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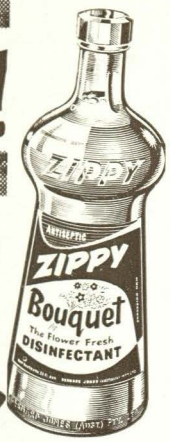


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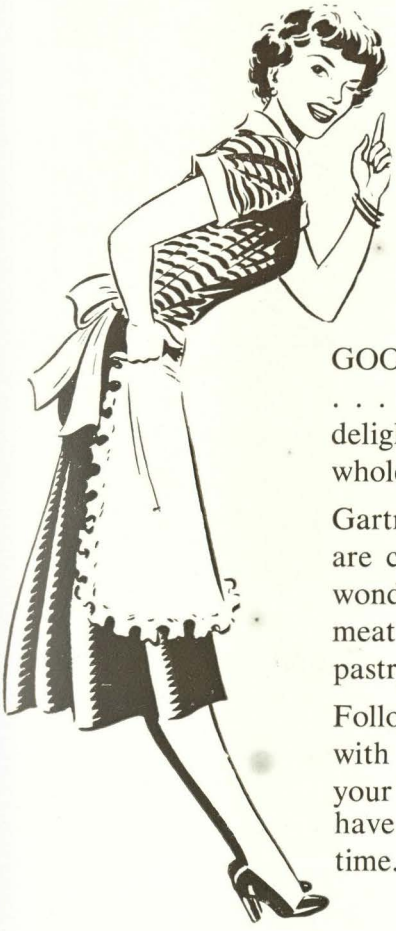
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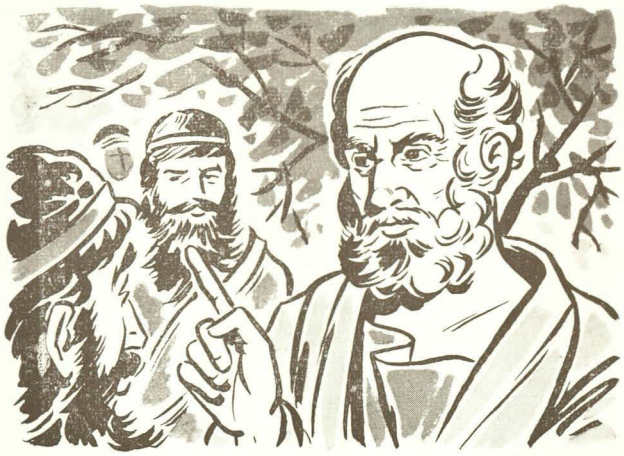
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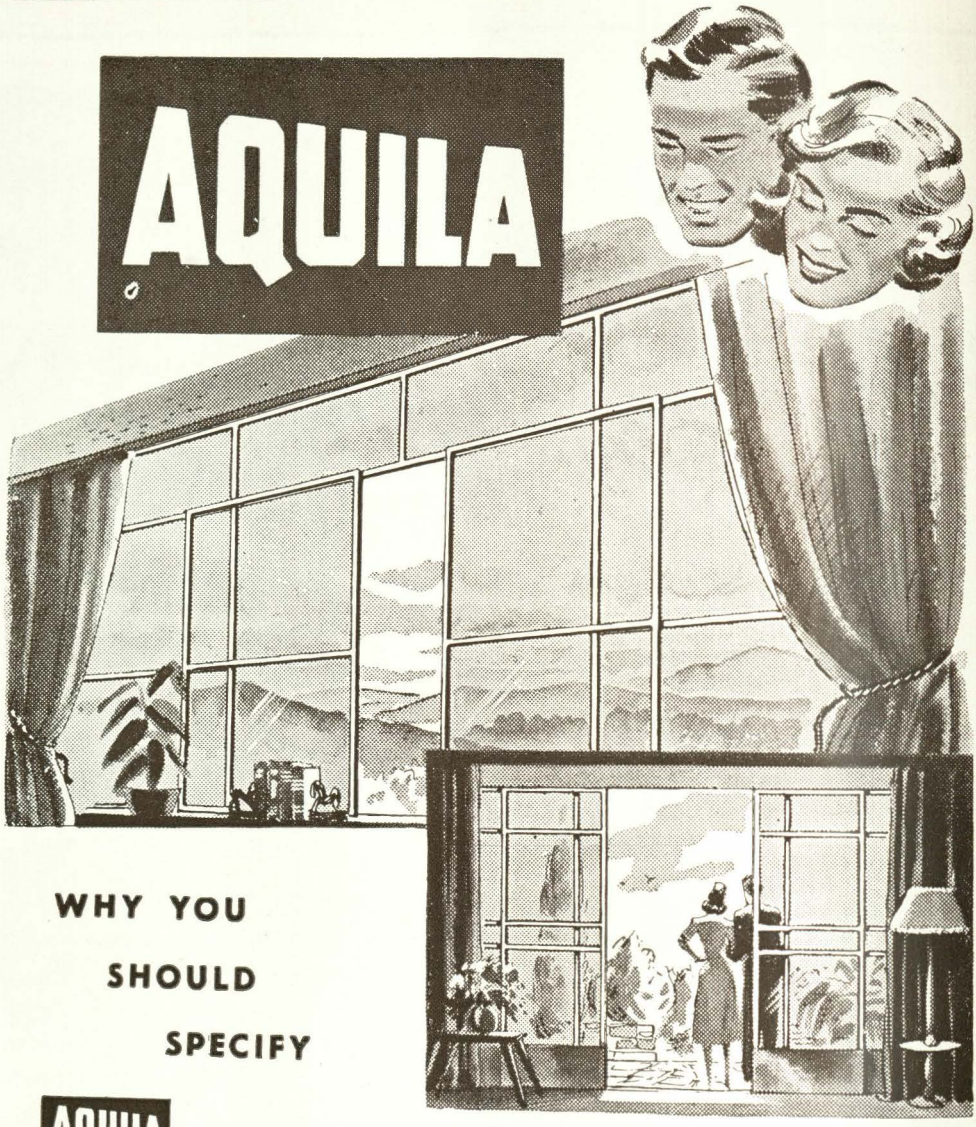
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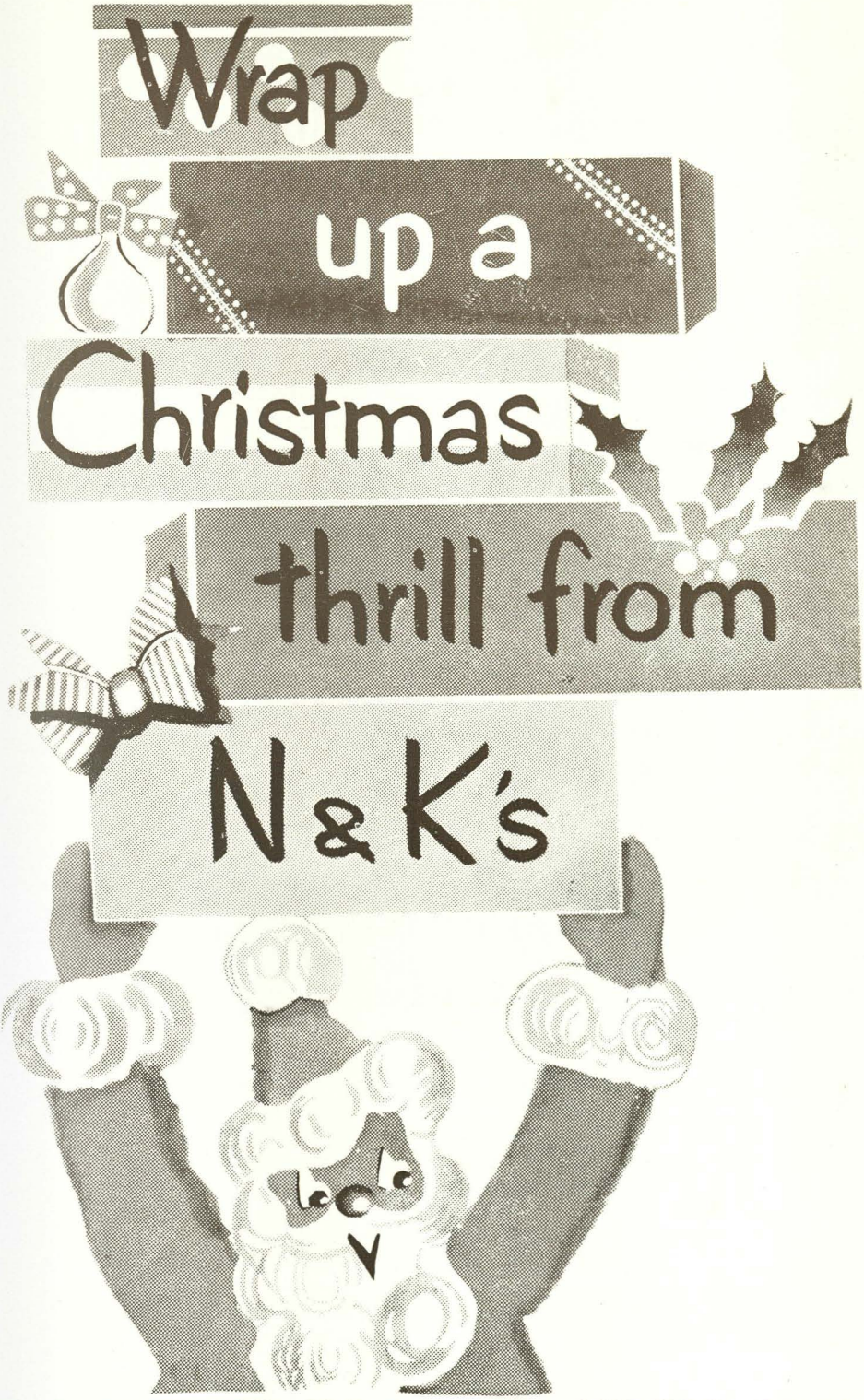
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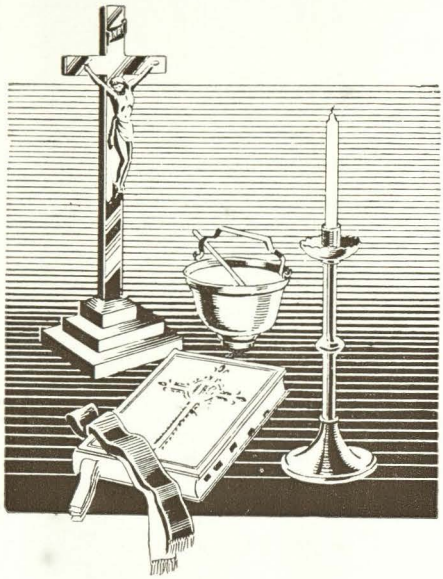
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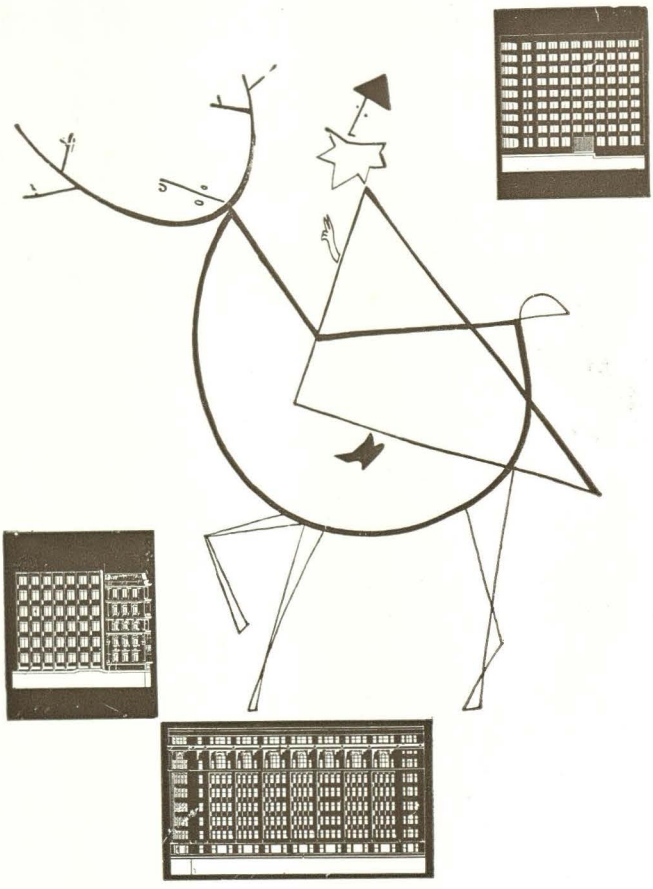


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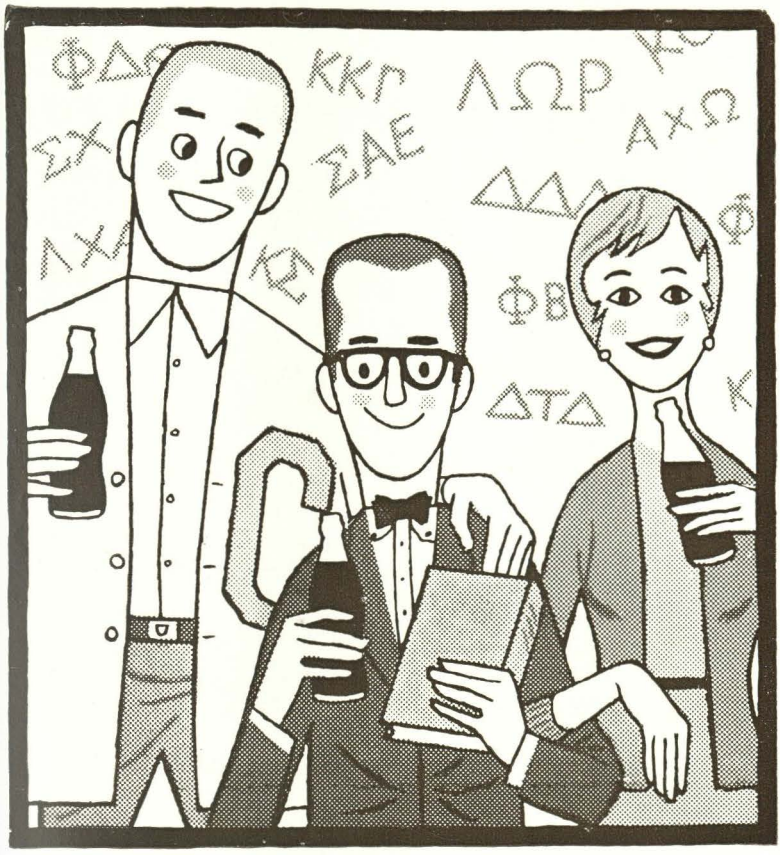
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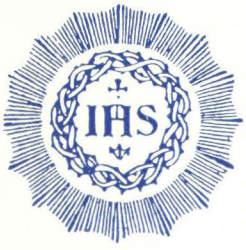
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Editorial Comment

You might think that this is the first page of the Magazine. As a matter of fact it is the last. Having provided the printer's headaches in the pages that follow, we sit back and wonder to what part of the country we can retire until the reaction to various inaccuracies, especially in the Old Boys' notes, has blown over. We piously hope that you will miss them.

Riverview is just about to "chalk-up" its 80th birthday. "Our Alma Mater" has completed its 74th. Looking back on the earliest issues, we can see very small change in the ways of the school. All down the years it is the story of a win here and a loss there – and we take it all with a quiet smile. The year 1959 has been just the same. We have had our wins and our losses and yet we hear the same old whistling everywhere.

The spirit is the same as it was 80 years ago – only more so. Optimism is the keynote and that friendly characteristic of Riverview seems stronger than ever.

The main attraction this year is the (now completed) extensive classroom-study-Hall-science-block building which is a new land-mark and which will supply much long-needed accommodation.

A general brightening-up of the main buildings has been in progress for months and there is a spick-and-span look about the School which is all to the good. Our "population" too is growing and apparently is limited only by a lack of space, because applications for enrolment are overwhelming and so far, quite impossible to cope with. But note – we only say "so far". We have great hopes that that problem may be solved before long.

And so, we close our 79th fast-moving year – so fast-moving that even the small boys are wondering where the time has gone. We farewell many old-timers who have served us well and loyally and we welcome the new already enrolled. We wish the veterans a smooth passage in the years to come and assure them of a warm welcome when they come back to see us. And we confidently hope that the new-comers will, in their turn, quickly absorb that "Riverview way" that marks them out and puts on them that indefinable stamp that will make them a credit to "The House on the Hill".

Read on – especially you Old Boys – and live again for a time the days that are no more. Our thanks to all who have in their generosity, helped us to produce this issue of "O.A.M." It could not be done without them and we only hope that their disappointment will not be great.

The Editor.



Our Holy Father Pope John XXIII.

"May the Lord preserve him and give him life and make him blessed upon the earth and deliver him not up to the will of his enemies."

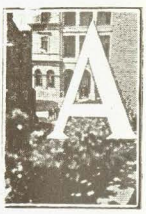
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The Independent School and Education To-day



AT a meeting of the Headmaster's Conference of the Independent Schools of Australia which was held in Perth during September of this year the Chairman, Mr. C. S. Gordon stressed the case that justifies the existence of the Independent School.

The first reason is one of principle. In a Democracy parents have the right to insist on the type of education which they value, provided that their insistence does not clash with the common good. This, of course, means that we have in Australia a dual structure in the Educational System. First of all there is the Government School, which is called by different names in different States, and then the Independent School. This latter type of School values its independence highly, and exists because it was felt that a School which did not provide Religious training was not providing the type of education that many desire. In this group are found Schools differing in creed, but united in their belief that Religious training is a matter for the School as well as for the Home.

The second point stressed to justify the Independent School is of a more practical nature: it is one which every Headmaster and every Teacher must advert to continually. As Mr. Gordon said at the Conference the Independent School must justify its existence by its works. Let me quote from his address:—

"And that, of course, brings us to the heart of our job — the increasing obligation on our Schools to justify their nature by their works. Nothing is more damaging to our cause than uncritical complacency, for that soon becomes a vulnerable hypocrisy. It is no good claiming virtue as being Church Schools unless in fact we are a real source of strength for our Churches:it is no good claiming that independence gives our schools "something about them" which other schools lack, without examining what that something is and whether it is a good thing, even if it exists: it is no good claiming the merit of smaller classes unless we do in fact give good teaching, in appropriate subjects, to every boy who enters our Schools: it is no good claiming to "educate the whole man" if in fact our products are shoddy in spirit, if they do not rise above athleticism to sportsmanship, above good nature to courtesy, above philistinism to culture, above cleverness to wisdom, above pragmatism to sense of duty, above a code of gentlemanliness to a religious creed."

In a world that is becoming increasingly aware of the need for education and perhaps also more bewildered about it, the task that confronts the School grows more challenging. It is not enough for any School to sit back complacently on past achievements or past methods or on past curricula. There must be an examination of what is new, to sift the grain from the chaff. The school must guard against blindness which ignores innovations completely, and it must also guard against hysteria which accepts enthusiastically what is new, just because it is new.

Thus, for example, the School to-day must concern itself with the problem to which Sir Charles Snow, in his Rede lecture, drew our attention: the rift in two cultures, humanistic and scientific. The School which wishes to provide adequate education to-day must be aware of this problem. Surely it cannot countenance a system which produces students who know nothing at all of science, just as it must reject a curriculum which makes no provision for the humanities. If it is bad to produce the specialist Scientist who is ignorant of everything else, including moral values, it is likewise bad to produce the Humanist who knows nothing of the

Scientific world in which he lives, and even glories in his ignorance. To maintain this balance is really a problem posed to education to-day.

