around "The Lake," Walcha, which is Jim's property, must be very muscle-building! Jim's brother, **Tom ("Paddy") Ireland** (15-18) doesn't often come to the city from his property, "Niarra," Bingara.

Eric Ireson (36-42), that "strong silent man" of 14 years ago is busy all the year on "Round Box" in the Hay district. We usually meet Eric



THE STATUE IN FRONT OF THE COLLEGE.

at one or other of the O.I.U. country reunions. He has an up and coming son and daughter to add to his interests.

Dr. Alex Johnson, F.R.A.C.S. (22-26) has two boys at Riverview and frequently pays us a visit. His brother, **Dr. Bristow** (22-28) also has two sons at the College, one of whom is a member of the First Eleven. **Dr. Adrian** (27-33) like his two brothers, practises in Macquarie Street and is a noted Dermatologist. R.P.A. Hospital knows him well. Gordon (27-34) **Chemist,** has his offices in Hunter Street.

Ross ("Singa") Johnson (33-43) has been in the Regular Army (Survey Section) for some years now. His brother, **Dick** (37-45), happily married, we hear, lectures in Classics at Melbourne University. **Terry** (41-49) is at work with Macdonald & Co., Marrickville.

Fred Jolley (46-51) should be very near his final Medical Exams. now. So far he has done very well indeed in his course and should have little trouble in graduating. Our best wishes follow him. We offer him our sincere sympathy on the death of his father this year.

We don't often see **Don Jones** (44-52) these

days. He will be leaving Med. IV behind him this year, and is having a smooth passage through the course.

Alan Jones (49-55) one of our principal bats and bowlers on last year's First Eleven, left us at the end of the second term, 1955, and the team missed him very much. He is doing more exacting work now on "Milo" Station, Ashley, Moree.

Dr. Farmey Joseph (38-41) enjoys an ever-growing practice in Wagga. And his spare time, such as it is, is taken up with his young family —ever-growing too.

Mick Kearins (41-46) who was happily married in April, 1955, works though the year on "Orana" Station not far from Coolah. Someone told us he has been blessed with a daughter this year.

We are always pleased to have word from **John D. Keating** (22-24) who has the secret of perpetual youth and is, as usual, in the Department of External Affairs, Canberra. We thank him for his thoughtful article in last year's issue.

Dick Keighery (48-55) a prominent and efficient member of our 1955 Fifteen, started on the Economics' course at the University this year. We wish him and his brother **Jim** (43-49) (who has long been busy with Aquila Steel Co. Pty. Ltd.) every success and we hope to see a lot of them both. Always most welcome at 'View. Congratulations to Jim and his bride, Miss Maria Finn. They were married on October 20th at the Church of the Holy Family, Lindfield.

John Kelman (50-54) secured his pilot's licence out at Bankstown last July and has returned to Julia Creek, Q., and the home station. He called in just before he went.

Barry Kerin (50-51) keeps in touch with the School activities through the pages of "O.A.M." He works during the year on "Eden Valley," Trundle.

Hedley Kelly (28-35) was unanimously elected Hon. Secretary of the O.I.U. last January. He wasn't in office more than 24 hours when he was busy contacting recent Old Boys and making sure they got interested in the Union. He has been right "on the mark" all the year and has done a most business-like job, ensuring the success of every function. You will always meet him at the College annual fixtures (especially cricket and football). His election was a good choice by the Old Boys and we hope he will be able to continue his excellent work for years to come.

We are pleased to know that our old-time "star", **E. H. ("Ned") Kelly** (90-95) is keeping well, though dodging floods at Lismore. He is keenly interested in all Riverview activities and sent us a telegram of congratulation on the 1955 L.C. results. It may interest O.R.'s to know that the same Ned came first in the State at the old Junior University Exam. Seven was the maximum number of subjects in those days and Ned Kelly took first-class honours in all seven—English, Latin, Greek, French, Geometry, Algebra and Arithmetic, with medals for Greek, Algebra and Geometry.

He was particularly pleased to see Christopher Flynn's name coming first in the State at last year's L.C. Exams. He also wrote us some interesting details of life at Riverview in his day.

Lance P. Kelly (90-91), Life Vice-President of the Union, is second to none in his interest and assistance to the Executive. Attends all meetings and no function staged by the Union or the College is without his genial presence. Long may we have him with us.

Jack Kelly (09-12) is, as usual, on the O.I.U. Committee and a very useful member. He is in the motor business and may be found at 125 Walker Street, North Sydney. His brother, **Arthur** (03-10), Hon. Auditor to the Union over the years, works in the Auditor-General's Department. **Bert** (02-08) for a long time with the E.S. and A. Bank, is now with a Commercial firm in the city.

Frank Kelly (34-37) who **may** write and give us news of himself any time, but hasn't done so yet, is doing well (our "sleuths' 'tell us) on his property "Kenilworth", Bonshaw. When is Frank coming to town again?

Kevin ("Dan") Kelly (17-24) always turns up at the O.I.U. General Meeting and at most football fixtures. He lectures on wool at the Technical College.

Pat Kelly (51-55) hopes to leave all L.C. worries behind him at the end of this year. He had a slight set-back in 1955 but we have confidence in his eventual success. He is at Maitland while his brother, **Michael** (47-51), according to our recent news, is picking up business methods with Woolworths.

Lieut. John D. Kelly (42-47) has chosen the Regular Army as his career, and as we write is stationed at Sale (Victoria).

John Kelly (27-34) who put his son Fred at Riverview last year, spends his year at the development of Newhaven Park, Cowra.

Ernie Kelly (44-49), Dental Surgeon, has been practising in London for the past year or two,

and doing very well by all accounts—and putting on considerable weight, we hear.

Richard King (39-42) called in to see us during the first term and "signed on" (for some years hence) his son and heir. He looks after "Yarrandabbie" Station, Upper Bingara.

Dr. Callie King (16-17) one of the Union Vice-Presidents, is one of those quietly efficient members whose advice and assistance in Union matters are worth having. He has done much valuable work for the Union over the years. He practises at Hunters Hill. His son, **Justin** (46-54) is, as we write, completing the second year of his Jesuit training at Loyola College, Victoria—and, if looks count for anything, is enjoying the experience.

Leo Kirby (18-25) has two weighty sons at Riverview, who should make their presence felt in any Fifteen before long. Leo works "Beralga", St. George, Q.

John ("Chook") Kirkpatrick (40-47) is doing as well as ever on the home property "Cleveland," Mungindi, and is usually in Sydney on Regatta Day. We have not forgotten his help to the "Alma" last year.

Peter Kneipp (47-50) doesn't often come down from "Glenmore," Bonshaw, but when he does, he invariably calls in (and makes sure he is listed as a financial member of the O.I.U.). He assures us that he finds the study of wool far easier than French which, he said, was "all Greek" to him!

Jack Kouvelis (37-40) we have not welcomed at Riverview for some considerable time. We hear of him however, from his nephew who is at the School. "Springfield" near Orange is his fine property.

Dr. Chris Laidlaw (26-33) who is temporarily resting from O.I.U. Executive work, much of which occupied him in recent years, is very busy at his practice in Rose Bay. Union functions always have him present.

Paul Lamérand (42-49) does not visit "the big smoke" very often. He is busy all the year on "Mulga Downs," Goodooga. We are wondering if all the rain we had during the early part of the year has affected him at all. Hope not.

As far as we are concerned, **Ossie Landers** (13-17) has disappeared, more or less, "into smoke." We know he has been on various stations in the far out-back, the most recent one of which we heard being "Binyeah," Dajarrah, Q. But we have not heard from him for a very long time.

Eric Langley (21-25) is still having trouble with his health. He has spent much time in hospital in recent years but takes it all with his optimistic smile. His brother, **Warren** (21-26) is, we think, with Ampol Petroleum Co.



AT CASTEL-GANDOLFO.
His Holiness the Pope with Tony Larkins, Q.C., and Father D. O'Connell, S.J.

Alex Larking (51-55) sailed through the L.C. Exams. last December and has now begun the Engineering Course at the University. We know him—he can do it if he likes, and we think he does.

Ralph Larkins (32-36), Solicitor, has been practising for some years now with the firm of McDonell and Moffitt, Wynyard Street. Ralph obviously thrives on the work physicaly and mentally. **Dr. Bill Larkins** (23-29) has a busy practice at Leura and is bringing up a hefty family of four or five. **Mick** (33) is General Manager of McLaughlin Motor Tractors Pty. Ltd. **John** (31-37) is assistant accountant with the Clyde Industrial Groups. **Tony Larkins, Q.C.** (23-31) goes from one important legal case to another these days. We publish a photo taken at Castel Gandolfo, Rome, when he was, with Fr.



JOHN LENEHAN and his Bride leaving the Riverview Chapel after their wedding.

D. O'Connell, S.J. (Director, Vatican Observatory) granted an audience with His Holiness the Pope. He was then returning from conducting a case before the Privy Council.

We haven't seen **Ross Last** (46-51) nor his brother, **Philip** (48-52) for quite a long time. They work during the year on "Rawilla," Muttama, near Cootamundra, and, by all accounts, are doing very well.

Paul Leahy (29-31) whose son Peter is at Riverview since last year, does his year's work on "Manna Park," Forbes. **Gerard (40-48)** is on "Burra" Station, Tumbarumba. **Keith** (29-34) is out in the Queensland Gulf country on his station "Oban" and is an experienced flier too. **John** (34-36) who is a keen yachtsman, is in the city office of the family estates. **Pat** (35-36 and 39-43) has a family of two sons and two daughters and looks after "Burratoo" Station.

Congratulations and best wishes to **George Leahy** (43-46) on his marriage (June 2nd) at Goulburn to Miss Ruth Sturgiss. George and his wife called to see us the day after their wedding. We were very glad to see them. During the year he works "Bonnie Doon," Tarago. His brother, **Mick** (42-44) also a very happily married man, has been looking after a property at Trangie for some years. (Time Mick called in).

Tony Ledlin (48-55) one of last year's House prefects, who left us last December, is now, we hear, in the Customs Department and has his home at Penrith.

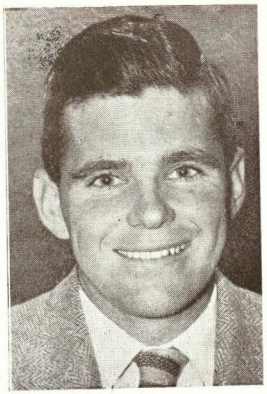
We see **Ian Lees** (47-51) and his brother, **Robin** (47-53) two or three times during every year. They work daily on "Kia-Ora," Gundaroo, N.S.W., and keep up to date on our activities through the pages of "O.A.M."

Jack Leese (14-20) is one of those Old Boys to whom time makes no difference. He never forgets the good old days in Third Division and frequently renews old associations at Riverview. "Jacky" never changes—and who wants to? He has been associated with Neon Lights Ltd. for several years.

John Lenehan (45-47) who was married at Riverview last year, works "Wirrani" Station, near Narrandera. His brother, **Bill** (45-48) is on "Euroliebah" not far away. Both are interested in the activities of their brother Jim, this year's Capain of Riverview, and of Andrew, the youngest of the clan, who is also with us. Congratulations to Bill on the birth of a daughter last December and to John who was blessed with twins, a boy and a girl, this year.

Michael Lennon (47-51) who was at work for some time in Albury and Wagga with Dalgety & Co., started on the Medical Course this year at Sydney University and resides at St. John's College. His brother, **Alan** (52-55) put the L.C. Exams. behind him very successfully last year. He is now with Farmers & Graziers at Wagga.

Simon Leonard (48-55) after eight years at Riverview, left us last December and is giving a hand to his father, **Bernard Leonard** (09-16)



PAUL LEWIS, Dental Surgeon.

and his brother, **Michael** (48-52) on "Ruglan," Gradule, S.W. Queensland. We miss the Leonard clan at Riverview but we won't forget them.

Philip Leonard (49-55) left us at the conclusion of his L.C. Exams. last year and tells us he is going to take up a commercial course.

Vin L'Estrange (38-44) is a wool-buyer and does a good deal of State travelling. He lives "up the road" from Riverview and calls in periodically. His elder brother, **Dr. Jim L'Estrange** (38) has been practising at Naremburn for several years now.

Our sympathy goes to **Frank Lethbridge** (26-34) on the death of his wife this year. Frank, solicitor, practises at Corowa, N.S.W., and doesn't often "strike" the city.

Rev. Pat Lewis, S.J. (43-48) is now completing the third year of his Philosophy course at Loyola College, S.J., Victoria. Pat looks as placid as ever.

Paul ("Joe II") Lewis (46-51) is now a qualified Dental Surgeon and since graduation has been at work in Victoria until October when he went to England where he will get plenty of experience in his profession. **Noel ("Joe I")** (40-45) looks after his farm near Tumut. Their younger brother, John ("Joe III") one of Riverview's Prefects this year, keeps up the football traditions of the family, being a prominent member of the First Fifteen.

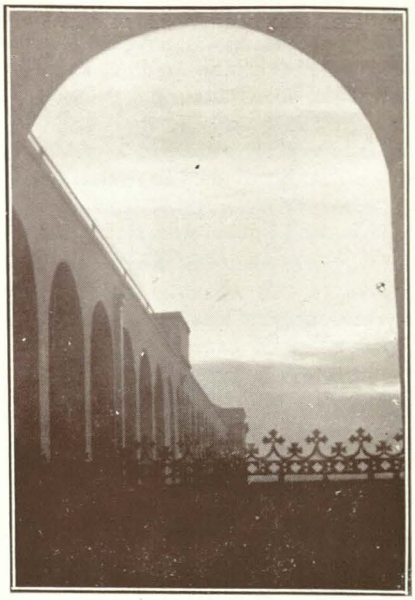
Father Pat Lewis, S.J. (26-29) is at Beaumont College, S.J., Old Windsor, Berks. (Eng.) and has not been away from England since he left Riverview. His brother, **Father Langlois Lewis,** S.J. (26-29) has been on the Mission of All Souls, Mtoko, N.E. of Salisbury, Rhodesia, for some years and has by now got quite used to living in "darkest Africa."

Don Le Lievre (48-55) was a big loss to our First Eleven when he left us at the end of last year's second term. His bowling and batting figures were impressive. Since he left Riverview he has been doing full-time work on "Wuttagoona" Station, Cobar. A very special breed of cattle there is his principal "hobby." Still makes impressive scores in country cricket.

Dr. Tony Liggins (36-41) has been practising at Taree for some years now but rarely comes to "the big smoke."

Paul Lippmann (41-44) and his brother, **Peter** (41-44) are prospering on "Moorefield Hills," Dural. Paul (we think, as we can never distinguish one from the other) is a keen follower of the Riverview fixtures and has refereed many of our matches with consummate skill.

Dr. Griffin Lipscomb (17-21) and his brother,



"THE ARCHES OF THE YEARS."

Dr. Jack Lipscomb (21-27) have been practising in England for several years now. **Dr. Bert Lipscomb** (33-36) has his practice at Murwillumbah, Northern Rivers; we hope this year's floods did not worry him too much. We were pleased to see him at the Brisbane O.I.U. Dinner last August.

We were pleased to have with us at the O.I.U. Dinner this year in May, **Kevin List** (47-48) who took up Law on leaving Riverview and seems to be thriving on it.

Congratulations to **George Little** (41) of "Bellevue," Grenfell, who was married early this year to Miss Lynch of Piney Range. His brother, **"Mac" ("Wimpy") Little** (38-45) now rejoices in a daughter (or is it a son?) and is at work in the same district. Both are prominent cricketers.

John Lloyd-Jones (44-52) comes to see us when in town from East Maitland. He is in the Valuer-General's Department. His brother is at Riverview. John was at the Newcastle O.I.U. Dinner in August.

Charlie Loneragan (23-31) continues to prosper on "The Lagoon," Gulgong. His elder son, **Richard** (49-54) started on the University course of Agricultural Science, last year. He resides at St. John's College. Charlie's younger son Michael is at Riverview.

Dr. Frank Long (41-46) who was married at Riverview early in 1955 now practises in con-

junction with Dr. Gordon Oxenham at Griffith. His brother, Geoff (48-52) should soon put "finis" to the exams. of the Medical Course.

Father Basil Loughnan, S.J. (00-03) is stationed at Canisius' College, the Jesuit Theologate at Pymble. We are glad to know he is much improved in health. **Bede Loughnan** (11-14) **Bob** (00) and **Hal** (12-13) all practise Law in Christchurch, N.Z., and Palmerston North. **Joe** (00-02) lives near Tauranga, Bay of Plenty, N.Z.

Ray Love (47-52) a footballer of note, as we all know, is studying industrial chemistry with Ch. Macdonald Pty. Ltd. His brother, **Bill** (45-49) is on the staff of the Daily Mirror and is, we think, still stationed at Newcastle—or was, up to last year.

Congratulations and best wishes to **Father Bede Lowery, S.J.** (37-41) who was ordained last February at St. Mary's, Ridge Street. He is now completing his final year of Theology at Canisius' College, Pymble. His brother, **John** (39-48) who has gone in for Forestry, was working at Urunga, near Coff's Harbour, at our last news of him.

Garry Lubrano (24-32) pays frequent visits to Riverview during the School year as his son Peter is now on our Roll. Garry is a Fair Rent Advocate in Sydney.

Dr. Willie Macdonald (04-08) is as active as ever in his practice in Boston, U.S.A., where he has been living for quite a long time. He is interested always to know of Riverview activities and is a regular reader of O.A.M. You will find an article by him in this issue of O.A.M.

Jack ("Bud") Macken (10-20) has retired from the managership of the Hydro Majestic Hotel, Medlow Bath, and may join the State or Commonwealth Public Service. His son, **Jim** (38-46) is in business in Sydney and as active as ever. **John** (38-48) is with Berlei Ltd., Regent Street. **Robert** (42-47) is, as we write, still in the regular army but has returned from Korea. **Tony** (50-54) is half way through the Arts Course at the University and doing very well. **Hugh** (01-05) celebrated his 50th year of commercial life in 1955. He is, as we all know, managing director of Mark Foys Ltd. in town. Heading now for 100 not out!

By the way, Jim was blessed with a third daughter last August.

As you may expect, the New Zealand **Mackenzie** clan is flourishing. **Alister** (11-15), **Ian** (12-16) and **Lach.** (11-16) are on Clayton Station, Fairlie, S. Canterbury. **Simon** (12-17) works "Otumarama" in the same district.

"Malc" Macrae (47-51) seems to have disappeared into thin air as far as our contacts go. When we last had news of him he was Junior Valuer with the Rural Bank at Parkes. Good luck, Malc.

Garth Madden (38) is the life of the party when O.R.'s have their annual Reunion at Young. He goes "non-stop." In working hours you will find him on "Kailoa," Piney Range, Grenfell.

Alan Madden (47-55) did his full course at Riverview and succeeded brilliantly in last year's L.C. Exams. He is now picking holes in the University course of Engineering. He will do well—we know it, but not any better than we wish him.

Peter Madden (48-55) is now doing a course of Economics. He finds it easier than last year's L.C. Exams. Not much of him there, but all solid. Best wishes, Peter. During the day, he is at work in the A.N.Z. Bank. (Economics occupies him at night).

Julian Magennis (15-18) pays us an odd visit during the year when down in town from "Ulundi" Station, Bugaldi. His son Pat is at Riverview. His brother, **Joe** (17-19) is looking after "Jeir" Station, Yass, as usual.

Tim Odillo Maher (46-50) writes very cheerfully from England where he went last December. On the way he enjoyed himself in Egypt and went through the inevitable "bargaining" at Port Said. (We are the poorer for it too!) He says London is "teeming" with Old Boys. He has met Brian Regan, Ernie Kelly, Barry Nader, Ross Clifton, Brian Robinson, Kevin Fahey, John Collins, "Rick" Mulhearn and others. He started work with Barton Mayhew & Co. (accountants) in London and is getting good experience.

Tony Odillo Maher (45-50) left for England on Easter Monday this year and intends visiting some Jesuit Colleges over there. **Peter** (49-53) is facing up to the earlier stages of the Medical Course in Sydney and pays us periodical visits (to brush up his French accent!) **Adrian** (46-50) is, we hear, with an Advertising Agency in the city.

Owen Makinson, D.D.S. (43-44) went last year to the University of Michigan, U.S.A., to do some more post-graduate work in dental surgery. His brother, **Peter,** D.D.S. (43-45) is practising at home nowadays.

Frank Mallon (49-51) has been with Qantas Airways for the past year or two and is seeing much of the world in the course of his duties. He likes the life very much. His elder brother, **Jack Mallon** (38-43) is responsible for the pros-

perity of "Binni Downs," Woodstock. We are always pleased to see them when they call in.

Geoff Malloy (41-48) has been at work on "Aranui," Forest Lodge, Forbes, since he left Riverview. His brother, **Kevin** (41-43) who worked as a Chartered Accountant at Bathurst, for a time, is now, we hear, back at "Aranui." We usually see them more than once during the school year and always at the Young O.I.U. Reunion.

Michael Mandl (48-55) our fleet winger on the First Fifteen last year, has now begun the University Medical Course. If he goes through it as swiftly as he ran for tries, he will have no complaints.

Dr. Norman Mangraviti (40) is, we think on the staff of the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, Pacific Highway. **Joe** (45-53) has been with Mark Foys Ltd. since he left Riverview.

Sir Henry Manning, M.L.C. (92-96) follows the fortunes, academic and other, of Riverview, very closely. Captain and "star" cricketer in his day, he is still a shrewd judge of form. We like to have him at the main yearly functions.

"Joe" Manning (46-51) is now working "Woodburn" near Cootamundra, and occasionally calls in to see us when in town. Always welcome, Joe!

John ("Joe") Mannix (36-40) and his brother, **Paul** (45-49) may be found during working periods at "Cato," Brewarrina. Their visit to 'View is overdue.

Tony Markham, LL.B. (32-37) practises at Liverpool and puts in an appearance at several of the O.I.U. functions during the year. (21 Scott Street, Liverpool).

Des. Maroney (40-42) still works hard on "Lower Coolegong," not far from Young. He hardly ever misses the annual O.I.U. Reunion in that town.

Peter Marshall (47-53) has not worn much shoe leather on the Riverview road since he left us. He should now be near the end of his Pharmacy course.

Dave Mayo (38-46) manages the firm of C. E. Mayo Pty. Ltd., in Castlereagh Street, and puts on weight in the process. Pays us periodic visits during the year.

Mark McAlary (16-25) who so successfully



BOYS OF THE SECOND GENERATION (II)

Back (L.-R.): A. Johnson (Alex. Johnson, 22-26); B. Johnson (Bristow Johnson, 22-28); John Dunstan (Fritz Dunstan, 17-22); P. Magennis (Julian Magennis, 15-18); E. Cahill (Thomas Cahill, 17-19); W. Cummins (William Cummins, 17); P. White (John White, 24-28; P. Lamerand (Jean Lamerand, 18); M. Conrick (Claude Conrick, 22-24); J. M. Lyons (John Lyons, 27-28).

Second Row: E. Conrick (Claude Conrick, 22-24); I. Comrie-Thomson (Ian Comrie-Thomson, 16-21); N. Dan (George Dan, 13-14); J. Durrell (George Durrell, 24-27); M. Alexander (John Alexander, 22-23); F. Foy (Don Foy, 07-11); S. Raper and J. Raper (Sid Raper, 23-24); D. Dempsey (Gerald Dempsey, 27); P. Burfitt (Desmond Burfitt, 27-23).

Seated: J. Tully (Jack Tully, 22-27); P. Fitzpatrick (Edmund Fitzpatrick, 20-21); W. Odillo Maher (Adrian O. Maher, 14-21); D. McAlary (Mark McAlary, 16-24); M. McGrath, (Maurice McGrath, 19-20); J. Renshaw (Jim Renshaw, 27-30); C. Regan Basil Regan, 15-20); M. Burfitt (Desmond Burfitt, 27-33); M. Johnson (Bristow Johnson, 22-28). **(Inset):** P. Clifton (Basil Clifton, 31-35).

filled the position of President, O.I.U., last year, has been busy again this year as senior Vice-President of the Union. He is keenly interested in all our functions and works hard to make each a success. We want Mark as long as possible on the Union Executive. His brother, **Victor** (19-25) is Country Vice-President for the Warren district and looks after the well-known property "Milewa" near Warren. His son **Tony** (49-54) is jackerooing up country and we haven't seen him this year, but we hear he is doing very well.

We are pleased to know that **Dr. Peter McAuliffe** (39-41) who has been doing post-graduate work overseas for some years, has obtained his M.R.O.G. degree and has returned to Australia (August).

His brother, **John** (41-49) is in business in the city but we have not seen him for a long time.

Bernie McBride, Solicitor (86-93) continues, with his usual generosity, to help us out in many ways with facts and figures connected with "O.A.M." His memory of past Riverview history is phenomenal and he is most interested always in our progress both in sport and "letters." We hope to rely on him for many years to come.

Michael McCarron (49-54) has been at work at home (Bellata) since he left us. **Tony** (49-52) is facing up to the Exams. of the Medical Course. Peter is still at Riverview.

Bob McCarthy, LL.B. (42-44) practises at Crookwell. **Dr. Justin** (04-08) and **Dr. Bill McCarthy** (33-37) practise at Goulburn. It is many moons since we have had a visit from either of them. **Justin, Jnr.** (43-44) is continuing his studies for the Priesthood at St. Patrick's College, Manly. He is now doing Philosophy III.

Dr. John McCarthy (42-44) practises at Concord and his brother, **Kevin** (42-43) is, we believe in the Registrar-General's Department. We have seen neither of them lately.

Dick McCormick (49-50) and his brother, **Bob** (49) are busy through the year on "Uralla" Station near Hay. The country O.I.U. Reunions usually find them present.

Needless to say, we were more than pleased to meet **Franz McDermott** (07-13) when he called in to see us last February after an absence of more than 40 years. He manages a cattle station—"Canobie"—many miles west of Cloncurry, Q., so he doesn't exactly come to Sydney at week-ends! He had a good look round and saw many new sights at Riverview for there have been not a few changes since his time. He and his wife were pleased to see the School looking so fresh and "spick and span" and Franz "played some of the old matches over again." His brother, **Stan** (06-11) lives near Sydney, we hear, but it is ages since we have seen him.

We have heard from **W. F. McDermott, K.S.G.** (96-00) during the year who still lives an active life in Lismore, despite the fact that he has retired from the direction of that well-known firm, Thos. McDermott & Sons Pty. Ltd. He is pleased to see his grandson, Peter Johnson, at Riverview this year. W. F.'s son, **Francis** (31-34) is in business at Lismore too. **John** (35-39) Solicitor, has been practising in Sydney, for some years now with the firm of Berwick, Heydon and Lochrin. **Dermot** (29-31) is, as usual, with K.L.M. and pilots 'planes to many parts of the world from his headquarters in Holland. **Dr. Bill McDermott, D.D.S.** (40-45), brother of John, has a busy practice these days in Brisbane and was chief organiser of the O.I.U. Dinner in that city last August.