An equally vital question is the increasing secularisation of our society. The Independent Schools of Australia claim that Religious training is an integral part of education. I do not think that it is an adequate description to say that it is the basis. I rather think that we should say that Religion should permeate the School. The words of the late Holy Father Pope Pius XII, when he was addressing the Union of Italian Teachers seem particularly felicitous.

"Let the new youth be allowed to breathe Catholicity and feel the spell of universal charity that embraces all peoples in one Lord. Give them also a knowledge of their own personality and thus also of the greater treasures of freedom; train their minds to sound criticism, but at the same time imbue them with a sense of Christian humility, of just submission to the laws and the duty of mutual dependence among men."

Naturally, here, in New South Wales when one is faced with these problems one looks to the Wyndham Report. Features in it that win support are the 4 year, 6 year programme, the emphasis on the teaching of English, the place of Religious Instruction in the curriculum. One cannot but admire the expressed aim of a more adequate formation before entry into Secondary Education (1st Year is designed to do that) and the greater maturity that is expected before entry on Tertiary Education (the final two years aim to do that.)

Not all will agree with the principle of the Comprehensive School. A School such as Riverview cannot adequately provide the many courses necessary for students of all types. There are few facilities for subjects that are of a less academic nature. The student who has not a certain level of academic qualifications and also a basic interest, and so motivation, would be poorly suited. Some selectivity is certainly necessary, if the academic level of the school is to be maintained and also raised. And so a compromise is arrived at.

At the same time it is hard to pass complete judgment on the Wyndham Report because as yet there is no clear picture of the standards that are to be set in the various subjects for different years. It would be deplorable if the adoption of this report were to bring about a decline in the academic level. It is to be hoped that the report does not enthrone, as some of its critics fear, mediocrity. It is to be hoped that the School Certificate Examination which is to be awarded on the basis of an external examination at the end of Fourth Year will be a worthwhile one, and that its status in the Community will be high. All who have witnessed the sorry decline of the Intermediate Certificate during the last twenty years, and who feel that that has been a retrogressive process in education will surely look for a high level in this School Certificate. One recalls the words of the late Holy Father, quoted by His Excellency, when he blessed and opened the new Classroom Block on the 18th October . . . "To aim as high as possible is the first step in any perfect education . . . So we want to exhort you to open your minds to great things, and conscientiously estimating your own strength, aim high in such a way that during your whole life you may bring notable contributions in the field of science or of art or of action, to the society which hopes to find in you young people, the capable leaders of the future."

In the light of these challenges it is interesting to see the growth that is taking place at the College. There is, for example, an increased emphasis on promoting interest in music, art, debating. As yet the force of this development has not been spread as widely through the School as is desired. One feels that a certain liberty should be allowed to the pupils(and that they may be encouraged to develop powers of discrimination. For as Aristotle said "The object of education is to cause us to like and dislike what we ought to." Nevertheless, these activities have come to stay, and their effect will be very akin to the multiplier effect described by Lord Keynes.

Another very heartening feature has been the interest aroused both among the boys and their parents in the new College Library. This is no longer a dream, but a reality that has a most healthy growth. It would be difficult to overestimate the importance of this project in improving the academic level of the School. I think we may confess frankly that a School falls short in some way if it fails to inculcate an interest in Libraries, books, reading.

The new building which is now in use provides the facilities necessary for good teaching, and efficient study. The Science Wing allows us to play our part in the Scientific World. It is rather significant that the symbol used by Mr. Tom Bass in his piece of sculpture for the new Building is a Chemistry retort. Science, as well as all learning, should be dedicated to the glory of God.

—F. J. Wallace, S.J.

A Peep at the Past

BY DR. P. M. CURTIS (01-05)

These are my recollections of Riverview as it was during the years 1901-05 when I had the good fortune to be a pupil there.

When I entered Riverview in 1901 the main building consisted of that portion of the present one which extends from the western end to the end of the present refectory. The basement contained the kitchen and storeroom, showers and baths, and a long line of wash-basins. The chemistry laboratory was housed at the eastern part of the basement and so, underneath what is now the end of the refectory. The foundations of the present central block which contains the entrance hall were in existence in those days, and it was in these foundations that a door gave entrance to the laboratory.

The ground floor consisted of the present foyer and the small and main refectories. The small refectory was the Community dining room and the area now enclosed by the main one comprised the boys' refectory and what was known as "the big study" and Third Division playroom and library.

The first floor up was much the same as it is now and consisted of some class-rooms and the rooms of the masters. The present Community refectory was the Community recreation room and library. The balcony was not covered in as it is today and so, gave no shelter from the rain.



DR. P. M. CURTIS.

The top storey consisted of dormitories, but there was no balcony.

The original stone Riverview College stood where the eastern end of the main building is today. It contained reception rooms for visitors and the Rector and Father Dalton lived there.

Behind this cottage was a wooden building which consisted of the boot-room, linen-room and living quarters for the two ladies in charge of the latter. (Many Old boys of this period will remember Miss Kennedy, then in charge of this department).

Believe it or not, we kept our boots and shoes in the boot-room and they were cleaned twice weekly by Bill, the man in charge (for many years). I can hear the present generation saying "Oh, Yeah?", but nevertheless such was the case. Our beds were made for us by a staff kept for that purpose.

North of this building and separated from it by a passage that led to Third Division playground was another wooden building which faced towards the west. It contained what was known as the "Little Study", armoury, second Division playroom and library, book-shop, chapel and a roofed-in verandah. The "little study" was subsequently divided into two class-rooms. This would be some time during 1902.

First Division building was as it is now, except that there was no balcony. The little room under the stairs was used as a dark-room by all three Divisions. It must be remembered that in those far-off days everybody who owned a camera had to develop his own negatives and do his own printing. The present idea of leaving one's films with a chemist or some firm for processing came at a much later date.

On the western side of what is now the wing containing First Division locker rooms, etc., stood a long wooden building running north and south. This was a dormitory complete with shower room. It was converted into a study hall when the little study was made into class-rooms. At the northern end of this building was a large gymnasium complete with trapeze, parallel bars, horse, ladders and ropes. The floor was covered with tan bark.

Where the macadam is now outside the entrance to the present linen-room there stood the power-house in which were an engine and generator that supplied current for the electric light system. In those days gas light was the general illuminating agent in Sydney.

Nearby was a winch which was used to haul by wire cable two trolleys that ran on rails down to a wharf in Burns Bay. To this wharf came practically all the supplies that were required by the College. They were brought up from the city in a small cargo boat called "Iris" and deposited on the trolleys referred to and so hauled up the incline to the vicinity of the main building.

The site of the present Chapel was occupied by a hexagonal wooden building which was used as a tuck shop and opened twice a week for business.

Now coming to the Community. We find Father Dalton the founder of Riverview, living in retirement in his old age and failing health, in the original stone cottage. The Rector, Father Gartlan, also lived there. Other members of the Community in the year 1901 whom I can recall to mind were Father T. Kenny (Minister) Father M. Maher (Prefect of Studies), Father Brennan (First Division Prefect) and Father Tuite. The Scholastics included Messrs. J. Healy, M. Garahy, P. O'Brien, J. Sullivan, R. Murphy, J. Bourke, P. Baker. Also in the Community were Brother Doyle, Brother Maguire and Brother Girschik.

In the normal course of events, during the years under review, some of the above members of the Community were appointed to various Jesuit houses and their places taken by others. As a result of these changes, I can recollect the following being at Riverview during the time I was there: Father James O'Dwyer, Father Little, Father Cahill, Father Hassett, Father Pigot, and Father W. Gwynn. These scholastics also joined the staff: Messrs. G. Byrne, C. Cuffe, T. A. Walsh, Corboy and Fallon.

One well-known Lay-master was Mr. "Dinny" Kent who, in addition to his teaching duties had charge of the bookshop. I believe he spent many years at Riverview. Amongst the visiting masters we had Mr. Alfred Coffey (Drawing), Mr. Lawrence Campbell (Elocution) and Messrs. Stevenson and Coad (Music). I know these names will be of little interest to present boys, but they will bring back many happy recollections to an older generation.

All the boys were boarders, as day boys were not accepted. They came from near and far. In addition to boys from the city and from country districts of New South Wales, we had at least two from Tasmania, two from Western Australia and five from Queensland. We had no less than eighteen from New Zealand, two from New Hebrides and seven from New Caledonia. At one period we reached a total of 120 boys and as this was apparently the largest number to date, a half-holiday was proclaimed to mark the occasion.

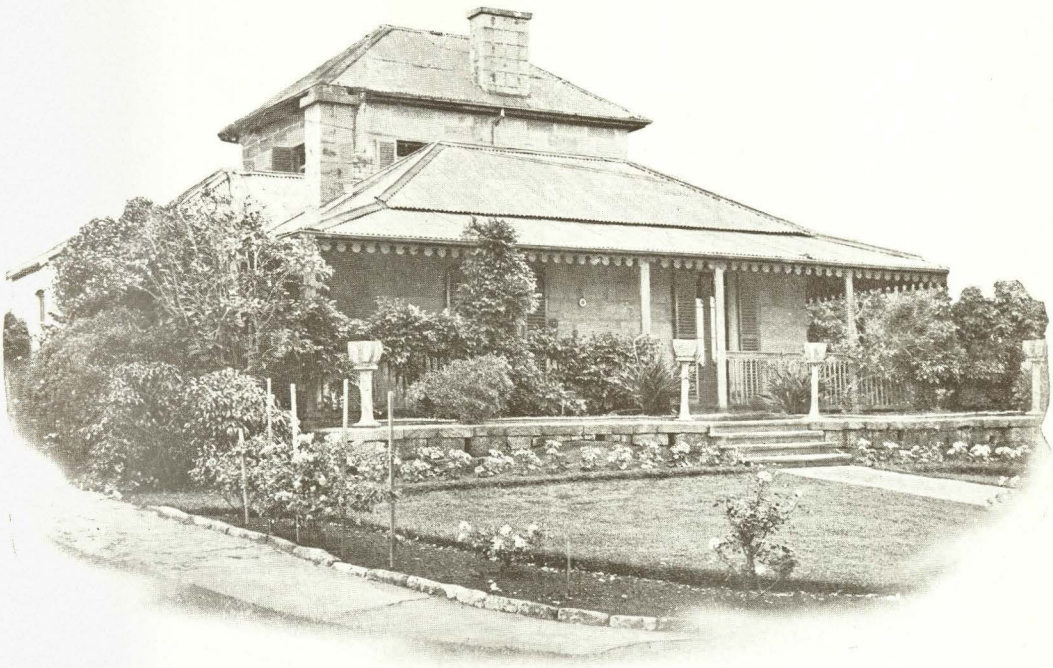
The principal means of transport to and from the city was by a ferry service which ran from Fig Tree to the foot of Erskine Street in Darling Harbour and later on to Circular Quay. These ferries were owned by Mr. Joubert who lived at Fig Tree. The fleet consisted of four steam-driven vessels named "Shamrock", "Pearl",

"Rose" and "Lobelia". The service was an hourly one and the journey from the city to the College took three-quarters of an hour.

The school year commenced as now in February, and with the exception of a break from Easter Saturday morning until the following Tuesday night, we carried on until the middle of June when we commenced our midwinter vacation which lasted for three weeks. From the time we returned in July we continued on without a break until about the eighth or ninth of December when we broke up for the Christmas vacation. Home Sundays were quite unknown to us. This, coupled with our remoteness from the city and other suburbs made us more or less a little community of our own. It must be remembered that the area as far back as Chatswood in one direction and Greenwich in the other was practically all bush-land. And so it came about that owing to this isolation we all got to know each other very well and, I am sure, welded many life-long friendships. We were happy in our surroundings and doings.

In the warmer months of the year, the general time-table was drawn up to fit in with what was known as "Summer Order", and during the colder months, with "Winter Order". During Summer Order we rose at 6.00 a.m. and during Winter Order at 6.30 a.m. Classes were held on Saturday mornings and to make up for this, none were held on Wednesday afternoons.

In the field of sport cricket and football occupied most of our time. Handball and tennis also got their fair share, the courts for these games being situated on part of what is now First Division playground. During the Cricket season, various teams came up to play us but there was no G.P.S. Competition like there is today. The only turf wicket was that down at first field, the other wickets being concrete covered with matting.



THE "COTTAGE".
(The original Riverview.)

Speaking of first field recalls to mind the large vegetable garden that existed between it and the roadway. A concrete reservoir, the remains of which are still in evidence, stored the water for the irrigation of this garden which kept us abundantly supplied with vegetables.

We took a great interest in rowing and it is no exaggeration to say that one third of the school would be out on the river on Sunday morning provided the weather conditions were favourable. The senior boatshed housed three racing fours, one clinker-built four and two clinker pairs. The junior shed was alongside the

College wharf and held four or five ordinary tub boats. It was the ordinary thing for the senior boys to row down the river as far as Woolwich, whilst the younger folk favoured the area from Fig Tree to Longueville. Rowing through the backwash of the ferry boats was considered great fun by those in the tub boats. No doubt all these aquatic activities could be attributed to the enthusiasm of the Rector, Fr. Gartlan, who displayed a tremendous interest in rowing all his life.

In the Inter-School contest there were only three crews — Shore, Grammar and ourselves and the race was rowed in fours.

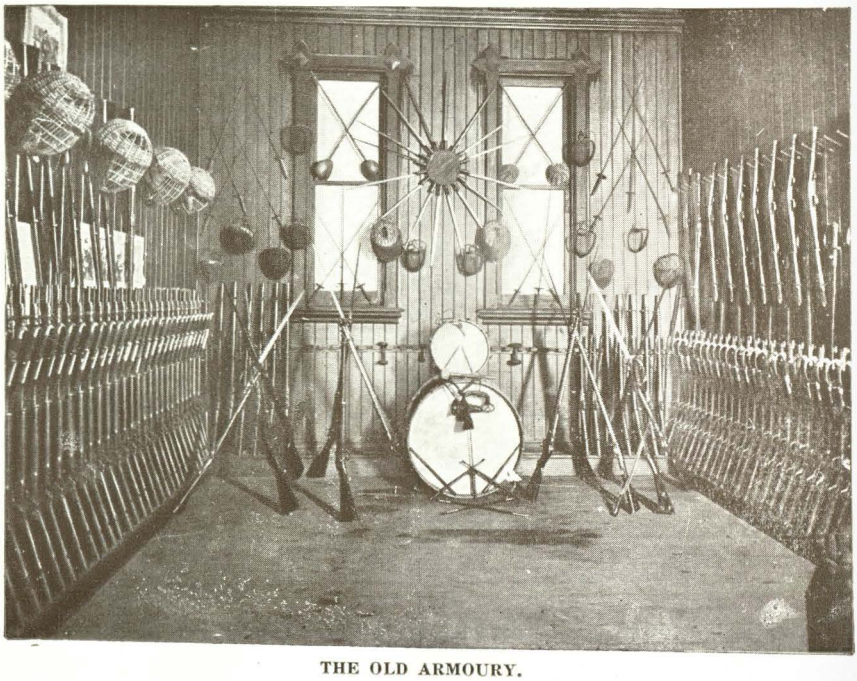
Football, then as now, was entered into with great vigour, though there were no G.P.S. matches as we know them today. This strikes a note of interest inasmuch as when King School teams visited us, we used to row up to Fig Tree to meet them and bring them back to our wharf. On the return journey of course, we rowed them back again.

A description of our sporting activities would not be complete without mention of our rifle team. Riverview had its own range. The target was situated in the neighbourhood of the cliff near what is known as Top Field. There was one firing mound near the present linen room and a second one near the Infirmary. We used Martini-Henry rifles as a general rule, though Martini Carbines were brought into use at times. Both these rifles used cartridges filled with black powder and fired an uncoated leaden bullet of about .32 calibre. About 1903 all these rifles were discarded and replaced by Martini Enfields which used a cordite-filled cartridge and fired a nickle-coated .303 bullet as used in the Boer War.

An annual competition was held on the old Randwick range, our opponents being The King's School, Newington and Armidale.

Generally, when schoolday reminiscences are written up, we are told of the prowess of this one and that one, of the victories and reverses in various sporting events and of the numerous incidents that took place in the scholastic and sporting sides of the time under review, and so it comes about that mention is made of various schoolboy heroes and personalities.

In these notes I have purposely departed from this idea and have endeavoured to bring before you the bare and unvarnished facts of Riverview and its activities as I recollect them in the happy years I spent there. It is therefore that the only folks whose names I have mentioned are the masters and this because they are part of the College, and I have refrained from writing of our successes and defeats and from mentioning the names of my fellow-pupils. For similar reasons I wished to sign myself "Innominate", but the Editor won't let me!



THE OLD ARMOURY.

Results of Public Examinations, 1958

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BROWN, S.: English, French, Mathematics (H2), Mathematics II (A).

BURT, P. J.: English, French, General Mathematics, Modern History, Economics.

COLLINS, J. W.: English (A), Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Economics (A).

COMRIE-THOMSON, I.: English, French, Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II.

CONLON, J. M.: English (A), Latin, French, General Mathematics, Ancient History.

CONRICK, E. T.: English, General Mathematics, Ancient History, Modern History, Economics.

CUNICH, M. A.: English, French, Ancient History, Economics (A), Woolclassing.

CURTIN, R. A.: English (A), Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Chemistry.

DAY, R. A.: English (A), French, Mathematics I, Ancient History, Economics.

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DUCK, B. W.: English (H), Latin (A), French General Mathematics (A), Physics (A).

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DURRELL, J. L.: English, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

DYNON, A. F.: English (A), Mathematics I (A), Mathematics II (A), Physics (A), Chemistry (H2).

GARLING, A. E.: English, General Mathematics, Geography, Economics.

GLASHEEN, M. O.: English (A), Latin, French, General Mathematics, Ancient History, Physics.

HAMMOND, S. E.: English, Modern History, Ancient History, Economics.

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HARRISON, H. C.: English, Mathematics I, Mathematics II, Physics, Chemistry.

HEANEY, W. P.: English, Mathematics I, Geography, Economics.

HEATON, V. D.: English (H2), Modern History, Ancient History, Geography, Economics.

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JOHNSON, A. M.: English, Latin, French, General Mathematics, Modern History.

JOHNSON, B. T.: English (A), Latin, French, General Mathematics.

JOHNSON, D.S.: English (A), Latin (A), General Mathematics (A), Physics (A), Chemistry (A), Greek (H1).

KEVIN, A. C.: English (A), Latin (A), Mathematics I (H2), Mathematics II (H2), Ancient History (A), Physics (A).

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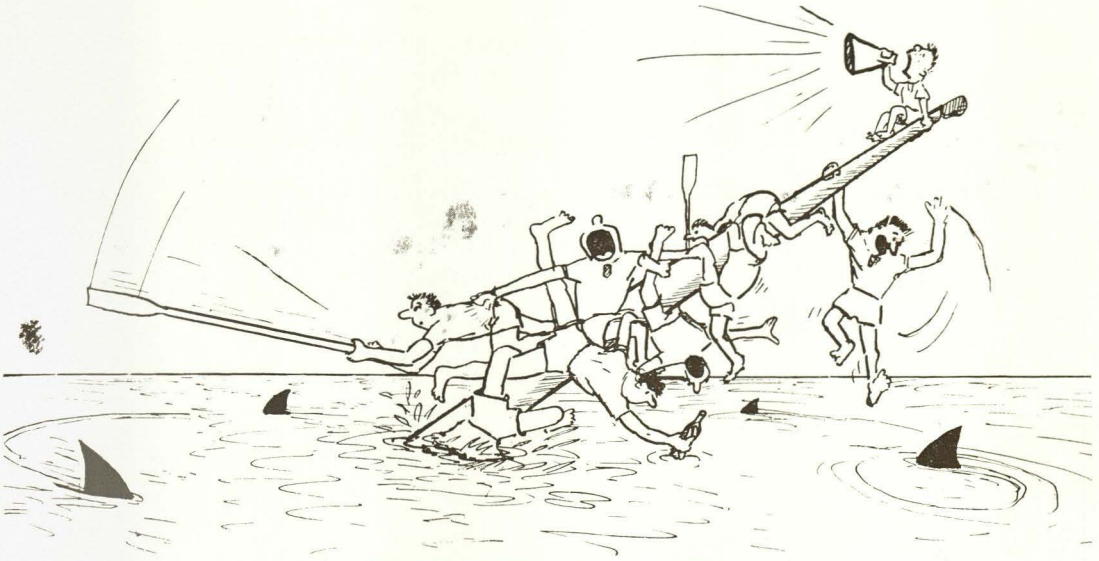
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ROWING HAZARDS (M. GLASHEEN).

St. Ignatius' College Rowing Club

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Rev. G. F. Jones, S.J.

OFFICIALS OF RACES

Starters: ¾ **and 1 mile:** O. Rosevear.
½ **mile:** J. Winton.

Judges: W. F. Bradley, V. Mossong, M. Ruffels.
Johnstone's Launch, No. 1—Umpire: T. Nickson.
Time-Keeper: W. Winkworth.
Johnstone's Launch, No. 2—Umpire:
N. McCallum.
Time-Keeper: W. Mahoney.
Wrenford's Launch—Umpire: W. Foskett.
Time-Keeper: M. Reddan.
Broadcasting:
Engineer: J. Ferres; **Commentators:** Messrs. G. C. Davies, L. Stepto, K. Cummins.

Intensive, keen training was put in by all crews, from the Eights to the Seventh Four all during the season, some thirty rowers returning to the College about a week before the end of the summer holidays. Inspired, no doubt, by the success of last year's crews, the boys settled down early to hard work and did their very best to respond to the wishes of their coaches, Messrs. J. B. Burrell, D. Baggett, N. Hammond, H. S. Raper and P. Ramsay.

Slight set-backs in health, right up to the Riverview Regatta, disorganised the boating of the Eight and First Four at times, so that at the Regatta itself, neither of these crews were at their top form — which, however, was not a serious disadvantage in view of the G.P.S. Regatta, a fortnight away.

Father M. Pietzsch, S.J., now in charge of the Sheds and his under-study, Mr. J. Healy, S.J., were in constant daily attendance on the rowers and kept the launches and equipment in perfect order all through the season — a service thoroughly appreciated by both coaches and boys. Mr. Healy, S.J., put in great work as coach of the Junior Eight, drawing on his own experience as one of Xavier College (Melb.) rowers in former days.

THE 75th ANNUAL REGATTA

Heavy rain some days previous to the Regatta had us wondering how we would fare in weather conditions on the day itself. However, Saturday, April 4th, dawned bright and clear. Splendid



(from the top.)
First Four: E. Murphy, M. Dureau, M. Raper, J. Butcher (str.), R. Raper (cox).
Second Four: C. Rickard, J. Maher, J. Plummer, M. Williams (str.), E. Corcoran (cox).
Third Four: A. French, A. Herbert, J. Kirby, C. Hayes (str.), W. Moulder (cox).
Fourth Four: G. Ferguson, B. Walker, C. O'Hanlon, G. Mackintosh (str.), A. Kayser (cox).
(Photo — Melba Studios).

sunshine and smooth water greeted us all that day and conditions for rowing could not have been better. The public attendance was, if anything larger than last year and the foreshore was a colourful scene, thronged as it was by a multitude of supporters of the various G.P.S. and other crews. We were pleased to see so many of our own Old Boys present — "country" and "city".

The Police, as usual, did a splendid job in marshalling the huge number of cars which required parking space and their quiet, courteous efficiency was widely commented upon.

The Parents and Friends' Association, led by their tireless "chief", Mrs. L. Chatfield, were busy the whole afternoon supplying refreshments to the official guests. In this connection, the very best thanks of the Rector and Regatta Committee are offered to Mr. and Mrs. Kinnaird who, as annually, placed their home, overlooking the course, at the disposal of the Regatta officials.

In fine we may, once more, congratulate Father Jones, the chief organiser of the Regatta, on the success of his efforts. He seems to take these Regattas "in his stride" and this one, in our opinion, was second to none.

Our best thanks are due to the Rowing Association officials who contributed so materially to the smooth carrying out of the races.

THE PROGRAMME

Tub Fours (Fifth Fours):

(Course: Tambourine Point to College Wharf.)

Heat 1: (S.G.S. No. 3; N.C. No. 2; S.I.C. No. 3; S.G.S. No. 1; S.J.C.)

S.J.C., 1; S.G.S. (3), 2; S.G.S., (4), 3. 1 l.; ¼ l.: 2.20.

Heat 2: (N.C. No. 1; Cranbrook; S.I.C., No. 2; S.G.S. No. 4; T.K.S.)

Cranbrook, 1; Newington, 2; T.K.S., 3. 4½ l.: ¼ l.: 2.6.

Heat 3: (T.S.C. No. 2; S.G.S. No. 2; S.I.C. No. 1; Shore; T.S.C. No. 1; S.H.S.)

T.S.C. (2), 1; S.H.S., 2; Shore, 3. 1½ l.: 1.49 1/5.

Final: T.S.C., 1; S.H.S., 2; S.J.C., 3. ½ l., ¾ l. 2.18.

Junior G.P.S. Eights (First Crews).

(Course: Half-mile.)

Heat 1: (S.G.S.; N.C.; S.I.C.; Shore).

N.C., 1; S.I.C., 2; S.G.S., 3. 3 feet; ¼ l.: 2.51 3/5.

Heat 2: (S.J.C.; S.H.S.; T.K.S.; T.S.C.).

S.H.S., 1; T.S.C., 2; S.J.C., 3. ½ l.; 1 l.: 2.50.

Final: S.H.S., 1; N.C., 2; T.S.C., 3. ¾ l.; ¾ l.: 2.44 4/5.

Junior Fours.

(Course: Riverview Mile.)

Nepean R.C. (No. 2 crew); Haberfield R.C.; Nepean R.C., No. 1 crew; Sydney R.C.).

Sydney R.C. — Row over.

Fourths' Regulation Fours (Third Fours).

(Course: Three-quarters Mile.)

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

N.C., 1; S.J.C., 2; S.H.S., 3; Canvas; Canvas.

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

S.I.C., 1; T.K.S., 2; Shore, 3. 2½ l.; ½ l.:4.7 2/5.

Final: T.K.S., 1; S.I.C., 2; S.J.C., 3. ¾ l.; Canvas: 4.13 4/5.

Tub Fours (Sixth Fours).

(Course: Tambourine Point to College Wharf.)

Heat 1: S.G.S., No. 1; T.K.S.; S.I.C.; T.S.C. S.H.S.).

T.S.C., 1; T.K.S., 2; S.I.C., 3. 5 l.; 1½ l.: 2.11 1/5.

Heat 2: (Shore; N.C.; S.J.C.; Cranbrook; S.G.S. No. 2).

S.J.C., 1; S.H.S., 2; Cranbrook, 3. 2 l.; 1 l.: 2.17 1/5.

Final: S.J.C., 1; T.S.C., 2; S.H.S., 3. ¾ l.; ¾ l.: 2.44 4/5.

Club Maiden Fours.

(Course: Riverview Mile.)

Heat 1: (Sydney R.C. No. 2 crew; Nepean R.C. No. 2 crew; Balmain R.C.; Nepean R.C. No. 1 crew).

Sydney (No. 2), 1; Balmain, 2; Nepean 3. 1½ l.; ½ l.: 5.47 1/5.

Heat 2: (Haberfield R.C. No. 2 crew; Mosman R.C.; Haberfield No. 1 crew; Sydney R.C. No. 1 crew; T.K.S.).

Mosman, 1; Sydney (No. 1), 2; Haberfield, 3. 1 l.; 1½ l.: 5.38 4/5.

Final: Mosman, 1; Sydney, 2; Balmain, 3. 7 l.; 6 l.: 5.44 3/5.

Note: Sydney protested against Mosman on the grounds that one or more members of the winning crew were Junior oarsmen. This matter was referred to the Rowing Association. The protest was upheld and the race was awarded to Sydney R.C. This race carries with it the Silver Cup presented to St. Ignatius' Rowing Club by the Union of Old Oarsmen.

Junior G.P.S. Eights (Second Crews).

(Course: Half-Mile.)

S.J.C.; S.I.C.; T.S.C.

T.S.C., 1; S.I.C., 2; — 4 l.: 2.59.

Youths' Regulation Fours (Fourth Fours)

(Course: Three-quarters Mile.)

Heat 1: (S.G.S.; T.K.S. No. 2; Cranbrook; S.J.C.; S.I.C.; N.C.).

S.J.C., 1; N.C., 2; S.I.C., 3. ¾ l.; ¾ l.

Heat 2: (Shore; T.S.C.; S.H.S., No. 1; S.H.S. No. 2; T.K.S. No. 1).

S.H.S., 1; T.K.S., 2; T.S.C., 3. 2½ l.; 2 l.: 4.8



THE EIGHT

D. Pearson (bow), R. Rowe, P. Kirby, P. Bookallil, D. Hall, R. Curtin, M. Lowrey, W. Baggett (str.), W. Hedger (cox).
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Final: S.H.S., 1; S.J.C., 2; T.K.S., 3. 3 l.; Canvas: 4.15.

Tub Fours (Seventh Fours).

(Course: Tambourine Point to College Wharf.)

Heat 1: (S.I.C. No. 2; N.C.; T.S.C. No. 2; S.G.S. No. 1).

T.S.C. (No. 2), 1; S.G.S., 2; N.C., 3. ¾ l.; 1 l.: 2.20.

Heat 2: S.G.S. No. 2; T.S.C. No. 1; Shore; S.I.C. No. 1; T.K.S.).

T.S.C. (No. 1), 1; T.K.S., 2; Shore, 3. ¼ l.; 1 l.: 2.21 4/5.

Final: T.S.C. No. 2), 1; S.G.S., 2; T.S.C. (No. 1), 3. 1 l.; ¾ l.: 2.24 3/5.

Riverview Challenge Eights (Gold Cup).

(Course: Riverview Mile.)

Heat 1: (T.K.S.; Shore; S.H.S.; T.S.C.; S.J.C.).

S.H.S., 1; Shore, 2; S.J.C., 3. ½ l.; ¾ l.: 4.45 1/5.

Heat 2: (Scotsman R.C.; N.C.; St. John's College; Haberfield R.C.; St. Andrew's College).

Haberfield, 1; N.C. 2; St. Andrews, 3. ½ l.; Canvas. 4.57 1/5.

Heat 3: (Leichhardt R.C.; S.I.C.; St. Paul's College; Sydney R.C.; S.G.S.).

Sydney, 1; S.G.S., 2; Leichhardt, 3. ¼ l.; 1 l.: 4.58 1/5.

Final: Haberfield, 1; Shore, 2; S.H.S., 3; N.C., 4; Sydney, 5; S.G.S., 6. 1 l.; 2 feet.

Schools' Maiden Fours (First Fours).

(Course: Riverview Mile.)

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

T.S.C., 1; S.I.C., 2; N.C., 3. ½ l.; 1 l.: 5.38 2/5.

Heat 2: (Shore; Cranbrook; S.J.C.; S.J.C.).

S.J.C., 1; Cranbrook, 2; Shore, 3. 1½ l.; ¼ l.

Final: S.J.C., 1; T.S.C., 2; S.I.C., 3. 1½ l., 1¼ l.: 5.45 2/5.

Schools' Maiden Fours (Second Fours).

(Course: Riverview Mile.)

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

S.I.C., 1; S.J.C., 2; Cranbrook, 3. 1 l.; ¼ l.

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

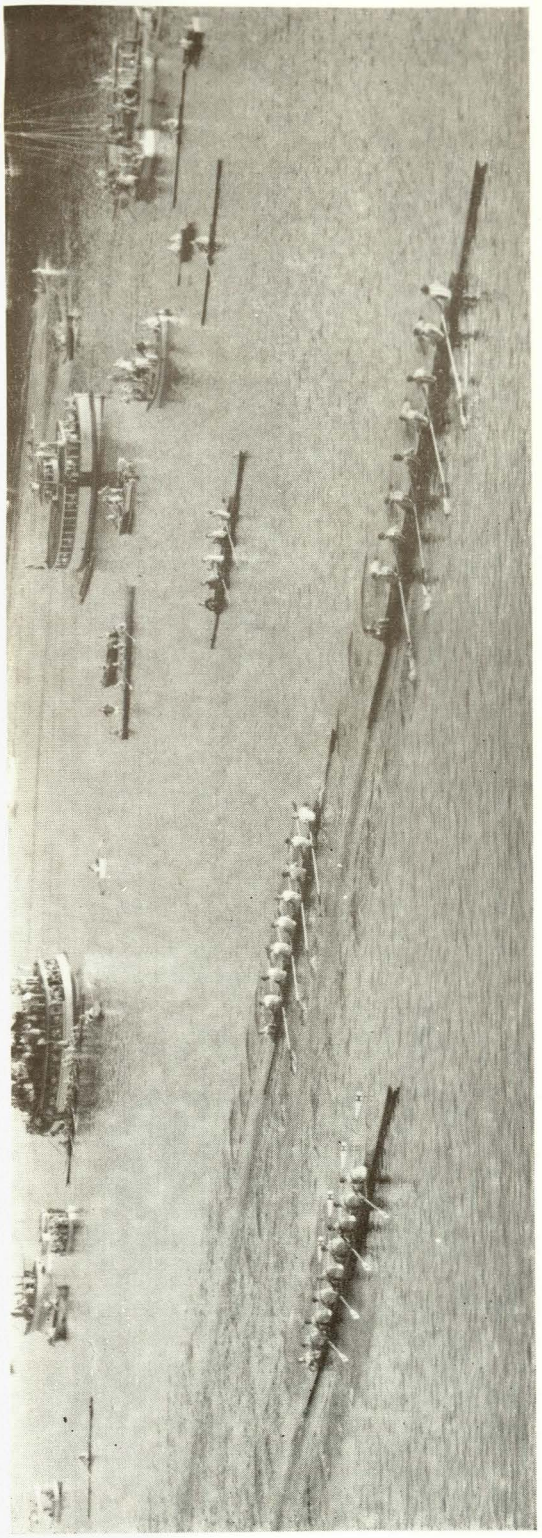
Shore, 1; S.G.S., 2; T.K.S., 3. 1½ l.; 20 l.

Final: S.G.S., 1; Shore, 2; S.I.C., 3. 3 ft. 2 l. 5.49.

EXHIBITION ROW

BY KING'S CUP REPRESENTATIVES.

Through the courtesy of the N.S.W. Rowing Association, the College Authorities are proud to present Exhibition Rows by the N.S.W. Representative Crews and Sculler for the Australian Championships to be held at Perth on April 18, 1959. Very Rev. Father Rector and Community join with the boys and staff of the College, and all present, in extending to these oarsmen their best wishes for success in the forthcoming championship races.



RIVERVIEW REGATTA, 1959.
Leichhardt A.C. wins the Gold Cup Challenge Eights.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

State Eight:

Bow — Ralfe Currall — Leichhardt.
2 — Vic Schweikert — Leichhardt.
3 — Ken Railton — Mosman.
4 — Max Annett — Leichhardt.
5 — Graeme Allan — Mosman.
6 — John Hudson — Mosman.
7 — Ted Curtin — Leichhardt.
Stroke — Peter Waddington — Leichhardt.
Coxswain — Lionel Robberds — Leichhardt.
Emergency — Bruce Evans — Mosman.
Coaches — Peter Evatt and Phil. Cayzer.

State Leightweight Four:

Bow — Ray Bushell — Leichhardt.
2 — Kevin Boyle — Leichhardt.
3 — John Henderson — Leichhardt.
Stroke — Bob Ritchie — Leichhardt.
Coxswain — Alf McLaren — Drummoyne.
Emergency — Col. Bullard — Haberfield.
Coach — Bert Harding.

State Single Sculler: William Hatfield—Mosman.

Handicap Sculls.

(Course: Riverview Mile.)

I Tutty (Haberfield) Scr.; W. H. Goulding (Sydney), 12 secs; L. O'Dell (Haberfield), 15 secs; I. Macdonald (Mosman), 25 secs.

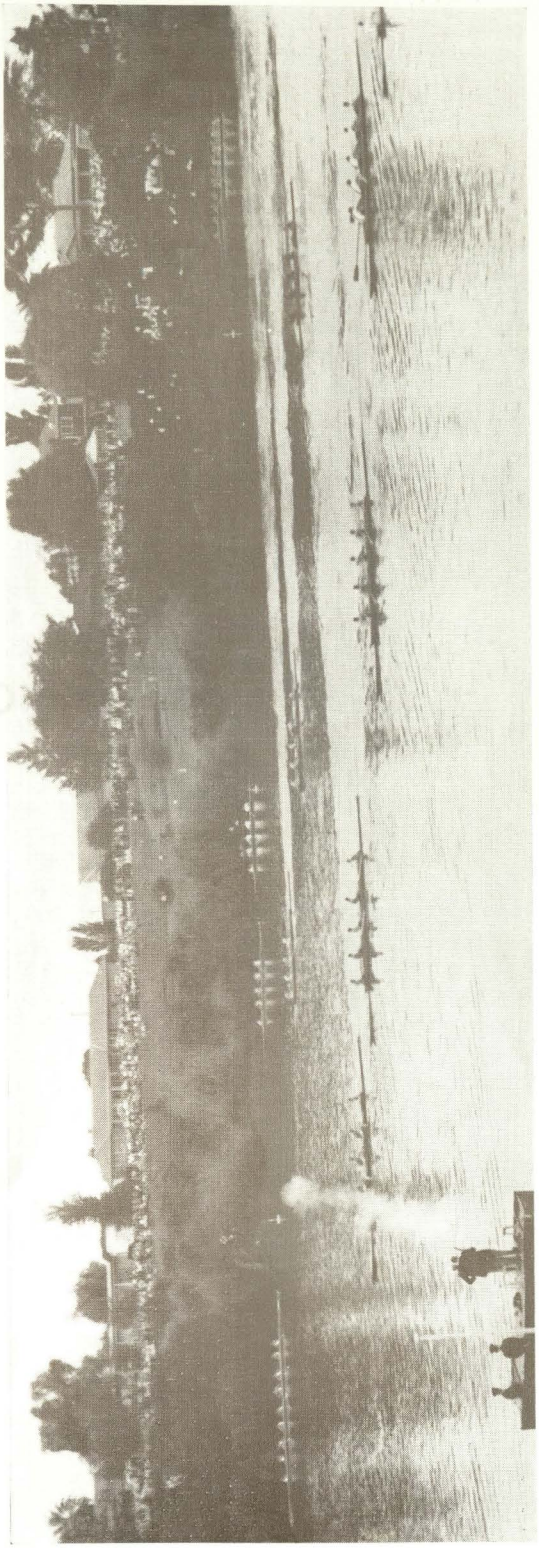
I Tutty (Haberfield), 1; W. Goulding (Sydney), 2; L. O'Dell (Haberfield), 3. 3 lengths; 8 lengths: 0.27 2/5.

Except for the Handicap Sculls (above), from 3.40 p.m. until 5 p.m., the finals of most races were held, with the results as shown, for convenience, on the previous pages. (Ed.)

Among many who worked hard to make the Regatta the success it was, we should mention the following:—Mrs. D. Baggett, Messrs. R. Larnach Jones, W. Hall, Hamilton, R. H. and J. North, A. Ozoux, P. Prior, S. Raper, O. Ramsay and J. Ferres. They have our very sincere thanks.