Dr. Emmet McDermott, D.D.S. (21-29) whom we still remember bowling unchanged (and "wicket-less") for a week in Third Division at 'View, works as hard as ever in his surgery at Macquarie Street. We were glad to welcome his son, John, to Riverview this year. **Kevin** (21-24) has returned to Sydney from Brewarrina and, temporarily at least, is resting from his dental work. You will find him at David Jones' Ltd., in Sydney. **John** (21) a Dental Surgeon of long standing, also practises in Macquarie Street. **Brian** (24-31) has been on the staff of Mark Foy's Ltd. in town, for several years now. You may meet one or several of them at this and that O.I.U. College function during the year.

We should have mentioned that Emmet is the Master of the Dental Guild of N.S.W.

We hear frequently from **Dr. George McElhone** (99-03) who has been living for some years now, on "The Dip," Breeza, with Arthur Clift. George is an excellent correspondent and gives us many notes on Old Boys he comes across here and there. Next to the late John Boylan we know few who can put us right on facts and dates concerning the past history of Riverview.

Colin McElhone, Solicitor (37-38) was elected to the O.I.U. Committee this year and is a punctual attendant at the monthly Executive meetings. His "mathematical" mind is of great assistance to members. His brother, **Ken** (40-44) also a solicitor, practises with Mr. J. Gammel in the city.

John McGee (47-48) is now completing the first year of his course of Theology at St. Pat-

rick's College, Manly. He has at least six O.R.'s with him there.

Rev. Charles McDonald, S.J. (38-45) was transferred this year from St. Aloysius' College, Milson's Point, to the Jesuit House of Studies, Canisius' College, Pymble, where he has begun his Theological studies in preparation for ordination. His eldest brother, **Dr. Geoff McDonald** (36-37) is an Honorary at R.P.A. Hospital and practises in town. **Phil** (38-39) is, we believe, in the Prime Minister's Department, Canberra. **Dr. John McDonald** (38-41) went last year to Boston, U.S.A., as a Teaching Fellow in Paediatrics at Harvard University. At the end of this year he is due to return to his work at St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, London.

Dick McEvoy (18-20) works through the year with the Wheat Board. **Geoff** (18-21) has been with the Nyal Company in town for several years. You may meet them at most of our fixtures.

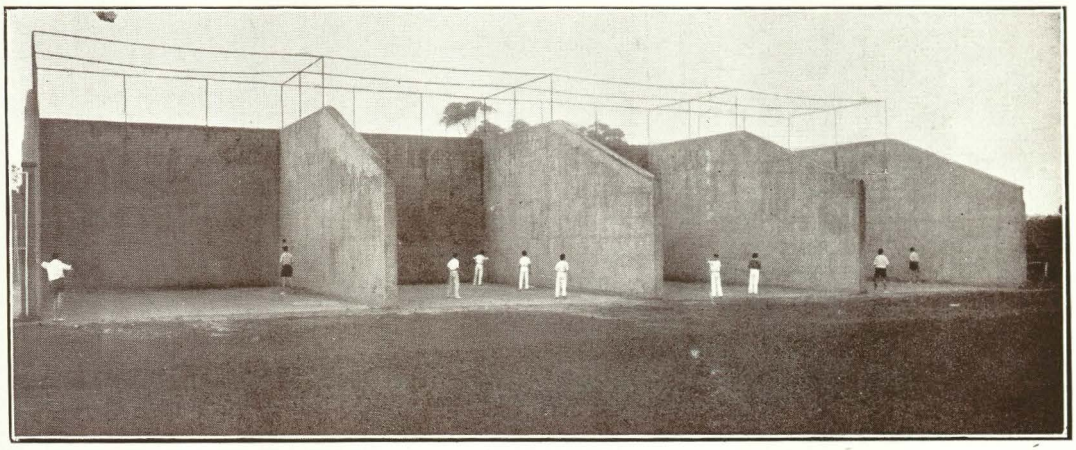
Jack McEvoy (21-27) has been many years with the Shell Oil Co. and has been stationed in Brisbane for a considerable time now. We still look forward to meeting him. (When in Brisbane in August, we tried, without success, to contact him. He has moved from the only address we have).

Michael McGahey (47-51) should be coming to the end of his course at the Royal Military College, Duntroon, as we write. He is making the Army his career. His father, **Mark McGahey** (07-11) has been engaged at work in the P.M.G.'s Department for some years now.

Warwick McGirr (51-55) from Bourke, left us at the end of last year and being keenly interested in wool, has started with Winchcombe Carson Ltd. in their Bourke branch. Our good wishes will always follow Warwick.

Bill McGrann (53-55) left his L.C. Exams. behind him last December and returned to his home in Hong Kong. From there he writes to tell us that he intended to begin his apprenticeship in Accountancy with a firm, Lowe, Bingham and Matthews. After a few years he says, he may return to Australia to complete the course. Best wishes from us all, Bill. Give us news. He is already a Life Member of the O.I.U.

Maurice McGrath (19-20), Solicitor, continues in office as one of our most active O.I.U. Vice-Presidents. Always on hand when College or Union interests are at stake. Long may we have his able assistance. **Paul** (42-48) — now of formidable build (up and out) is doing Law with Barry, Norris and Wilde, Solicitors, Hunter St. **Roger** (46-51) is in the wool industry but shows no sign of becoming "sheepish." **Pat** (46-52) as last year, is with Philips Electrical Industries in the city. Maurice, Jnr., was a member of our First Fifteen this year.



HANDBALL AND "SQUASH" ARE POPULAR.

Junior McGrath (38-43), Captain of Riverview in his final year, was married on January 25th this year to Miss Joan Styles. Congratulations and best wishes. His brother, **Tony** (45-52) is doing the University Economics Course.

Michael B. McGrath (90-96) is keeping very young, despite the passing of the years, on his property "Killara," King's Vale, Harden. His presence at the O.I.U. Young Reunion each year is eagerly looked forward to.

Hugh McHugh (94-96) has been practising Law at Moruya for many years. **Brian** (26-27) works



"A PLEASURE IN THE LONELY WOOD." — Riverview bush.

a property at Balranald where **Wilfrid** (26-27) a solicitor, is in practice. **Joe** (03) is Conveyancer with W. J. H. Hammond and Co. in the city.

We had lost sight of **Tom McHugh** (44-45) until we met him at the Newcastle O.I.U. Reunion last August. He is engaged these days with the Commonwealth Steel Co.

Congratulations to **Dr. Alan McJannet, F.R.C.S.** (36-41) who was married in London on December 29th, 1955, to Miss R. Watters. Long life and happiness! Alan's present address is The London Hospital, Whitechapel, London, E.1. He is not expected back for some time.

We regret to report the death on July 6th this year of **Bert McKay** (08-10) at his home, "The Overflow," Warren, and offer our sincere sympathy to Mrs. McKay and her family as well as to Bert's brother, Jim (09-12) who, with his son, Ian (45-50) looks after "Kulkine," Trangie. **Bryan** (36-39) with his steadily growing family, works round the year on "Winnabri" not far from "Kulkine." **Michael** (45-50), Bert's son, is on "The Overflow" and **John** (41-45) very happily married, is in charge of "Merramie" close by.

Ritchie McKay (47-49), Dental Surgeon, after much work at the Sydney Dental Hospital, sailed for England in January and will probably spend two years overseas. We hope to have news of him and were glad to see him before he left.

Bill McKenzie (50-55) of "Mooki Springs," Quirindi, left us at the end of last year and is now, we hear, jackerooing on "Ceduna" Station, near the Victorian border. His absence from our Eleven and Fifteen was noted (with regret) this year.

Father Colin McKillop, S.J. (05-06) pays us frequent visits during the year and misses few, if any, of our Competition matches. He is stationed at St. Francis Xavier's, Lavender Bay. His brother, **Bob McKillop** (92-99) has, we hear, retired from active work as auctioneer and estate agent but still lives at Canberra. His son, **Ian** (25-32) for many years in business in Melbourne, has opened an Estate Agency in Canberra.

John ("Inky") McKinlay (43-50) pays us occasional visits especially during the football season. We'd hate to get in front of his boots in a football loose ruck! He seems to be more gigantic every time we meet him. He sailed for England in October.

Terry McLaughlin (16-22); **Bob** (19-25) and **Laurie** (32-35) are going strong at Rockhampton where the Fitzroy Brewery is their main interest, as it has been for several years. Terry paid us a surprise visit last March.

Tony McMahon (42-46) is in the Lithgow branch of the Commonwealth Bank. His brother **Frank ("Butch") McMahon** (49-53) does Accountancy in town but has his home at Katoomba. He goes to and fro each day.

Dr. Geoff McManis, F.R.C.P. (24-29) practises, as usual, in Macquarie Street and is one of Sydney's very well-known medicos. **Phil** (24-34) is in the Taxation Department. Played for the O.I.U. against the School Eleven this year, and still "rocks 'em in." He believes in sixers too. **Dr. Keith McManis** (30-38) has been attached to the Australian Embassy in Holland since 1954 and has seen a lot of European countries.

Pat McManus (24-27) is looking after his property "Bicton" station, near Charleville, Q. His son, John, is still on the Riverview roll—and putting on weight.

Roddy Meagher, B.A. (42-49) topped his year in Law II, winning the George and Matilda Harris Scholarship, the Margaret Peden Prize for Property, the E. M. Mitchell Prize for Contracts and coming "Proxime Accessit" for the Pitt Cobbett Prize for Constitutional Law. He is at work with F. J. Irvine & Co., Solicitors, in town. Roddy's future legal career looks promising. We congratulate him on his success and wish him further honours.

Ted Meagher (43-49) has successfully completed his University Law course and is doing his articles with Mr. T. J. Purcell, Solicitor, King Street. His two younger brothers, Paul and Tom, are at Riverview. **Alan** (38-44) manages the West Wyalong branch of John Meagher & Co. **David,** Solicitor (39-46) has been for some years in practice with Hughes, Hughes and Garvin, Barrack Street.

Michael G. Meagher, K.C.S.G. (15-21) a most successful President of the O.I.U. a couple of years ago, looks after the Cootamundra branch of the firm. One of his sons, **Rev. Paddy Meagher, S.J.** (46-52), "star" miler at Riverview in his day, is doing his course of Philosophy at Loyola College, S.J. Victoria. (Still a "ball of muscle!") Another son of Michael, **Terry** (44-50) is studying for the Priesthood at St. Columba's College, Springwood. **Andrew** (42-48) now rearing a growing family, is with his father in the Cootamundra store. There are still two "Coota" Meaghers at Riverview—i.e., Robert and Geoffrey.

Desmond Meagher (33-39) has been looking after the Barmedman branch of the firm for

several years now. We see him occasionally during the year. **Brian** (28-34) Solicitor, practises at Temora. **Kevin** (24-31) whose son Gerald is at Riverview, presides over John Meagher & Co.'s branch at Yass. **Tony** (09-10 and 14-16) also has a son (Hugh) at the School. The Forbes branch of the firm is Tony's responsibility. His son, **John** (37-40), a married man of some years' standing, works there with Tony. **Chris** (44-52) is fast nearing the end of his Law Course. A keen and capable footballer, cricketer and boxer in University circles. **Peter** (40-47) took over the management of the Temora branch of the firm a year or two ago. We offer him our hearty congratulations on his marriage at Riverview on September 1st to Miss Jean Carnell. His young brother, Philip, is climbing the rungs of the Riverview ladder at present. **Rev. Roger Meagher, S.J.** (40-48) had a set-back in health this year while doing his course of Philosophy at Loyola College, S.J. (Vic.) and came on the Riverview staff in the third term. **Rev. John Meagher, S.J.** Rector of Riverview some years back, has been in charge of the Holy Name Seminary, Christchurch, N.Z., for quite some time now and still retains his interest in Riverview's activities.

John McMeekin (38-39) and his brother, **Bob** (39-41) are both prospering on the land in the Wagga district—John on "Coorabella" Station and Bob on "Allawa."

John Moore (45-54) began the Pharmacy course when he left Riverview and according to our informant, is now working at Rodd's Point. Now, don't ask **us** where that is—we don't know.

Claude Moore (07-12) one of our old-time Captains, has his home at Cronulla, where **Peter** (43-44) very happily married since 1954, also lives. Peter in business hours is at Hurstville, as of old.

Dr. Arthur Moran (07-12) has been in practice at Strathfield (Newton Road) for several years. **Peter** (46-50) is doing Radio Engineering work with A.W.A.

Dr. Noel Morgan (38-41) practises at Newcastle these days. **Peter** (38-43) has been in the Commonwealth Public Service for some years. **Kevin** (37-39) has a very busy legal practice at Parramatta. **Charlie Morgan, M.H.R.** (13-14) besides his legal practice in town has his time also occupied with many Parliamentary duties. **Eric** (25-27) and his son, **Eric, Jnr.** (49-53) are in business at Chippendale. Apart from Noel, we have not seen the members of this family for quite some time.

Philip ("Tick") Morrissey (49-55) left us last December after the L.C. Exams. and this year has begun the Pharmacy course. We wish the cheerful "Tick" the fullest success. His father, **Harry Morrissey** (13-14) a director of the City Mutual Assurance Co., has been practising as a Solicitor for many years with the firm of Murphy and Moloney.

Maurice Mugliston (01-03) doesn't look his age. He has been in the Lands Department in town for some years and pays us a visit at the major functions of the year.

Dr. "Rick" Mulhearn (42-44) is still in London doing a post-graduate course of General Medicine. We understand he was married over there not long ago, but we lack the details.

John ("Darby") Munro (49-52) is nearing the end of his Accountancy course according to latest reports. Time he called in to see us.

Dr. Jim Murphy (41-43) who is also a Bachelor of Economics, is now, we hear, Superintendent at Lewisham Hospital. We wish him all success in his responsible office.

George Murphy (44-46) who for a time, managed his own wool and skin business at Bourke, has now transferred to Werris Creek.

Kevin Murphy (27-31) who has been developing his property, "Warringham," Galong, for several years now, sent us his son, Ellis, this year, so we hope to see K.M. more frequently.

Ron Murray (47-50) with his uncle, **Dermot Murray** (18) paid us a visit last May when down from the Bourke district where they and **Bernard Murray** (16-17) spend their working hours on the "Multagoona" and "Dunlop" Stations.

Dr. Bob Murray (19-22) one of many O.R.'s at the Brisbane O.I.U. Reunion in August, may be found at Dutton Park in that city. **Greg** (34-35) works on "Glendower," Prairie, Q., and **Doug** (23-28) on "Uanda" in the same district.

Mark Murray, (44-46), Solicitor, who was married last year, is practising in town, but it's time he called in at 'View. He must have forgotten the road!

Bill Murray (99-01) Solicitor, has been practising in Armidale for years and when occasion offers, shows that his eloquence and sense of humour have not faded with the years.

Barry Nader (42-47) who went overseas last year writes cheerfully from London where he is doing post-graduate Dental studies at the Royal College of Surgeons. We send him our congratulations on his marriage at St. James', Spanish Place, London, to Miss Janice Moorhouse on April 4th. **John Nader** (42-49) is now at work with Scarf & Co. in the city. **Robert**



BRIAN NOWLAND and his bride, Margaret, on their wedding day.

(45-54) is following the Pharmacy Course.

P./O. Ron Neville (43-47) has gone back to New Guinea with his wife and will continue his Patrol work there—which he says, is full of interest.

Those "Heavenly Twins," **Adrian Newell** (51-53) and **Anthony** (51-53), whom we still cannot identify separately, called in to see us about Easter time looking extremely fit from their work on "Normanlea" (Hampton, N.S.W.). Tony did about a year's jackerooing in Queensland, but they are together again now. Incidentally, both are financial members of the O.I.U., and always keen for news of the School.

Michael Nihill (48-52) should be waving goodbye to the exams. of Med. IV as we write. We wish him a smooth finish in that course. His brother, **John** (50-55) left us at the end of last year and as far as we know is at work at West Bullaway, Bugaldie.

Rev. Peter Nolan, S.J. (47-48) is just completing his course of Philosophy over in India, at De Nobili College, Poona. They say he is already an adept at Indian dialects.

David Nolan (44-48) may be met at most College and Union functions during the year. He has been studying the wool business for some years now with Pitt Son and Badgery and enjoys the work.

John ("Corowa George") Nolan (32-37) as of yore, looks after "Lilydale," the Corowa property, while close by is his brother, **Don** (34-40) on "Riverview." The name bestowed by Don himself on this property will not let him forget the School.

Tom Noonan (47-50) and his brother, **Jack** (45-47) are busy on the land in the Warren district. Jack works "Belah View" Station and Tom "The Cedars."

John Norris, LL.B. (29-34) who has his chambers in Phillip Street, went overseas early this year and should be away about twelve months.

Jon North (48-53), Hon. Assistant Secretary, O.I.U., is following the University Economics Course. He passed his second year with High Distinction. Takes a live interest in the Union and the Riverview Younger Set.

Brian Nowland (42-45) again elected a Vice-President of the O.I.U. this year, is as keen as ever on Old Boys' and College projects. He is always ready to lend a hand. His long experience on the Executive is a great help. Since his marriage last year, he lives at Coogee and during business hours is with Boyded Pty. Ltd.

John ("Jack-OB") O'Brien (48-53) is leaving Med. III behind him as we write and our wholehearted good wishes go with him for success. His brother, **Peter** (51-55) not such a "small-boy" these days, left us last December and follows in his brother's footsteps, trying the Medical Course. His smile should melt **any** examiner!

John ("Sappo") O'Brien (40-44) is, as usual, at work with Breville Distributors Ltd., Missenden Road, Camperdown. His brother, **Peter** (42-46) should be graduating as a doctor at the end of this year. We wish him success in the finals. Bill (46-52) is in the Brisbane office of the above firm and attended the O.I.U. Reunion up there in August.

John O'Connell (41-42) who has been qualified as a Dental Surgeon for several years, is, we here, practising at Legacy House, Sydney.

Father John O'Connor (17-20) is doing parish work at West Tamworth and his brother, **Father Shane O'Connor** (36-37) has been at similar work in the Port Augusta diocese, South Australia.

Cecil O'Dea (17-22) was elected President of the Old Ignatians' Union at the beginning of the year. Ably assisted by Mrs. O'Dea (who is President of the Parents and Friends' Association), he has been untiring in his efforts to bring

all our functions to a successful issue. That the Union is in such a flourishing condition is largely due to his attention to detail, his business-like approach to various problems and his undoubted enthusiasm. The Presidency of the Union is far from being a sinecure these days and means many calls on Cecil's time. Despite his busy legal practice in town and the attention he has to pay to his farm on the Hawkesbury, he has done a splendid job. We owe him and Mrs. O'Dea a big debt of gratitude for their work. Their sons, Michael and David, are close to the end of their course at Riverview, Michael being one of our Prefects, a member of our First Eleven, and Captain of the Second Fifteen (of which David is also a very active member).

Reg O'Donnell (09) never misses an Old Boys' function during the year. He lives at Lane Cove and directs his firm—Modern Ceramic Products Ltd. at Redfern.

Robert E. O'Halloran (05-08) is one of our regular readers. He lives at Glenbrook these days and misses none of the Riverview activities. He is a director of the R.P.A. and Dental Hospitals. His son, **Grattan** (32-40) has been attached to the N.R.M.A. for several years and **Emmet** (32-36) has been with the C.I.B. in town for a long time now.

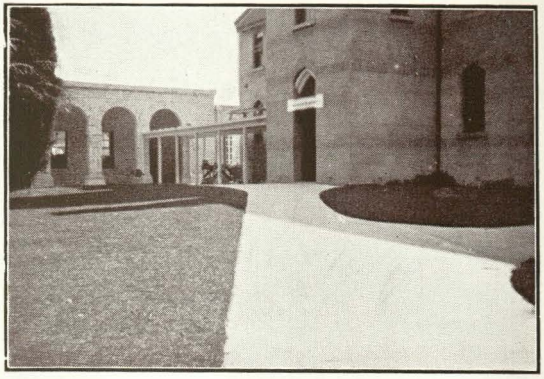
After the lapse of many years we were pleased to meet again **Dr. Kevin O'Hanlon** (14-17) at the beginning of the year when he was in Sydney taking "time off" from his practice at Quirindi. His son, Charles, is at Riverview. **Gerald O'Hanlon** (08) is Shire Clerk at Queanbeyan and **Desmond** (08-11) is on a station near Young.

We meet **Tom O'Keeffe** (39-45) at many of the School cricket and football fixtures during the year. He works with the Permanent Trustees in town.

Charlie Olliffe (29-34) is a very busy solicitor at Griffith and as Country Vice-President, O.I.U. organises the Reunions up there, with great attention to detail.

Father Paul O'Malley-Jones, C.SS.R. (42-43) was transferred in 1954 to Mission work in the Philippines and is doing splendidly over there. Photos we have seen show him to be in first-class form. Best wishes, Paul. His brother, **Carl** (42-45) whom nothing ever worries, has been developing a citrus farm at Mangrove Mountain near Gosford for some years and is very happy with his work. (We understand that Paul is now stationed at Singapore).

Dr. Max O'Mara, M.D., F.R.C.S. (35-39) is practising in town in conjunction with Dr. Chris Laidlaw (26-23). He is consulting physician to St. Margaret's Hospital and, very happily married since last year, lives at Rose Bay.



A WELL-BEATEN PATH.

Bill O'Neill (50-54) whom we missed on the first fifteen last year, is now completing the second year of his Jesuit training at Loyola College, S.J., Victoria. He looked very fit when we saw him there last January.

Dr. Gerald O'Neill (41-45) went overseas last June to do some post-graduate work and has seen most of the Continent by now. His brother, **Dr. Bryan O'Neill** (38-40) is practising, we hear, at Inverell. Their eldest brother, **Dr. V. F. ("Bill") O'Neill,** has been practising at Townsvile, Q., since graduation, but we heard that lately he has disposed of that practice and is coming south. We await confirmation. Our sympathy goes to the three brothers on the death of their father.

Jim O'Riordan (34-40) has been in charge of Newtown Chemical Works for several years. The football fixtures at the School still attract him. He was "some" footballer himself in his day.

Jack O'Rourke (22-24) has settled in well to his property, Sutton Farm, Sutton Forest, and Wee Waa seldom sees him now, but we hope to see more of him.

Geoff O'Shaughnessy (34-39) is an engineer and has been attached to the Coca-Cola Company in Adelaide for some years. He attends the annual Combined N.S.W. G.P.S. Association Dinner there on Boat-race night.

Dr. Peter ("Prof.") O'Sullivan (43-45) works the day round (—and sometimes the night) at St. Vincent's Hospital. "Prof.", as ever, takes it all with a smile.

Tom O'Sullivan (22-27) sent us his bright son, Tom, Jnr., last year, so he is not "short" of our news. Tom has been practising as a Solicitor at

Newcastle for many years. **Ben** (31-32) is with the B.H.P. at Newcastle and **Sam** (22-29) whom we haven't seen for years, grows fruit near Orange.

John R. O'Sullivan (45-49) Pharmacist, is, as we write, with Pattinson, Washington H. Soul & Co., at North Sydney.

Sean O'Sullivan (52-55) left us last December and this year started office work at Tooheys Brewery. His father, **John O'Sullivan, R.A.N.** (21-24) has been an Instructor at the Naval Depot, Balmoral, for some years now.

Dr. Gordon Oxenham (33-36) who practises at Griffith, sent us his son, Gordon, Jnr., this year. No doubt the younger Gordon realises that his father was Dux of Riverview in his final year! Gordon's (Snr.) father, **Dr. Humphrey Oxenham** (93-95 and 99-01) has retired from active practice and it is quite a long time since he paid us a visit. **Douglas** (91-96) who has been Australasian Manager of Bristol Myer Ltd. for very many years, has, we hear, retired from that position which has been taken over by his son, **Dr. Brian Oxenham** (28-35) whom we have not seen for a long time. **Alan** (48-53) is standing up to the exams of the Medical Course at the University. He is a member of the O.I.U. Committee.

Brian Page, B.A.; LL.B. (29-30) of the firm of Freehill, Hollingdale and Page, Solicitors, Martin Place, was good enough to send a donation to "Alma Mater" funds before sailing with his wife and children on a trip to England and the United States at the end of last year. He expected to be away for twelve months.

We hear during the year from **Vin Parer** (41-42) who has been running the Junction Pharmacy, Sandgate Road, Clayton, Brisbane, for some years now and is as busy as he wishes to be. His brother, **Dr. Brian Parer** (41-42) qualified last year and since graduation has been at work in one of the Sydney hospitals. (We missed Vin at the Brisbane O.I.U. Dinner in August. "Please explain!")

Bob Parkman (35-37) who works on "Orizaba" Station near Young rejoices in a young son as does his brother, **Jack** (35-37) on "Chanticleer," Murringo Road. Both pay us regular visits when in town.

Can someone put us right concerning the present whereabouts and activities of **Brian S. Parle** (42-47) who was on a property near Wagga? **Dr. Frank** (26-32) is the Medical Officer attached to T.A.A., and lives in Melbourne. **Brian J.** (45-47) athlete of note when at 'View, is with the Education Department.

Brian Parnell (41-46) and his brother, **Jim** (37-43) are both happily married men who usually put in an appearance at the Wagga and Griffith O.I.U. Reunions. Brian is on "Granville" Station and Jim on "Moortangi" not far from Mangoplah.

Jack Parsonage (23-30) is, as usual, with A.W.A. We meet him at the main yearly fixtures and during the football season. A keen fisherman in "off" periods.

Jean Pascalon (50-52) who left Noumea to do a University course at Lyons (France) a couple of years ago, has been conspicuous by his silence since them.

Tony Patterson (44-52) is doing the Law Course and works in his father's office in town. Appears periodically at one or other yearly fixture. (If you don't actually see him, you will certainly **hear** him!) He is Vice-President of the Riverview Younger Set.

John Payten (37-38) is doing well on his property "Alfalfa," Canowindra, and rejoices in a family of three daughters and a son, John Leo. **Bayly** (38-40) works his property "Burramunda," near Young. **Peter** (37-40) lives in Canowindra from where he directs his own property in that district. **Joe Payten** (10-15) also has a good property, "Cambooya," in the Grenfell district.

Brian Pegum (49-50) should be graduating as a doctor at the end of this year. (We put him "twelve months ahead of himself" in our last issue). He left Med V behind him last December.

Dr. Tony Pelly, B.Sc. (42-46) left for England in November, 1955, for two years' post-graduate work in plastic surgery. He is fortunate to have an appointment with Sir Harold Gilles, a leading doctor in that field and we wish him further success in an already bright career. His brother, **Noel, LL.B.** (42-43) has been on the legal staff of The Main Roads for five years. In spare time he relaxes with National Opera and G. and S. Societies.

Garry Phillips (50-54) called in just before he left Sydney, in March, for Port Moresby, where, as a Cadet, he is preparing for Patrol work in New Guinea. Later he wrote from District Headquarters, Kikori, Gulf District, Papua, saying he was enjoying his work there. We wish him success—and safety.

Peter Pinney's (34-39) latest wanderings have taken him to Canada and then to the Arctic Ocean where he made friends with local Esquimaux catching white whales with them. He stayed some time at TUTOYAKTUK, an Eskimo

settlement with a Mounted Police Post, Hudson Bay Store and a Catholic Mission. He then went south to Vancouver, Los Angeles, San Diego, into Mexico and across the Yacatan peninsula to Belise in British Honduras. On this trek he found the natives unfriendly, ran out of food and had as companions, snakes, scorpions and jaguars. He has now gone to Roatan Island (Republic of Honduras), is getting a boat in which, after working a copra plantation, he hopes to sail to Australia. If he arrives, we'll let you know.

Don Pinnock (26-29) works the year round—as he has done for about 20 years—with Hastings Deering in town. He is a Committee Member of the O.I.U. and has progressive ideas. As annually, we have to thank him for many kindneses in connection with "O.A.M." work. We never call on him in vain.

Rodney Paul (50-54) started on the Arts Course at the University last year. He must be working very hard for he hasn't had time to visit us. However, we have hopes!

Peter Pogany (39-43) happily married, with one daughter, is with an Insurance company in the city. Paid us a visit this year.

Brian Poirrier (45-53) is in the Stockbroking business and works in the office of Mr. Bernard Curran (Pitt and Hunter Street). His brother, Michael, is still on our Roll.

John ("Pun") Powell (48-50) is in the Accounts branch of the N.Z. Loan & Mercantile Agency, Bridge Street. He certainly owes us a visit.

Colin Powter (45-50), Civil Engineer, has been at work for the past couple of years in Borneo and should be back in Australia in another twelve months or less. Happily married last year to Miss Jan Murray.



PETER PROUST and Denise happily married.

Phil Prior (37-43), that irrepressibly happy man, is on the O.I.U. Committee and is always ready with practical help to the Union. He is, as usual, at work with King and Prior, Clarence Street. His elder brother, **Bill** (33-40) who was responsible for an excellent drawing in the (1955) Jubilee issue of "O.A.M.", is in the office of the Sydney "Bulletin."

Alf Proust (03-04) now retired from the office of Metropolitan District Surveyor, spends a good deal of his time at his son **Peter's** (46-51) mixed farm at Jilliby. Our hearty congratulations to Peter on his marriage (April 14th) at Riverview, with Nuptial Mass, to Miss Denise Madden. Similar congratulations to Denise, by the way, on getting such a go-ahead husband as Peter. We wish them both every happiness. **John** (28) has been at Albury for several years, working as a Radio Construction Engineer. **Ray** (39-41), Optometrist, has been at work with the Hansen brothers Bob and "Lel" in Orange, for some considerable time.

Ron Pudig (41) who must have forgotten the road to Riverview is an Accountant and lives at Wyong. His brother, **Paul** (41-45) is with World Travel Pty. Ltd., A.P.A. Building in town.

Angelo Quaglia (50-53) pays us odd and usually unexpected (but welcome) visits now and then during the year. He is, we hear, with Cresta Agencies, Roma House, Sydney. He is a Life Member of the Old Boys' Union.

Michael Quilter (49-54) got on the right side of Med. I last December. Med. II is being "treated" as we write and we wish him success. His father, **Dr. Jack Quilter** (20-25) has been practising in Grenfell for many years and when at all possible attends the O.I.U. Reunion at Young. Michael was there this year.

Congratulations to **Wally Rae** (48-52) on his marriage to Miss Dorothy Richardson on March 17th. They were married with Nuptial Mass at Narromine and called to see us next day, when starting their honeymoon. Long life and happiness is our wish to them both. Wally looks after Raeburn, Narromine. He will now have a good helper.

We await a visit from **David Ragg** (48-53) but when we last met him he was at work with White's Aviation Ltd.

Rev. John X. Ramsay, S.J. (44-50) is thriving at Loyola College, S.J., Victoria, and is doing his course of Philosophy there at present. He did a short period of teaching and prefecting at St. Ignatius' College, Adelaide, last year and enjoyed the experience. **Peter** (46-51) is very

near the end of his Engineering Course now. A tough course, by all accounts and we wish him success. His brother, **Paul** (49-53) is half way through his Law Course. He gives us valuable help at the sheds during the Rowing season.

Sid Raper (23-24) and his brother, **Laurie** (22) are both Vice-Presidents of the O.I.U., and always ready with practical help and advice. Both look after the well-known Estate Agency in Bligh Street. Sid's three sons are at Riverview.

Frank Rava (53-55) who left us at the end of last year, has, since then, been at work at Wagga, in an Accountant's office.

Vincent Redden (50-54) is now completing the second year of his Philosophy Course at St. Columba's College, Springwood, where he went last year to begin his studies for the Priesthood.

We had a note from **Laurie Regan,** LL.B. (12-19) who is now at work in the Judicial Dept., Kenya (Africa)—(Resident Magistrate at Nakuru to be exact) and may possibly see Australia in 1958 when on 6 months' leave. His son, **Brian** (45-51) is at present doing Secondary School teaching at Ladycross School, Seaford, Sussex (Eng.) but flew out to Africa for a month's holiday with his father in July. **Basil** (15-20) whose son Charles is at 'View, frequently visits the city from Tamworth where he is very busy directing his well-known firm.

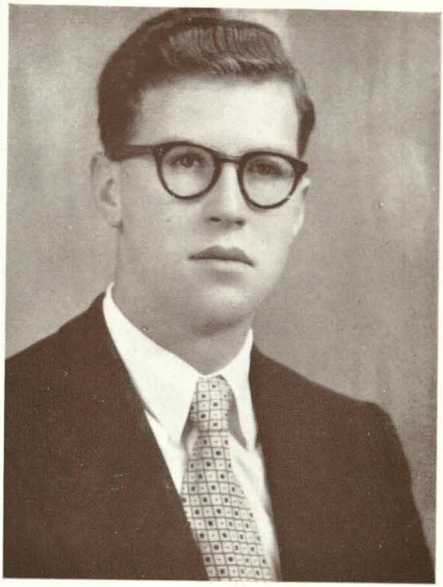
We were pleased to see **Bill Reid** (44-45) at the O.I.U. Reunion, Newcastle, in August. Bill was married last April and now is at work with P. C. Bird & Co. in Newcastle.

Yann Rémond (43-50) writes occasionally from Paris. When he last wrote he was working at "L'Union des Mines," doing a year's training for commercial life. **Paul Jacques** (43-44) is on the land at Mt. Harris, near Warren and **Bernard** (49-52) should by now be a qualified Accountant.

Jim Renshaw (27-30) is, as usual, looking after "Glencoe," his property at Mendooran, N.S.W. His son John is one of 'View's heavyweights this year, and left us at the end of the second term.

Laurie Ricketts (46-51) is Assistant Accountant to National Plywood Co. He pays us frequent visits during the year and plays a good game of cricket. "Some" bowler! **Frank** (32-36) and **Brian** (40-42) are, as usual, busy all the year in the Rockdale firm.

Billy Roberts (47-54) continues his Pharmacy course and his brother, **Terry** (48-55) has begun the same course. Billy pays us welcome visits from time to time and we hope Terry, who left us last year, will do the same. Good luck to them both.



DR. JIM ROCHE.

Dr. Tom Roberts (41-45) is very busy at his profession, in conjunction with his father, at Lismore. His brother, Richard, is fast assuming Tom's proportions at 'View. Congratulations and best wishes to Tom who was married at St. Carthage's Cathedral, Lismore, on September 22nd to Miss Patricia Arvidson.

John F. Robinson (48-52) whom we can still see going round the blind side of the scrum, has been a qualified chemist for some time now and has been relieving manager in several city pharmacies.

Jim Roche (23-26) has left "Mooreville," Dalton, and now works a fine property at Collector, named "Windermere." You are likely to meet Jim during the School's footbal season. **John B. Roche** (50-53) is with Jim (above) and takes very kindly to work on the land. It is some time since he has paid us a visit.

Tom Roche (43-47) is at work on his property at Tambar Springs. Gives us news of himself frequently during the year.

Dr. John Roche (40-44) has been doing good work since graduation at St. Margaret's and other hospitals. His brother, **Dr. Jim Roche** (45-49) graduated last December and since then has also been getting experience in hospital work too.

Terry Roche (51-55) left Riverview before the end of last year and since then has been busy on "Rochedale," Adelong. No doubt he is now telling his small brother, who is at Riverview,



JOHN RYAN (left), with his bride, Paula, and her father, Mr. W. Conlon (centre), on their wedding day.

that "his school days are the happiest days of his life."

Bruce ("Bubble") Rose (46-50) is, as before, Accountant for Trinity House Productions Pty. Ltd., Lane Cove. We see him frequently during the year.

Father Don Roset, S.J. (19-22) became Prefect of Studies at Riverview last year and still 'holds down" that position. We are wondering if such an office thins one out "on top." Ask Father Roset!

Philip ("Rubber") Rusconi (44-51) was married at the parish Church of Gardenvale, a Melbourne suburb, early this year and is attached to the Ampol Petroleum Company (340 Flinders Street) down there. He has hopes of being transferred to Sydney before very long.

Bryan Rush (41-50) sailed smoothly through Med V last year. As we write these notes he is probably doing his last paper in the finals. We shall be pelased to "register" him among our many O.R. doctors.

Jim Rush (46-50) was with Emmco Pty. Ltd. when we last had news of him. He is not a very frequent visitor to 'View. **Barry** (48-52) while he hasn't gone "woolly," exactly, is with the wool firm of William Anglis.

Billy Russell (47-55) did well in the 1955 L.C. Exams. and is now finishing the first year of the course of Engineering.

Peter Ryan (43-45) and his brother, **John ("Specs")** (43-47) were both married at Riverview early this year—the former, on January 5th, to Miss Jill Cumming and John to Miss Paula Conlon on February 11th. We need hardly add that Riverview's congratulations and best wishes go with both happy couples. John and Peter in less romantic hours, look after a flourishing garage business in Drummoyne. They will have extra support now!

Dr. Bill ("Woof") Ryan (46-48) since graduation ('54) has been getting valuable experience at Lewisham Hospital. He turns up at some of our matches (football) and also at one or other of the main O.I.U. functions.

Senan Ryan, M.A.; B.Econ. (06-11) as you know, is a Chartered Accountant of many years' standing and may be found in office hours, at Phillip Street.

Dr. Tony Ryan (40-44) is now in the second year of his Theology course at St. Patrick's College, Manly. Not long to go before his ordination. Best wishes.

Father Arthur Ryan (30-33) is as far as we know, doing parish work in or near Mackay, Q.

Peter Ryan (50-52) is on the staff of one of the banks in Wagga. **J. P. Ryan** (44-46) is as usual, with the home firm in the same town.

Robert Ryan (50-53), Life Member of the Union, is doing full-time work on "Melford" Station in the Yass district. No mere 40 hours a week for these chaps!

Garry Scarf (47-49) has taken the Medical Course in his stride. Med. V fell to his facile pen last year and before we know where we are he will be "sounding us out" to discover why we told him he would find Med. difficult!

Mark Schell (36-39) has been on the staff of David Jones Ltd. in town for quite a long time. **John** (36-38 and 40-45) is with the importing firm of C. E. Mayo Pty. Ltd., Castlereagh St.

Paul Schlesinger (26-28) was recently Chairman of the Woolbuyers' Association, and his talk to the boys on the wool industry some time ago is still remembered.

We did not know before, but we do now—that **Dr. Otto Schneider** (31-33) is resident surgeon at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney. He hasn't been to see us for a long time, but we remind him that the doors are always wide open.

Paul Schneider (39-40) qualified Chemist, is as far as our information goes, in business at Maroubra Bay. **Lou** (41-44) — a cunning bowler still, they say, is at work during the year on "Ashantee," the home property at Walgett. (How did the floods treat you, Lou?). **Laurie** (40-42) is a Civil Engineer, but we cannot "place him" at the moment.

Father Michael Scott, S.J. (24-27) is in charge of Aquinas College, Montefiore, Adelaide, which is one of the University Colleges over there. He frequently broadcasts and takes a great interest in University life. His brother, **John, O.B.E.** (24-29) as far as we know, is in the inter-state trucking business and **Geoff** (21-24) is in the Sydney office of Bradford Insulation Ltd.

We were very sorry to get news of the death towards the end of last year, of **Bill Scriven** (11-15) and offer our sincere sympathy to his widow, to **Bill, Jnr.** (45-46), to **Brian** (45-49) who now works the home station, "The Kraal," Newmarra, N.S.W., and to Tony, who is still at Riverview.

We hear from Bill Cummins (17) that **Dr. Norman Scott-Young** (28-31 and 34) is the Medical Superintendent of the Townsville General Hospital, Q. Glowing accounts are to hand of the skill of this Doctor Old Boy of whom the School is very proud.

Phil Sheridan (24-28) spent quite a long period in hospital towards the end of 1955 and the beginning of this year. We were glad to see him on his feet again in the first term. He has a busy legal practice in Kempsey. **Dick** (27-30) is also a solicitor near to Phil. **John** (30) farms during the year in that district. **Bill** (39-40) is, we believe, at work in or near Cooma (Snowy River Scheme). Phil's son **Paul** is one of Riverview's Prefects this year and a member of our First Fifteen and First Eleven.

"Ricki" da Silva (47-48) completed his course of Dentistry in U.S.A. and is now attached as Dental Surgeon, to the American Army Forces in Paris. His brother, **Lionel** (47) should by now, have completed his Medical Course at St. Louis University, S.J., Missouri, but we have had no recent news from him. (We hear now that "Ricki" has returned to U.S.A. to take up the Medical Course.)

Ted Sedgwick (10-15) a brilliant footballer in his day at Riverview, follows the G.P.S. competition still and with interest (wishing he could take the field again). He works his farm during the year, at Campbelltown. His brother, **"Mate"** (21), a member of the Milk Board, also has his home at Campbelltown but his office in the city.

Karl Seppelt (41-48) is immersed in his work at Seppeltsfield, South Australia, where he is at present cleaning vineyards and (as a sideline?) developing a big flock of sheep and lambs. His brother, **Benno** (41-50) is well into his accountancy course and will, of course, when qualified, work with the same firm.

Gerry Shaw (46-48) took up Law on leaving school. He was admitted as a Solicitor on October 26th this year. We wish him all success.

E. ("Buster") Shine (28-32) is, as usual, working "Emerald Hill," his property near Binalong. A regular reader of "O.A.M."

Frank Simpkins (49-50) is with Spire and Morell, Stockbrokers, Pitt Street. His brother, Terry, is one of this year's House Prefects.

Bill Sheehan (50-53) very rarely comes down as far as Sydney. But as sure as he does, he calls in at the School. He is in the Hotel business at Binnaway. (Was with us on Back-to-Riverview Day).

Tommy Simpson (45-49) called to see us towards the end of last year. He is a happily married man now and looks after "King's Lynn," Merriwa.

Bill Sheldon, LL.B. (13-22) has been specialising in legal matters for many years now and is one of Sydney's well-known barristers. He also lectures at the University.

We haven't seen **Dr. Ken Smith** (12-16) for a month or two of blue moons, but we know that he has a very busy practice at Darlinghurst.

Jack Skuthorp (27-29) was one of very many Old Boys at the General Meeting last January. He takes a live interest in School and Union matters and we would like to see more of him. He works "Moora" Station in the Coonamble district.

Congratulations to **John Sloane** (46-49) on his marriage in September, at Riverview, to Miss Anne Hagarty, of Cunnamulla, Q. John has been working on Les Veech's station, "Mountain View," Wellington, for several years now. **David** (46-50) a qualified Chemist, is doing very well in his profession, in Sydney. **Tom** (52-55), got on the right side of the L.C. Examiners last December and has begun the Pharmacy course with his father in Orange.

Frank Smith, Solicitor (51-54) does not often visit the city. His busy practice (together with his growing family) does not give him much leisure. He is O.I.U. Country Vice-President for his district.

Kevin Slocum (32-39) is taking a rest from the onerous duties of Hon. Treasurer of the Union—a position he has held with marked suc-



QUEEN OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS.
(Window in the College Chapel).

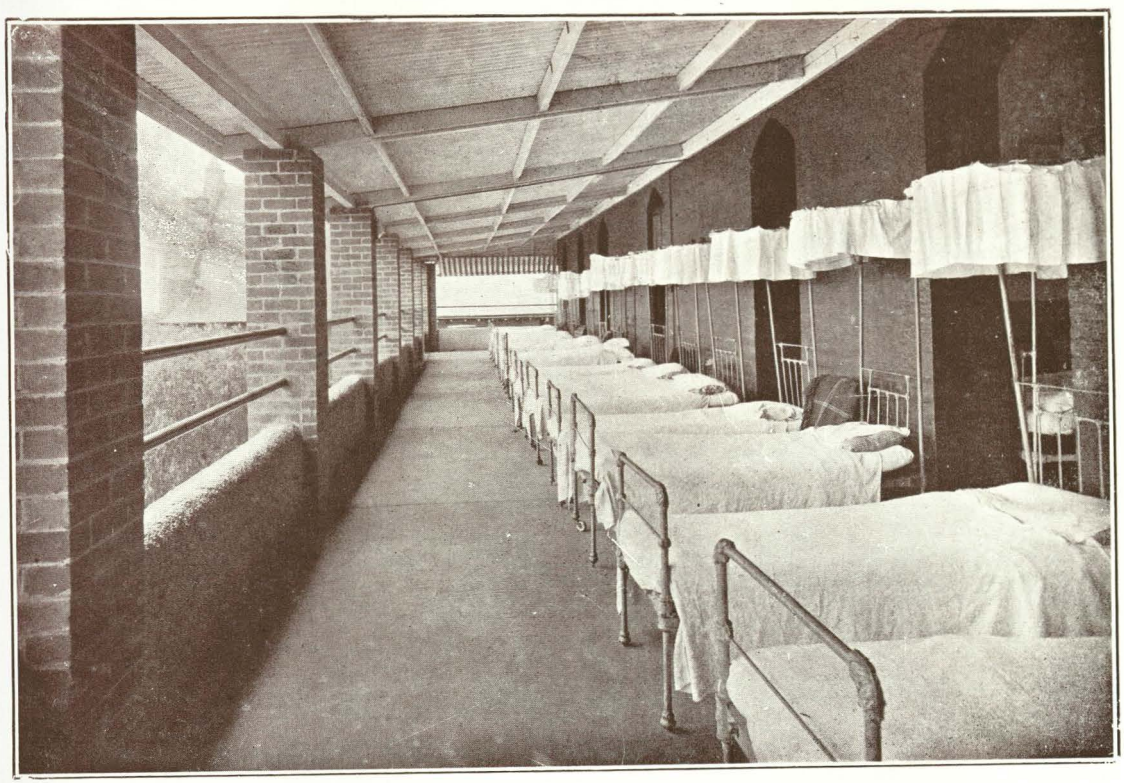
cess for several years. He is, however, always ready to help on the various functions. His brothers, **Frank** (32-39) and **Dom** (28-34) are Chemists, the former in practice at Queanbeyan and the latter in the city. Kevin himself is a Chartered Accountant, with the firm of Bryan Rush & Co., Young Street.

Lewis Smith (51-54) lost no time in becoming a financial member of the Union, upon leaving School. He is, we think, still with Employers' Liability Assurance Co. Ltd. and pays us frequent visits.

The **Spora** brothers, **John** (47-53) and **Philip** (47-53) don't often come down to Sydney. They are busy during the year on "Windourong" Station, Gulurgambone.

Philip Spry-Bailey (47-50) has done very well in his University studies. He is now a Bachelor of Science as well as B.Econ., and is at work with the Vacuum Oil Company in town.

John Stinson (47-52) is plodding his way through a course of Mechanical Engineering. He says he finds "the going rough in spots" but we have full confidence in his final success.



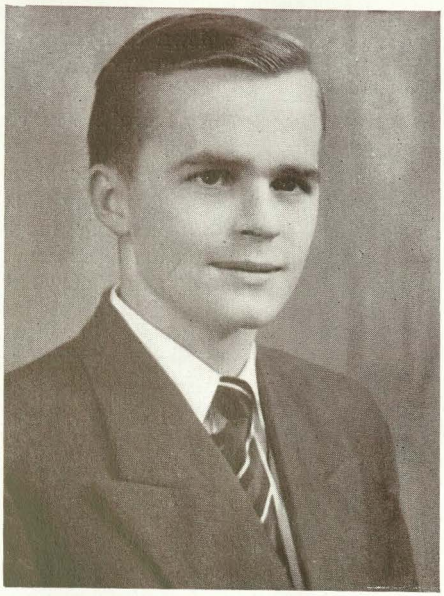
FIRST DIVISION "SLEEP-OUT."

Geoff Smith (36-42) hasn't been to see us for some time. He has had considerable success with his horses, some of which he rides himself at Sydney meetings. Did you notice that one of them — "Suitangi" — which has done very well, is "Ignatius" back to front? "Nandillyan Heights" claims Geoff during the year, but he hasn't forgotten 'View.

Raleigh Smith (42-46) who works in his father's firm at Temora, frequently attends one or other of the O.I.U. Country Reunions. Keenly interested still, in football.

That old warrior, **Ossie Stenmark** (16-17) has his dental practice at Bankstown and takes a very live interest in all Riverview activities. You may read something from his pen in this issue. His elder son, **Jim** (28-34) has been practising as a dental surgeon in Wagga for some years now and **Tony** (39-44) Solicitor, has a flourishing and busy practice at Bankstown.

Wally Storer (47-49), Accountant, sailed for England in the middle of last December, his objective over there being electronic accounting. (Don't ask us anything about that!). He ex-



DR. MICHAEL TARLINTON.

pected to be away for 5 years or more and will see most of Europe and America before he returns.

Clem Strain (42-49) who switched from Dentistry III to Law and who is now near the end of the third year in the latter course, went overseas late this year and will take his exams. at Dublin University (where the same papers will be done on the same day as in Sydney). We wish him success. His brother, **Tony** (40-46) is, as far as we know, living at home in Singleton.

David Stratton (43-48), Captain of the School in his last two years at Riverview, has been "elusive" as far as we are concerned, for some time. (That is, we failed to locate him). We learned early this year that he is at work with Dr. Leake on a property near Tamworth.

Neil Stribley (36-39) divides his time between his Boorowa general store and his home in Sydney. Pays us periodical visits during the year.

The sudden and tragic death of **Father Pat Sullivan, S.J.** (28-32) in Melbourne last March came as a great shock to his many friends in the Jesuit Order and elsewhere. He had been assistant to the Master of Novices at the Jesuit House of Studies, Loyola College, Watsonia, and was returning there when a truck collided with his bicycle and fatally injured him. Our deepest sympathy goes to his mother, and the other members of his family. R.I.P. **Joe** (28-32) looks after his property, St. Antoine, Cassilis, and **John** (26-31) is managing director of J. J. Sullivan Pty. Ltd., Sussex Street, Sydney.

John V. Sullivan (50-55) who received a Commonwealth Scholarship on his L.C. results last year, has begun the Arts Course at the University — to be followed by Law. We feel John will do well.

As far as we know, **Dr. Arthur Sullivan** (14-16) specialises in Radiology and does much of his work at the Repatriation Dept., Grace Building, Sydney.

Jim Sullivan, Snr. (14-17) lives at Lindfield and is as keen on cricket as ever. His son, **Jim, Jnr.** (39-41), Solicitor, has a steadily growing practice at Blacktown. Still a very cunning bowler and bat in the cricket world. **John** (41) often drops in to see us. He is with Consolidated Industries in town. **Manus** (18-21) lives at Arcadia and "crops up" at most of our functions during the year.

We frequently see **Bill Sulway** (14-15) during the year. He misses few of the Union and College fixtures. His son, **Martyn** (52-54) after securing his L.C. Exams., started on the University Medical Course, and **Rex** (45-47) has been for some time now a qualified Health Inspector.

Michael Talty (50-55) spent some time as a jackeroo on Cam Tulley's station, "Terachy," in the Quilpie Q. district, but is now back in Sydney.

John Taperell (49-55) left us at the end of last year and has joined the Franciscan Order. Our best wishes for success are with him.

Dr. Michael Tarlinton (45-49) graduated last December, winning the Wyeth Prize for Clinical Obstetrics. This year he has been getting experience at St. Vincent's Hospital. His brother, **John** (49-53) is doing the Medical Course also but has some time "to go" yet.

Don Tate (47-52) should be completing his course of Dental Surgery this year. He has had a very smooth passage to date.

E. R. (Ned) Theodore (27-35) a "French Star" in 1935, as we know, has been for several years an Advertising Executive with Consolidated Press and a Director of Conpress Printing. **John** (27-31) is Chairman of Consolidated Press as well as Director of Associated Fiji Mining Corporation. They certainly have their hands full.

As we write, **Bill Thomas** (50-51) is at work as Sales Representative of Rothmans of Pall Mall (Aus.) Ltd., in Adelaide, S.A. His brother Dick (50-54) whom we meet at various fixtures, is about half way through the Dentistry Course.

Barry Thornton (47-52) is doing a course of Engineering at the University of Technology.



ONE ENTRANCE TO THE "SACRED PRECINCTS."
(Photo — Melba Studios).

He'll soon be building bridges and what-not. His brother, **Brian** (48-54) is, we think, half way through his Law course and is with the firm of Freehill, Hollingdale and Page, Solicitors, Martin Place.

We were very pleased to see **Ted Tietyens,** Solicitor (20-26) after the lapse of very many years, last February. He practises with the legal firm of Beswick, Heydon and Lochrin, George Street. Now that he has "broken the ice" (it's about 90 "in the shade" as we write!) we hope to see more of him.

The **Todd** brothers — **Andrew** (21) and **Bryan** (20) direct a flourishing business in Wellington, N.Z. (The Todd Motor Industrial and Europa Oil, Ltd.). One of them paid us a fleeting visit last February.

We see little of **Michael Tomaszewski** (50-54) these times. He is doing a course of Architecture at the University. We remind him that his visit is overdue.

Frank Towner (42-44) was married in September, with Papal Blessing, at St. Cecilia's Church, Balgowlah. Best wishes, Frank.

Dr. Des. Trainor (15-17) as you know, has a busy practice in Macquarie Street and attends, when he can get away, some of our principal annual fixtures.