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G.P.S. REGATTA, 1959.
Riverview wins the Third Fours.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

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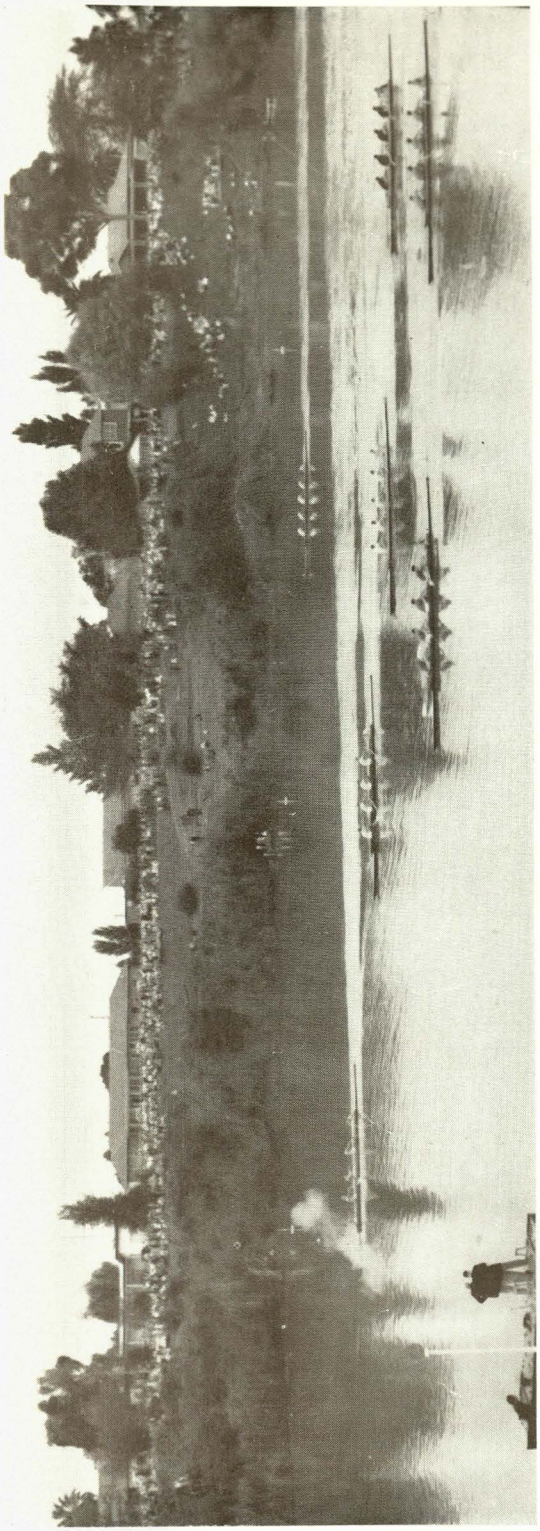
G.P.S. REGATTA

This Regatta, held on the Nepean River, Penrith, April 18th, drew a very large public attendance, though in the opinion of some, slightly smaller than in previous years owing to the large number of Television sets now in use. However, the various G.P.S. had their usual supporters by the thousands and excitement ran high all the afternoon.

The Sydney High School Eight easily outclassed every other crew and won the Head of the River title by a comfortable margin of two lengths. No other crew looked like catching them and they are to be congratulated on their splendid rowing and win.

Our own eight suffered several mishaps, both before and during the race, and did not reproduce their best form. But we have nothing but praise for the splendid work they put in all through the season.

In the First Fours race we filled 4th place to Shore, Newington and St. Joseph's College.



G.P.S. REGATTA.
FINISH OF THE FOURTH FOURS.
Riverview in 3rd place.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

We won the Third Fours' race and the crew (A. French, A. Herbert, J. Kirby and C. Hayes—W. Moulder—cox) rowed a very fine course.

We came third in the race for Fourth Fours, close behind Sydney High (1) and the King's School (2).

The School is most grateful to our painstaking coaches — Messrs. Baggett, J. Burrell, N. Hammond and Paul Ramsay, who did everything possible for their crews from start to finish of the season.

Father M. Piezsch, S.J., who had charge of the Rowers during the season and at the Nepean River is anxious to express his sincere thanks to the following:—

Mr. and Mrs. Roach (Penrith), for their hospitality at their home and for the refreshments they supplied to the Crews, and to Father Pietzsch.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Pittorino, of Nepean Avenue, for their generous hospitality on the day of the Regatta.

Dr. and Mrs. P. Renshaw for their willing care of the boys, one of whom needed the Doctor's attention.

Mr. M. Redden, Hon. Secretary of the Nepean Rowing Club and his committee who granted us the use of the Club's facilities.

Last, but not least, a special word of thanks is due to Mr. and Mrs. Fell and staff of the Guest House, St. Clair, Wallacia, for their kindness and hospitality to the boys and coaches at the time of the Regatta and during the days before it.

THE CREWS ARE ENTERTAINED

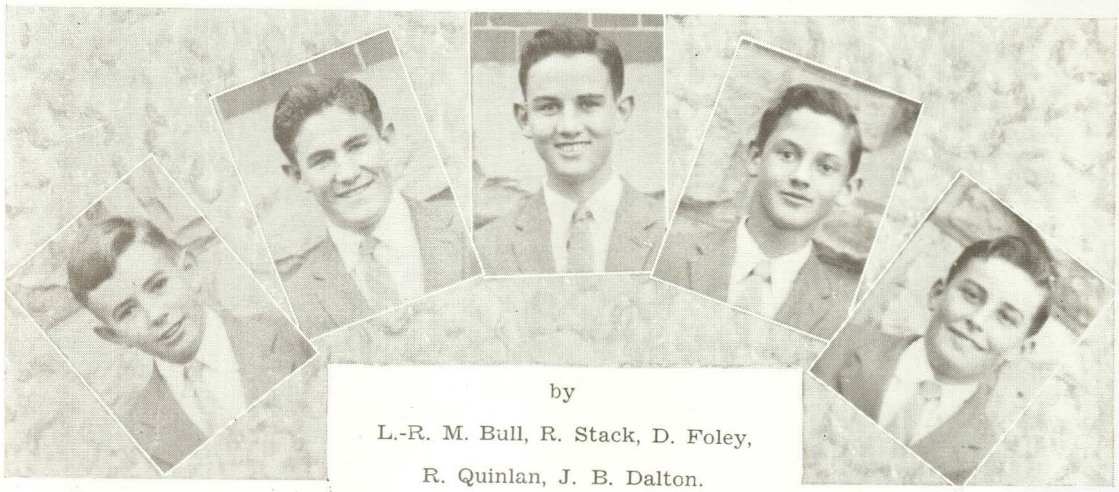
Two days after their return from the holidays, the boys of the 1959 Eight and Four Fours were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hughes at a buffet Dinner in their home at Gordon, on the evening of May 28th.

The generous hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Hughes was also extended to the coaches of the crews (Messrs. J. Burrell, D. Baggett, Paul Ramsay, Father M. Pietzsch, S.J., Rev. J. Healy, S.J., to Fathers C. F. Jones, S.J., J. Drury, S.J., T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., and to several other guests including Mrs. Chatfield (President of the Parents and Friends' Association).

To say that the boys and other guests thoroughly enjoyed themselves is putting it very mildly. Peter ("Blue") Kirby, Captain of Rowing, in a neat speech, thanked the hosts of the evening and also paid a tribute to the work, during the season, of each of the coaches to whom he made presentations on behalf of the crews.

Our best thanks are due to Mr. and Mrs. Hughes for their kind and generous thought.

College Jottings



by

L.-R. M. Bull, R. Stack, D. Foley,

R. Quinlan, J. B. Dalton.

FIRST TERM

February:

Tuesday, 3rd: Well, well! Where have the holidays gone? Gone with the wind? Hardly. Oozed away under the steamy days, more likely. Anyway, we opened up tonight with a record Roll. This is the first time we have topped the 500 mark — and the walls are bulging. Some relief to over-crowding has been nicely provided by new quarters at what used to be the Golf-House, near the gate. Everything spick and span there.

As usual, there have been some changes in the teaching staff. Father A. Ryan who has done great work at Riverview, has been transferred to Corpus Christi College, Werribee (Vic.). We have also lost Father J. Smith who, besides being Spiritual Father to the boys, has also done splendid work at the Boat-shed. He has gone to Loyola College, Watsonia, Vic. Both Fathers have left a gap at Riverview that will be hard to fill. Messrs. P. Lewis, S.J., P. O'Sullivan, S.J., R. Walsh, S.J., have gone to Canisius' College, Pymble, to pursue their Theological studies. Third Divisioners will miss Mr. O'Sullivan to whom they owed much over the past three years. Mr. K. Penry, S.J., is continuing his University course in Melbourne. Second and Third Divisions have been taken over by Messrs. D. P. Walsh, S.J. and R. Bruce, S.J., respectively. Mr. Bruce spent five years at Riverview (46-50) as a boy, so his "mighty atoms" in Third Division can tell him nothing he doesn't know already.

In addition, Fr. B. Lowery, S.J. (O.R. 37-41) who did much work with us as a Scholastic is back at the school. Fr. Pietzsch, S.J., takes over the Rowing and has with him Mr. J. Healy, S.J., (a newcomer too, but with much rowing experience). Mr. Pilsyk, S.J., has also joined our staff. We welcome them all.

We presume you know that Father A. Fynn, S.J., came to us at the end of last year to take over the Direction of the Riverview Observatory — a position left vacant by the untimely death of the late Director, Father N. Burke-Gaffney, S.J. (R.I.P.).

We have lost the services of Mr. John Curran and Mr. J. Angel among the lay-masters. The former spent very many years at Riverview and is now teaching up-country.

In their place we welcome Messrs. M. Fanning, A. M. Gallagher and K. Murphy and hope they will enjoy their stay at Riverview.

Wednesday, 4th: "Lectio Brevis" and the usual gathering of books before we roll up our sleeves and "get down to the job". The many new boys seem well settled-in already.

Thursday, 5th: "Class as usual"—(i.e., as usual in past years); Masters and boys sizing-up one another—(also as usual!). The steamy heat unfortunately is, too, as usual. We hope for cooler days.

Friday, 6th: Classes ended at dinner-time. At 2 p.m. Fr. Rector read the College Rules to the

"multitude" assembled (with slight difficulty, as to space) in the Memorial Hall — and appointed the Prefects for 1959. Michael Deloughery is our Captain and Head Prefect. His "team" consists of:— David Johnson, Chris. Haseler, Terry Carver, Michael Conrick, John Plummer, Anthony Whealy, Colin Rickard, Mark Raper, Tony Herbert, Michael Dureau, Peter Kirby, Peter White, Brian Walker — who will be interested mainly with the boarders. For day-boys the prefects are Michael Lowrey, John Doyle, Robert Curtin, William Baggett, John Collins and Tom Collingridge.

Fr. Rector remarked on the excellent spirit evident all round in every sphere of our school life last year, and hoped that 1959 would see it continued.

In the city tonight the Old Boys' Union General Meeting was held at the Metropole Hotel. The new President is, as you know, Mr. **John d'Apice** (O.R. 32-36) — a name, incidentally, familiar to countless Old Boys down the years. The d'Apice family looms large in Riverview affairs for more years than we like to look back upon and John can be assured of the complete support of all Old Boys. The other officials may be seen at the head of the O.I.U. notes. A very successful meeting.

Saturday, 7th: A steamy, oppressive day until the late afternoon when a passing thunderstorm and rain gave us some relief.

Sunday, 8th: Riverview was just about overrun with visitors today and these included a great many recent and not-so-recent Old Boys. (We hope they make a habit of it).

We tried-out a "First Eleven" also, in the afternoon against a team from C.Y.M.S. We were pleased to see some of our batsmen show encouraging form.

Monday, 9th: Father Doyle, Prefect of Studies, is working overtime in his efforts to "house" the ever-growing classes. To fit in 510 boys before the new class-rooms are ready, is an outsize problem — which, strange to say, has even so been possible.

Tuesday, 10th: What about our pronunciation? "What is a **bison,** sir?" asked Kevin Mitchell. "It's an animal somewhat like a buffalo". "Wrong, sir", said Kevin: "It's a thing Orstralians wash their faces in". (Well, its only the beginning of the year !)

Wednesday, 11th: Michael Searley to "Spag" Quinlan:—"Do you believe in early closing?" "I certainly do", said S.Q. "Then, for goodness sake, stop talking !"

In Geography (or French?) class the master wanted to know if anyone had heard of "Gaul". "Oh, yes !" exclaimed S. Streber — "Gallstones".

Thursday, 12th: The Boys' Retreat has been postponed until second Term, so cricket practice has been feverish this week in all teams. No need to add that the Rowers are working like boys "possessed", every day.

Friday, 13th: Debating class started in Second Division today. Father Jones, Mr. Wootten, S.J. and Mr. Callagher (well-known G.P.S. Adjudicator) had charge of proceedings and will produce results.

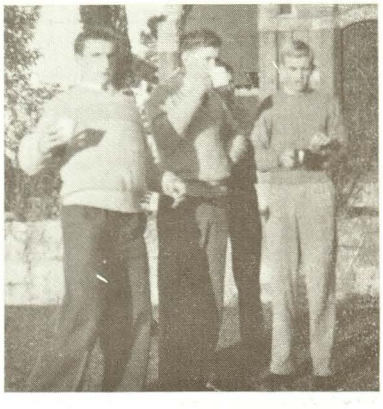
Fr. Lowery to Glen Mackintosh:—"Parse 'cow' in 'Mary milked the cow'." "Cow, noun, singular 3rd person, stands for Mary". "How can 'cow' stand for 'Mary' ?" "How can Mary milk the cow if it doesn't stand for her ?" (We draw a veil.)

Saturday, 14th: We began our Comp. matches today — with S.H.S. On paper, S.H.S. look in a comfortable position and we have yet to bat.

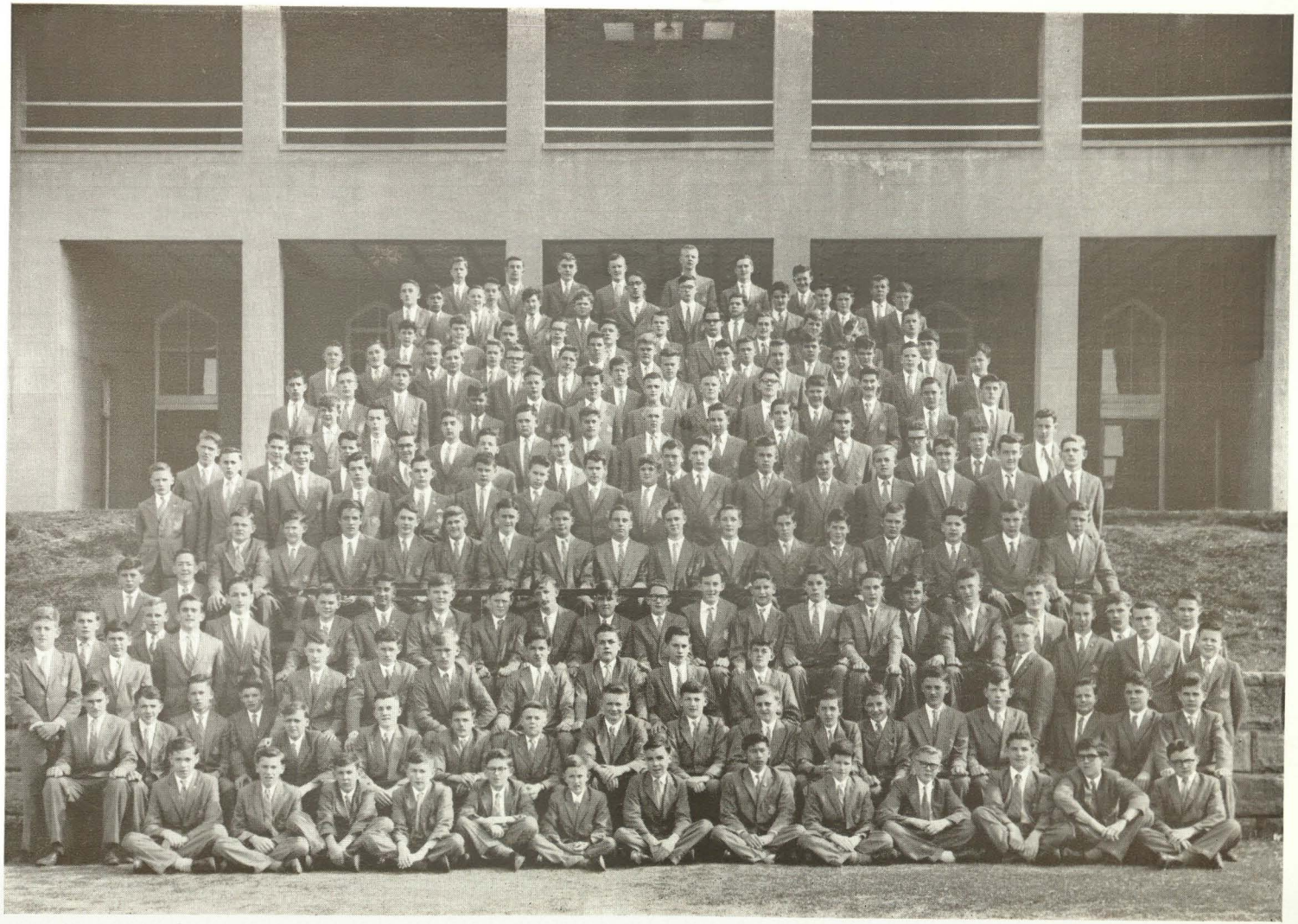
Sunday, 15th: The Parents and Friends' Association held their annual General Meeting and elections at Riverview today. Mrs. Chatfield was again unanimously elected President for the year opening. She has a very live "team" to back her up, and this vigorous body is already "on the move". We wish them continued and increased success. Riverview owes them a big debt of gratitude.

Monday, 16th: Mr. D. de Carvalho brought up the "Cavaliers" yesterday who gave our First Eleven a splendid game — we were pleased to see Michael Conrick already "in the runs".

Tuesday, 17th: We were all saddened to know of the recent death of Mr. Selby Burt — father of Peter, last year's Cricket Captain, and we offer Peter and his family our very deep sym-



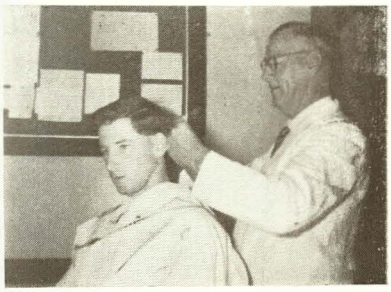
A QUICK REFRESHER.
(M. Raper, photo).



SECOND DIVISION

pathy. Mr. Burt was a keen follower of our team for some years.

Wednesday, 18th: It poured several inches of rain last night and continued all day. So we had early study and "hit the hay" long before the usual time. No one complained.



Mr. WALLY CURRAN has been giving us "hair-do's" since 1934.
(Photo — A. Quain).

Thursday, 19th: Coming up the steep steps from the swimming bath, Peter Macintosh looked back and said:—"Gee ! I wouldn't like to fall down there on my tail !" "You'd have some tale to tell, if you did", said Jack O'Brien.

Friday, 20th: "Si" Lister was discussing the 'toll of the road' — very much in the news these days. He suddenly asked Tim Hunter:—"What's an angel?" and Tim, his mind still on the above subject, replied:—"An angel is a pedestrian who didn't jump quickly enough". By the way, "Chapeau gris" = "a greasy chop". (Stick to the boaters !).

Saturday, 21st: The grounds were still soft after recent rain; some matches had to be abandoned but we were lucky enough to draw our game with Sydney High whose first innings score was rather formidable. Fred Kelly was the star bat for the First Eleven (see Cricket notes), with 64 n.o.