The **Tully** clan is flourishing in the Quilpie Q. district. **Paul** (33-36) looks after the vast acreage of "Pinkilla" Station with marked success. His son and daughter keep him busy too. **Francis** (23-25) is on "Ray" Station and also has a fine growing family to keep him interested. (We have our eye on young Neil!). **Jack** (23-27) looks after "Yambutta." We were sorry to part with his son John at the end of the second term. **Cameron** (36-39) is claimed by "Terachy" Station and as we write, has one of last year's boys, jackerooing with him (to wit, Michael Talty). **Hugh** (31-34) is on "Congie" Station and **Joe** (24-31) on Raymore. Everything is going well up there and we send all the clan our very best wishes.

Bill Tysoe (51-55) left us at the end of last year and has begun a study of the wool industry, with Farmers & Graziers. His brother, **John** (47-49) has been with the Commonwealth Bank for some years now.

Alf Uechtritz (37-40) is fast developing the home plantation ("Sum Sum") at Kokope, New Hebrides, and has at least one son now. His brother, **Ewald** (33-38) engineer, surveyor, and happily married, is at work as usual in Germany. We have not heard from him recently but would like to.

As far as we know, **George Vaile** (40-41), Pharmacist, works at Wingham. We haven't seen him for quite a long time. (Doors always open here, George!)

Francis Van der Smagt (51-52) has been in England for some time but is now back in Colombo, Ceylon, with Lipton's Ltd. (His address is Box 86).

Father Frank Vavasour, S.J. (13-18) doesn't write so often that we haven't time to answer him, exactly (!) but we know he is doing very well as Rector of Stonyhurst College, Blackburn, Lancashire, Eng., one of England's best known public schools. His brother, **Harold** (18) is looking after "Ugbrooke," Blenheim, N.Z.

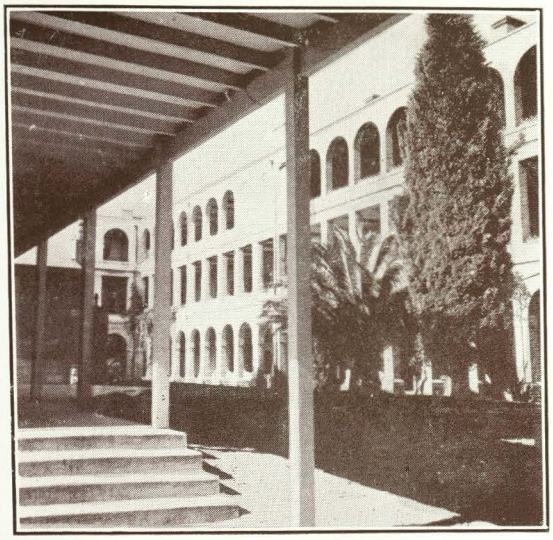
Pat Veech (20-27) is busy all the year round on "Quilbone," Quambone, N.S.W., and has a large family to look after as well. When he comes down on holidays, he always pays us a visit. **Bryan Veech** (40-47) and **Bernard** (40-43) are on "Yarrabundy" Station (Wellington) with their father **Bert Veech** (01-06), Veterinary Surgeon, who has retired more or less from active practice. **Les** (06-09) works "Mountain View," **Nicholas** (97-00) is on "Remuera" and **Chris** (97-00) on "Ulalli" — all near Wellington, N.S.W. **Dr. Mick Veech** (99-04) is in active practice in Macquarie Street and may be met at the major fixtures of the year. A great "bunch," these Veechs.

Joe de Viana (51-54) whose brother is facing up to the L.C. Exams. at 'View this year, began a course of Production Engineering last year at the Technical College.

James de B. Wall (44-46) entered the Dominican Order nearly three years ago and is doing very well at his various examinations, incidental to his training for the Priesthood. **Peter** (44-47) was overseas, on the Continent, later in England managing an estate in Warwickshire, and subsequently in Canada and U.S.A. After an absence of nearly three years he came back to Australia and is now working for Waugh & Jones Ltd. as their representative in the Deniliquin-Hay district. **David** (50-54) has been working on a copra and cocoa plantation in Papua and is now with the Steamship Trading Company in Port Moresby.

Bill Wall (47-50), his brother tells us, is Accountant with Rycoles Ltd., Plastic Manufacturers, at Roseville.

R. Bruce ("Bat") Walsh (21-27) who has been with the Education Department for many years, is at present instructing the Australian "young idea" at Randwick High School. He sent us his



A SNAP FROM 1st DIVISION.

son Sean this year and we meet him frequently during the football season.

Chris Ward (46-51) should have Med. V behind him as we go to press. We hope he sails through the finals with ease.

Our old friend **"Thos." Ward** (49-54) we hear, has switched from the Medical to the Law course. You are sure to meet him during the football season. He plays a good deal himself but misses few of the School matches.

We haven't seen **Johnny Ward** (47-52), (who is battling with the Medical Course) for quite some time. We wish him a smooth run to graduation.

Peter Weaver (39-43) who is a qualified Chemist, now is at work at Gatton, Brisbane. He was one of many O.R.'s at the O.I.U. Dinner in Brisbane last August — looking "a ball of muscle." His father, **Dr. Ralph Weaver** (10-14) has been practising in the northern capital for years. **Cecil** (08-11) runs an Estate Agency in Forbes and **Ted** (13-17) is prospering in the same capacity at Coolah. (Time Ted looked us up again!)

Tony Westblade (44-48), Dental Surgeon, is, as we write, in charge of the Miners' Dental Clinic, at Wonthaggi (Vic.) and likes the work there very much. We have not seen him in Riverview surroundings for quite a long time but live in hopes.

John Westbrook (48-49) pays us a visit from time to time. He is with the A.N.Z. Bank, Hunter and Pitt Streets.

Peter Weston (49-55) left us at the end of last year and began his "course" that leads him eventually to the title of "wool baron" — on "Daledmund," Nymagee, N.S.W.

Peter Whealy (50-54) whose long reach was such an asset at the football line-outs in '54, is now half-way through the Pharmacy course. His brother is the present representative of the name at Riverview and, like Peter, "reaches for the stars" at football.

We see **Jack White** (24-28), (whose boy Peter is at Riverview) periodically. He is a Metallurgical Chemist. Always interested in the School's activities.

Dr. Bill Whitling (36-40) is practising at Petersham and his visit to 'View is long overdue. (Do you hear, Bill!)

George Wilkins (43-47) has been to see us occasionally and is busy in his father's (Wellington, N.S.W.) firm — Land Agents and Valuers. George has an idea of starting work in Sydney before long.

Clive Wilkinson (10-13) has been practising as a Solicitor in Spring Street, City, for many years and has with him **Peter** (40) his nephew, who is the son of Tom, whose untimely death we were sorry to record last year.

Johnny Williams (49-54) has not paid us many visits since he left us. We understand that he is back on the home property, Devon, Somerton, and that he keeps up his cricket. It was worth keeping up too. **Tom ("T.C.") Williams** (50-54) whose brother Mark is at Riverview, secured a fine L.C. pass last year and works in his father's Newcastle firm. We met him at the O.I.U. Dinner there in August.

Austin Wilson (26-31) is with Commonwealth Industrial Gases, and usually attends the main functions of the Union year. He lives at Lindfield, so he's not far away.

Rev. Bill Wootten, S.J. (39-46) is taking cheerfully to the rather exacting course of Philosophy at Loyola, Melbourne. When we saw him there last January, he hadn't a worry in the world. Bill was always a philosopher!

Brian Yates (42-47) is finishing the second year of the Theology course at St. Patrick's College, Manly, as we write. He will soon be ordained and our very best wishes are with him and his brother, **Noel** (42-48), who is a Dental Surgeon, practising at Eden (we think).

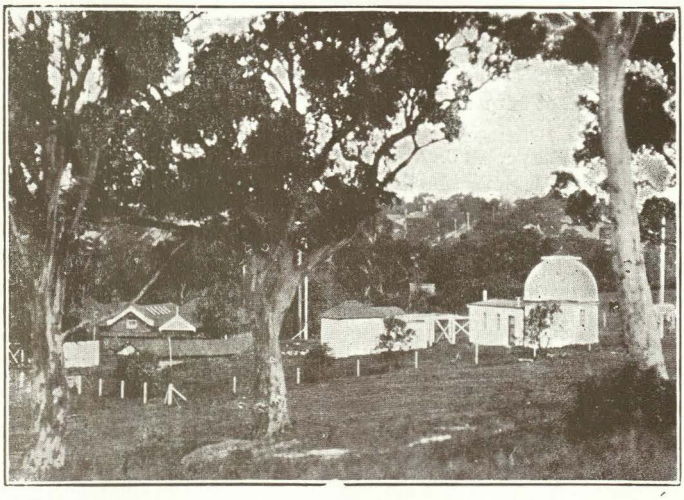
Dickie Youll (45-52) — "he of the poker face" —resumed his legal studies in Sydney this year after spending some time in Newcastle with the Commonwealth Steel Co. **Brian** (43-45) and **John** (38-40), both Solicitors, are practising in Newcastle and attended the O.I.U. Reunion there in August.

Ken Young (09-11) is again Hon. Auditor of the Old Boys' Union. We see him at the major Union functions of the year.

Observatory Notes

About the middle of the year it was found necessary to replace the 'Contact Clock' — that is, the clock which puts the time marks on the seismograms. It is very necessary to have these times accurately known, so that only a very reliable clock may be employed. It is so arranged that at every minute an electric contact is made which sends an impulse to small electro-magnets on the instruments which impulse raises the pens, or eclipses the light, momentarily, as the case may be. The clock hitherto in use is that installed nearly fifty years ago by Fr. Pigot, when he started the Observatory. In the course of time the parts must have become worn and it is no longer as reliable as one would like. For this reason enquiries were set on foot with a view to getting one to replace it. The type most suitable for the purpose turned out to be prohibitively expensive, quite apart from the cost of importing it from abroad. Enquiries made locally resulted in finding quite a suitable instrument at a cost within our means. This has now been installed and is giving every satisfaction. The former clock was weight driven; the new one is driven by a spring. But it has this advantage, that it is self-winding. Every hour an electric impulse winds the spring, so that the tension is reasonably constant at every time. Furthermore, should the power be cut off for any reason, the clock will continue to run for up to twelve hours. Like the old one, it is, of course, a pendulum clock, the pendulum being of invar steel, and thus unlikely to change much with the small variations of temperature in the seismograph cellar. It was designed primarily as a Master Clock for regulating a system of Slave Clocks throughout a building, and is much used in business houses. It required small alterations to adapt it for the purpose of putting the time marks on the seismograms.

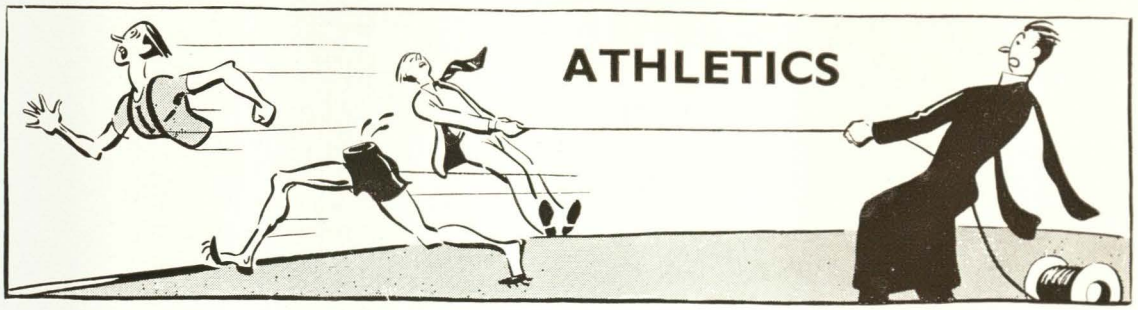
In the course of the year, so far, the number of very serious earthquakes has been something less than average. Of these the worst was in the Aegean Sea, in July. Other serious ones occurred in South America, in California, in Japan, in the Philippines and in Burma.



GLIMPSE OF THE OBSERVATORY.

The number of visiting nights at the Observatory was, this year, somewhat greater than usual, owing to the absence of much bad weather; consequently, the number of visitors, also, has been greater than usual. There is still a rather long waiting list; but it is not now, usually, necessary to wait as long between applying and visiting as was so even two years ago. Of course a series of wet nights on those set aside for visitors could cause the list to bank up again, so that it would be unsafe to conclude that one's turn should come around very shortly after one's application.

—N. Burke-Gaffney, S.J.



The School Athletic Sports Meeting was held this year at the close of the second term instead of early in third term as heretofore. As soon as the football season ended training was keen in all three Divisions. The meeting on August 11th was a distinct success and was attended by many Old Boys and parents.

Officials at the meeting were:—

Referee: Rev. J. Drury, S.J.
Judges: Rev. D. Roset, S.J.; Rev. D. Boyd, S.J.; Rev. J. Smith, S.J.; M. Saddington, P. O'Rourke.
Time-keepers: Rev. J. Gilchrist, S.J.; Rev. R. Walsh, S.J.; H. Kelly, Esq.
Judges of Jumps and Shot Put: Rev. H. Sneddon, S.J.; Rev. K. Penry, S.J.; T. K. Crowley, Esq.
Starters: Rev. J. Connolly, S.J.; P. Prior, Esq.
Check Starters: Rev. G. Drumm, S.J.; Rev. P. O'Sullivan, S.J.
Athletic Committee: J. Lenehan, I. Ingleby, P. Haseler, W. Maher.
Announcers: W. Coyle, J. Herlihy.
Recorders: K. Rennie, S. Raper, B. Duck.
Points Calculators: A. Hassall, C. F. Flynn.
Assistants at Jumps and Shot Puts: J. Clements, J. Deloughery, M. Donnellan, J. Dunstan, J. Tully, M. McGrath, M. Munro.
General Assistants: D. Rowe, F. Foy, D. O'dell, A. McClemens, P. Lenehan, M. O'Dea.
Track Stewards: W. Ashley, D. Moore, W. Breen, R. Flanery, M. Green, G. Hall.

THE PROGRAMME

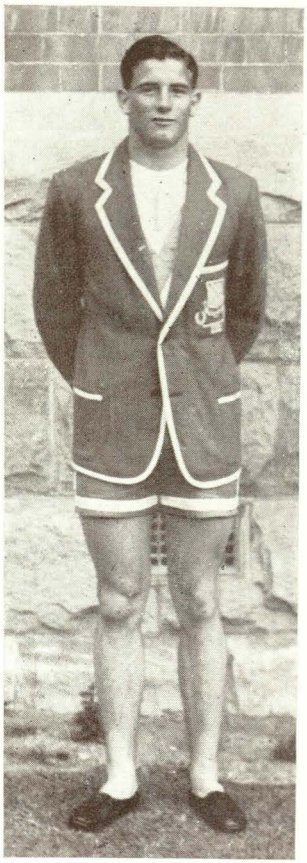
A GRADE

100 yards (Championship): J. Lenehan, 1; M. Hardie, 2; P. Haseler, 3; W. Maher, 4. Time: 10.5 secs.

100 yards (Seconds): P. Sheridan, 1; L. Ryan, 2; J. Lewis, 3; C. Regan, 4. Time: 11.2 secs.

100 yards (Under 17): J. Higgins, 1; G. Meaney, 2; P. Burt, 3; R. Meagher, 4. Time: 11.1 secs.

220 yards (Championship): J. Lenehan, 1; I. Ingleby, 2; P. Haseler, 3; R. Austin, 4. Time: 23.8 secs.



JIM LENEHAN.
Champion Athlete of the School.

220 yards (Seconds): P. Sheridan, 1; L. Ryan, 2; B. Walker, 3; J. Lewis, 4. Time: 26.3 secs.

220 yards (Under 17): J. Higgins, 1; P. Burt, 2; G. Meaney, 3; P. Boland, 4. Time: 25.2 secs.

440 yards (Championship): I. Ingleby, 1; J. Renshaw, 2; P. Haseler, 3; M. Hardie, 4. Tim 52.8 secs.

440 yards (Seconds): P. Sheridan, 1; R. Austin, 2; R. Blake, 3; R. Meagher, 4. Time: 58.8 s.

880 yards (Championship): I. Ingleby, 1; M. Kavanaugh, 2; C. Regan, 3; R. Austin, 4. Time: 2 mins. 8 secs.

880 yards (Seconds): R. Payten, 1; D. O'Dea, 2; M. Darby, 3; D. Curchod, 4. Time: 2 mins. 12.4 secs.

Mile (Championship): I. Ingleby, 1; M. Saddington, 2; J. McGovern, 3; R. Austin, 4. Time: 4 mins. 49.2 secs. (Record).

Mile (Seconds): D. O'Dea, 1; B. Stevenson, 2; J. Walker, 3; M. Donnellan, 4. Time: 5 mins. 26.6 secs.

Relay Race (Seconds): Blue, 1; Red, 2; White, 3; Black, 4.

Tug-O'-War: Red, 1; White, 2; Blue, 3; Black, 4.

100 yards (Handicap): M. McGrath, 1; P. Sheridan, 2; R. Flanery, 3; L. Ryan, 4. Time: 11.0 secs.

220 yards (Handicap): P. Burfitt, 1; P. Sheridan, 2; R. Meagher, 3. Time: 25.4 secs.

Inter-Club Points: Red, 52; White, 42; Blue, 33; Black, 25½.

Champion Athlete of the College: J. Lenehan.

Under 17 Champion: P. Burt.

Inter-Club Seconds Champion: P. Sheridan.



FINISH OF THE G.P.S. SENIOR 100 YARDS.
J. McCann (S.J.C.) breaks a long-standing record. (Photo — "Sun-Herald.")

Hurdles (Championship): J. Lenehan, 1; M. Hardie, 2; P. Burt, 3; P. Haseler, 4. Time: 15.6 s.

Hurdles (Under 17): P. Burt, 1; G. Meaney, 2; R. Blake, 3; R. Meagher, 4. Time: 17.8 secs.

High Jump: J. Lenehan, 1; W. Maher, 2; J. Dawson, 3; P. Burt, 4. Height: 5 ft. 8¼ ins. (Record).

Broad Jump (Championship): J. Lenehan, 1; R. Blake, 2; P. Burt, 3; J. Dawson, 4. Distance: 20 ft. 11 ins.

Broad Jump (Under 17): R. Blake, 1; P. Burt, 2; J. Higgins, 3; G. Meaney, 4. Distance: 18 ft. 11½ ins.

Shot Put: J. Lenehan, 1; M. Ireland, 2; P. Burfitt, 3; J. Quinn, 4. Distance: 51 ft. 4 ins. (Record).

Relay Race (440 yards): Red, 1; Blue, 2; Black, 3; White, 4.

Club Champion Athletes, A Grade: Red— J. Lenehan; **White**—I. Ingleby; **Blue**—M. Hardie; **Black**—P. Haseler.

B GRADE

100 yards (Championship): T. Carver, 1; R. Day, 2; M. Hammond, 3; P. Kirby, 4. Time: 11.2 secs.

100 yards (Seconds): P. Locke, 1; A. Boyce, 2; J. Gallagher, 3; —. Butcher, 4. Time: 11.8 s.

100 yards (Under 15): P. Locke, 1; R. Roberts, 2; A. Boyce, 3; G. Kirby, 4. Time: 11.3 secs.

220 yards (Championship): T. Carver, 1; R. Day, 2; M. Hammond, 3; J. Potter, 4. Time: 26.1 secs.

220 yards (Seconds): C. Chalmers, 1; A. Boyce, 2; R. Bellingham, 3; J. Gallagher, 4. Time: 26.5 secs.

220 yards (Under 15): P. Locke, 1; R. Roberts, 2; P. Kirby, 3; G. Knight, 4. Time: 27.2 secs.

440 yards (Championship): T. Carver, 1; C. Chalmers, 2; M. Hammond, 3; P. Kirby, 4.

440 yards (Seconds): A. Boyce, 1; M. Deloughery, 2; P. Kirby, 3; J. Stevens, 4.

880 yards (Championship): M. Hammond, 1; T. Smith, 2; J. Potter, 3; P. Kirby, 4. Time: 2.23 secs.

880 yards (Seconds): A. Boyce, 1; M. Deloughery, 2; J. Stephens, 3; M. Johnson, 4. Time: 2. mins. 30.6 secs.

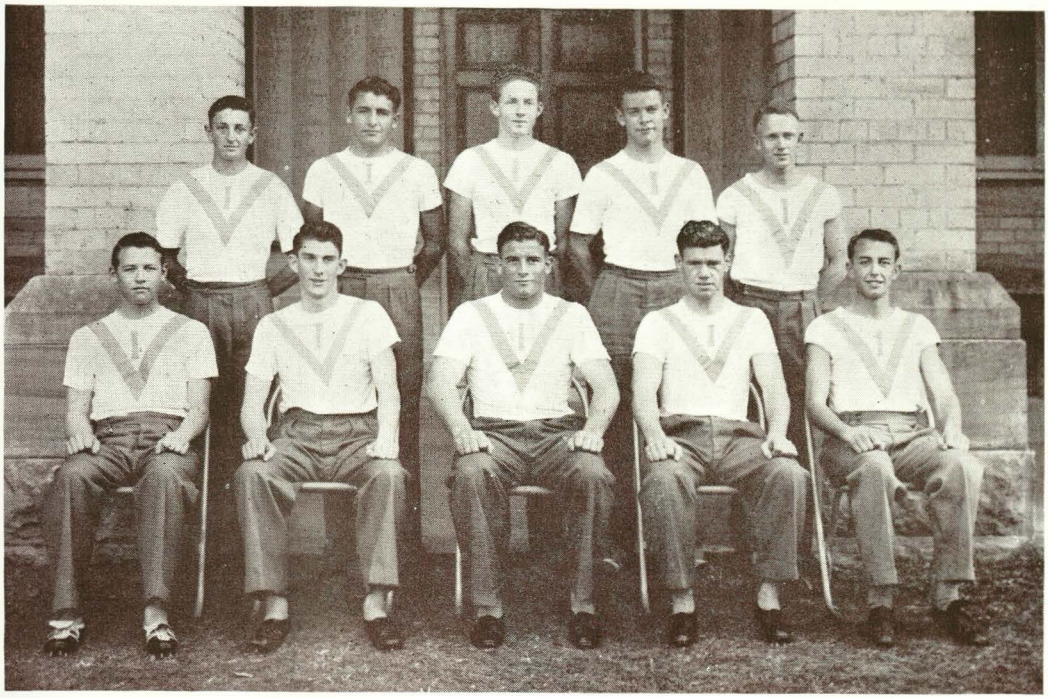
Shot Put: M. Deloughery, 1; I. Saddington, 2; J. Durrell, 3; P. Kirby and D. Gale, 4. Distance: 38 ft. 1¼ ins.

Relay Race (440 yards): Red, 1; Black, 2; White, 3; Blue, 1. Time: 51.8 secs.

100 yards Handicap: D. Dempsey, 1; D. Duncan, 2; G. Kirby, 3; R. Rowe, 4. Time: 11.6 secs.

220 yards Handicap: D. Duncan, 1; R. Rowe, 2; P. Meagher, 3; D. Dempsey, 4. Time: 27.4 s.

880 yards Handicap: D. Duncan, 1; R. O'Brien, 2. Time: 2 mins. 25 secs.



SENIOR ATHLETIC TEAM.
Back Row (L.-R.): M. Kavanaugh, P. Haseler, D. Blake, R. Meagher, M. Poirrier.
Seated: P. Burt, W. Maher, J. Lenehan, M. Hardie, I. Ingleby.

Mile (Championship): A. Boyce, 1; T. Smith, 2; R. Nichols, 3; J. Raper, 4. Time: 5 mins. 47.5 secs.

Mile (Seconds): R. Walker, 1; N. Dan, 2; R. O'Brien, 3; R. Meagher, 4. Time: 6 mins. 50 secs.

Hurdles (90 yards), (Championship): W. Tisdale, 1; J. Potter, 2; D. Gale, 3; T. Carver, 4. Time: 13.5 secs.

Hurdles (Under 15): R. Roberts, 1; P. Kirby, 2; C. Hayes, 3; P. Locke, 4. Time: 15.5 secs.

High Jump: G. Hepworth, 1; P. Hanson, 2; P. Brown, 3; T. Carver, 4. Height: 5 ft. 2¾ ins.

Broad Jump: T. Carver, 1; J. Potter, 2; R. Day, 3; W. Tisdale, 4. Distance: 17 ft. 7½ ins.

Tug-O'-War: White, 1; Blue, 2; Black, 3; Red, 4.

Inter-Club Points: Red, 54; White, 43; Blue, 30½; Black, 28.

Champion Athlete of Second Division: T. Carver.

Under 15 Champion: P. Locke.

Club Champion Athletes: Black — J. Potter; **Blue** — M. Hammond; **Red** — T. Carver; **White**— R. Day.

Inter-Club Seconds Champion: A. Boyce.

C GRADE

100 yards (Championship): L. Taylor, 1; D.

D'Arcy, 2; V. Edwards, 3; J. Lyons, 4. Time: 12.5 secs.

100 yards (Seconds): R. Herlihy, 1; R. Burns, 2; A. Quain, 3; M. O'Brien, 4. Time: 12.6 secs.

100 yards (Under 13): T. Meagher, 1; J. Mason, 2; F. McInerney, 3; W. Montgomery, 4. Time: 12.5 secs.

100 yards (Under 12): G. Windsor, 1; W. Haynes, 2; G. O'Brien, 3; P. Ryan, 4. Time: 13.6 secs.

150 yards Championship (Under 12): G. Windsor, 1; W. Haynes, 2; G. O'Brien, 3; G. Riley, 4. Time: 21.5 secs.

220 yards (Championship): V. Edwards, 1; D. D'Arcy, 2; R. Chalmers, 3; J. Taylor, 4. Time: 28.3 secs.

220 yards (Seconds): R. Herlihy, 1; R. Burns, 2; A. Quain, 3; M. Ross, 4. Time: 28.6 secs.

220 yards (Under 13): J. Mason, 1; T. Meagher, 2; F. McInerney, 3; C. Blake, 4. Time: 29.5 s.

220 yards (Beginners', Inter. I and II): R. Chalmers, 1; T. Ross, 2; R. Mater, 3; A. Scriven, 4. Time: 29.9 secs.

220 yards (Beginners: Gram. A and B): J. Kirby, 1; A. Lenehan, 2; G. Meagher, 3; C. Blake, 4. Time: 31.6 secs.

440 yards (Championship): V. Edwards, 1; R. Herlihy, 2; J. Lyons, 3; J. Walsh, 4. Time: 1 min. 3.9 secs.

880 yards (Championship): R. Herlihy, 1; R. Chalmers, 2; R. Mater, 3; G. Meagher, 4. Time: 2 mins. 37.4 secs.

High Jump: V. Edwards, 1; A. McCormack, 2; P. Flynn, 3; P. Quinn, 4. Height: 4 ft. 6 ins.

Broad Jump: J. Lyons, 1; R. Mater, 2; R. Burns, 3; R. Chalmers, 4. Distance: 15 ft. 3½ ins.

Hurdles (65 yards): J. Lyons, 1; V. Edwards, 2; J. Mitchell, 3; R. Chalmers, 4. Time: 10.4 s.

Hurdles (Seconds): P. Quinn, 1; T. Meagher, 2; J. Mason, 3; J. McDermott, 4. Time: 11.3 secs.

Shot Put: D. Pearson, 1; R. Burns, 2; R. Macintosh, 3; M. Conrick, 4. Distance: 32 ft. 0½ ins.

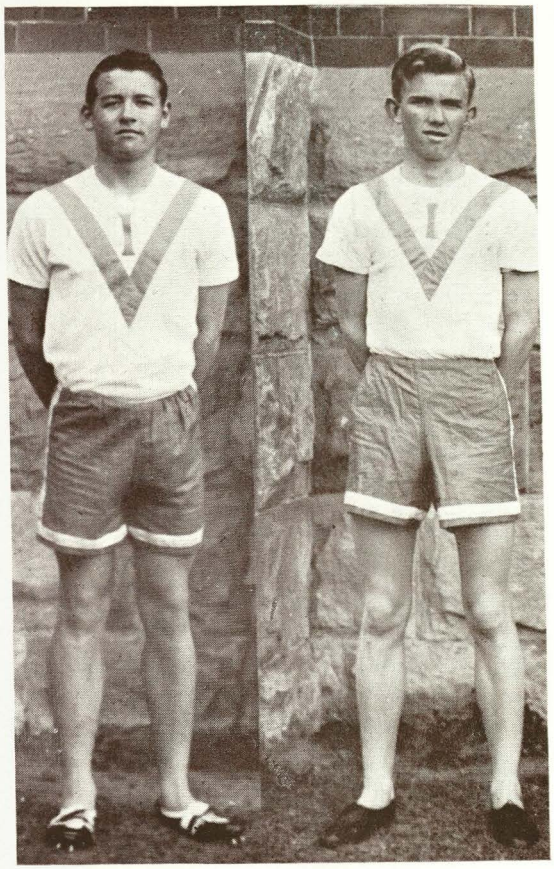
Inter-Club Relay Race (440 yards): Blue, 1; Red, 2; White, 3; Black, 4. Time: 55.1 secs.

Inter-Club Relay Race (Seconds): Blue, 1; White, 2; Red, 3; Black, 4. Time: 60.5 secs.

Tug-O'-War: White, 1; Blue, 2; Black and Red, 3.



JUNIOR ATHLETIC TEAM.
Back Row (L.-R.): J. Walsh, W. Montgomery, P. Locke, J. Lyons, M. Mason, C. Blake.
2nd Row: V. Edwards, G. Knight, D. Field, G. Hepworth, D. Duncan, J. Taylor, A. Boyce.
Seated: P. Hanson, T. Carver, M. Hammond, R. Day, M. Darby, P. Kirby, R. Roberts.
In front: P. Jones.



Left: P. BURT, Under 17 Champion.
Right: T. CARVER, II Division Champion Athlete.

100 yards Handicap: J. Flynn and D. Ell, 1; J. Mason, 3; R. Burns, 4. Time: 12.3 secs.

100 yards Handicap (Under 12): W. Haynes, 1; G. O'Brien, 2; T. Mort, 3; M. McGovern, 4. Time: 13.6 secs.

330 yards Handicap: R. Mater, 1; D. Pearson, 2. Time: 1 min. 38.7 secs.

220 yards Handicap: A. Quain, 1; J. Kirby, 2; G. Meagher, 3; A. Lenehan, 4. Time: 29.2 secs.

Club Points: Blue, 59; **White,** 32; **Red,** 21½; **Black,** 15½.

Champion Athlete of Third Division: V. Edwards.

Under 13 Champion: T. Meagher.

Under 12 Champion: G. Windsor.

Inter-Club Seconds Champion: R. Herlihy.

Club Champion Athletes: Blue — V. Edwards; **Red** — R. Chalmers; **Black** — D. D'Arcy; **White** J. Lyons.

Inter-Club Points for the Whole School: Red: 127½; **Blue:** 122½; **White:** 117; **Black:** 69.

"CITY v. COUNTRY"

A "City v. Country" Athletic meeting was held on the Saturday after the return from the holidays — September 8th. "City" had a rather convincing win. The final points were:—

	A Grade	B Grade	C Grade	Total
City	221	259	147 —	627
Country	162	130	223 —	515

At the Olympic Trials, Moore Park, on Sunday, September 23rd, Jim Lenehan put the 12lb. shot 54 ft. 5 ins., to set an Australian Junior record.

G.P.S. ATHLETICS

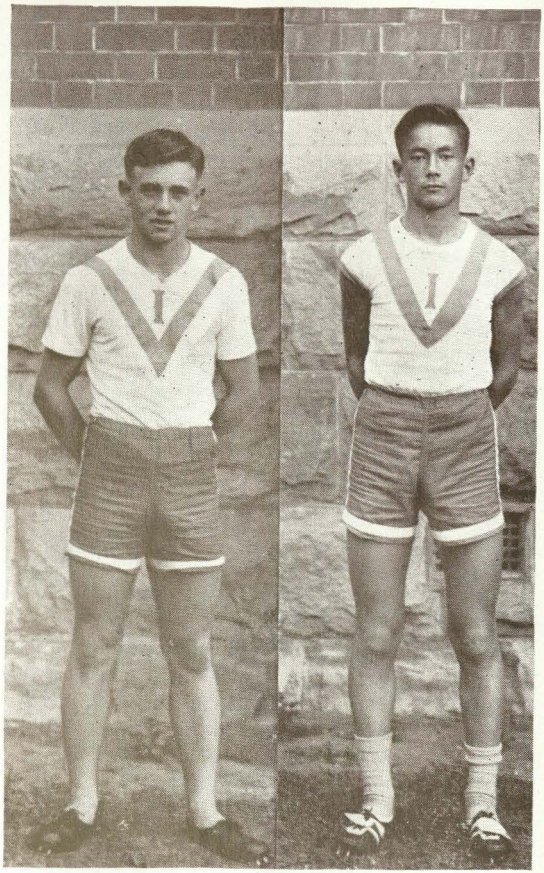
The sixty-first annual combined G.P.S. Athletic Meeting was held at The Sydney Cricket Ground, under ideal conditions, on October 13th and drew a very large public attendance. The programme of 43 events was run of without a hitch and with splendid punctuality—an annual tribute, we think, to Mr. R. S. Rankin, the Convener, and his army of officials.

Seventeen records were broken and one equalled at the meeting and enthusiasm ran high all the afternoon. Congratulations to St. Joseph's College on winning the Senior Championship by 56 points and to The Scots College who won the Junior Championship by a margin of 42 points.

As regards our own athletes we may say they were well in the picture all the afternoon and came third in the Senior Championship and



JIM LENEHAN BREAKS THE G.P.S. HURDLES RECORD.



PETER LOCKE
Under 15 Champion.
V. EDWARDS
Champion Athlete, Third Division.

fourth in the Junior. This was a better result than we have ever had before. Jim Lenehan broke two records — the Open Shot Put, with 57 ft. 2½ ins., and the Open 120 yards Hurdles which he ran in 14.5 seconds.

Our individual placings were as follow:—

Open:

Mile—3rd place—I. Ingleby.
880 yards—4th place—I. Ingleby.
440 yards—5th place—P. Haseler.
120 yards Hurdles—1st—J. Lenehan. (Record: 14.5 secs.)
Broad Jump—2nd—J. Lenehan.
Shot Put—1st—J. Lenehan (57 ft. 2¼ ins.—record).

Under 17:

Mile—3rd place—M. Kavanaugh.
880 yards—2nd place—M. Kavanaugh.
440 yards—3rd place—R. Meagher.
120 yards Hurdles—4th place—P. Burt.

Under 16:

880 yds. (2nd Division)—5th place—D. Duncan.
880 yards (Ch'ship.)—4th place—M. Darby.
High Jump—3rd equal—P. Hanson.

Under 15:

100 yards (2nd Division)—2nd place—P. Locke.
100 yards (Ch'ship.)—3rd place—A. Boyce.
220 yards (Ch'ship.)—5th place—A. Boyce.
90 yards Hurdles—3rd place—A. Boyce.
Broad Jump—1st place—D. Field.
High Jump—2nd place—G. Hepworth.
440 yards Relay Race—2nd place—R. Roberts, P. Locke, D. Field, A. Boyce.

Under 14:

100 yards (Ch'ship.)—1st place—G. Knight.
100 yds. (2nd Division)—1st place—J. Taylor.
220 yards (Ch'ship.)—1st place—G. Knight.
440 yards Relay Race—4th place (J. Taylor, V. Edwards, J. Lyons, G. Knight).

Under 13:

60 yards Hurdles—4th place—M. Mason.

CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS

Senior Championship		Junior Championship	
1. S.J.C.	141	1. T.S.C.	194
2. T.K.S.	85	2. S.J.C.	152
3. S.I.C.	63	3. S.G.S.	120
4. T.S.C.	59	4. S.I.C.	100
5. N.C.	48	5. N.C.	88
6. S.H.S.	40	6. S.H.S.	72
7. S.C.E.G.S.	27	7. T.K.S.	54
8. S.G.S.	23	8. S.C.E.G.S.	41
9. T.A.S.	13	9. T.A.S.	9



G. WINDSOR, Under 12 Champion.

Obituary

Father Patrick Sullivan, S.J. (1928-1933)
Sir Mark Sheldon (1880-1883)
Dr. Walter Burfitt (1890-1892)
J. Beverley McKay (1908-1910)
William Scriven (1911-1915)
Kenneth Dunstan (1920-1923)
Kevin Crowley (1920)
Dr. Basil Walton (1922-1924)
Clarence Corcoran (1925-1929)
Peter Baldwin (1946-1950)
Vincent Carroll (1909-1911)

FATHER PATRICK SULLIVAN, S.J.
(1928-1933)

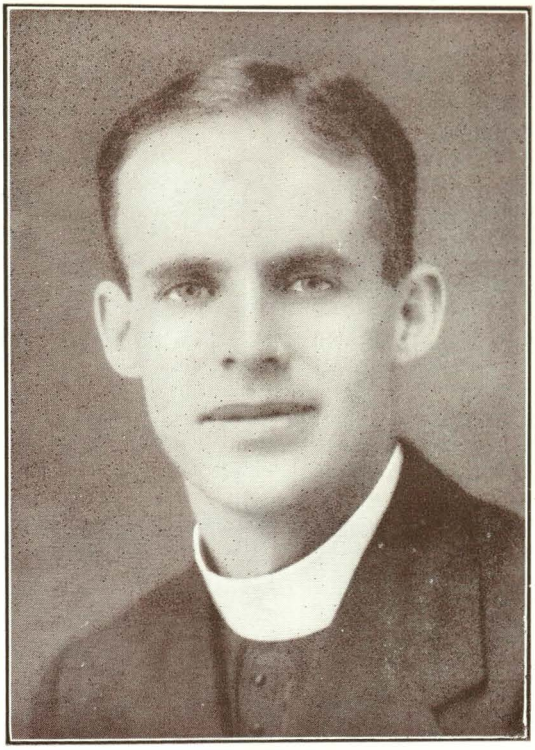
There was general dismay among members of the Australian Province of the Society of Jesus when news came of the tragically sudden death of Father Pat Sullivan, S.J., which took place on a road near Springvale, Victoria when a truck collided with the motor cycle on which Father Sullivan was riding. His death, apparently was instantaneous.

As a boy, Father Sullivan spent six years at Riverview where he was universally popular. He was a member of the Senior Sodality and of the G.P.S. Debating Team. He took a prominent part in the School plays then staged, and played football for the second fifteen.

He left Riverview at the end of 1933 and early the following year entered the Jesuit Order. After his first few years of training he spent further time as a Master at Riverview and after his ordination in 1948, after the completion of his Theological course, was appointed Spiritual Father of the boys at his old School. He was also for some years at Campion Hall which was then the Riverview Preparatory School. When Campion Hall was closed, he was transferred to Loyola College, Watsonia (Vic.) as Socius to the Master of Novices a position he was holding at the time of his death.

Solemn office for the dead was held at Loyola the day after he died and on Saturday, March 10, Solemn Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Hawthorn (Melbourne) by the Rector of Loyola College, V. Rev. F. D. O'Brien, S.J., the deacon and sub-deacon being Fathers E. O'Riordan and J. Hollis, S.J. respectively. The choir was composed of Loyola students.

At the Mass, most Rev. Dr. D. Mannix, Archbishop of Melbourne, was represented by Monsignor Fox, Adm. St. Patrick's Cathedral. The congregation was very large and included close on 100 Religious and Diocesan clergy and many



FATHER PAT SULLIVAN, S.J.

nuns and Brothers. His two brothers and two sisters from Sydney were also present and accompanied his remains to the Boorandara Cemetery where he was laid to rest.

Very many of his contemporaries as well as recent Old Boys whom he taught at Riverview will join with us in expressing our deepest and most sincere sympathy to his Mother, his sisters and brothers to whom his death was a very severe loss. Father Pat was the friend of everyone who knew him. Simple in his manner, always cheerful, obliging and zealous, his place will be hard to fill. May he rest in peace.

MARK SHELDON
(1880-1883)

Shortly after the 9th February, 1880 the day on which the College opened, a small boy, Mark Sheldon, aged eight years, arrived at Riverview, having come from his home town Armidale.

Travelling was somewhat different in those days. He had to ride from Armidale to Tamworth, and ride anything that came along in the way of change of horses. Sometimes he travelled by Cobb & Co.'s coach which had rawhide springs.

When he first arrived, his wardrobe was carried in leather saddle bags.

Mark spent four years at Riverview before going to Downside College in England. In 1890 he joined Dalton Bros. as a Junior clerk, soon showing that he possessed business ability in a high degree.

He rapidly advanced until he attained the position of Managing Director, a position he held up to the time of his death.

In 1897 he married Blanche Mary a daughter of the Hon. Thomas Dalton.

His ability, high character, and strong personality, stamped him as one well qualified for public life. He held many appointments, including Australian Representative at the League of Nations in 1922, Australian Commissioner to America from 1919 to 1922, Chairman of the Repatriation Board, a member of the Council of the Commonwealth Bureau of Commerce and Industry, Australian Representative on the British Empire Economical Committee, Chairman of Tooheys Ltd., Anthony Horderns Ltd., and the Australian Bank of Commerce until its amalgamation with the Bank of New South Wales.



SIR MARK SHELDON.

He was knighted in 1922. Sir Mark was made a Knight Commander of the Order of St. Gregory the Great in 1929 a year after the International Eucharistic Congress in Sydney. Sir Mark and Lady Sheldon made numerous liberal benevolent contributions, doing so without publicity when possible.

He never lost his interest in Riverview. As recently as May last year, he wrote some reminiscences, to assist in recording the early history of the College.

He was a life member of the Old Ignatians' Union. Lady Sheldon died in July last year. Since her death Sir Mark had been ill. He died at Lewisham Hospital on the 13th October.

His Eminence Cardinal Gilroy was present in the Sanctuary of St. Mary's Cathedral on the following Monday, when Requiem Mass for the repose of Sir Mark's soul was celebrated by the Administrator the Very Rev. Monsignor Meaney.

V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector), and Rev. Fr. N. Burke-Gaffney, S.J. represented Riverview at the Mass and funeral.

Sir Mark is survived by two sons Thomas Cuthbert, and Marcus Warwick, and a daughter Mrs. Lancaster. Two daughters, Mrs. Mary Lilian Rex and Marcella predeceased him.

To his surviving relatives we offer our sincere sympathy.

R.I.P.

Dr. WALTER BURFITT, K.C.S.S., B.A., B.Sc., M.B., Ch.M.
(1890-1892)

Walter Fitzmaurice Burfitt died at Lewisham Private Hospital on the 1st June this year aged 82.

Walter entered Riverview in the beginning of 1890. During his stay at the College he won the esteem and respect of the community and his fellow students.

His great success in his various classes created no jealousy. This was recognised as a fitting reward of his merit, his ability, and his spirit of labour, neither did his triumphs make any difference in his gentle, affable demeanour, or lessen in the slightest degree, the sincere, unaffected piety for which he was ever distinguished. He passed the Senior Public Examination in 1890 winning the University Silver Medal for psychology, for which



DR. WALTER BURFITT.

he had been coached by Father Pigot. He matriculated in 1892 with first class honours in Mathematics and French. Walter entered the University, graduating in 1895, with first class honours each year and winning the Barker Scholarship, the Norbert Quirk Prize, Professor David's Prize for geology and the George Allen Scholarship.

He then entered the Faculty of Medicine, graduating B.Sc., in 1897 and in 1899 completed the medical course with 1st class honours and the University Medal.

He was then appointed Resident Medical Officer at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital.

In 1900 he commenced practice at Glebe, and was appointed Surgeon at Lewisham Hospital, Medical Officer to out patients at St. Vincents Hospital, and the Royal Alexandria Hospital for children.

He was elected a Fellow of St. John's College in 1916 holding this office till 1927. He was a Foundation Fellow of the Royal Australian College of Surgeons.

Walter was made a Knight Commander of the Order of St. Sylvester in 1928. He was appointed a Councillor of Sancta Sophia College, Master of the Guild of St. Luke, Chairman of the Almoners Association, and President of the Medical Benevolent Association.

He founded the Walter Burfitt Scholarship for Science at the University in 1925, and the Walter Burfitt Prize at the Royal Society of N.S.W. in 1928. He was Honorary Surgeon at Lewisham Hospital for 39 years and Chairman of the Medical staff Advisory Board of that Hospital.

Not only did Walter shed lustre on his College by his successes, but was a benefactor to it in other ways.

The Riverview Museum is largely indebted to him for the acquisition of a goodly number of curios from the Islands.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at St. Canice's Church, Elizabeth Bay, by the Rev. Father Clancy who also officiated at the graveside in Waverley Cemetery.

V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector), Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J. and Rev. M. O'Brien, S.J. represented Riverview at the Mass and funeral.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Burfitt and her family. R.I.P.

J. B. (BERT) McKAY
(1908-1910)

We have long regarded the McKay families as part and parcel of Riverview and the passing of any one of them touches us deeply.

It is with great regret therefore, that we record the death at Warren on July 6th this year of Bert McKay, the first of the name to come to Riverview 48 years ago.

His health, we are given to understand, had not been good for some considerable time before he died, but his death will have been a severe blow to his wife, his two daughters, his sons John and Michael and to his brother Jim of Trangie, to all of whom we offer our sincere sympathy.

While at Riverview, Bert, of strong build, played in the First Fifteen and rowed in a Senior Four. He was a councillor in the Senior Sodality under the late Father Hassett, S.J. Upon leaving school, he took over the management of "Pigeonbah" Station where he was later joined by his brother, Jim who left Riverview in 1912. Upon the death of his father, Bert went back to the home station, "The Overflow", Warren, which he looked after for the rest of his life, being assisted in later years by his sons John and Michael when they had finished their course at Riverview.

He lived a full and well-ordered life and will

be missed by a host of friends in his district and beyond. May he rest in peace.

The news of his death was announced to the School by Father Rector at the Boys' Mass which was offered for the repose of his soul. R.I.P.

WILLIAM SCRIVEN
(1911-1915)

News of the sudden death on January 1st this year of Bill Scriven came as a great surprise to those of us who had known him at Riverview. It was too, a sad shock to his family and friends in the Mungindi district where for many years he was well-known and respected for his kindly and generous disposition.

Bill spent five years at Riverview where he made numerous friends and where his sons Bill, (Jnr.), (45-46) and Brian (45-49) followed him. His third son Anthony is still at the College. He had not been long in the Moree District Hospital with what appeared a minor ailment when death suddenly overtook him.

When he left Riverview he lived on Cleveland Station, Mungindi, until the early twenties when he purchased "The Kraal", where he remained until his death. In 1925 he married Miss Veronica McCarthy who survives him.

Bill was retiring in disposition but always very generous, especially to his Church and to the Convent of St. Joseph, Mungindi. Four of his sisters and one brother predeceased him.

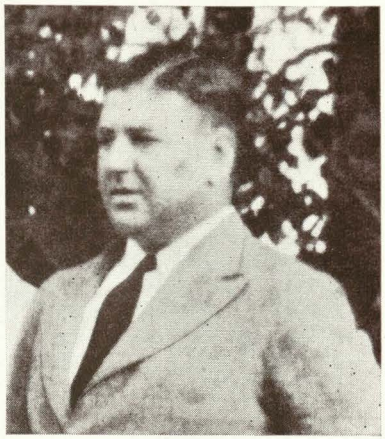
His funeral left St. Francis' Church, Moree for the Catholic portion of the local cemetery. Rt. Rev. Mgr. O'Reilly officiated at the Church and at the graveside.

We offer our very sincere sympathy to Mrs. Scriven and to Bill (Jnr.). Brian and Anthony. R.I.P.

KENNETH DUNSTAN
(1920-1923)

The sudden death of Ken Dunstan which took place on April 9th this year, came as a very sad surprise to his many friends and Riverview contemporaries. As far as we know, he had shown no signs of illness of any kind and in fact, was preparing to take out his car when he suddenly collapsed.

As a boy at Riverview, Ken was liked by everyone, Master and class-mate. He was well up in his various class examinations and was a very keen footballer, playing in the First Fifteen in 1923 when he is described in the old records as a plucky half-back. He also rowed in the First Four at the G.P.S. Regatta. He was of a quiet, undemonstrative disposition — except



KEN DUNSTAN.

perhaps on the football field, when he put all his energy into the game to be played.

He left Riverview at the end of 1923 and studied Pharmacy, doing his practical work with Mr. Johnston who had a pharmacy in Chatswood. After completing his training, he managed a pharmacy in Bowral for a Mr. Brake.

In 1930 he took over the agency for Dr. Nathan Tucker's Asthma Cure and returned to Sydney to direct this business. In 1950, while still operating the business of Nathan Tucker's Asthma Cure, he opened a pharmacy at Haberfield.

Ken married in 1937 and subsequently went to live at Gordon. He left a daughter aged 13 and a son aged 12.

In the field of sport Ken joined the Roseville Golf Club and, although he played a reasonable game, when he moved to Gordon he gave up golf to concentrate on gardening. He was a keen and successful gardener.

On the day following his death, Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul, was celebrated at the parish Church, Pymble, by V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J., Rector of Riverview, who assisted by Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J. and Rev. M. O'Brien, S.J., recited the last prayers at the graveside in the Northern Suburbs cemetery.

Anyone who knew Ken will join with us in offering to his widow and two children, as well as to his brothers, Russell and Fritz, our very deep sympathy. R.I.P.

PAUL KEVIN CROWLEY
(1920)

Kevin Crowley died on September 24th at the Repatriation General Hospital, Concord. He was

at Riverview in 1920 and while still young, went to St. Aloysius' College where he completed his education.

After leaving School he studied real Estate for several years in the office of James Wall & Co. He left that office to enter the City Mutual Life Assurance Society Ltd. where his late father, Mr. George Crowley was then Managing Director, and was associated with the property department of that Society until his death.

During World War II. he served as a L.A.C. in the R.A.A.F. He is survived by his widow (formerly Miss Gwen Carey) and his son George, who is a student at St. Aloysius' College.

Although Kevin spent only one year at Riverview, he was remarkably consistent in his attendance at all College and Union yearly functions and was very much attached to the School, taking a live interest in all its activities.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at St. Mary Magdalen's Church, Rose Bay by Rev. Fr. D. Roset, S.J. (Riverview College) who, assisted by V. Rev. Fr. J. Casey, S.J. (Rector of St. Aloysius' College) also officiated at the graveside, Field of Mars Cemetery. May Kevin rest in peace. He will not be forgotten.

Dr. BASIL WALTON
(1922-1924)

Dr. Basil Walton died at St. Vincent's Hospital on February 26th after a comparatively short illness, although for some time previously his health had not been very robust.

Basil spent three years at Riverview but left us before reaching the higher Division of the School.

He practised in Sydney after graduation and married in 1952, Miss Mary Magennis at the "Star of the Sea" Church attached to St. Aloysius' College, Milson's Point.

Over the years he was a regular visitor to Riverview at the main annual Union functions and also took a keen interest in our football games.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was offered by Rev. Father John Haseler at Holy Cross Church, Woollahra on February 27th and he was laid to rest in the family plot at Rookwood Cemetery. Our sincere sympathy on his death goes to his widow and to his three young children to whom his death came as a very severe trial. R.I.P.

CLARENCE CORCORAN
(1925-1929)

It was with great regret that we heard, in mid-October, of the death of Clarrie Corcoran,



DR. BASIL WALTON.

though the news was not unexpected, for he had been ill for some considerable time and from a very early stage the doctors held out little hope for his recovery.

While at school he was one of those upon whom the reputation of the school mostly depends — the great body of 'ordinary' boys — not outstanding in sport or studies, but competent at both, boys who, when they have left school, become good solid citizens, who are a credit to their school and a comfort to their Pastors. Such a one was Clarrie; no insignificant unit, lost in the mass of his fellows, but not the first to catch one's attention. In football he did not reach the First Fifteen, but was sure of a place on the Seconds; nor did he find a place in the Eight, but picked himself, as one might say, in the Fours. Indeed, he rowed No. 3 in the Second Four that had the sensational win of thirteen lengths in their heat, subsequently winning the final by a comfortable two lengths. This had been the first win we had had in the G.P.S. Regatta for ten years, so that the crew came in for some adulation. With the others of the crew, Clarrie had his share of this, but it can be said that it made no difference to him. In all honesty it must be said that it affected none of them;

they had had a job to do, and they did it as competently as they knew how; that was all there was to it.

After school days Clarrie worked on the family station (Corcorans Plains, Boorowa) and in due course succeeded to the management thereof. There he spent the remainder of his comparatively short life, and there he brought up his own family. He sent us his young son this year.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was offered at Boorowa by Rev. Father McDonnough (Adm. Temora) and when he was laid to rest, Monsignor Cahill of Binalong officiated at the graveside. We offer our very sincere sympathy to his widow and family as well as to his brothers Russell (08-12), and Tom (08-15) and his other relatives. May he rest in peace.

PETER BALDWIN
(1946-1950)

It was sad news indeed when we received word on December 31st last year of the tragic death of Peter Baldwin in a car accident near Yass.

He was on his way home with a Riverview contemporary from a holiday visit to Melbourne when the car skidded on a slippery part of the road and overturned.