Sunday, 22nd: Home Sunday. We got a fine day at last and made full use of it.

The S.I.C. Younger Set held their Annual General Meeting and Elections at the College tonight. Miss Gai McEvoy was re-elected President for 1959 and she is supported by a very good committee.

"We" of the "Alma Mater" are most grateful to the Younger Set for their generous donation towards the expenses of the School Magazine.

Monday, 23rd: R.K. Class: A Master enquired:—"Who wrote the Bible?" A hand shot up (G. Darmody?). "Monsignor Ronald Knox, Sir !" (Wouldn't he be proud if he was alive !).

Tuesday, 24th: Charlie O'Hanlon to "Yac" Payten:—"What are you going to be when you grow up?" "After I've been a lawyer to please Mum and an engineer to please Dad, I am going to be a farmer, to please myself."

Wednesday, 25th: Tony Dempsey says Captain Cook discovered Australia after observing the transit of Venus in Lapland.

We enjoyed a successful Swimming Carnival tonight at the Olympic Pool, North Sydney. Many close finishes and good diving exhibitions.

Thursday, 26th: A Physics master had just announced that an electron is a negatively charged particle. "Mes" Griesser remarked to his neighbour:—"I wish I were negatively charged at the Tuck-Shop !"



A FEW OF THE "LOCALS".
(Snapped by C. Waterford).

Friday, 27th: Thunder clouds banking up; surely we're not going to have another wet Saturday (—although it favoured the First Eleven last week !).

FIRST DIVISION, 1959.

Top L.-R.: F. Johnston, D. Foley, D. Pearson, P. McCarron, P. Bookallil, P. Leahy, J. D. Hall, R. Rowe, M. Williams, P. O'Malley-Jones, J. Marr, D. Wall, P. Luscombe-Ward.

2nd Row: B. Johnson, P. Lemerand, A. French, P. Curtain, J. O. Maher, G. Hepworth, B. O'Halloran, E. Cahill, B. Hardyman, C. O'Hanlon, R. Pfafflin, J. Taylor, R. Lachal, J. Butcher, K. Corcoran.

3rd Row: P. Lubrano, J. Kirby, P. Jackson, V. Edwards, J. Flynn, J. Thorpe, T. Zlotkowski, S. Mitchell, J. Burke, R. Roberts. M. Glasheen, B. Clark, C. Hayes, A. Hartcher, P. Cornwall.

4th Row: J. Conlon, R. Moses, E. Murphy, M. Collins, D. Johnson, P. Kirby, M. Dureau, T. Carver, J. Doyle, M. Raper, A. Herbert, C. Rickard, C. Haseler, J. Sherwood, S. Lister, J. Wood.

5th Row: W. Nevill, J. Maguire, T. Vandeleur, J. Collins, T. Collingridge, J. Plummer, P. White, R. Curtain, M. Deloughery (Captain), M. Lowrey, A. Whealy, W. Baggott, B. Walker, M. Conrick, M. Schiller, J. Wilson.

6th Row: D. Ell, M. Roland-Bower, T. Hunter, R. Ahern, P. Finn, Gf. Meagher, G. Knight, A. Lenehan, J. Walsh, J. McDermott, A. Quain, I. Joyce, S. Spence, J. Sutherland.

Front Row: B. Donovan, M. Loneragan, R. Fagan, D. D'Arcy, R. Chalmers, J. Lyons, D. Payten, F. Kelly, N. Parbury, V. O'Toole, M. Mason, M. O'Brien, R. Stack, G. McCormack, A. McCormack, P. La Fontaine.

By the way, "auriferous quartz" means "two pints of gold" according to a fourth year expert. We'd like a gallon, please.

Saturday, 28th: Our comp. matches with Sydney Grammar began today — and there's still another day to go. We look as if we need it, but you can never tell. Rain threatened but did not fall. Wickets did !

Tuesday, 3rd: Any chance of cricket practice was washed out by a day's rain. The rain apparently just waits till the end of class and then comes down. Spooks about ! (Of course, rain is all in the day's work for those vigorous rowers — always hard at it.)

Wednesday, 4th: "Kip" Azar was hit in the ear by a cricket ball and his face is more or



HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL GILROY AT THE LAYING OF THE FOUNDATION STONE OF THE NEW BUILDING.

March:

Sunday 1st: Father Charles McDonald, S.J. (38-45) recently ordained, said the Boys' Mass this morning and later gave them all his blessing.

Monday, 2nd: A certain little boy was encouraged to form an orchestra seeing that in class he is such an expert "fiddler".

less "closed for alterations and repairs". Instead of being told, as he is regularly, to "pull his head (or nose) in" — it is now: "pull your ear in". At the moment it's jutting out.

Thursday, 5th: The first series of "Cards" for the term, was posted today and "G's" were remarkable for their rarity. Which master can claim to be "the great full-back". (The man you

can't get past)? Ask any Third Divisioner.

Friday, 6th: Peter ("Smiler") Neil was standing on a chair cleaning the top of the blackboard. H. Bartlett appeared: "Have you got a good hold of the duster?" "Of course I have, mutt!" said Peter. "Well, hang on while I borrow the chair". said H.-B. (We wondered what the crash was!)

Saturday, 7th: The matches with Sydney Grammar (mostly) were concluded today. The 15 A team is feeling rather desolate without the presence of J. Montgomery — a forceful hitter — whose arm is at present in a sling.

We enjoyed a good picture programme tonight.

Sunday, 8th: Home Sunday again and a fine warm day for those who got away.

Monday, 9th: The Puritans' motto according to John B. Dalton:—

"We are God's chosen few;
All others will be damned.
There isn't room in Heaven for you,
And we can't have Heaven crammed!"

Tuesday 10th: M. Schiller asked Costello why he put a lizard in So-and-So's bed. "Well, I couldn't find any frogs" was the reply.

Colour matches were fast and furious today — and a little rain to 'slipper' the wicket.

Wednesday, 11th: Col Lawson came late for class and when Fr. Roset asked him to explain, all he could think of was:—"The clock was set for eight — and there were nine of us."

And Mr. Wootten, losing patience, asked Hughie Bartlett: "Suppose you had four shillings in one pocket and three in the other, what would that mean?" H.B. replied: "It would mean that I had my brother's trousers on, sir."



THE "WAR-CRY".
(Photo — V. Edwards).

Thursday, 12th: Michael Glasheen our budding cartoonist asked a kindly neighbour if his (M. G.'s) latest picture was good enough to hang (in the gallery). "Hanging's too good for it" was the candid reply.



MICHAEL DELOUGHERY.
Captain of Riverview, 1959.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Friday, 13th: Richard Chisholm says, profoundly, that "women are, generally speaking, generally speaking". Ross Quinlan says he's quite right! We hope the respective mothers don't read this.

Saturday, 14th: We began our comp. matches with Newington today. The Firsts seemed to show some of their true form at last and should feel fairly safe for next week's finish. (see Cricket notes.)

In the 12 A's this morning, Roland Shelton, fast blossoming into a first-class bat, made 151 not out. These Shelton brothers look like making cricket history.

The Rowers took part in the Metropolitan Regatta. The Eight broke a rowlock and neces-

sarily faded out: the Fours showed good form.

Sunday 15th: We had two exhilarating matches — First and Seconds — against the Old Boys today. Plenty of hard hitting and expert fielding. For details see O.I.U. notes.

Monday, 16th: The Cadets are training vigorously each week in view of the Anzac Day Ceremonial. Detailed orders for N.C.O.'s included this one:— "The Cadets must be clean, and **shaven** if necessary". We hope none of them are "too long in the tooth" yet.

followed by a very "meaty" picture. Quite a good day.

Wednesday, 18th: Classes were somewhat comatose today. Well, what can you expect when it's "the morning after the night before"? However, things were generally peaceful.

Thursday, 19th: P.F.'s father, they say, on a visit, remarked that he had had a note from P.'s music teacher. "Honest, Pop" said P. "give me a shilling and I won't breathe a word about it !"

Friday, 20th: Father Drury was speaking



COLLEGE PREFECTS.
Back L.-R.: D. Johnson, P. White, B. Walker, M. Collins, J. Doyle.
2nd Row: M. Lowrey, R. Curtin, M. Pureau, T. Collingridge, J. Plummer, A. Herbert, C. Haseler.
Seated: P. Kirby, M. Raper, T. Carver, M. Deloughery (Head), A. Whealy, M. Conrick, C. Rickard.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

This may be a Monday — but we have in the back of our heads that tomorrow — St. Patrick's Day — is a full holiday, which softens things somewhat.

Tuesday, 17th: St. Patrick's Day. Nice to be free ALL day! City v. Country cricket in all Divisions resulted in a "clean sweep" everywhere for COUNTRY ! (You might suspect that we barrack for country ! — strictly neutral of course !)

Fr. Fitzgerald catered superbly for the "inner man" at Dinner-time and after Chapel we had an interesting Gymnastic display on the stage,

about the coming Palm Sunday ceremonies and said there was no need to duck when the priest sprinkled holy water on the palms, as the nob on the end of the sprinkler (which flew off last year), had now been secured. (All the same, John Dalton says he's going to get behind some big chap; taking no chances.)

Saturday, 21st: We finished our comp. matches with Newington. The Firsts were quite satisfied and many Junior teams too, had a good day. (See Cricket notes.)

Sunday, 22nd: Palm Sunday. How the time goes ! Every week seems to go faster than the

one before. Here we are practically at Easter already.

The Athletic team (temporary) had an interesting series of races at St. Joseph's College today and we unearthed quite a number of unsuspected "stars".

Monday, 23rd: A story is told of Geoff. Knight returning late to School and when asked to explain, replying: "Well, Father, every other place was shut". We don't believe a word of it.

Tuesday, 24th: The new building seems to be growing daily like the grass after a good fall of rain. We shall soon be impatient to get into it. Who will be first?

Thursday, 26th: Holy Thursday. We had our usual classes today because the Solemn High Mass and Ceremonies took place about 4 p.m. Everything went smoothly and impressively.

Friday, 27th: Good Friday. There was no class or study today. The Passion Sermon was preached at 3 p.m. by Father Cecil Smith, S.J. Later took place the Solemn Church Liturgy and about 4.45 p.m. the Boarders were free to depart for the short Easter holiday. No doubt, the Show on Saturday and Monday got its full share of Riverview sight-seers.

The Cricket Eleven departed by air to Melbourne for the annual match with Xavier College. There were other attractions down south, of course, besides the actual match!

Silence settled on us over the week-end. A pleasant break.

Tuesday, 31st: We ambled in about 8.30 p.m. tired but also refreshed after our Easter break.

The Cricketers returned from Melbourne loud in praise of the hospitality they received at Xavier, but did not win the match as you may see in the Cricket notes of this issue.

April:

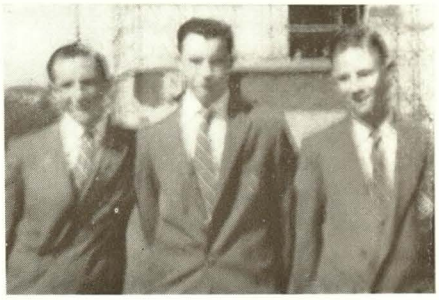
Wednesday, 1st: We (the Editorial "we") happened to be absent today so Quentin Leeder,



OUR EXPERT ORGANIST (DAVID D'ARCY).
(Photo — A. Quain).

David Lewis and company hadn't a chance of "putting one across", seeing the day it was.

Thursday, 2nd: A Master in the Refectory today, saw, in horror, a tea-pot on top of some lettuce. "Look at the tea-pot!" he exclaimed, and a bright spark nearby came back with:— "Yes, but look at the lettuce!" You can form your own conclusions. (Michael Bull again?)



LEGACY TO POSTERITY.
(Photo J F. McInerney).

Friday, 3rd: Final preparations for tomorrow's 75th Riverview Annual Regatta. The entries show 36 races to take place, so, with fine weather, we should have quite an interesting afternoon. The weather forecast too is all in our favour. Good luck to our hard-working Eights and Fours — not to speak of their coaches.

Saturday 4th: The 75th Annual S.I.C. Regatta this afternoon was blessed with ideal weather and conditions, and proved an unqualified success. The public attendance was, as usual, very large, and supporters of the various G.P.S. crews followed with interest the "form" of their favourites. That 'form' proved satisfactory all round and at present the G.P.S. races at Penrith on the 18th inst. seem very open.

For details of today's programme see the Rowing notes.

The Competition match with St. Joseph's College was begun today and at the end of play for the day, was left in an interesting condition for next Saturday's finish.

Sunday, 5th: The First Eleven had an interesting game and excellent practice with a Western Suburbs team.

Some energetic Third Divisioners actually put on a football match on Top Field, despite the warm conditions.

Monday, 6th: Last week-end there were headlines at Riverview — the College water-supply petered out and we went around with parched tongues for a considerable time. It seemed like a prolongation of Lent! However, the "parch-



...ONCE MORE, ACTIVITY AT THE ROWING SHED...
(Photo — M. Raper).

ment" didn't last very long.

Tuesday, 7th: They say that all things in America are controlled by a switch — except the children.

"Light" football training is becoming evident now. You see the enthusiasts doing the whole round of the property at a fast pace working up an early "condition". We'll have some marathon runners too before long, at this rate.

Wednesday, 8th: Paddy Jones, a sprinter of note, suggested that Fr. Roset should provide handicaps in the French exams. Term exams looming up, Pat, is hoping to "clock" 90%!

Thursday, 9th: At the rate of present intensive training the Anzac Day Ceremonial this year should be very polished indeed.

Football practice is already very evident everywhere. Cricket is all but dead.

Friday, 10th: With the question of the M.P.'s salary rise very much in the news these days, the Wardens are wondering if anything better than a picnic at Coal and Candle Creek will be offered them ! Anyway, Bill Hedger rings the cow-bell so well each morning that he, for one, deserves a good reward.

Saturday, 11th: We completed the Comp. match with St. Joseph's today, despite the rain — and lost by 32 runs.

Sunday, 12th: Home Sunday, with the usual peace at the "Home from Home."

Monday, 13th: Jack O'Brien asked his neighhour — "do we get grace when we marry?" "Haven't a clue", said K. Mitchell. "Well, Prince Rainier of Monaco did, anyway," said J. O'B.

Tuesday, 14th: Intensive football training had our bones creaking tonight. "Football is all right," said Max Garling, "but training ! — well, I must try and be polite !"

Wednesday, 15th: "Doc." King asked 'Bluey' Kirby what he knew about Margaret of Anjou. "She was very fat" said 'Bluey'. This was news to Dr. King. "How do you know that?" he asked. "Well," said "Bluey", "It's in the book, sir; 'Among Henry's stoutest supporters was Margaret of Anjou'." Enough said !

Thursday, 16th: The representative crews in the G.P.S. Regatta next Saturday are putting in final preparations on the Nepean today and tomorrow. They seem to be improving with every trial and we wish them everything they could wish themselves.

Friday, 17th: Reports today speak highly of Riverview's prospects in tomorrow's Head of the River races. Allowing for any possible overstatement we think that with good starts, we should be well in the picture.

Saturday, 18th: The annual pilgrimage by bus and car to the Nepean River. Excitement runs high.

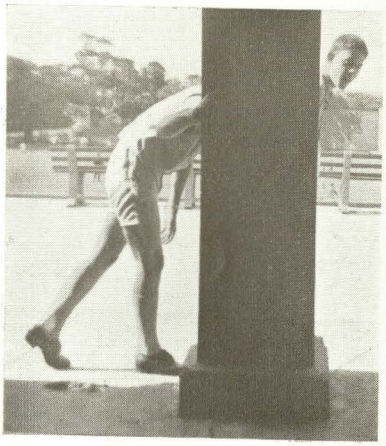
(Later). Excitement certainly ran high at every race. Our congratulations to Sydney High School on winning the Head of the River title. Their Eight rowed a magnificent race and were easily the best on the river. Our own Eight had several mishaps but in any case could not have equalled the performance of today's winners.

Congratulations also to our Third Fours on winning their race — and to their coach, Paul Ramsay. We had to be content in coming third in the Fourth Fours and 4th in the First Fours.

Our thanks to all our rowers on the keen work they did during the whole season.

Sunday, 19th: Rowing is over — for the present — and keen football opened up on all fields this morning. Weary bones tonight !

Monday, 20th: The prevalent "flu" has begun to attack us and the Infirmary has its full quota of victims. Fortunately, so far, the attacks are



"RUBBER-NECK", OR ELSE?
(Photo — A. Quain).

not very serious but some classes and many teams are somewhat depleted.

Tuesday, 21st: "Bread is the staff of life" said a Second Division debater the other evening. "But", said a cynic at the back (sotto voce), "The life of the staff is one big loaf". We shall have to identify that heretic ! !

Wednesday 22nd: The grass on the old Golf Course is growing quite high these days. Some First Divisioners, doing marathon runs for "conditioning" purposes are complaining of grazed legs. In other words — good grazing !

Thursday, 23rd: "Every time I hear your (angry) language Pat (Costello), a cold chill runs down my back", said a Master. "If you had been at our house last Home Sunday, Sir, when Dad caught his finger in the door, you would have frozen to death." Somehow, we are not convinced.

Friday, 24th: Keen, final preparations this afternoon, for the Anzac Day Ceremonial tomorrow. Mr. — let us say, Lieut. B. Kinnaird is leaving nothing to chance. We are sure of having a fine parade.

Saturday, 25th: Anzac Day. The whole Ceremonial programme went without a hitch. You may read the details further on in this issue but we may say here that we have never seen a finer display.

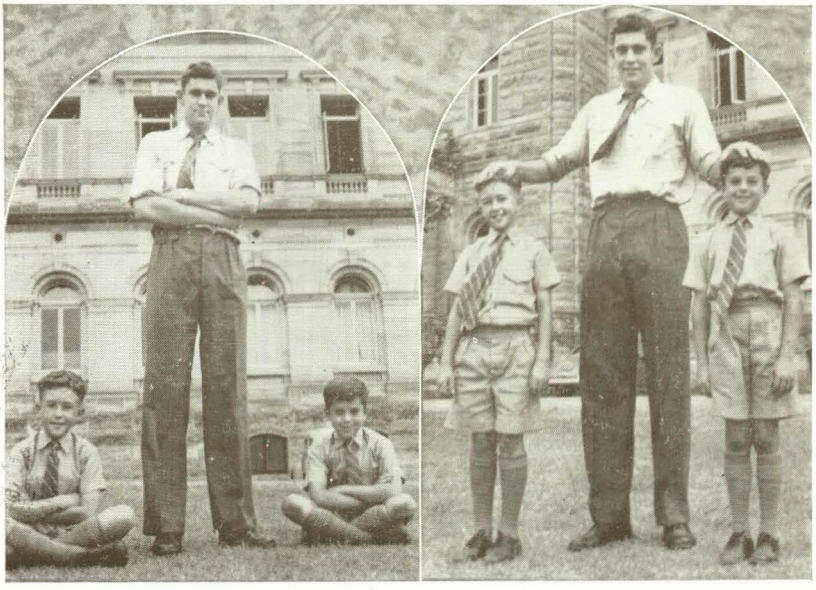
In the afternoon we had several matches with Barker College. Quite interesting football for our first games. The rowers, of course, were not playing.

Sunday, 26th: Home Sunday — the last of the Term.

Geoff. Knight is sticking out his chest this morning. He is now an uncle twice over. Old age creeping on, Geoff., but no matter how old you are, you don't look it !

Monday, 27th: The Term Exams. came at us with a rush today and apart from the pen-scratching, there was little noise.