Peter is well remembered at Riverview where he spent five years. Quiet and unassuming in character, he made very many friends at the School and his departure before he reached the higher Division was much regretted.

After leaving Riverview he went to work on the home property, Durham Court, Manilla, where his brother Otto (51-54) joined him a few years later. We understand that the property has been in the Baldwin family for nearly 140 years.

His funeral took place from St. Michael's Church on January 1st and was attended by over 2000 people. It was regarded as the largest funeral ever seen in the district where the Baldwin family is held in high regard. Besides the members of the family present at the funeral were Bob Fagan (O.R. 35-36) and his brother Tony (36-40), Greg Bartels (39-42), Laurie Coy (42-50) and John Grady (at present at Riverview).

Rt. Rev. Monsignor O'Brien officiated at the Church and graveside.

Our very deep sympathy goes to our old friend Otto Baldwin who was so attached to his brother and to the parents and other relatives of Peter. We shall not forget him at the Riverview altars. R.I.P.

VINCENT CARROLL
(1909-1911)

After we had gone to press we received news of the death on October 30, of Vincent Carroll. Although he had been ailing for some time, his death was unexpected.

Vincent was a Life Member of the Old Boys' Union and, whenever approached, was most generous in matters connected with his old School.

He was of a rather shy and retiring nature — a fact which prevented him from attending many of the functions held at the College.

Looking through the pages of former issues of "Our Alma Mater" we find that he frequently acted as Cox to the senior and junior School crews, his light weight and youthful enthusiasm making him an ideal choice.

At the time of his death he was Chief Valuer for the City Mutual Life Assurance Society Ltd., with which he had been associated since 1941.

His funeral was a private one to the Waverley Cemetery.

We extend our deepest sympathy to his widow his brothers William and Frank, as well as to his sisters Aileen and Kathleen (Mrs. Gearin). May he rest in peace. (C.J.B.)

MOURIR, C'EST PARTIR UN PEU.

Mourir, c'est partir un peu,
Le dernier mot du problème
N'est pas sur la lèvre blême. . . .
Regardez vers le ciel bleu!

Ce qui survit dans l'adieu
C'est le meilleur de soi-même. . . .
Mourir, c'est partir un peu!

O la douceur de ce voeu!
Si l'on quitte ceux qu'on aime,
C'est avec l'espoir suprême
De les retrouver en Dieu. . . .
Mourir, c'est partir un peu!

—Louis Tiercelin.

TO DIE IS JUST TO PART AWHILE.

To die is just to part awhile.
The answer to the mournful quip
Is not upon the livid lip. . . .
Look upward where the heavens smile.

That which survives this sad exile
Is just oneself that seemed to slip. . . .
To die is just to part a while.

Oh joyful self-abandonship!
Leaving one's former self-beguile,
Is hope of sweet companionship
With God, that aids us still to smile. . . .
To die is just to part a while.

—F.A.C., S.J.

Debating

Chairman: Rev. G. F. Jones, S.J.
President: C. Flynn.
Committee: J. Gallagher, B. Duck.

Early in the year some practice debates were held in First Division before the G.P.S. representative team was decided on.

The first Competition debate was held at Riverview on June 15th, our opponents being the **Sydney Grammar School** team (Messrs. Keeps, Segal and Grey). They supported the motion that **"There is too much Sport."** The Riverview team opposing them was composed of Messrs. C Flynn (Leader), J. Herlihy and J. Gallagher.

The "Government" leader (Mr. Keeps) argued that the day was divided into three eight-hour sections—one for work, one for sleep and one for recreation but that in our day, man spends **all** his recreation time thinking of sport and shows lack of balance, excluding things of the mind. In this he was ably supported by Messrs. Segal and Grey who argued that the mind needed more development than it was getting. The leader of the Riverview team (Mr. Flynn) said that men exercised their minds in all their actions—even in sport and had neither inclination nor ability to concentrate on mental development or leisure. Mr. Herlihy said that the present pace of civilisation rendered recreation more necessary than ever and that there was not too much of it. Mr. Gallagher (in his first G.P.S. Debate speech) argued that "too much" of a thing must, in practice, mean a harmful amount and



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SENIOR DEBATERS.
Standing (L.-R.): B. Duck, J. Gallagher, D. Chisholm.
Seated: J. Herlihy, C. Flynn.

that sport, as we know it, had no really harmful effects. He drew attention to the beneficent effect on international understanding of such meetings as The Olympic Games.

After the leaders had summed-up reiterating the arguments of their teams, the Adjudicator, Mr. Martin, gave as his opinion that the standard of the debate was not very high. Each team had shown polish and confidence but neither had come to real grips with the motion. He awarded the debate to Sydney Grammar School by a narrow margin.

(C. F.)

S.I.C. v. S.C.E.G.S.

We debated against Shore on June 29th, the motion being that **"All forms of gambling are wholly evil."** The Riverview team had the difficult task of defending this motion. The team was: Messrs. Christopher Flynn, Brian Duck and John Gallagher. The Shore team was: Messrs. Lehmann, Vonwiller and Young.

Mr. Flynn said that eminent Churchmen disagreeing on the moral issues involved, the Riverview team would confine itself to the practical effects of gambling, involving only indisputable moral principles. The direct evil of gambling was that it fed the false ideal of getting something for nothing.

He was supported by **Mr. Duck** (who was making his maiden speech). He said his team was condemning the impetus gambling gave to the desire for unjust earnings. It developed a false scale of values and developed the idea that there was no need to work for one's living. For Shore, Messrs. **Lehmann** and **Vonwiller** seemed to appeal to the pleasure provided by gambling — a much less harmful pleasure than that provided by drink and drugs. If it provided recreation it could not be evil.

Mr. Gallagher (S.I.C.) attacked the opinion that pleasure could not be evil. Any recreation detrimental to men's welfare is evil. Gambling by its very nature had gravely evil effects. **Mr. Young** (Shore) supported his leader, Mr. Lehmann, and denied that the desire for quick, easy money should not be fostered.

Mr. Lehmann summed up well for the Opposition and denied the Government's argument that there was no effort in gambling. Mr. Flynn in reply, insisted that as avarice is evil whatever feeds it directly must also be evil of its very nature.

The Adjudicator (Mr. Martin) said that this debate was a distinct improvement on the previous one held at Riverview. He considered that the six speakers showed excellent style and manner and in this respect thought the Riverview team better. However, as Shore had been ahead in matter by a bigger margin, he awarded them the debate.

(C. F.)

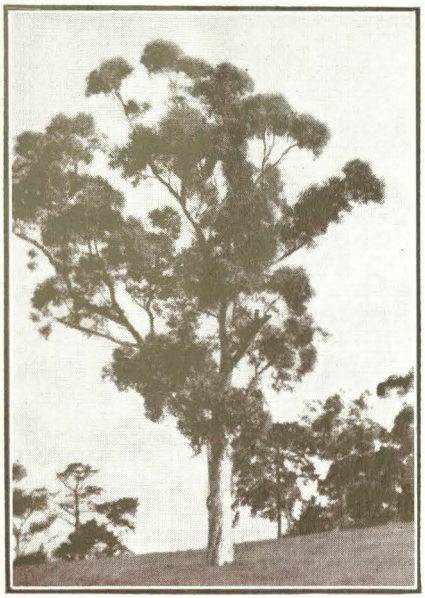
S.I.C. v. T.K.S.

Our final G.P.S. debate this year was held at The King's School, Parramatta, on August 3rd. The motion was that **"We should burn our television sets now, or we shall suffer."** The King's School team spoke in favour of the motion, Mr. Waddy being the first speaker who mingled a good deal of humour with his remarks. The Riverview team — a younger combination than usual, being prepared for next year's competition— was composed of Messrs. Brian Duck, Don Chisholm and John Gallagher.

The more experienced King's School team won the debate. The Adjudicator praised the newly-formed Riverview team and considered that they should do quite well next year.

(J. Gallagher).

The Bert Norris Medal for Senior Debate has been awarded to **Christopher Flynn.**



JUST A GUM-TREE.

SECOND DIVISION DEBATING SOCIETY

Chairman: Rev. G. Drumm, S.J.

President: B. Duck.

Hon. Secretary: E. Conrick.

On March 9th a "Hat Night" was held and good impromptu speeches were made by N. Dan, G. Leslie and A. Russell.

The following week the motion that **"Sport looms too much in G.P.S. Schools"** was defended and carried by D. Gowing, J. Dick and M. Hammond. The opposition ran them close—S. Mitchell, S. Spence and J. M. Lyons—and lost the debate by 1 point only.

(E. C.)

On July 13th the motion was that **"Ten years of dictatorship would be in the best interests of Australia."** Speakers for the motion (who won the debate) were G. Leslie, P. Brown and N. Dan. They were opposed by P. Whealy, S. Spence and P. O'Halloran. Noel Dan was the best speaker of the evening.

(E. C.)

July 27th. **"Australia must decentralize or perish"** was the motion defended by Messrs. D. Keating, B. Harding and B. Duck. They were opposed by Messrs. J. Gallagher, D. Chisholm and S. Mitchell. A very good debate in which all speeches were of a high order. The opposition won, the best speaker of the evening being Scott Mitchell.

(E. C.)

The final Colour debate was held on October 12th. The motion was that **"Motor reliability trials are no longer useful."** For the motion: J. Gallagher (leader), D. Chisholm and S. Mitchell. Against: N. Dan, J. Raper and P. Brown.

Arguments were cleverly put by each side, and keenly attacked by opponents. J. Gallagher's team (Black) was given the decision by a small margin and Father Rector congratulated the speakers of both sides.

(B. D.)

As we go to press, further debates are listed for the rest of the term but will be too late for insertion in this issue. We thank the Hon. Secretaries for their regular notes on each debate.

The G. E. Flannery Prize for Junior Debate has been awarded this year to **John Gallagher.**

THIRD DIVISION DEBATING SOCIETY

Intermediate Section

Chairman: Rev. P. O'Sullivan, S.J.

President: R. Herlihy (1st and 2nd Terms); M. Conrick (3rd Term).

Committee: A. Dynon (Hon. Sec.), M. Conrick (1st and 2nd Terms); J. Odillo Maher (3rd Term).

On April 20th the motion discussed was that **"Written Examinations should be abolished."** The motion was supported by J. Kindred (leader), N. Campbell-Jones and D. D'Arcy. They were opposed by A. Wallington, B. O'Halloran and A. Sullivan. The motion was carried by a margin of 15 points, the best speaker being D. D'Arcy.

(A. Dynon).

June 15th: **"The World owes more to small men."** The teams were: **For:** J. O'Brien, P. Lubrano, M. Ross. **Against:** G. Hepworth, D. Pearson, R. McIntosh. Both sides argued fiercely, but the motion was carried by a substantial majority. D. Pearson was adjudged the best speaker of the evening.

(A. Sullivan).

July 28th: **"The Drift from the Land to the City is ruining Australia."** Speakers for the motion were R. Mater, T. Vandeleur and J. Burke. Against: B. Donovan, J. Kevin and S. Lister. The opposition won by 5 points. Best speaker of the evening was R. Mater.

(A. Dynon).

On September 21st a "Hat Night" was held and speeches were as follows:—

"Water Pistols should be legal" (R. Chalmers); "Boarding Schools should be abolished" (P. Cornwall); "What I liked most at the Bazaar" (R. Burns); "What I liked least at the Bazaar" (D. Cloonan); "My favourite War Story" (J. Walsh); "The best football game I saw last season" (P. Quinn); "Why tomorrow should be a Home Week-end" (A. McCormack).

The Adjudicator (Mr. Penry) commented on each speech and said that P. Cornwall was the best speaker of the night.

(M. Conrick).

A "Hat Night" was held on October 12th. Speakers were:—

H. Moore (The pen is mightier than the sword); P. Jackson (Our chances at the G.P.S. Sports); A. Quain (We should have pictures every Saturday night); D. Cloonan (Snakes should wear braces); A. Scriven (The best book I have read); P. Lubrano (Australia is the best country in the world); G. Meagher (Rugby Union is better than cricket); J. O'Brien (What I would do if I were a Division Prefect).

Mr. Penry (adjudicator) remarked on every speech and considered that J. O'Brien was the best speaker of the evening, G. Meagher being also very good.

(M.C.)

GRAMMAR A SECTION

This newly-formed Section held its first meeting on April 13th and elected its officers. The election resulted as folows:—

President: Jim Borthwick.

Hon. Secretary: Andrew Lenehan.

Bell: Peter Locke (1st and 2nd Terms);

M. Garling and T. Walker (3rd Term).

Subsequently a "Hat Night" was held. Michael Mason spoke on "Why Rowing is important" and Tom Hartigan described a picture he saw during the holidays.

(J. Borthwick).

"Biggles has lived too long" was the motion debated by Grammar A on June 8th, the teams being: **For:** A. French, R. Stack, P. Hurley. **Against:** Geoffrey Meagher, W. Morley, G. Dangar. The opposition won by a small margin.

(A. S.)

"Nicknames should be abolished" was a motion debated on June 22nd. Speakers for the motion were M. Darmody, G. Mackintosh and K. Reddan. They won the debate against Max Garling, Philip Meagher and T. Meagher. The best speaker of the evening was Max Garling.

(A. Lenehan).

A "Hat Night" was held on September 21st. The Society elected a new Secretary (Max Garling). Speeches were:—

"The Bazaar" (T. Walker); "The Day after the Bazaar" (A. Parker); "The Olympic Games" (A. French); "Boarding Schools should be abolished" (F. McInerney); "Water Pistols should be legal" (P. Neil); "Next Home Sunday should be stopped" (R. Stack).

The Adjudicator (Mr. Penry) commented on each speech and considered that A. French and F. McInerney were the best speakers of the evening.

(Max Garling).

The following motion was debated on October 5th: **"We are too much interested in Sport."** Speakers for the motion were R. McCombie, R. Stack and T. Walker. Against: R. Vandenberg, Q. Lelder, B. Smith. The Opposition were awarded the decision by a very narrow margin, B. Smith's speech being considered the best of the evening and the deciding factor.

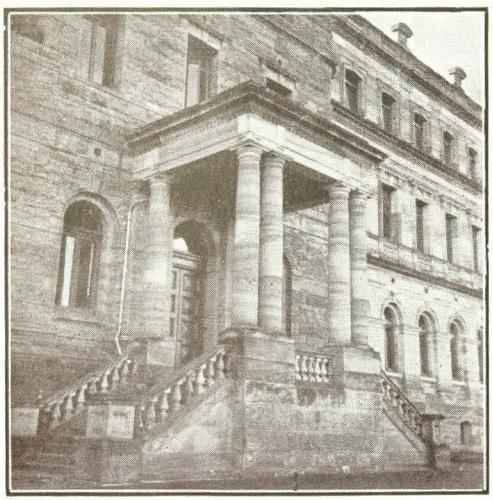
(J. Borthwick).

Third Division debates have been most regular during the year and have been very interesting. We regret that we shall be unable to report further debates due to be held after we go to press.

The J. J. B. Kinkead Memorial Prize for Third Division Debating has been awarded to Brian Donovan.

Talks on Careers

During the year various Old Boys have been good enough to come to the School and give the senior boys talks on different professions. These talks aroused much interest, especially among those who intend to leave School this year.



MAIN ENTRANCE.

On May 26th Mr. Alan Bridge, Q.C. (O.R. 21-26) accompanied by Mr. David de Carvalho (42-48), Solicitor, spoke on various aspects of the *Legal profession* and answered many pertinent questions put by their listeners.

Accountancy was clearly dealt with by Mr. Frank Dougall (23-26) and like the preceding lecture, aroused much interest as many boys have that professoin in view. This lecture took place on the evening of June 1.

On June 22nd we had Mr. Bob Maclurcan (31-38), himself a well-known member of the profession, who enlightened us with the details of Architecture.

Dr. Emmet McDermott (21-29), M.D.S.; D.D.S., gave an interesting illustrated talk on the care of the teeth. Emmet has had world-wide experience of all aspects of the Dental profession and his lecture was all too short, seeing the interest it aroused.

We are grateful to these Old Boys for putting the present generation in touch with professions already chosen by very many Riverview boys and we hope that such a series of talks may become annual and frequent items in the Riverview year.

Sodalities

SODALITY OF OUR LADY

Office-Bearers for 1956:
(First Division)
Director: Rev. J. P. Smith, S.J.
Prefect: James Lenehan.
Assistant: Cress. Corser
Secretary: Christopher Flynn
Leader of Marian Section: Michael Saddington
Leader of Sacred Heart Section: Michael Hardie
Leader of Mission Section: Norman Mangraviti.

Our Lady's Sodality welcomed Father J. P. Smith, S.J., as Director after his absence in third term last year, due to illness. During his absence, Fr. P. Kurts, S.J. officiated as Director.

As we write the Sodality consists of twenty-six members and twelve aspirants, who are divided into three groups: The Sacred Heart Section, Our Lady's Section and the Mission Section.

Each section holds weekly meetings at which subjects are discussed and talks given. The decade of the Rosary and the Novena to the Holy Ghost, which take place after tea, are organised by the Sacred Heart Section. This Section also sells the "Madonna". Mission money is collected each week by the Mission section.

Weekly, the whole Sodality holds a meeting, either in First Division Library or in the Chapel. One week a business meeting is held. The next week, after Group reports, a recording of one of Bishop Fulton Sheen's talks is listened to while a Spiritual meeting is held in the Chapel during the third week. This order is then repeated.

Father Director has laid great stress on mental prayer, this year. All members and aspirants have been exhorted to fulfill their obligation in regard to the rule of spending fifteen minutes a day in mental prayer.

Finally, First Division Sodality members were prominent in helping to run this year's Indian Mission Bazaar. Two stalls were organised and several members performed in the First Division concert at night.



FIRST DIVISION SODALITY.
Back Row (L.-R.): D. O'Dea, C. Regan, M. O'Dea, M. McGrath, J. Renshaw, W. Coyle, R. Payten, D. Rowe, P. Sheridan.
Second Row: P. Lenehan, D. O'dell, J. McGovern, S. Raper, J. Dawson, I. Ingleby, J. Tully, M. Munro, J. Lewis, J. Dunstan.
Seated: N. Mangraviti, M. Hardie, C. Flynn, J. Lenehan, C. Corser, M. Saddington, B. Stevenson.

The Pioneer Total Abstinence Association of the Sacred Heart

Although the Association has been fairly active this year, the ratio of new members in proportion to the rest of the College, is low.

The Association exists for the promotion of temperance, in the interests of the Sacred Heart. It is a League of Reparation and Intercession to the Sacred Heart, for the abuses of drink. A Pioneer is one who, not needing a pledge himself, undertakes life-long abstinence for the sake of the Sacred Heart, and for those who sin

through drink. Therefore, he does not become a Pioneer because he is afraid of drink but that he may carry out the motives of his heroic offering.

Anyone of temperate habits over the age of 14 may join, either as a Pioneer (life-member) or as a temporary pledge member (until 25 years of age).

Father Drury, S.J., is again the Riverview Director of the Association. David Connolly is President; Michael Johnson is Secretary and Warren Ashley, Treasurer. The Second Division promoters are John Gallagher and John Kouvelis.

The Council has met four times this year, on the eve of the first Friday. It considers applications for membership and discusses various other matters. New members are then admitted on the first Friday.

Towards the end of the third Term, Father K. Carroll, S.J., the National Director, gave a talk to the College on the subject of Temperance and the objects of the Association.

(M. Johnson.)

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Spiritual Director: Rev. J. P. Smith, S.J.
President: Norman Mangraviti
Secretary: William Coyle
Treasurer: Maurice McGrath

During the year, our Conference met regularly on Wednesday evenings. Six members went, each visiting Sunday, to work in the wards and visit the patients at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital.

Arrangements are being made at present for the annual Christmas party and concert which we give to the men of the Matthew Talbot Hostel.

The Society also helped in the running of the Indian Mission Bazaar, particularly in the "continuous Rosary."

We welcomed during the year visits from Mr. Boland, President of the Sydney Particular Council, Mr. Roberts, Secretary of the youth side of St. Vincent de Paul activities and Brother Joseph, Superior of St. Edmund's School for Blind Boys. All gave us talks on the various works with which they are associated. Brother Joseph's talks were illustrated by slides.



PETER BRUMMER, Our Organist.

A number of talks were also given by members during the year:—Bros. John Herlihy (on Frederick Ozanam), John Dunstan (on Matt. Talbot), Sid Raper (on the Vincentian Apostolate), Michael Munro (on the work of the St. Vincent de Paul Society), Michael Donnellan (on Leon du Pont), W. Odillo Maher (on St. Vincent de Paul), Greg Herbert (on the Abbe Pierre), John Keating (on Giorgis La Pira), and others.

Money has been raised mainly through the weekly secret collection at our meetings and the Chapel Poor Box. Donations were sent to St. Vincent's Hospital Centenary Appeal (£10), St. Edmund's School for Blind Boys (£15), Spastic Centre (£5), Polio Society (£5), School for Deaf

Girls, Waratah (£5), School for Deaf Boys, Castle Hill (£5), N.S.W. Society for the Aged (£5), Mater Public Hospital (£5), Matt. Talbot Hostel (£5), Matt. Talbot Christmas Party (£25), and others.

Altogether, it has been a successful year for the Conference, both financially and spiritually, and has provided the members with valuable experience of how the Society works, equipping them for work in Senior Conferences in other years.

SECOND DIVISION SODALITY

Director: Rev. J. Drury, S.J.

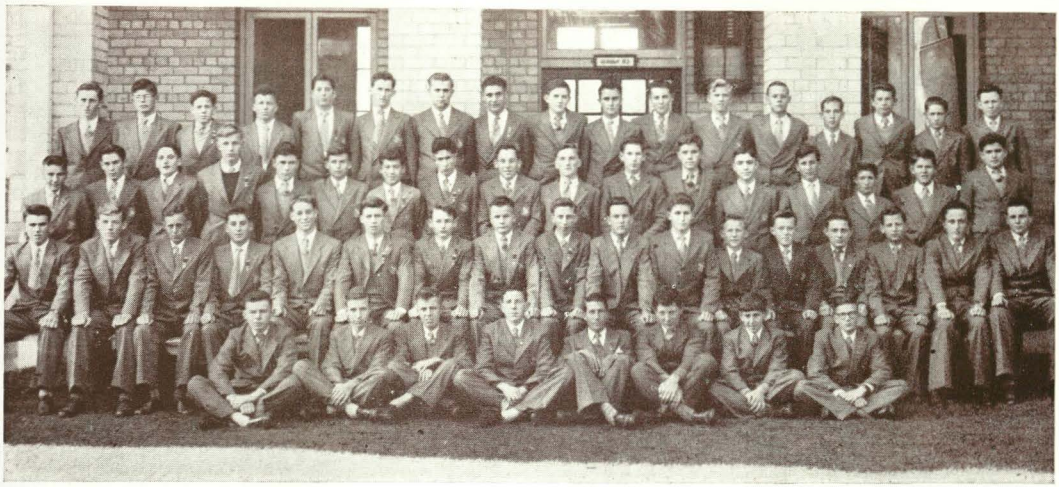
Prefect: Brian Duck

1st Assistant Secretary: (1st and 2nd terms): Edward Conrick; *(3rd Term):* John Gallagher

The Mission Group is to be commended for its special work done during this period. It also sent regular sums of money to the Indian Mission. The Sacred Heart Group sold the Messengers and regularly cleaned the Sacred Heart Altar. Our Lady's Section and the Blessed Sacrament section are also to be praised for the good example their members gave to the rest of the Division; this Section having as one of its duties the teaching of Mass-serving.

The Groups had a profound influence this year. This was noted by the number of non-Sodalists who joined in when prayers after tea were said at Our Lady's altar.

Thirteeen new members were admitted on the Feast of the Visitation.



SECOND DIVISION SODALITY AND ASPIRANTS.

Back Row (L.-R.): B. Johnson, R. Rowe, P. O'Halloran, J. Stevens, J. Keating, M. Deloughery, D. Dempsey, N. Dan, A. Harris, R. Roberts, B. Harding, T. Carver, R. Bellingham, S. Fennell, R. O'Brien, W. Carrigan, H. Adams.

2nd Row: A. Fynmore, A. Garling, P. Talty, A. Loneragan, J. Plummer, T. Barrett, C. dos Remedios, P. Leckie, P. Nelson, J. Thorpe, E. Cahill, J. Dick, A. Russell, C. Haseler, V. Hillsdon, A. Phelps, M. Williams.

Seated: J. Raper, W. Tisdale, M. Alexander, D. Keating, M. Hammond, E. Conrick, B. Duck, J. Gallagher, J. Hodgkinson, K. Shanley, R. Bruce, J. M. Lyons, S. Spence, R. Nicholls, D. Chisholm, W. Cummins, A. Whealy.

In front: P. White, P. Brown, S. Mitchell, P. Meagher, S. Chapman, P. Kirby, P. Heaney, E. Temple.

Sacred Heart Section: Leader (1st & 2nd Term) Edward Conrick *(3rd Term):* Brian Duck

Our Lady's Section: Leader: Michael Hammond

Mission Section: Leader: Peter Leckie

This year the Sacred Heart Sodality consisted of twenty-nine members. The office-bearers for the new year were elected at the first meeting.

Aspirants were called for and then the Sodality began to do its real work. As was expected every member played a notable part in the activities of the Sodality, most important being the preparation and help during the Indian Mission Bazaar.

Meetings, both spiritual and business were held throughout the year. Boys gave interesting talks and we heard Bishop Fulton Sheen. We had inspiring talks from visitors, such as Fr. J. Dynon, S.J. and Fr. P. Little, S.J. We were given some training in mental prayer and Sodalists were expected to spend some time at private mental prayer each day. Occasionally, as on Holy Thursday and on some Thursdays before the First Friday, we held a spiritual meeting in the Chapel — devoted mainly to reparation to the Sacred Heart.

We continued our weekly Dialogue Mass in

the Masters' Chapel, where each one going to Holy Communion would put his host into the ciborium in order to realise more the meaning of assistance at Mass and the reception of Holy Communion. All these things helped to make the Sodality something of great benefit to those fortunate enough to belong to it.

—J. Gallagher.

THIRD DIVISION SODALITY

Director: Rev. G. Drumm, S.J.
Prefect: Michael Lewis
First Assistant: Tony Dynon
Second Assistant: James O'Brien
Secretary: Richard Herlihy
Our Lady's Group: Richard Chalmers
Mission Group: Terry Vandeleur
Second Assistant: James O'Brien
Secretary: Terry Vandeleur
Our Lady's Group: Tom O'Sullivan
Mission Group: Geoff. Meagher
Sacred Heart Group: Brian O'Halloran

During the third term short weekly talks were given at the meetings. Terry Vandeleur gave the first one which dealt with the Jesuit Mission in India.

Father Drumm was very pleased with the Sodality during the year. —Terry Vandeleur.

THIRD DIVISION MISSION SOCIETY

Every boy in the Division was free to join the Society. Meetings were held every month.

Director: Rev. Fr. Walsh, S.J.
President: Terry Vandeleur



THIRD DIVISION SODALITY.

Back Row (L.-R.): M. Darmody, T. O'Sullivan, M. Schiller, G. Oxenham, D. Ell, R. Mater, S. Lister, A. McCormack, J. Walsh, J. Madden, B. Donovan, H. Moore, B. Duhigg.
2nd Row: A. Quain, M. Loneragan, H. Harrison, E. Murphy, D. Foley, J. Burke, D. D'Arcy, B. O'Halloran, J. Flynn, J. Maher, G. Meagher, G. McCormack, D. Cloonan, R. Chalmers.
Seated: T. Vandeleur, W. Stephens, J. Kindred, M. Perrottet, J. O'Brien, R. Herlihy, M. Lewis, A. Dynon, G. Hepworth, M. Conrick, B. McGirr, C. O'Hanlon, A. Sullivan.
In front: B. Young, F. McInerney, M. Ross, J. Mitchell.

Sacred Heart Group: Brian O'Halloran

At the beginning of the year there were twenty-seven boys in the Sodality. A further seventeen were received during the second term.

Meetings were held each Wednesday evening. At the Indian Mission Bazaar, the third Division Sodality ran two stalls and helped in selling tickets. After the Bazaar, a new Prefect and other office-bearers had to be elected because of boys being promoted to Second Division. The new office-bearers are:

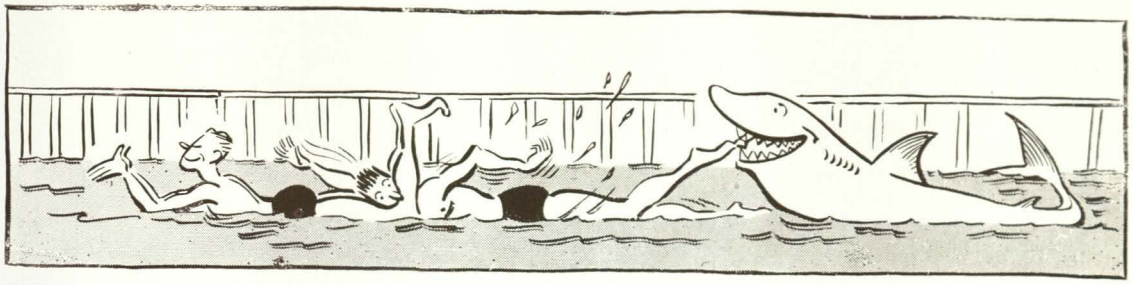
Prefect: Richard Chalmers
First Assistant: Michael Conrick
Secretary: Michael Perrottet

At the beginning of the year, Fr. Smith, S.J. showed slides on the Indian Missions. We had a talk by one of the Columban Fathers about the Missions in China. The President wrote and sent to the Columban Fathers a substantial amount of money donated by the boys.

In the third Term, short talks were prepared on the Jesuits. The first one was given by David Ell and dealt with St. Francis Xavier.

The Director subsequently arranged a "quiz" which was received with great enthusiasm.

—Terry Vandeleur.



Swimming Notes

On Wednesday, March 14th we were favoured with fine, though threatening weather and were able to hold a very successful swimming carnival at the Spit baths.

Competition was very keen and no less than 33 events were decided during the morning.

The programme and results are as follows:—

1. 25 metres Handicap (Under 12), Heats:—
Heat I: R. Hoeben 1; D. Glasheen 2.
Heat 2: M. Garling 1; G. Macintosh 2.
Heat 3: P. Flynn 1; C. Dureau 2.
Final: R. Hoeben 1; M. Garling 2.

2. 50 metres Handicap Heats (Under 14):
Heat 1:R.Pfafflin 1; A. McCormack 2.
Heat 2: C. Bull 1; A. Scriven 2.
Heat 3: J. Kirby 1; P. Locke 2.
Heat 4: G. Hepworth 1; K. Corcoran 2.
Heat 5: P. Meagher 1; R. McIntosh 2.
Heat 6: T. Meagher 1; G. Oxenham 2.
Heat 7: J. McDermott 1; T. Vandeleur 2.
Heat 8: C. Blake 1; A. Nuland 2.
Final: Phil Meagher 1; G. Hepworth 2.

3. 50 Metres Handicap. B Grade:
(see Event 29)

4. 50 metres backstroke, B Grade.
B. Harding 1; A. Loneragan 2; F. Johnston 3; J. Keating 4; P. Sydenham 5. Time: 42 secs.

5. 50 Metres Breaststroke. A. Grade:
J. Higgins 1; L. Ryan 2; P. Sheridan 3; B. Sydenham 4; J. McGovern 5. Time: 40 secs.

6. Diving — C Grade:
P. Roland 1; A. Mann 2; A. McCormack 3; W. Morley 5; J. Borthwick 6.

7. 50 Metres Handicap, Heats: A Grade:
Heat 1: J. Walker 1; J. Grady 2.
Heat 2: G. Hall 1; K. Rennie 2.
Heat 3: W. Coyle 1; F. Foy 2.
Heat 4: J. Lenehan 1; M. Ireland 2.
Final: J. Grady 1; J. R. Walker 2.

8. 50 Metres Championship: B Grade:
B. Harding 1; M. Oates 2; A. Boyce 3; E. Conrick 4; J. Deschamps 5. Time: 34.1 secs.

9. 50 Metres Handicap. Under 14. C Grade. Final:
Phil Meagher 1; G. Hepworth 2.

10. 50 Metres Championship. A Grade:
B. Sydenham 1; J. Higgins 2; L. Ryan 3; P. Sheridan 4; M. Darby 5. Time: 31.1 secs.

11. Underwater Race. B. Grade:
A. Loneragan 1; J. Stevens 2.

12. Underwater Race. A Grade:
W. Coyle 1; M. Ireland 2.

13. 100 Metres Championship. B Grade:
B. Harding 1; M. Oates 2; P. Sydenham 3; A. Boyce 4; J. Durrell 5. Time: 17.4 secs.

14. 25 Metres Championship. Under 12:
W. Morley 1; B. Macintosh 2; M. McGovern 3; W. Hayes 4; M. Coyle 5. Time: 44.5 secs.

15. 50 Metres Championship. Under 14:
R. Pfafflin 1; G. Hepworth 2; J. Borthwick 3; D. Foley 4; G. Oxenham 5. Time: 36.8 secs.

16. 50 Metres Championship. Under 13:
T. Meagher 1; P. Meagher 2; P. Johnston 3; A. McCormack 4; T. Vandeleur 5. Time: 38.5 secs.

17. 100 Metres Championship. A Grade :
J. Higgins 1; B. Sydenham 2; L. Ryan 3; P. Sheridan 4; M. Darby 5. Time: 1 min. 16.2 secs.

18. Underwater Race. C. Grade:
C. Blake 1.

19. Diving. A Grade:
J. Higgins 1; B. Sydenham 2; L. Ryan and J. McGovern 3; A. Hassall and M. Boland 5.

20. Club Relay (200 Metres). B Grade:
Black 1; White 2; Red 3; Blue 4. Time: 2 min. 24 secs.

21. Club Relay (200 Metres) C Grade:
White 1; Black 2; Red 3; Blue 4. Time: 2 min. 48 secs.

22. 50 Metres Backstroke. A Grade:
B. Sydenham 1; J. Higgins 2; M. O'Dea 3; J. McGovern 4; J. Davidson 5. Time: 44.3 secs.

23. Life-Saving Race. B Grade:
J. and D. Keating 1; M. Alexander and P. O'Halloran 2.

24. 150 Metres Medley. A Grade:
P. Bookallil 1; C. Regan 2; M. Boland 3; M. Kavanaugh 4; P. Bradfield 5. Time: 3 min. 14 secs.

25. 50 Metres Breaststroke. B. Grade:
B. Harding 1; A. Loneragan 2; M. Oates 3; F. Johnston 4; J. M. Lyons 5. Time: 45 secs.

26. 50 Metres Breaststroke. C Grade:
A. Mann 1; P. Roland 2; A. McCormack 3; C. Blake 4; D. Foley 5. Time: 55 secs.

27. Diving. B. Grade:
F. Johnston 1; J. M. Lyons 2; P. Meaney 3; J. Keating 4; P. Sydenham 5.

28. City v. Country Relay Race (200 Metres) A Grade:
Country 1; City 2. Time: 2 mins. 22 secs.

29. 50 Metres Handicap Final. B Grade:
P. Nelson and T. Barrett 1; E. Temple 3.

30. Life Saving Race. C Grade:
A. Lenehan and J. Borthwick 1.

31. City v. Country Relay Race (200 Metres) B Grade:
City 1; Country 2. Time: 2 mins. 29.6 secs.

32. Club Relay Race (200 Metres) A. Grade:
Red 1; White 2; Black 3; Blue 4. (Time not taken).

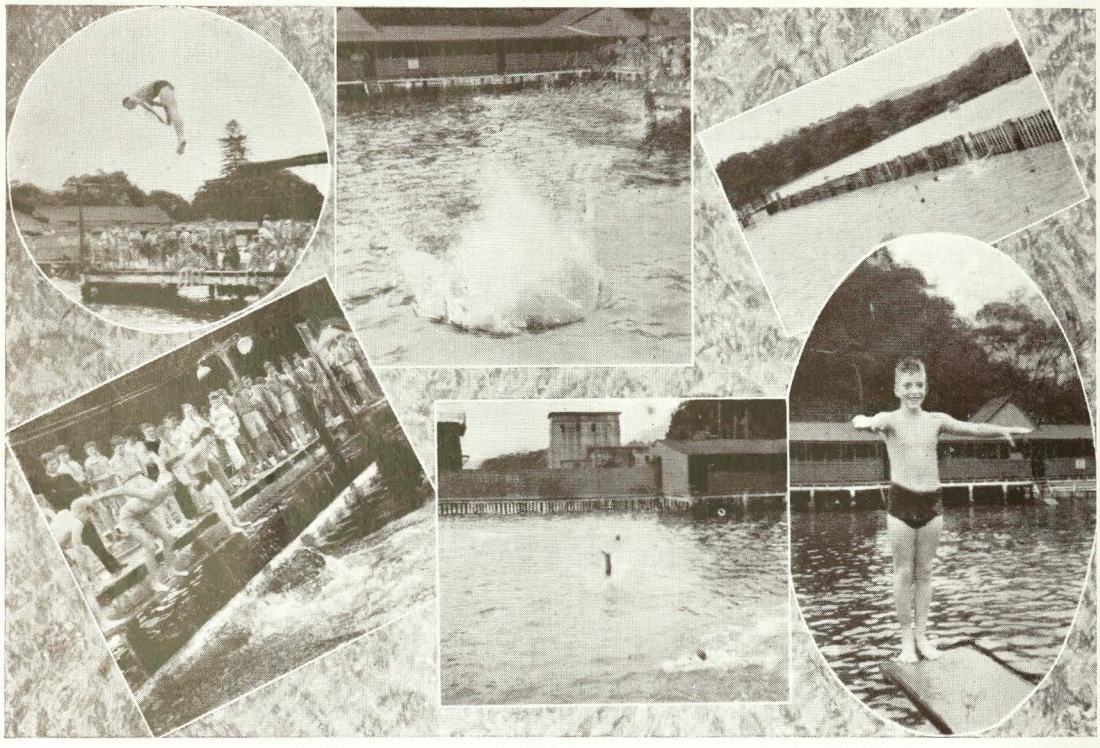
33. City v. Country Relay (200 Metres) C Grade:
Country 1; City 2. Time: 2 mins. 48 secs.

FINAL RESULTS

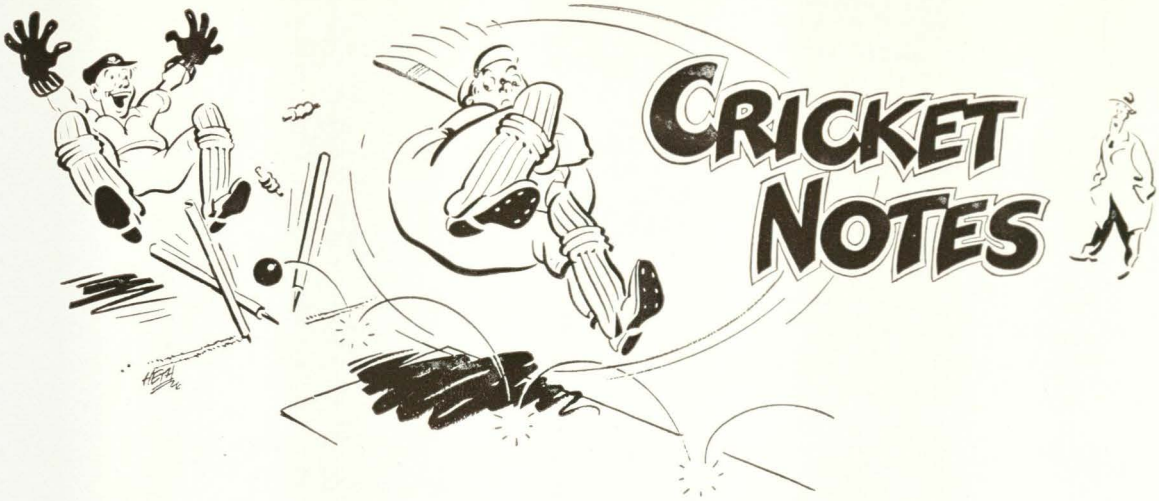
	Red	Black	White	Blue
A Grade:	56	46	18	6
B Grade:	41	40	31	11
C Grade:	31	27	40	22
Totals:	128	113	89	39

Champions: A Grade: J. Higgins; *B Grade:* B. Harding; *C Grade:* R. Pfafflin and A. Mann.

Diving: A Grade: J. Higgins; *B Grade:* F. Johnston; *C Grade:* P. Roland.



SOME SNAPS AT THE SWIMMING CARNIVAL.
(The splash above marks the spot where Peter Brummer went in! Deny it if you can!)



Still with us from the 1955 team which had done very well were J. Lenehan, M. Hardie, F. Burt, regulars, and M. O'Dea, B. Stevenson, P. Sheridan, who had each played a couple of games. The first three could easily be a match-winning combination, Bruce Stevenson was a very promising 'keeper and a fair bat, Michael O'Dea a reliable left-arm bowler, and Paul Sheridan quite a sound batsman. Prospects were bright for a year's good cricket, and the team which included also G. Meaney, M. Johnson, W. Maher, E. Conrick, J. Lewis and later P. Leckie, and D. Gale, gave a good account of itself.

Frequent rain in First Term prevented players from showing their best form. Not a ball was bowled in the Newington match. Against St. Joseph's Lenehan and Burt struck form with 81 and 48 respectively, and Hardie made 25. St. Joseph's replied to 207 with 108 (Burt 5-27). We collapsed for 48 on a drying wicket and in an exciting second innings St. Joseph's reached 101 (O'Dea 3-36, Burt 4-28). Two wet wickets for the Shore match, and in a low scoring game we were just in front on the first innings: S.I.C. 88; S.C.E.G.S. 64 (Burt 40, Lenehan 5-17). Scots defeated us convincingly by an innings and one run, Lenehan 39, Stevenson 26, O'Dea 6-39 being the only bright spots for us. We slipped to fifth in the competition when Grammar beat us outright in the first match in Third Term, due largely to some first-rate bowling by J. O'Regan. As we go to press the High match is unfinished though we are ahead on the first innings. Here's hoping for a happy outcome of the match and the final one against the so-far undefeated King's team.

This year's team has not been as solid as teams of the last two years, but it has had its moments of brilliance and should finish reasonably well up in the final competition results. One pleasing feature of the play has been the ability and the willingness to hit the ball hard and to put the runs on the board. The players have wanted nothing in their keenness and readiness to practise and work hard, and by so doing have deserved every bit of their modest success as well as given a fine example to the rest of the school.

Our sincere thanks to the organizers of teams with which we have played most enjoyable Sunday matches: "The Cavaliers" (Mr. de Carvalho's team), "Gordon Veterans" (Mr. "Bill" Davis), and the O.I.U. On "Back-to-Riverview Day" the Old Boys were happy to see the First XI. in its best form score 240 in about 150 minutes against quite a strong attack.

Xavier treated us with royal hospitality during our Easter visit. They thoroughly deserved their win and no one could begrudge success to such likeable sportsmen and such generous hosts. Again our thanks to Fr. Boylan, S.J., Fr. Keenan, S.J., and the Xavier Community as well as to Mr. and Mrs. Rhoden and the Parents and Friends of the Xavier boys.

The Seconds have had their share of success and of failure but have played and practised well. Likewise the Thirds, and Fourths, who in the couple of matches allowed them by the rain have maintained the fighting traditions of the two Bs.

Our thanks to Fr. Connolly, S.J., and to Mr. McCrossin for their help with the 2nd XI., to Mr. Penry, S.J. with the 3rds, to Mr. "Bill" Davis and Hedley Kelly for their interest and encouragement, finally to Mr. Frank Fallon our tireless and conscientious groundsman to whom nothing seems a trouble and who has kept the fields, especially First Field, looking the very best.

J.D., S.J.



FIRST ELEVEN.

Back Row (L.-R.): J. Lewis, M. Johnson, M. Meaney, W. Maher, M. O'Dea, E. Conrick.
Seated: M. Hardie, B. Stevenson, J. Lenehan (Capt.), P. Sheridan, P. Burt.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

FIRST ELEVEN

February 11th and 18th: *S.I.C.* v. *Newington*

Owing to heavy rain on both days no play was possible in this game.

February 25th and March 3rd: *S.I.C.* v. *S.J.C.*

Played at Hunters Hill. Won outright by 46 runs.

S.I.C. (first innings): 207 (J. Lenehan, 81; P. Burt, 48; M. Hardie, 25; M. Johnson, 18; W. Maher, 17 n.o.).

S.J.C. bowling: Newman, 5 wickets for 39 runs; McCann, 5 wickets for 44 runs.

S.J.C. (1st innings): 108 (Capelin, 26; Kevans, 23; Newman, 17; Shanley, 11n.o.; O'Donnel, 11).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Burt, 5 wickets for 27 runs; J. Lenehan, 2 wickets for 17 runs; M. O'Dea, 2 wickets for 23 runs.

S.I.C. (2nd innings): 48 (M. Meaney, 11; J. Lewis, 9).

S.J.C. bowling: McCann, 5 wickets for 11 runs; Newman, 4 wickets for 24 runs.

S.J.C. (2nd innings): 101 (Capelin, 31; Sidgreaves, 21; O'Donnel, 12).

S.I.C. bowling: M. O'Dea, 3 wickets for 36 runs; P. Burt, 4 wickets for 28 runs; J. Lenehan, 2 wickets for 15 runs; M. Meaney, 1 wicket for 14 runs.

March 10th and 17th: *S.I.C.* v. *S.C.E.G.S.*

Played at Northbridge. Won on the first innings by 24 runs.

S.C.E.G.S. (1st innings): 64 (Mackellar, 15; Drysdale, 8; Schwartzkoff, 7).

S.I.C. bowling: M. O'Dea, 2 wickets for 4 runs; J. Lenehan, 5 wickets for 17 runs.

S.I.C. (1st innings): 88 (P. Burt, 40; W. Maher, 14; J. Lewis, 9 n.o.; M. Meaney, 11).

S.C.E.G.S. bowling: Bucknell, 6 wickets for 30 runs; Young, 4 wickets for 28 runs.

S.C.E.G.S. (2nd innings): 49 (6 wickets) (Schwartzkoff, 18; Bucknell, 16).

S.I.C. bowling: J. Lenehan, 4 wickets for 11 runs; P. Burt, 1 wicket for 10 runs; W. Maher, 1 wicket for 1 run.

March 24th and 27th: *S.I.C.* v. *T.S.C.*

Played at Riverview. Lost by an innings and 1 run.

S.I.C. (1st innings): 72 (J. Lenehan, 39; B. Stevenson, 19; M. Hardie, 8).

T.S.C. bowling: A. Low, 4 wickets for 18 runs; P. Kelleway, 4 wickets for 30 runs; J. Sommerville, 1 wicket for 5 runs; W. Leahy, 1 wicket for 7 runs.

T.S.C.: 140 (R. Henry, 43; A. Low, 41; R. Harbison, 25).

S.I.C. bowling: M. O'Dea, 6 wickets for 39 runs.

S.I.C. (2nd innings): 67 (B. Stevenson, 26; J. Lenehan, 12; W. Maher 9).

T.S.C. bowling: B. Kelleway, 4 wickets for 11 runs; A. Low, 2 wickets for 11 runs; P. Kelleway, 1 wicket for 3 runs; J. Sommerville, 1 wicket for 4 runs.

S.I.C. v. *Xavier College*

Played at Xavier College, Melbourne on March 31st and April 1st: Lost by 97 runs on the first innings.

Xavier: 183 (F. Gibson, 76 n.o.; P. Rhoden, 56; M. Meagher, 13; R. Abishara, 12).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Burt, 4 wickets for 54 runs; G. Meaney, 2 wickets for 30 runs; J. Lenehan, 1 wicket for 34 runs; W. Maher, 1 wicket for 33 runs; M. O'Dea, 1 wicket for 25 runs.

S.I.C.: 86 (J. Lenehan, 22; P. Sheridan, 18; P. Burt, 13; B. Stevenson, 10).

X.C. bowling: A. Abishara, 3 wickets for 16 runs; R. Day, 2 wickets for 20 runs; J. Tehan, 1 wicket for 8 runs; P. Rhoden, 1 wicket for 8 runs; G. Fitzgerald, 1 wicket for 1 run.

October 20th and 27th: *S.I.C.* v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C. (1st innings); 60 (B. Stevenson, 30; P. Burt, 14).

S.G.S. bowling: O'Regan, 8 wickets for 28 runs; Ives, 2 wickets for 31 runs.

S.G.S. (1st innings): 157 (Newman, 30; Russell, 28; Chaine, 25; McGilvray, 25; O'Regan, 20).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Burt, 5 wickets for 76 runs; M. O'Dea, 4 wickets for 29 runs.

S.I.C. (2nd innings): 90 (M. Hardie, 34; B. Stevenson, 18; G. Meaney, 18).

Sydney Grammar won by an innings and 7 runs.

November 3rd and 10th: *S.I.C.* v. *S.H.S.*

Played at Riverview. Won by 7 wickets and 1 run.

S.H.S. (1st innings): 146 (Beverley, 28; Bastock, 25; Faulds, 20 n.o., Levings, 17; Post, 14).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Burt, 5 wickets for 58 runs; M. O'Dea, 3 wickets for 39 runs; J. Lenehan, 2 wickets for 22 runs.

S.I.C. (1st innings): 192 (P. Burt, 44; J. Lenehan, 27; B. Stevenson, 24; G. Meaney, 17; P. Sheridan, 15; M. Hardie, 10).

S.H.S. bowling: Heatley, 6 wickets for 64 runs; Beverley, 3 wickets for 36; Hinks, 1 wicket for 46.



Upper: SECOND ELEVEN.
Back (L.-R.): C. Regan, P. Burfitt, P. Haseler, M. Poirrier, J. Grady, J. Joyner.
Seated: J. Thorpe, J. Doyle, P. Lenehan (Capt.), P. Bradfield, R. Austin.

Lower: THIRD ELEVEN.
Back: I. Comrie-Thomson, W. Borthwick, R. Osborne, M. Oates, P. Leckie.
Seated: J. Gallagher, R. Flanery, J. Doyle (Capt.), W. Tisdale.

(Photos — Melba Studios).

S.H.S. (2nd innings): 138 (Thompson, 24 n.o.; Levings, 23, Bastock, 22; Post, 21; Day, 10; Hinks, 14).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Burt, 5 wickets for 37 runs; M. O'Dea, 3 for 42; J. Lenehan, 1 for 23.

S.I.C. (2nd innings): 93 (3 wickets) (P. Sheridan, 13; B. Stevenson, 29; J. Lenehan, 26 n.o.; M. Hardie, 12 n.o.; P. Burt, 1).

(One more competition match — with T.K.S. — remains to be played as we go to press. If possible, details will be added to these notes.)

SECOND ELEVEN

February 25th and March 3rd:

v. *St. Joseph's College*

Won by 72 runs.

S.I.C.: 157 and 86 (P. Lenehan, 49; J. Joyner, 41; J. Grady, 31 n.o.; C. Regan, 13 and 16).

S.J.C.: 111 and 60 (Algiet, 26; Landers, 25; McEvoy, 27).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Burfitt, 4 wickets for 27 runs and 5 for 17; Doyle, 3 wickets for 16; J. Thorpe, 4 wickets for 11.

March 10th and 17th: v. *Shore*

Lost on the first innings.

Shore (1st innings): 174 (Lewarne, 33; Owen, 20; Litchfield, 20; Maclean, 25; Stone, 15).

S.I.C.: 52 and 98 (6 wickets) (P. Burfitt, 19; C. Regan, 31; P. Haseler, 21; P. Lenehan, 15).

S.I.C. bowling: J. Thorpe, 4 wickets for 56 runs; J. Burfitt, 1 for 24; P. Bradfield, 1 for 25.

March 24th and 27th: v. *Scots College*

T.S.C.: 147 (Officer, 51 n.o.; Corner, 19; McAuley, 17; Blight, 13).

S.I.C.: 46 and 19 (J. Joyner, 26 n.o.; P. Burfitt, 6).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Bradfield, 6 wickets for 36 runs.

October 20th and 27th: v. *Sydney Grammar*

Lost.

S.G.S.: 124 and 188 (Horsfield, 43 and 42; Buttfield, 24; Lathan, 13 and 60; Stone, 65; Chegwyn, 17; Keep, 14).

S.I.C. bowling: C. Regan, 4 wickets for 28 runs; J. Thorpe, 3 for 25; P. Bradfield, 2 for 20 and 3 for 52.

S.I.C.: 79 and 93 (P. Leckie, 21; P. Lenehan, 16; P. Burfitt, 11 and 10, R. Flanery, 27 n.o.).

S.G.S. bowling: (Stone, 4 wickets for 18; Spring, 3 for 45).

November 3rd and 10th: v. *S.H.S.*

S.H.S.: 131 (Cox, 33; Moses, 24; Heppie, 22; Towle, 14).

S.I.C.: 62 (9 wickets) (P. Lenehan, 20; J. Grady, 16; J. Joyner, 10).

Rain prevented play on the second day and the match was drawn.

THIRD ELEVEN

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

Match drawn.

S.J.C.: 108 (J. Gilchrist, 32; A. Lantry, 22; R. Chow, 14; A. Weiss, 14; P. Ryan, 12).