Tuesday, 28th: We keep at it. Practically the only noise was an occasional "moan" from the Masters' quarters as the modern answers to age-old questions hit them "head-on".



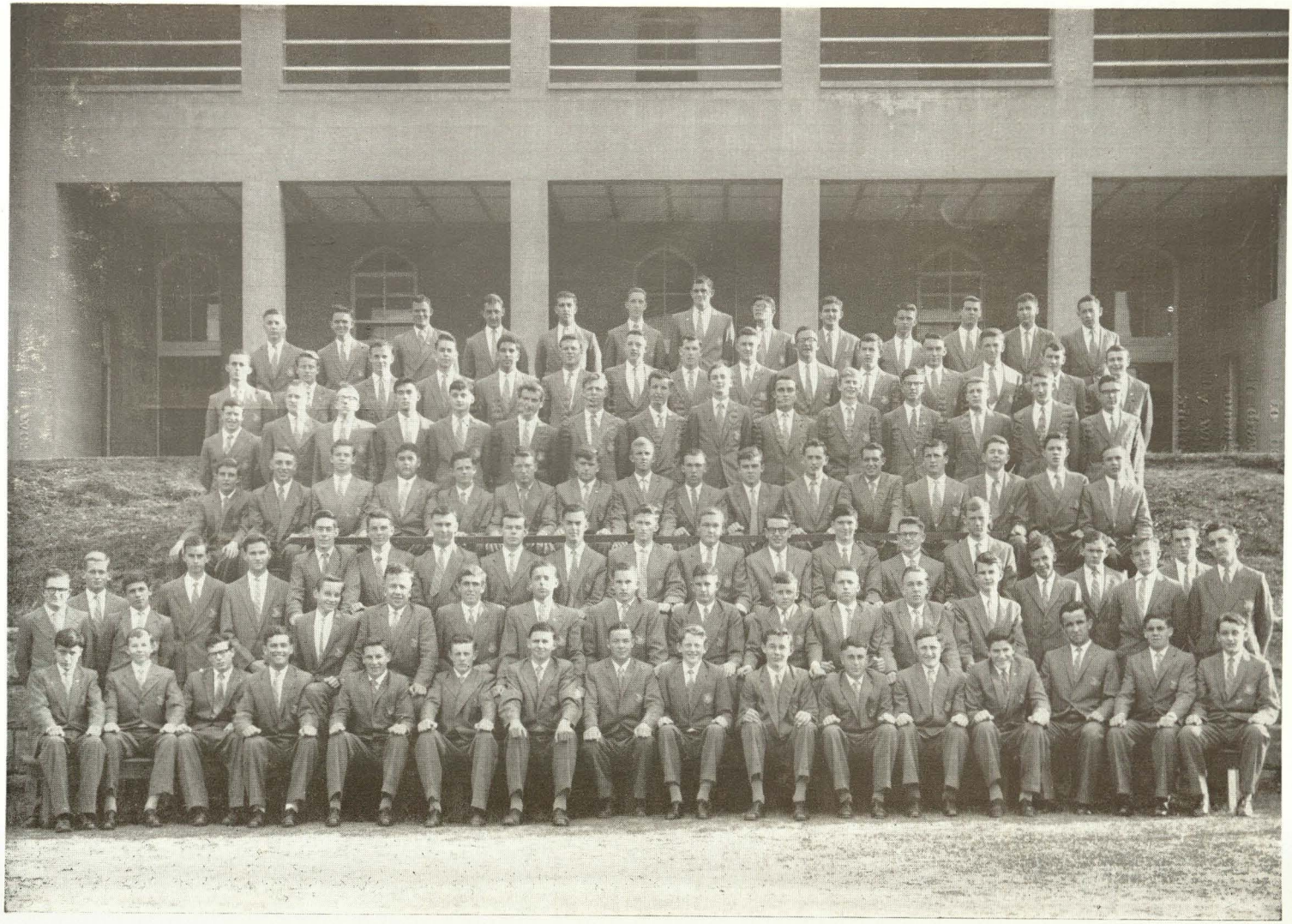
"THE LONG AND THE SHORT OF IT" at Riverview. D'arcy Hall paternally poses with S. Mulcahy and L. Paris.
(Photo — Mr. Crowley).

Wednesday, 29th: We packed this afternoon lest we miss a moment in tomorrow's "get-away".

After Chapel, we enjoyed a bright Danny Kaye film, and for the moment, forgot about Exams. (and possible results !).

Thursday, 30th: The usual "break-up" feeling was obvious from an early hour. The last exam. was packed up at 11.40 and after Benediction at midday — a rapid "skedaddle".

The end of a fast-moving term, ushered in by glorious weather. A happy holiday to big and small. Till we meet on May 26th.



FIRST DIVISION

SECOND TERM

May:

Tuesday, 26th: We shivered in tonight after a sunny though "nippy" holiday — as far as weather was concerned.

David Lewis, strange to say, seems to be only just cooling down. His description of a dance at Wagga makes us think that his normal temperature must have been well over the century! Well, well! and so young too!

Wednesday, 27th: "As you were". The same old bell at the same old time. But all the classes were not quite the same for we learnt that our Senior Maths. Master, Mr. T. Crowley is in hospital with a soaring temperature. We wish him a speedy recovery and return.

Thursday, 28th: Feast of Corpus Christi. The Procession of the Blessed Sacrament took place at 12.00 noon and Benediction was given in the front garden. Everything went smoothly and the singing was very good.

We were free (for football training!) in the afternoon.

Friday, 29th: We are shivering still. This "sunny New South Wales" also packs a punch. We are ready for our first inter-school game of the term — against Newington — tomorrow.



MUSIC HATH CHARMS !
(A. Quain).
(Photo — J. Burke).

Saturday, 30th: Our matches with Newington were played in the morning, as we went to see the British "Lions" v. N.S.W. at the Sports Ground in the afternoon. A thrilling game, with N.S.W. on top. We were pleased to see our former captain, Jim Lenehan (full-back for N.S.W.) in excellent form. We only wish we had him with us this year.

A good picture programme after Chapel finished an active day.

Sunday, 31st: We were glad to see John Bergin (31-32) on the premises yesterday morning — and was he glad to see his son Tom score a fine try in his first match!

June:

Monday, 1st: The Senior boys began their annual Retreat today, under the direction of Father Staunton, S.J. The silence all day in First and Second Divisions was quite remarkable. Father S. certainly "hammered it in."

Tuesday, 2nd: Still silence — only more so, seeing that Third Division had their day of Retreat, under Father Sneddon, S.J. The well-known "Cacklers" were amazingly silent too. Fathers Staunton and Sneddon must have been oustandingly eloquent.

Wednesday, 3rd: One of our jotters says that breakfast this morning was the "quietest" meal he ever attended despite the fact that the Retreat is over. (Upstairs, however, we seemed to hear the time-honoured echoes from below. Mark Moloney's voice is as penetrating as usual).

Thursday, 4th: Feverish football practice was the order this afternoon. We have many matches on Saturday next — with T.A.S. and T.S.C., (not to mention the annual fixture with Old Boys' teams on Sunday). However, we need "condition" at present.

SECOND DIVISION, 1959.

Top: P. Sheridan, P. Renshaw, T. Hartigan, M. Moloney, S. Rankin, J. Drury, J. Coolahan.

2nd Row: D. O'Connor, R. McCombie, M. Darmody, B. Lloyd, M. Sidaway: G. Ferguson, P. Merkelbach, P. F. McMahon, C. Dureau, P. McEvoy, W. Montgomery, A. d'Apice, C. Bull, L. McGovern.

3rd Row: W. O'Brien, P. Hayes, P. Beaumont, R. Letters, P. Ryan, M. Cannon, S. Streber, G. Guigni, C. Finn, J. Hayes, D. McKay, P. Chatfield.

4th Row: A. Reddan, P. O'Brien, J. Mitchell, J. Daley, P. Clifton, B. Tancred, J. Silver, M. Scott, J. Holley, B. Boardman, M. Pirola, J. A. Burke, W. Morley, R. Connolly, D. Ireland, G. Dangar, M. Searly, M. McGrath, H. Bartlett.

5th Row: I. Jacobs, A. Larnach, J. W. Burke, B. Coughlan, P. Meagher, G. Mackintosh, J. Willis, A. Mann, J. R. Dalton, D. Lewis, J. Baggett, T. Walker, J. Wansey.

6th Row: M. McDonald, D. Curtin, G. Garnsey, R. Mackenzie, J. O'Brien, G. Oxenham, G. K. Meagher, R. Hoeben, D. Aaron, M. Shanny, J. Meagher, T. Winn.

7th Row: P. Jones, R. Vandenberg, A. Keighery, G. Rogers, E. Rushton, P. Adams, J. Parker.

8th Row: T. Cunich, P. Flynn, F. Mayhew, M. O'Connell, A. Campbell-Gowie, T. Brindle, P. Carter, P. Corcoran, N. Johnson, K. Reddan, J. Green, S. Smith, T. Mort, P. Perry, S. Jones, N. Harpham.

9th Row: I. O'Rourke, P. Roche, F. Quirk, S. Walsh, B. Hughes, T. Beckett, D. Glasheen, F. McInerney, J. Cassidy, C. O'Neil, A. Donelan, M. Garling, W. Hedger, T. O'Halloran, G. Canning, B. Duhigg, P. Neil, A. Dempsey.

10th Row: M. Ahern, C. Fisher, W. Haynes, J. Carver, Q. Leeder, A. Parbury, R. Raper, S. de Sousa, W. Beerworth, A. Parker, J. Kemp, C. Lawson, F. Cahill, T. Kelly, R. Chisholm, P. Hughes, G. Darmody, J. Dowd, M. Gildea, J. Hahn, P. Fitzgerald, W. Fanning, D. Willis, P. Jones, G. Hoy, J. Rushton.

11th Row: M. McInerney, J. A. Dalton, D. Eastman, M. Coyle, G. Griesser, B. Ferrari, I. Horsley.

12th Row: M. Beston, R. d'Apice, A. Kayser, G. O'Sullivan, P. Wood, T. Meagher, G. O'Brien, N. Mason, J. Krivanek, G. Windsor, J. Vercoe, E. Corcoran, J. Flanery, R. Quinlan, D. Bruce, G. Kelly, K. Sullivan, M. Yewdall.

In Front: A. Rogers, P. Walker, R. Kelly, R. Madden, R. White, C. McCarron, T. O'Brien, A. Chan, M. Shelton, G. Roley, M. Talty, B. Kinsella, I. Bridge.

Friday, 5th: Feast of the Sacred Heart. Dialogue Mass for the whole School at 12 noon. We were free in the afternoon but continued to stretch the muscles a bit at practice.

Saturday, 6th: Matches everywhere — from 9.30 a.m. onwards — with the Scots College in the morning and with the Armidale School in the afternoon (Firsts only). We won most of the morning matches and also won against T.A.S. (14-6) after a rather ragged game. (You may read the details further on).

Second Division teams had "a day out", playing 10 matches, winning 9 and drawing one. Great promise there for future senior teams.

Sunday, 7th: In the morning the (2nd Division) 15B team rashly challenged the Fifth Fifteen, with rather disastrous results. The 15A team played the Fourths and put up a fine game which resulted in a draw: 11-11. Each side gave all it had and near the end the Fourths scored a good try which evened the scores as the 15 A's till then, led 11-8.

In the afternoon were played the annual matches between the School and the Old boys' Union. You may read the details of these games in the O.I.U. Notes. Rain interfered somewhat with the Barbecue which was held after the Firsts' game.

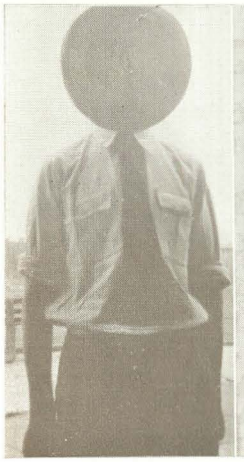
Monday, 8th: We should have voiced our congratulations sooner, to the Senior Debating team (Messrs. A. Whealy, S. Mitchell and P. Jones) who won their first 1959 debate in the G.P.S. competition against the strong Sydney High School team. This took place last Friday night. We hope for further successes.

Tuesday, 9th: John O'Brien says the fastest thing on earth is milk because its "past-eurized" before you can see it. (We wonder where he unearthed that one. Not from his head).

Wednesday, 10th: "What's holding you up besides the chair?" asked a sarcastic master. And David Lewis replied: "the thought of the coming long week-end"!

Thursday, 11th: Peter Ryan remarked that he saw a shark in the Lane Cove River recently. "I saw a bigger one at the tuck-shop yesterday," said J. Mitchell. (No names mentioned).

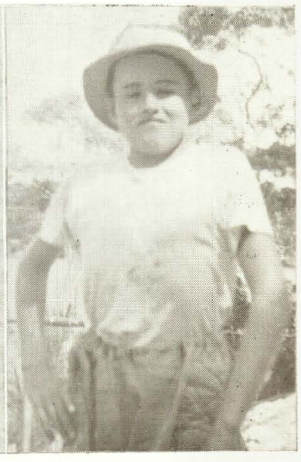
Friday 12th: We had a visit today from two of the British Lions R.U. team at present in Australia — Tony O'Reilly and R. Dawson. We shall see them play in the Test v. Australia tomorrow. We wish them luck (—but not too much!). "All set" for our long week-end.



MUMPS OR A "BLACK-OUT"?



BOOTS ! BOOTS ! BOOTS ! WOE TO THE BEETLES.
(Photos — A. Quain)



P. O'BRIEN.
A bit chesty.

Saturday, 13th: The wind cut us like a knife this morning despite some good fast matches (trial games) with Shore. However, our tally of wins Senior and Junior was satisfactory.

The Test (Lions v. Australia) at the Sports Ground was patronised by most of the school in the afternoon but Australia's display was rather pathetic. The "Lions" were lions all right, and simply gobbled up the home team.

The School is free until Monday night (Queen's birthday). Our best wishes go to her Majesty and we only wish she had two or three birthdays per year !

Tuesday, 16th: That long week-end was quite a tonic, despite our "stretch" in the Study Hall on our return last night. After all, we had to

put up some sort of appearances for the Masters in class this morning!

Wednesday, 17th: When First Divisioners were having their cocoa last night, the radio suddenly announced: "a hurricane sweeps King's Cross", and Tony French blurted out: "It's the first time it's been swept for years!"

Thursday, 18th: A certain Master who also happens to be a Riverview Old Boy, has been "dealing them out" to boys for carving their names on desks. Some bright individual, after class, showed him his own name, carved on a desk years ago! No names please!

Friday, 19th: At a debate, a speaker remarked: "Of course you all know what a molecule is". Scott Mitchell, chairman, interrupted:—"Most of us do, naturally, but you'd better explain, for the benefit of those who have never been up in one."

Sodalities and Prefects were photographed this afternoon lest posterity should miss them. Have a look and see what posterity's loss would have been!

Saturday, 20th: The Football Competition officially began today and our first games were with King's. The Firsts' game was a close thing which did not finish in our favour (8-11). The other games were more satisfactory from our point of view. (See Football notes.)

Sunday, 21st: We should have mentioned earlier (only we didn't know) that congratulations were due to Adrian Quain and Michael Collins on their fine efforts at the specialist camp during the holidays — two first placings. A good achievement.

Monday, 22nd: John Kirby, desiring to visit the tuck-shop the other day, asked Charlie O'Hanlon to lend him 2/-. C. O'H. said he had only one shilling. So J.K. asked for the shilling saying that Charlie could owe him the other!

Tuesday, 23rd: A difficult problem:—"Make up a sentence containing the words; detail, defeat, defence, and deduct. This was the solution: "De feet of de duck went over de fence before de tail". (We wonder how much of this is original! Ask John Dalton).



"HE-MAN".
(J. Burke).
(Photo — A. Quain).



APPEARS TO HAVE LOST HIS HEAD, BUT ISN'T WORRYING!
(Photo — A. Quain).

Wednesday, 24th: Stiff joints creaked today all round, after keen practice. A report from the Divisions says that "Mr. Walsh (2nd. Div.), is satisfied with a boy if he can kick with right and left foot and run 100 yards in 6 seconds. He may be, but First Divisioners hold that Fr. Drury isn't!" We hope this isn't an exaggeration!

Thursday, 25th: Shortly after lunch a loud clap of thunder rocked the class-rooms. "What was that?" asked a timid voice from under a desk. "Mr. Crowley's back!" came a hoarse reply! (He wasn't, but we shall be glad to welcome him next Monday.)

Friday, 26th: Heavy rain of late has been flooding the fields. We can only hope that they will be available for "umpteen" matches with Newington tomorrow. They'll be soft in any case!

By the way, "a celebrity is a person", says J. Renshaw, "who tries for years to become well-known and then wears dark glasses to avoid being recognised." Too true!

Saturday, 27th: We played Newington Seniors and Juniors, all day. Mostly fine matches all, especially the Firsts' which was a thriller and which we lost by one try and goal shortly before full time. "Big Blue" and "Little Blue" (Kirbys, of course!) were very conspicuous players for us.

Sunday, 28th: Home Sunday — with persistent rain (hard on the "boaters", but kept only a few at the School).

Monday, 29th: "We rejoiced this morning to welcome back that valiant man, Mr. Crowley,

who has been away ill for quite some time. We indeed missed him." (Jotter's note).

Tuesday, 30th: A certain "specimen" was asked today for the definition of a calorie. The reply was:—"A calorie is what women avoid eating so that they lose enough weight to be able to eat a lot now and again." (Correct? Well, ask the women!).

July:

Wednesday, 1st: This hot cocoa at night seems a very popular innovation during this "freezy" weather. First Division also warm up before a log fire, so we're not doing too badly.

Thursday, 2nd: "How many 'G's' did you miss out on last week when the monthly 'cards' were posted," someone asked Andy. "I didn't miss out on any" replied he. "Where did you spend the week-end?" "At the College; I got an 'N' Card."!

Friday, 3rd: Anthony Hordern's have closed down their book-shop at the College. We hope this won't mean "no exercise, Sir; No shop, to get an exercise book". Any excuse is better than none.

Saturday, 4th: Once more, congratulations to the Senior Debating team on winning their second Competition Debate last night, with Shore.

Today we played innumerable matches with Sydney Grammar School — 22 to be exact — and apart from the Firsts' game, did pretty well. The "Grammar" games are traditionally hard. These were no exception. (See Football notes.)

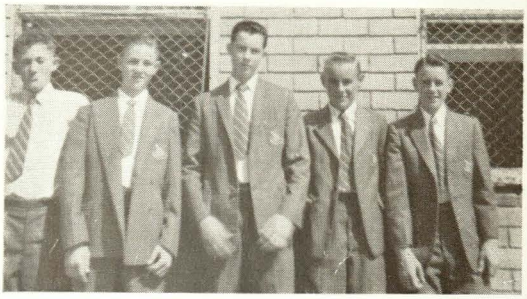
Sunday, 5th: As they say in Grammar A — "nihil faciens" (nothing doing)! — and no wonder, after yesterday's hectic games.

Monday, 6th: One of our jotters says:—"boys' hands are like camels, because they go for days without water". (We don't know where he dug up that one; anyway; he should know!)

Tuesday, 7th: "Hard training on Third Field followed by exhausting runs on Top field, followed by a refreshing (?) cold shower. And Mr. Walsh had the ill grace to ask us how we liked the "light conditioning?" Comment would be superfluous — and might set fire to the paper!



A FEW SECOND DIVISIONERS EASING-OFF.
(Photo — M. Garling).



SUN PARADE.
(Photo — M. Garling).

Wednesday, 8th: A fond mother is reported to have written to her son at Riverview:—"Well, dear, I hope you have been punctual in rising every morning so that you have not kept the School waiting for breakfast." If she only knew! This early morning rising-torture!