S.I.C.: 56 (9 wickets) (P. Bradfield, 14; W. Borthwick, 11; M. Oates, 10).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Bradfield, 6 wickets for 29 runs; P. Leckie, 4 wickets for 48 runs.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 137 (T. Carver, 72; J. Gallagher, 49).

S.G.S.: 124 (Doran, 30; Wood, 27; McGilvray, 18; Dezarnauld, 16).

S.I.C. bowling: T. Carver, 6 wickets for 44 runs; R. Osborne, 2 for 16; D. Blake, 2 for 28.

FOURTH ELEVEN

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.J.C.: 57 (Renvolds, 14; Hugh, 8).

S.I.C.: 57 (M. Hammond, 15; J. Davidson, 10 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Osborne, 5 wickets for 23 runs; D. Blake, 5 wickets for 22 runs.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.G.S.: 157 and 118 (Sherwood, 42 and 19; Doran, 27; Whitehead, 49 and 19; Lesnie, 25).

S.I.C. bowling: K. Rennie, 2 wickets for 16 runs and 4 for 27; J. McGovern, 2 for 18).

FIFTH ELEVEN

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.I.C.: 77 (J. Quinn, 31; M. Green, 31).

S.J.C.: 57 (Prior, 13; Azzi, 13).

S.I.C. bowling: J. McManus, 5 wickets for 11 runs; J. McGovern, 2 wickets for 13 runs.

SECOND DIVISION CRICKET

With only half a match played in the first term and one match in the third term these notes will necessarily be short. Rain unfortunately washed out competition and colour matches as well as many days practice in the first term. What little cricket we have played has shown that there is certainly no lack of talent in the Division. The pity is that there has been so little opportunity to develop this talent.

The 15As, top team of the Division this year, is a well balanced team led by Andrew Harris. Andrew struck form well both with bat and ball. His aggressive batting is a treat to watch and his driving is as good as one could wish to see. Lack of confidence in his own bowling ability caused him to be erratic at times with the ball but his 5 for 14 against Grammar showed his real form. Hard work and enthusiasm will make this lad a great asset to our future First Eleven.

Dan Gale our opening bat and bowler is another boy with plenty of ability. His quiet enthusiasm and recent successes have won him a place in the First Eleven and no one is more worthy of this honor. Dick Roberts, too, has had more than his share of the success with both bat and ball. We will be hearing a lot more about him before he finishes at Riverview.

Brian Duck, Peter Brown, Michael Deloughery have all shown good form which promises well for the future.

Don Chisholm has proved a very hard man to move as opener.

Mick Hammond, Peter Talty and Sean Spence have not shown their real form yet but we know that they have lots of ability.

Terry Carver and John Gallagher, both members of the 3rd Eleven deserve special mention for their fine innings against Grammar. Carver scoring 76 and Gallagher 49. It is gratifying to see the keenness of these two lads reaping its just reward. John Doyle, Captain of the 3rds, is worthy of mention. His enthusiasm makes the task of his coach an easy and pleasant one.

The 15 Bs led by John Lyons despite its lack of success so far this season is not devoid of talent. Roger Lowery and Roy Pearson are two who have shown more than average ability. Roger Greenaway and Richard Walker are coming along well while Tim Barrett, if he settles down to the task could become an extremely useful left arm bowler.

We must not forget the 15 Cs. This team led by Tony Garling scored an outright win in the only match it has played. Stars of the match were the Captain, and John Hodgkinson, Pat O'Halloran and Michael Cunich. It was good to see this team settle down to their task with all the concentration of Test Match players. They gave a wonderful lesson to some of the higher teams in this regard. Make no mistake about it some of these boys will be well in the running for cricket colours in years to come.



FOURTH ELEVEN.
Back (L.-R.): J. Quinn, M. Donnellan, D. Moore, W. Coyle, J. Davidson, J. McGovern, A. Hassall.
Seated: K. Rennie, C. Chalmers, J. Dunstan (Capt.), R. Bramma, R. Payten.
(Photo — Melba Studios).



Upper: 15 A ELEVEN.

Back (L.-R.): R. Roberts, B. Duck, P. Talty, D. Gale, D. Chisholm.
Seated: P. Brown, M. Hammond, A. Harris (Capt.), M. Deloughery, B. Johnson.

Lower:

15 B ELEVEN.

Back: R. Walker, P. Hanson, R. Day, T. Barrett.
2nd Row: S. Chapman, I. Saddington, R. Pearson, A. Loneragan.
Seated: R. Lowery, C. dos Remedios, J. Lyons (C.).

15 C ELEVEN.

Back: A. Johnson, M. Cunich, V. Hillsdown.
2nd Row: N. Dan, J. Hodgkinson, P. O'Halloran, P. Walker.
Seated: A. Garling (C.), P. White, B. Roche.

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Above: 14 A ELEVEN.
Back (L.-R.): G. Knight, J. Collins, J. Sherwood, D. Field, M. Collins.
Seated: J. Conlon, T. Vandeleur, D. Johnson (C.), M. Loneragan, J. Lyons.

Lower:

14 B ELEVEN
Back: P. Roland, F. Kelly, A. McCormack, R. Chalmers.
2nd Row: A. Lenehan, B. McGirr, R. Moses, P. Leahy, G. Hepworth.
Seated: R. Mater, R. Herlihy, M. Lewis (C.).

14 C ELEVEN.
Back: G. Mason, J. Walsh, R. MacKenzie, N. Parbury, H. Moore.
2nd Row: P. Locke, P. McCarron, A. Scriven, N. C-Jones, M. Hurley.
Seated: R. Burns (C.), P. Curtin, D. Frost.

(Photos — Melba Studios).

To Peter Leckie and Dan Gale now playing for the 1st Eleven and John Thorpe and Andy Harris playing for the 2nds we offer our congratulations.

(G.D.)

UNDER 15 A

Feb. 25th: *v. S.J.C.*

S.I.C.: 45 (D. Gale, 24).

S.J.C. 65 (Freebody, 19; Johnson, 16).

S.I.C. bowling: A. Harris, 4 wickets for 19 runs; B. Duck, 2 wickets for 12 runs.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 122 and 72 (3 wickets) (D. Gale, 48; A. Harris, 26 and 26 n.o.; R. Roberts 19 and 10 n.o.; B. Duck, 17).

S.G.S.: 120 and 94 (Henry, 36; Wilson, 27; Trevellyn, 21).

S.I.C. bowling: D. Gale, 2 wickets for 17 runs; R. Roberts, 3 for 20; B. Duck, 4 for 34; A. Harris, 5 for 14; P. Brawn, 3 for 6.

UNDER 15 B

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.I.C.: 113 (R. Walker, 22; R. Day, 18; J. Lyons, 18; A. Loneragan, 16; C. Remedios, 10).

S.J.C.: 79 (Ternes, 13; Doherty, 12).

S.I.C. bowling: B. Johnson, 4 wickets for 32 runs; P. Hanson, 2 wickets for 11 runs.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C. 75 and 46 (5 wickets) (R. Lowery, 22; R. Grennaway, 16; R. Day, 18 n.o.).

S.G.S.: 110 and 120 (Longhurst, 26; Yates, 21; Grant, 50 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Pearson, 5 wickets for 20 runs; R. Lowery, 5 for 30.

UNDER 15 C

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.I.C.: 35 (P. White, 9).

S.J.C.: 104 (Beautwick, 34 n.o.; Cummins, 12).

S.I.C. bowling: W. Carrigan 4 wickets for 30 runs; Hodgkinson, 3 wickets for 11 runs.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 92 and 73 (3 wickets) (P. O'Halloran, 26; J. Hodgkinson, 17; M. Cunich, 21; A. Garling, 21).

S.G.S.: 56 and 106 (Edwards, 46).

S.I.C. bowling: J. Hodgkinson, 7 wickets for 24 runs; A. Garling, 6 wickets for 28.

THIRD DIVISION CRICKET

Unfortunately, this season's rain prevented us from playing our full quota of games but, during the bright patches of sunlight which did appear, we caught glimpses of some very promising young players.

The Senior Team in the Division was the 14 A's, captained by David Johnson, one of our many bowlers who could develop into a dangerous spinner. John Lyons, David Field, Michael Loneragan, John Conlon, Bill Nevill, also shared the bowling honours; and let us not forget Geoffrey Knight (full-tosses a specialty — ask Dick Roberts) who got in the runs too against Grammar, in our touch-and-go second innings. Terry Vandeleur and Michael Conrick showed themselves competent batsmen; and Fraser Johnston, John Sherwood, with a little more footwork, could develop into consistent run-getters.

The *14 B* team had a pair of successful bowlers in R. Chalmers and M. Collins, and R. Mater's efforts with the ball were at least interesting and stimulating, if not successful. A. McCormack showed flashes of form in batting, as did M. Lewis and F. Kelly.

The *14 C's* gave quite a good account of themselves in the few matches played. Captain R. Burns amassed a stirring 69 against Grammar, and A. Scriven, P. McCarron, H. Moore, bowled consistently, and were relieved by N. C. Jones and P. Curtin.

The *13 A's*, though not over-successful in winning games, were nonetheless quite a good little team with plenty of material for future development. Captain D. Foley was a most capable bat, except when he refused to move his feet against the slow-bowling. J. Mason batted powerfully, and will soon, we hope, turn some of his power into strokes. M. O'Brien defended stolidly and also bowled well, as did J. McDermott and T. Walker.

The *13 B* team had some dashing batsmen in M. Ross, J. Sutherland, C. Taperell, A. D'Apice and consistent bowlers in P. Chatfield, B. Jones, and R. McIntosh. T. O'Sullivan, though a little slow, also showed promise with the bat and defended well.

The *13 C's* had quite a successful season due in no small part to the spirited hitting of P. Quinn and R. Hoeben, who really struck form against Grammar. C. Blake, J. Wansey, C. O'Hanlon got their share of wickets, and P. Quinn at least kept the batsmen wondering with his fearsome approach to the wicket.

The *Under 12* group, A and B, revealed a good deal of talent as the season progressed — A. Mann, W. Montgomery, W. N. Daley, showing up well in the batting. W. Montgomery also bowled well and left-hander G. Oxenham could become quite a good bowler. A Chan, M. Garling were well in the runs and P. Merkelbach used his height to good advantage in the bowling.



Upper:

13 A ELEVEN.
Back: J. Mitchell, F. McInerney, M. O'Brien, T. Walker.
2nd Row: J. McDermott, P. Meagher, V. Edwards.
Seated: M. Coyle, J. Mason, D. Foley (C.).

13 C ELEVEN.
Back: P. Johnson, J. Wansey, C. Blake, R. Quinlan, M. Darmody.
2nd Row: D. Glasheen, D. Cloonan, G. McCormack.
Front Row: P. Flynn, J. Willis, C. O'Hanlon (C.).

Centre:

13 B ELEVEN.
Back: E. Murphy, B. Jones, P. O'Brien, A. d'Apice.
2nd Row: R. Macintosh, J. Burke, P. Chatfield, C. Bull.
Seated: T. O'Sullivan (C.), M. Ross, J. Sutherland.

12 A ELEVEN.
Back: F. Cahill, R. Chisholm, C. Dureau, G. Windsor, A. Chan.
2nd Row: G. Oxenham, A. Parker, J. Cassidy, R. Parbury, M. Garling.
Front Row: A. Mann (C.), W. Montgomery, W. Horley.

Lower: 12 B ELEVEN.
Back (L.-R.): G. Riley, W. Haynes, C. Azar, P. Merkelbach, G. Kelly, J. Mercoe, P. Brindle.
Front Row: L. McGovern, W. Fanning, P. Ryan, P. Clifton (C.), G. MacKintosh, S. Walsh.

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We should like to thank Father Sneddon, Father Connolly and Mr. Meagher for their work in the coaching and congratulate all the teams for their efforts during the season.

P. O'S.

Under 14 A:

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.J.C.: 139 (Harvey, 37; Boyd, 60 n.o.; Thompson, 30).

S.I.C.: 5 (3 wickets).

Match abandoned owing to rain.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.G.S.: 143 and 55 (Kelly, 50 and 17; Galland, 14; Skiller, 15).

S.I.C.: 56 and 140 (M. Loneragan, 28; F. Johnston, 29; G. Knight, 26).

Bowling averages not kept.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 166 (R. Burns, 69; P. Locke, 34).

S.G.S.: 228 and 68 (4 wickets) (Buttfield, 102; Craig, 35.

Under 13 A

February 25th v. *S.J.C.*

S.I.C.: 38 (R. McIntosh, 6; J. Sutherland, 5; D. Foley, 9).

S.J.C.: 57 (J. Madden, 22; J. Cook, 10).

Bowling analysis not kept.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.G.S.: 157 (Green, 52 n.o.).

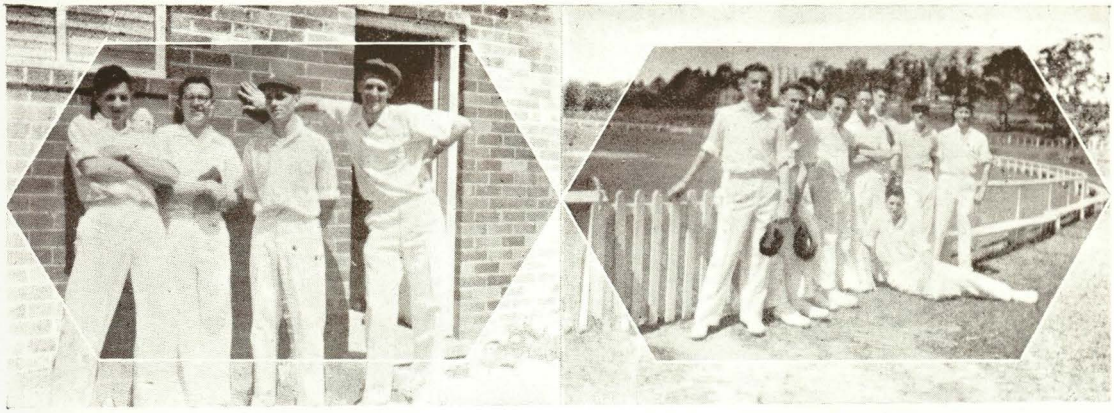
S.I.C.: 93 (Mason, 21; D. Foley, 18).

S.I.C. bowling: D. Foley, 4 wickets.

Under 13 B

February 25th v. *S.J.C.*

S.I.C.: 63 (J. O'Brien, 26).



RELAXING.

Under 14 B:

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.J.C.: 95 (W. Tarlington, 31; P. Tarlington, 30 n.o.).

S.I.C.: 43 (D. Field, 14).

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 146 (G. McCormack, 40; F. Kelly, 22; M. Lewis, 13).

S.G.S.: 150 (Anderson, 32; Gray, 29).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Chalmers, 4 wickets for 19 runs.

Under 14 C

February 25th: v. *S.J.C.*

S.I.C. 38 (Burns, 9).

S.J.C.: 116 (Allsop, 46; Learson, 18; Onslo, 23 o.n.).

S.I.C. bowling: Burns, 5 wickets for 22 runs; Kindred, 3 wickets for 27 runs.

S.J.C.: 96 (6 wickets) (Magettigan, 52).

S.I.C. bowling: J. O'Brien, 3 wickets.

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 109 (M. Ross, 54; B. Jones, 20).

S.G.S.: 219 (France, 39; Blaire, 35).

S.I.C. bowling: Mackintosh, 3 wickets.

Under 13 C:

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 130 and 17 (P. Quinn, 62; Hoeben, 37).

S.G.S.: 52 and 60 (Hedland, 33; Hobb, 12).

S.I.C. bowling: Blake, 3 wickets.

Under 12 A:

October 20th and 27th: v. *S.G.S.*

S.I.C.: 67 and 81 (B. Morley, 20 and 18; A. Chan, 16 n.o. and 23; G. Windsor, 13).

S.G.S.: 140 (Duke, 51; Schriber, 39; Chapman, 17).

S.I.C. bowling: W. Montgomery, 5 wickets for 19 runs.

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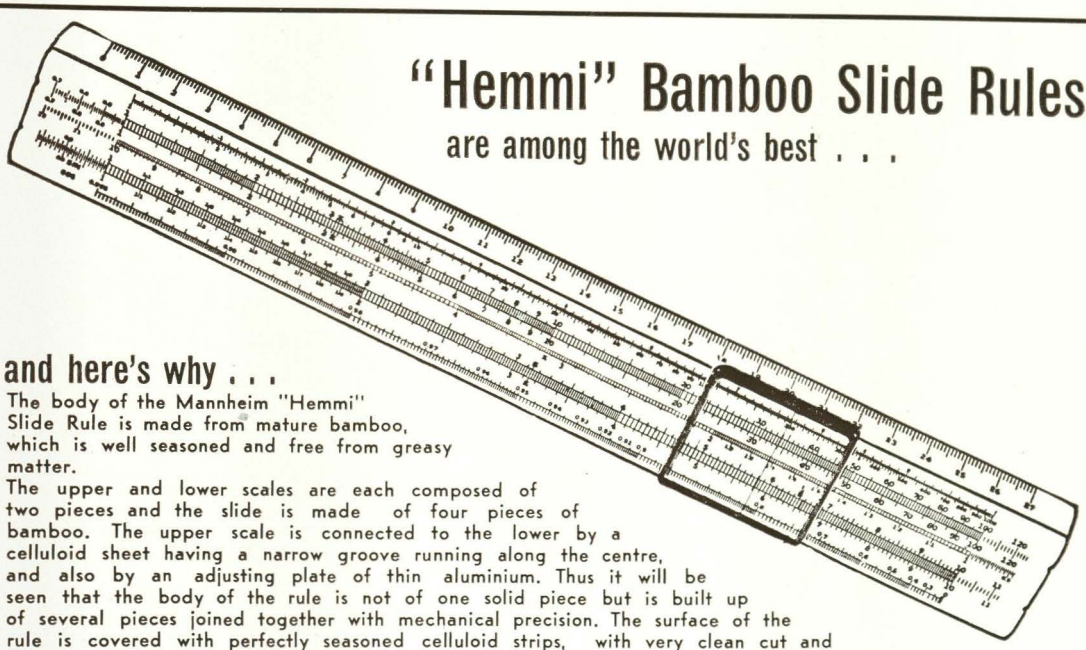
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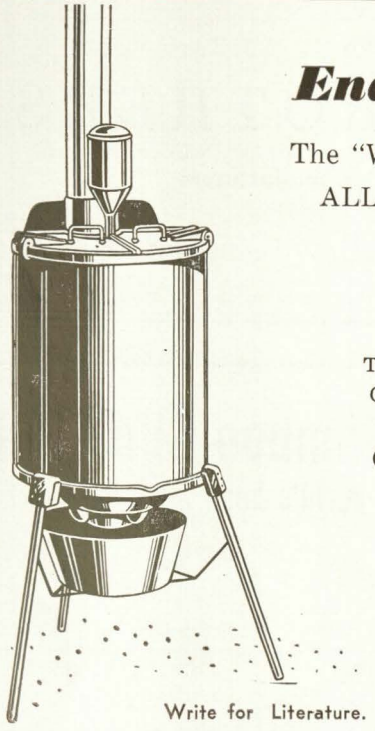
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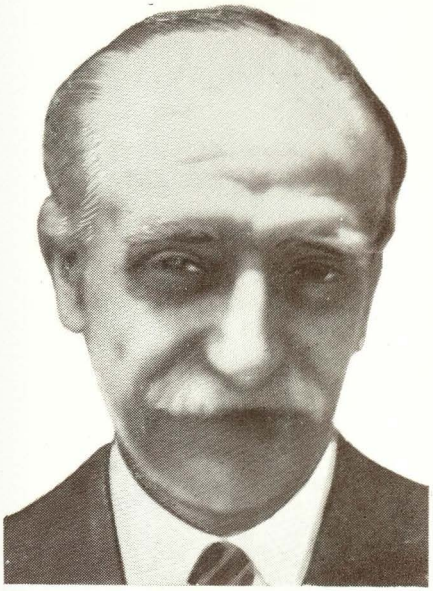
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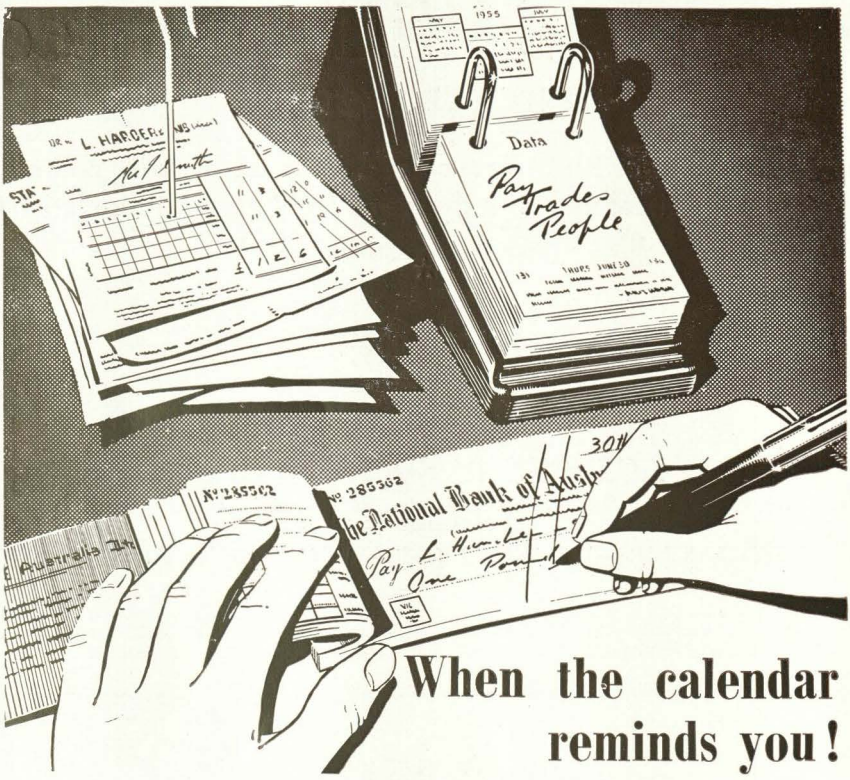
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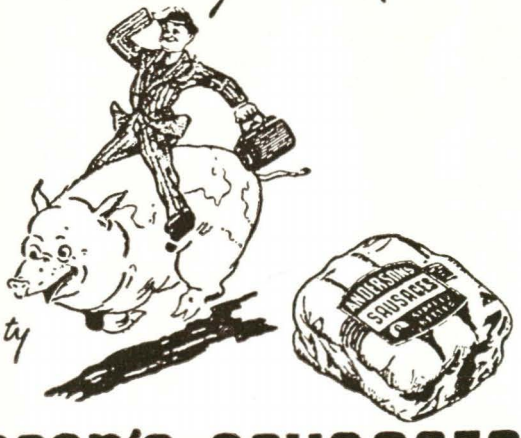
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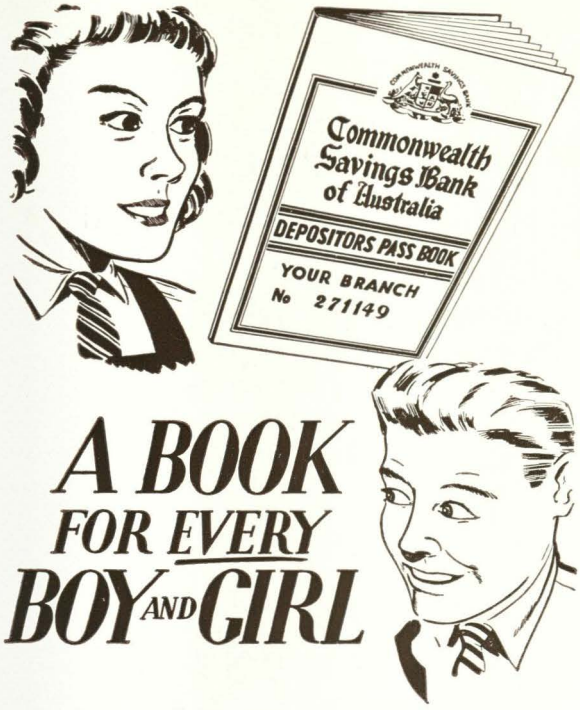
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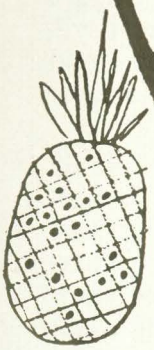
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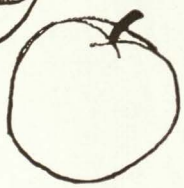
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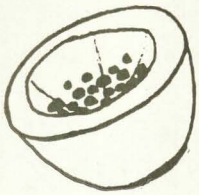


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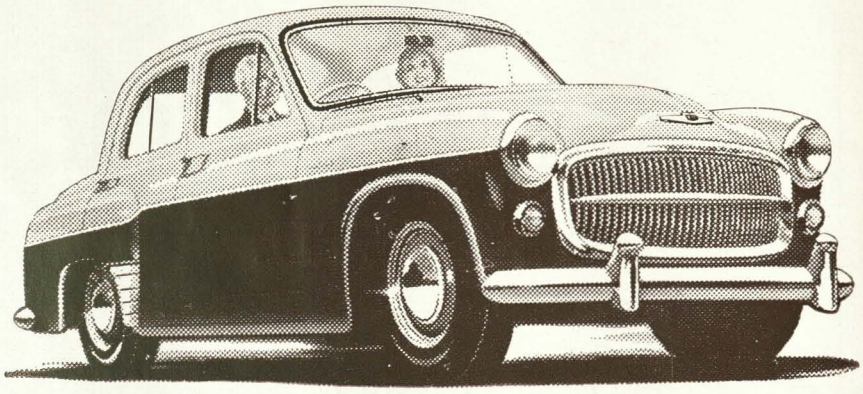
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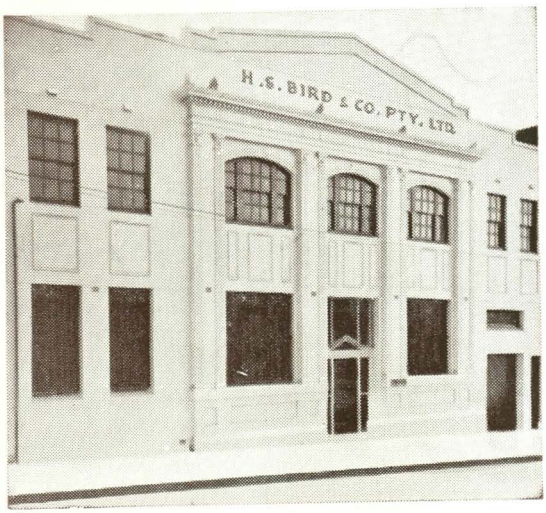
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