Thursday, 9th: A solid practice on First field. We are pleased to see Victor O'Toole appointed full-back for the first fifteen's game on Saturday. He played his first game this season with the Fifths and has worked his way steadily to the top.

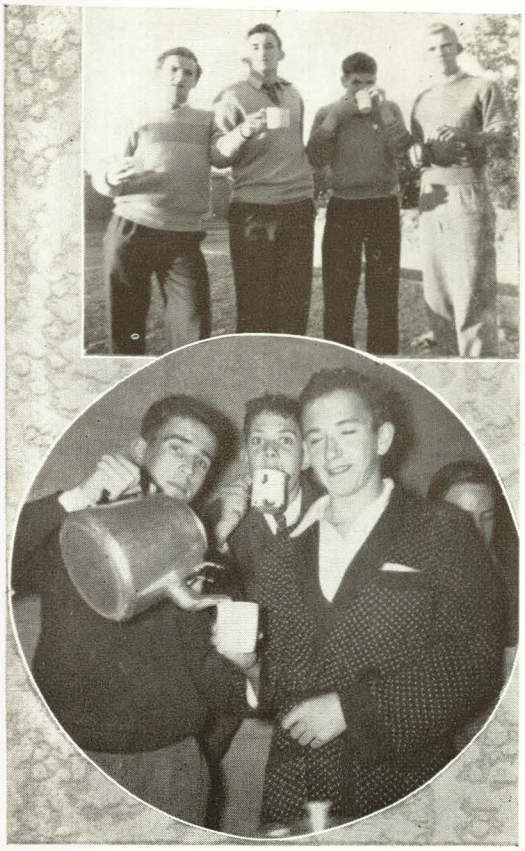
Friday, 10th: The annual **Lawrence Campbell Oratory Competition,** with a "field" of nine entrants from G.P.S. and other Schools, was held tonight at the Sydney Grammar School and won convincingly by our representative, Anthony Whealy (a senior S.I.C. debater). We offer him our congratulations and hope for further success in this sphere.

Saturday, 11th: All our matches today were with The Scots College, mostly at Bellevue Hill. Wins and losses were fairly even and there was much good play in all grades. (See football notes).

Sunday, 12th: A Home Sunday was a welcome rest for us all.

Monday, 13th: We are unfortunate in having lost our full-back (Terry Vandeleur) whose shoulder-blade was broken in the match against Grammar about ten days ago. Other, though less serious, accidents have interfered considerably with the regular arrangement of teams.

Tuesday, 14th: A certain (anonymous) boy was the only one in the class to get a difficult problem right in his exercise. When asked to



HOT COFFEE GOES WELL ON A COLD DAY
(Photo — A. Quain).

"state truthfully" if his father had helped him, he was most indignant: "No! He did it all himself!"

Wednesday, 15th: Peak-hour at the Tuck-Shop is 5.30 p.m. — when the footballers get changed and "get down to business".

It appears that a miracle happened in one of our suburbs recently: The friends of one of the boys tried to beat an express train at a level crossing, but the race ended in a dead-heat! ("Dead's" right!).

Thursday, 16th: Rev. Father Provincial came to Riverview today on his annual "once-over" visit. Our hopes are rising that his visit will produce that yearly half-holiday (at least).

Friday, 17th: Additional football accidents have interfered solidly with our teams' build-up in view of our Comp. game with St. Joseph's tomorrow. We can but hope for a soft ground and no more casualties.

Saturday, 18th, General football exodus this morning to Hunters Hill for countless matches with St. Joseph's. As far as wins were concerned it was a rather "thin" day for us, despite some fine games.

You may see the details in the football notes.

Monday, 20th: A tropical downpour all last night had the place well flooded today. And there seems to be more of it on the way. It was hard getting up this morning, apart from it being the "first day of the week". (Don't we all feel it!)

Tuesday, 21st: Football accidents have still further reduced our teams' "man-power". "Blue" Kirby's absence, especially, will be felt. All in the game (if we can still talk of "games").

Wednesday, 22nd: The Riverview Observatory celebrated the 50th Anniversary of its foundation today. Needless to say we missed the presence of the Founder (Fr. E. Pigot, S.J.), Fr. O'Leary, S.J., F. D. O'Connell, S.J. and the most recent Director, Fr. Burke-Gaffney, S.J., who died last year. We wish the Observatory, now under the control of Fr. A. Fynn, S.J., many more years of its brilliant success.

Thursday, 23rd: The monthly 'cards' were posted today. Our sympathy goes to Ross Quinlan who, as our reporter says, "missed out on a "G" card for the 14th time running by one "P". Keep striving Ross; the "full-back" (no name mentioned!) will lose his glasses one day!

Friday, 24th: Second and Third Division Football teams had their photos taken today in a freezing wind — about the coldest we have had this term. Incidentally, our sympathy was extended to Mr. Anderson of Melba Studios who also froze but gallantly carried on.

The Senior Debating team suffered their first defeat (by a hairs-breadth) tonight when debating with S.G.S. They are to debate in the semi-final in a few days, so we may yet see them in the final and they have our best wishes.

Saturday, 25th: Our matches with Shore today were considerably interfered with by much heavy rain. All Third Division matches had to be cancelled. The Firsts, Seconds and Thirds slithered up and down the field. The ground was soft, anyway! The 15A's however was a splendid game despite the mud. (See football notes).

Monday, 27th: The painters are busy giving the College windows a "new look". A Second Divisioner complains that they don't leave a cloth on which boys can wipe their fingers after testing whether the paint is dry or not!

Tuesday, 28th: This poster appeared on a Division board today:—"Visit Krivanek's garage; only the best greaser (G. Griesser) employed. An excellent meal may be had at

Porky's Cafe (1. Bridge); Much wild game procurable:—Sparrows (R. Quinlan), Weasels (Q. Leeder), hot dogs (G. G. above), and cats (T. Sullivan). (We haven't noticed any rush.)

Wednesday, 29th: The Cadet Band and Guard of Honour are daily practising for the opening of the new Church-school of the Lane Cove parish just up the road from us. His Eminence the Cardinal will formally open the building next Sunday.

Our Senior Debating team won the semi-final of the Competition tonight and now prepare for the final on Friday.

Thursday, 30th: "Who invented matches?" asked Michael Bull. "Oh, some bright spark, I suppose", replied John B. Dalton. M.B. (above) thinks too that a "bigamist" is a man who makes the same mistake twice.

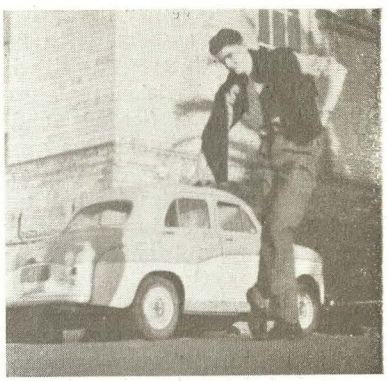
Friday, 31st: Feast of St. Ignatius! The annual whole holiday in honour of the Founder of the Jesuit Order. His Excellency the Apostolic Delegate kindly came to Riverview and said Mass for the boys at midday. His inspiring words to them must have made them proud of St. Ignatius and of Riverview.

"City v. Country" matches were played in Second and Third Divisions before lunch — resulting in "50-50" wins. After night prayers we enjoyed Rudyard Kipling's "Kim" on the pictures.

By the way, a little boy (Chris Waterford) was heard ringing his mother and dolefully telling her: "St. Ignatius Day, mum — and it's a Friday, so no turkey! Fish and chips I suppose, at dinner!"

August:

Saturday, 1st: Our sympathy to the Senior Debaters who lost the final debate last night to St. Joseph's College debaters. "Pipped on the post"!



WE HOPE THERE IS LEG ROOM IN THIS CAR !
(M. Raper — Photo).



IS TONY FRENCH AS BIG AS HE LOOKS HERE?
(Ask Mark Raper who snapped him.)

We played our final Competition Match this afternoon with Sydney High School and were unfortunate to lose by one point — just after the final bell.

Congratulations to The Scots College on winning the 1959 Competition.

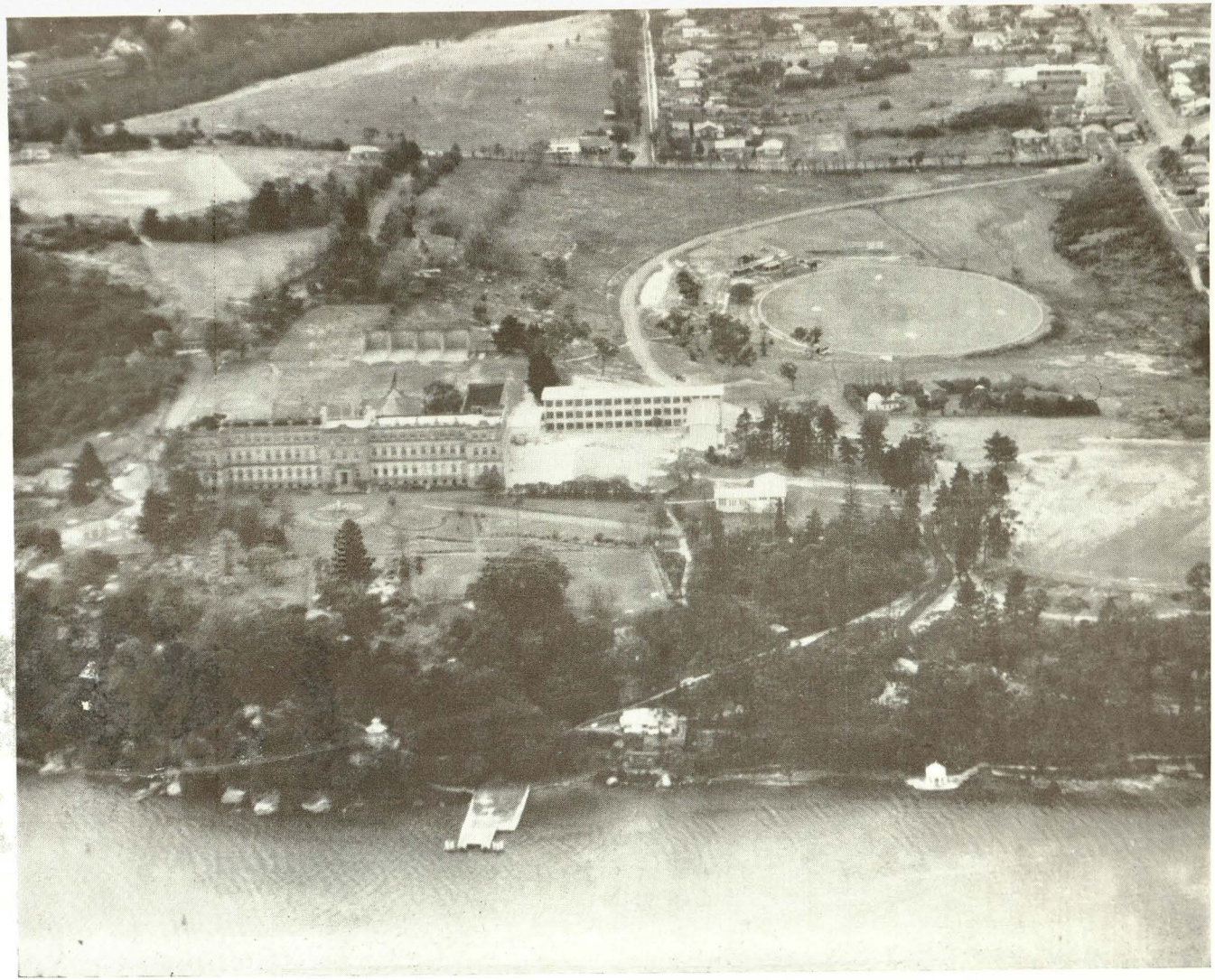
Sunday, 2nd: We were very pleased to see by this morning's papers that M. Deloughery, our Captain, and J. Thorpe (Vice-Capt.) have been chosen to play with the Combined G.P.S. First Fifteen next Saturday against Combined High Schools.

Peter Kirby plays with G.P.S. Seconds, G. Knight with the Thirds and P. Lubrano is a reserve.

Monday, 3rd: The Trial Leaving Exams come off in a week's time and a certain "fluttering" is noticeable in the L.C. class. Let us hope the nervous systems calm down before the fateful day!

Tuesday, 4th: Football is already mostly a memory and Athletic training has already begun. Different muscles but much the same "conditioning". We hope to discover some speedsters.

Wednesday, 5th: We accepted, with thanks, a half holiday today in honour of Father Provincial's recent visit to Riverview. "Hell Driv-



RECENT AERIAL FRONT VIEW OF RIVERVIEW.

ers" in the evening was a good end to the day. A rather exciting picture.

Thursday, 6th: The L.C. class rather monopolised the Study today in view of their test exams which begin tomorrow. Furrowed brows and somewhat panic-stricken faces were fairly prominent.

Friday, 7th: Seeing that the Senior football teams are being photographed tomorrow morning, the rain **had** to threaten! It's always the way; the clerk of the weather seems to have an annual "down" on photographers. However, Mr. Anderson of Melba Studios, is a hard man to beat!

Saturday, 8th: The Combined G.P.S. Games were played at the Sports Ground this afternoon. G.P.S. I. were too good for Combined High Schools, winning 25-11; G.P.S. II lost to Hawkesbury A.-C. 5-16 and G.P.S. III lost to Waverley — 9-13.

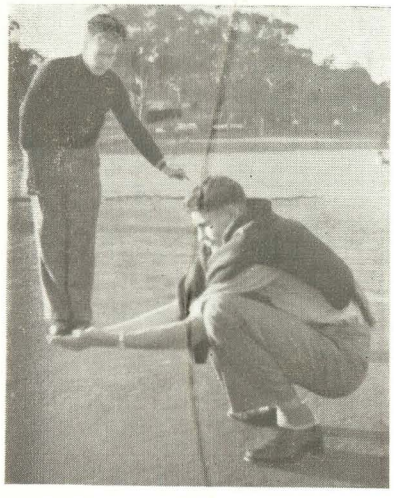
Good games, somewhat marred by bleak weather. Geoff Knight kicked all G.P.S. III points — 3 penalty goals.

The School having a week-end, things were quiet tonight.

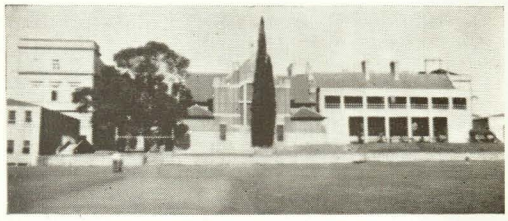
Sunday, 9th: The Home Sunday and week-end should freshen the brains for the Term Exams which begin tomorrow! Quite a number stayed back to brush-up the weaker points.

Monday, 10th: Well, those inevitable Term and (L.C.) Test Exams poured over us today. As far as we could see, they were taken quite calmly right down the School. (Some look on an exam as "an act of God" — just take it and like it !)

Tuesday, 11th: A reporter tells us that Fr. Carroll, in charge of the Study Hall, in order to assure silence at the beginning, stood up, blessed himself and "said grace before study". The association of ideas had the desired effect!



YOU WOULD ALMOST THINK . . . WOULDN'T YOU?
(Photo — M. Raper).



A FAMILIAR DAILY SCENE.
(Photo — C. Waterford).

Wednesday, 12th: Physics and Chemistry exams today seemed to sap our energy somewhat, if you can read faces. However, vigorous Athletics in the afternoon soon had us back to normal again. It's the Masters' turn now!

Thursday, 13th: Another "hopeful" exclaimed today at the end of exams:—"These exams would drive you to drink, only it's very difficult to get a taxi". Father Carroll, director of the Pioneer Total Abstinence Society, is pleased to note that!

Friday, 14th: A Papal dispensation allowed us to by-pass fish today and continue with "the solids". Paddy Hayes is very pleased. He is anxious not to lose weight and seems to be winning the fight rather well. But today he was entered as **two** competitors in an athletic event. Not fair to Paddy!

Saturday, 15th: Feast of the Assumption B.V.M.

The First day of our annual Sports produced some promising athletes and tomorrow should bring the best ones to the top. The weather, however, turned nasty, wet and cold. Conditions were unpleasant.

Sunday, 16th: We completed the Athletics programme this afternoon and the weather conditions were just as unpleasant as yesterday. Still, the programme could be and was completed on time. All events were eagerly contested and despite the strong wind many times were very good. (See Athletics notes.)

Monday, 17th: It would ill become us to pass over in silence, the performance of "Julius Caesar" staged last night by the members of the Leaving Class. In our humble opinion it was the best performance of the kind we have ever

seen at Riverview — and we have seen not a few.

You may read a detailed account elsewhere in this issue and here we confine ourselves to congratulating the producer, Mr. A. M. Gallagher, one of our lay-masters and the actors whom he trained so very well.

Tuesday, 18th: The Term exams began "in mass formation" yesterday, and brought us well "down to earth". We pegged away hard, like we did at the athletics, hoping for "good finishes" too, only this time on paper.

Wednesday, 19th: Bill Nevill told us that "Chemistry is not one of those subjects in which pure reason is required." The "reasoning" of "Foggy" Fagan seemed to bear our Bill's contention.

"Monty" Montgomery, Jnr., scared us with a terrific scowl today after he learned about his "brilliant" French exam! Anyway, we'll have the holidays to recover!

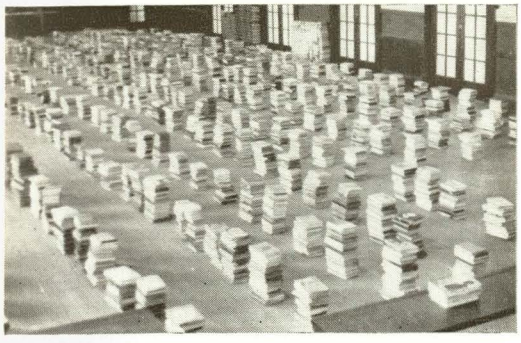
Thursday, 20th: Another term slips away into the twilight of Riverview history. After Benediction at 11.30 a.m., we closed down until September 8th. The fastest term we can remember, by the way. We only hope the holidays will give us time to breathe! Our best wishes go to everyone carrying Riverview's name around the country.

THIRD TERM

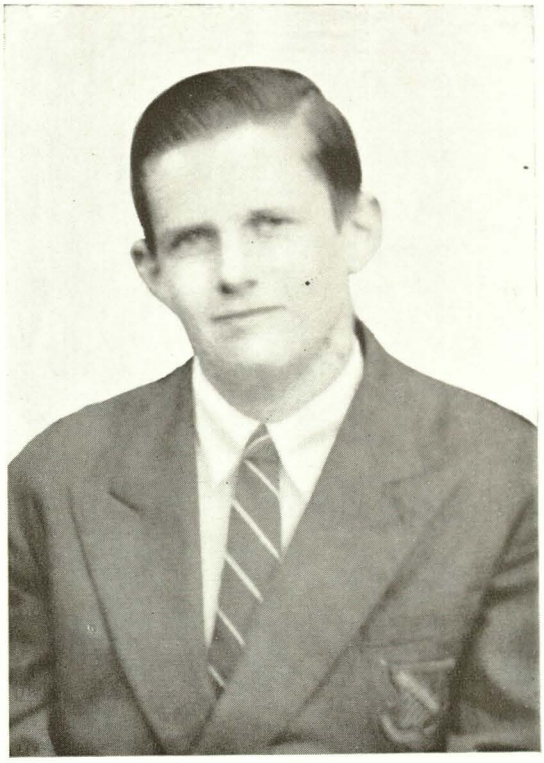
SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 8th: The heavens wept quietly as we returned tonight from the holidays (which seemed to beat all speed records !).

Wednesday 9th: As you were ! Things settled down so smoothly that you would hardly believe we had ever been away. We are sorry to have parted company with Wayne Williams who has taken up work on the home property with his brother Johnny. We hope he won't forget to pay us occasional visits. We welcome two third generation boys in the persons of Anthony and Simon Norris and are glad to have that old Riverview name once more on the roll.



START OF THE NEW SCHOOL LIBRARY.
(Photo — P. Odillo Maher).



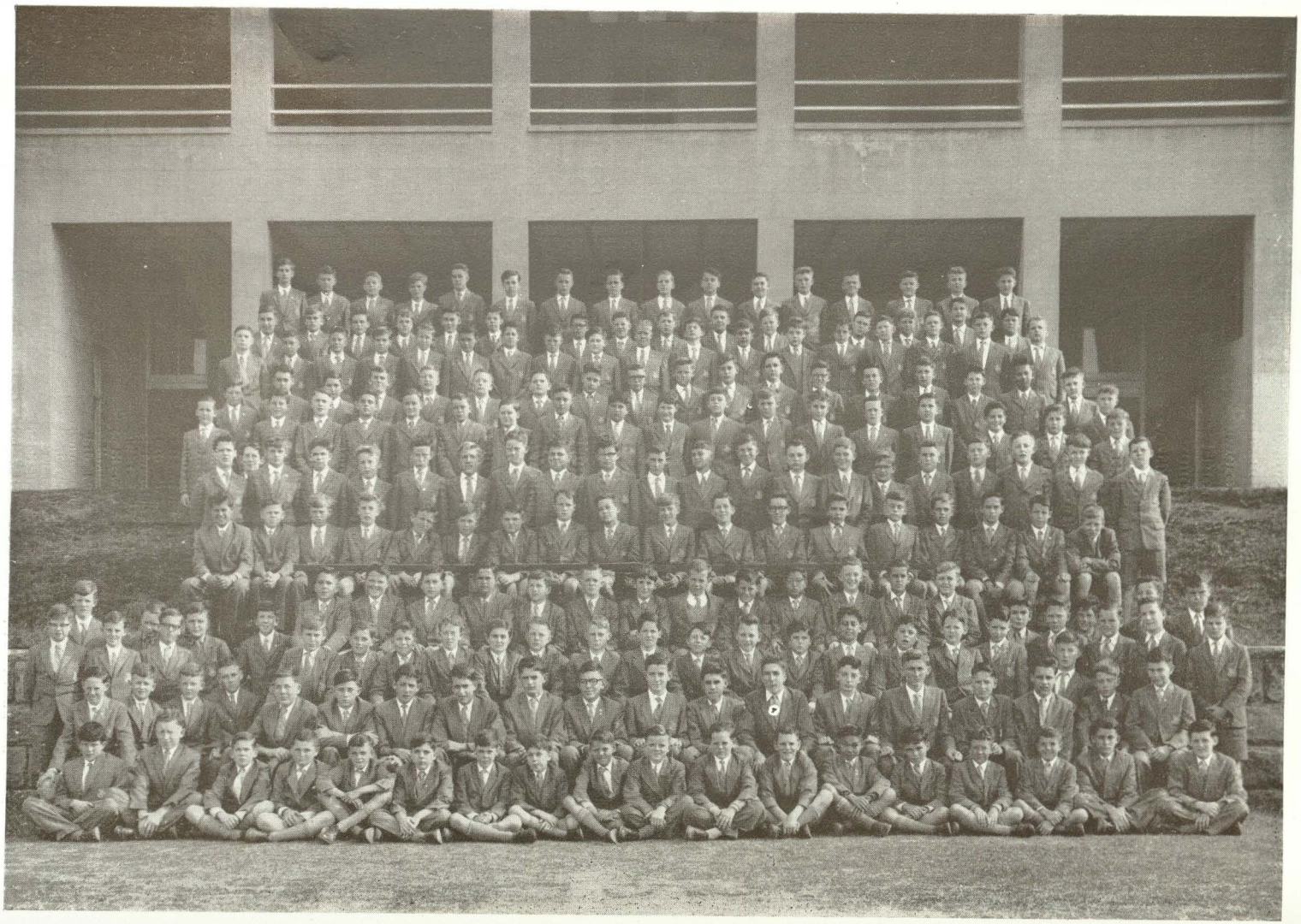
DAVID JOHNSON.
Dux of Riverview, 1959.

Thursday 10th: Rain has softened the fields a bit two much. But we were able to do some Athletic training near the House. The new building lit up last night was an impressive sight.

Friday 11th: Terrific activity in the Quadrangle this afternoon — setting up the various booths for tomorrow's Indian Bazaar. The weather too, seems to promise well.

Saturday 12th: A perfect day greeted the large crowd attending the Bazaar which was opened shortly after 2 p.m. by His Eminence Cardinal Gilroy, ably supported by V. Rev. Fr. Provincial, Mr. Justice McClemens and our visiting Missionary, Father L. Lachal and "Business" was extremely brisk all the afternoon and until a late hour at night. Receipts, we think, should reach an all-time record.

Sunday 13th: The quadrangle was a sorry sight this morning after yesterday's feverish activity. But if we wore a hat, we would remove and



THIRD DIVISION

wave it to congratulate the boys who in less than an hour had the whole place spotless once more. They did a truly magnificent job.

Monday 14th: "As you were!" Classes resumed and we got down to business once more. Athletic training continues in all Divisions. We still have some programmes to finish before the G.P.S. Athletic meeting claims our attention.

Tuesday 15th: Second Divisioners are on a game called "Soft-ball" — the only game played without rules. "The umpire's decision is final" we are told, but of course, there's no umpire either! The game should be popular — (and might often be concluded in the boxing ring).

Wednesday 16th: Echo from "My Fair Lady" comes from the Athletic Field: — "The pain insane stays mainly near the sprain."

"Anonymous" writes: — "I wish there wasn't fish for Every Friday dish". He has our sympathy.

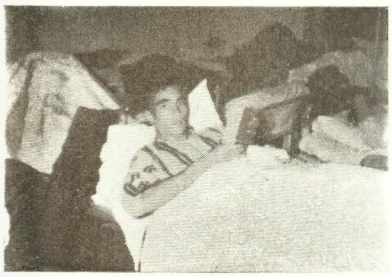
Thursday 17th: The painters are still at work, giving the place a "new look". Our reporter says: "Fr. Fraser has all the luck; he threw something out the class-room window this morning and hit the painter first shot!"

Friday 18th: Tuning-up for the Ryde-Hornsby Athletic meeting tomorrow which may unearth some hopefuls for the G.P.S. Athletics. A City v. Country meeting was held at home.

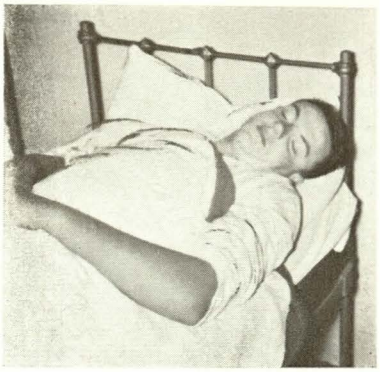
The new building is all but completed and is an impressive sight. A sarcastic Second Divisioner said: "They're taking so long over it that it will have to be renovated before it's opened!" We don't agree. They don't believe in slip-shod work; nor do we.

Saturday 19th: Our team did very well today at the Ryde-Hornsby Athletic meeting and brought home the Secondary Schools' Shield for the second time. A very good practice.

Those who did not compete at this meeting



VICTOR EDWARDS.
Relaxes after the day's work.



ANTHONY WHEALY.
Also — a long time after!

(Photos — A. Quain).

THIRD DIVISION, 1959.

Top: C. Taylor, A. Kerr, G. Richardson, B. Ferguson, A. J. Enright, A. Norris, M. Gillan, S. Norris, T. Duval, L. Walsh, J. B. Dalton, T. Bergin, A. Shanny, R. Clark, W. Mackenzie, J. H. Kelly.

2nd Row: P. Cameron, C. Spence, P. Wadsworth, W. Loneragan, J. L. Kelly, P. J. McMahon, J. Connolly, G. Delaney, J. McKinley, M. Emery, T. Mann, M. McGlynn, A. O'Grady, J. Leonard, M. Clark.

3rd Row: G. Skuthorp, W. Edwards, R. Harkins, D. Russell, P. Dwyer, M. Lyons, D. P. O'Brien, B. Fagan, P. Brown, A. Ozoux, J. Messara, P. Cahill, G. Hartigan, C. Enright, A. Campbell, P. Donnellan, M. J. Montgomery, J. Bamford.

4th Row: R. Clifton, L. Sullivan, N. Griener, J. Tancred, M. Mayoh, D. Giblin, C. Williams, J. Jones, M. McCormack, R. Honeyman, P. Carroll, F. Fletcher, G. Atkin, H. R. Stewart, J. Searly, I. Bright, D. Merchant, M. A. Bull, J. Rixon.

5th Row: H. Dodwell, J. Flynn, J. Brennan, M. Armstrong, P. Witts, J. Atkinson, P. Wawson, R. Gerstal, R. G. Kaldor, R. Shelton, J. Graham, T. Haves, J. Mitchell, P. McCarthy, A. Dick, C. Anderson, A. Byrnes, K. Mitchell.

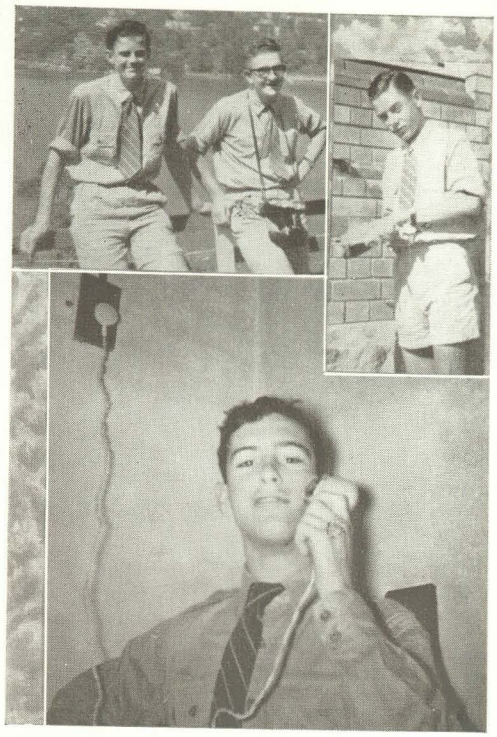
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7th Row: J. Parker, P. Sullivan, P. Mackintosh, T. O'Neil, W. Moulder, G. Bagot, R. Falk, J. Cahill, J. Resteven, P. Loneragan, R. Braham, T. Le Fevre, M. Price, R. Nolan, D. Fitzgerald, K. Salvat, P. Keighery, R. Arnold.

8th Row: R. Harpham, P. Parbury, C. Waterford, B. Gordon, R. Clarke, P. Coleman, P. A. O'Brien, R. Corcoran, J. Oxenham, R. Alagna, P. Lynch, C. Rogers, V. Tang, J. O'Connor, K. Morton, G. Carrigan, R. O'Neill, J. Dennis, M. Priess, T. Bathurst, G. Davidson, G. Thomson.

9th Row: P. Comrie-Thomson, B. McLuckie, D. Sutherland, P. Knight, W. Bye, R. Healy, B. Hess, G. McGrath, A. Coffey, M. McEvoy, G. Keighery, C. Hartcher, K. Hartman, N. Larkins, S. Sharah, J. Hughes, D. Garnsey, A. Timbs, L. Clark, T. Hawcroft, P. Kearney.

10th Row: M. O'Halloran, M. Walker, A. Kirby, I. Tonking, J. O'Brien, P. McEwan, G. Hepworth, R. Campbell-Jones, A. Hamilton, J. Egan, D. Bergin, T. Saleh, D. Buckingham, G. Ward, P. Ward, O. Brennan, S. Lusher, V. Kurrle, G. Lister, M. McInerney, M. Graham, P. J. Delaney, R. O'Brien, S. Nogrady, C. Price, J. Van Drehnan, T. Drake-Brockman, P. Glasheen, G. Burden, M. d'Apice, J. Lynch, K. Lynch, L. Tang, D. M. O'Brien, S. Mulcahy, L. Paris, R. McDonnell, C. Maclean.



CASUALS AND SHAVING DE LUXE.
(Photot — A. Quain).

"staged" a City v. Country meeting at Riverview.

City ended up with 894½ points, Country lagged behind with 661½.

Sunday 20th: We thought that Summer was coming in, but today we shivered back into "woollies" and nearly froze. We hope it's winter's "last kick".

Monday 21st: Paddy Jones is never at a loss for a "cut-in" at any discussion. In the line-up this morning at Brother Johnson's office he observed that "money isn't everything; for instance, it isn't plentiful". Too true.

Tuesday 22nd: "My Dad was in the last war" said "Monty" Montgomery, "and he's always tired on April Fool's Day". "Why's that ?" asked Michael Bull. "Because he's had a long March of 31 days."

Wednesday 23rd: The great migration begins. The new class-room block being completed, the Leaving and Intermediate classes move in. Quite an experience, to live in such large, bright and airy rooms.

Thursday 24th: Further benches etc. are steadily going into the new building and by next Monday we should all be comfortably housed. The ghosts will haunt the old time-honoured class-rooms through which so many past "stars" have passed.

Friday 25th: We are ready for an interesting Athletic afternoon tomorrow when we meet athletes from St. Aloysius' College and from some city clubs — (including Randwick-Kensington). Always a keen meeting.

Saturday 26th: The Athletic meeting this afternoon proved very useful and gave us an idea of hopeful material for the G.P.S. Athletics on October 10th. We registered many first places among Seniors and Juniors.

Monday 28th: Yesterday being a Home Sunday we relaxed generally. Today, however, the Cadet Unit had some intensive practice in view of our Passing-Out parade on October 4th.

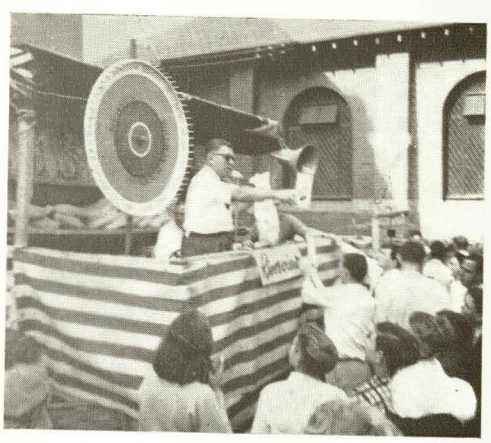
Tuesday 29th: General "migration" to the new class-room block yesterday and today was an interesting experience. Comparatively luxurious accommodation is now available and thoroughly appreciated by all — young and old. We invite all readers — Old Boys especially — to come and see for themselves.

Wednesday 30th: "Which shall I take: — Rowing or Cricket ?" is a rather burning question to some.

C. Brennan says: "Rowing has it all over cricket; You can row with a cricket-bat but you can't bat with an oar." Batty !

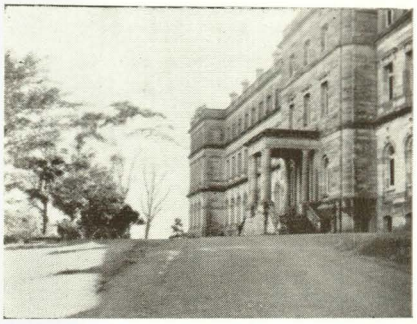
OCTOBER

Thursday 1st: Father John McGee '47-'48) recently ordained, returned to his old School last night and said the boys' Mass this morning. We were glad to have him with us again and wish him every success in his future work.



(At the Indian Bazaar.)
PHIL PRIOR SELLING HAMS AT THE OLD BOYS' STALL.

Friday 2nd: A nice little riddle: "What is it that has lots of legs, green eyes and a yellow back with green stripes ?" asked Ray Stack: "Search me" said J. Lyons; "What is it ?" "I don"t know, either", said R.S., "but it's on the back of your neck !"



NEARING "THE HOME FROM HOME".
(Photo — S. de Sousa).

Saturday 3rd: Until heavy rain washed it out, we had a very interesting and well-run athletic meeting this afternoon between competitors from King's, Shore, St. Joseph's and Riverview. Our groundsmen, Kevin Jacobsen and Eric Thomas had the Oval in first-class order and there was much keen racing before the rain came and spoiled a good section of the programme.

Saturday 4th: The annual Passing-Out Parade was listed for today. The Cadets were trained to the minute and a large number of visitors arrived. Torrential rain came down drenching all and sundry. The Cadets however, despite the "impossible" conditions, carried out the parade on the flooded Oval. All honour to them. Our sympathy goes to them and especially to their commanding officer, Mr. B. Kinnaird who had the Unit at the peak of condition, on this unfortunate term to his efforts !

Monday 5th: Public holiday (Labour Day). Owing to the transport difficulties for the large number of day boys, the whole school had a "day off". It's an ill-wind that blows nowhere !

Tuesday 6th: Less than a month remains before the Leaving Exams begin (Nov. 3rd) and the L.C. victims have realised the melancholy fact. Study Halls are unusually crowded.

Wednesday 7th: The Rowing season starts again. There was a large attendance at the Shed yesterday and today, many hoping to "make" a G.P.S. crew for next year. Father Pietzsch's headaches begin !

Thursday 8th: Some Leaving Honours Trial Exams were held today and the "victims" seem quite cheerful over them. We wish them all the luck they need.

Friday 9th: Ray Stack and Michael Searly have been doing experiments in the Chemistry Lab. today. Just as well we are having a week-end. It will enable the experiments to blow-over in more senses than one: When Ray starts mixing chemicals, you approach at your own risk !

Saturday 10th: This morning we photographed the Senior and Junior Athletic teams and sent them to the Sydney Cricket Ground later where the time-honoured G.P.S. Athletics meeting will be held this afternoon. Our best wishes are with them.

Later: They did us credit — both Seniors and Juniors, the latter winning the Junior Championship for the third year in succession. Congratulations to all the placegetters. (See Athletics notes).

Sunday 11th: Home Sunday (and week-end). A nice finish to yesterday's hectic afternoon.

Monday 12th:

"There was a young man from Japan,
Whose poetry just wouldn't scan;
When I questioned him why,
"Said he: "I must try
To put as many syllables into the last line as I can."
(He did too !) (R. Q.)

Tuesday 13th: Cricket made its immediate appearance today on all fields. Even during the lunch hour, we see enthusiasts practising slip-fielding. Just one thing after another.



DAVID LEWIS THINKS OUT "A GOOD ONE" FOR MR. GALLAGHER.
(Photo — T. O'Halloran).

Wednesday 14th: "Jack" Drury told J. Krivanek today that the "unbridgeable difference between a master and a boy is, fundamentally,

that they are at different ends of a piece of leather fifteen inches long." Take it or leave it.

Thursday 15th: "What's the time ?" asked P. Merkelbach. "Time you got a watch" growled Tom Hartigan; and "What's the organising force in a household ?" Mum's the word !

Friday 16th: Dr. King's "Culture Hour" — (Motto: Be a vulture for culture) at 3.45 p.m. is becoming more popular every week. Classical music is getting a great hold.

B. B. says he aims to be a dentist when he leaves School and is going to have his gravestone inscribed: — "Filling my last cavity."

Saturday 17th: The Cricket Competition resumed today and we met Shore at home. We started well, anyway, Terry Carver disposing of 8 wickets for 22 runs and John Thorpe making 72. With a lead of 169 runs we have hopes for next week's final innings.

Sunday 18th: Back-to-Riverview Day comes again. Along with it we had the solemn opening and blessing of the new class-room building by His Excellency the Apostolic Delegate. There was a very large attendance of parents, friends and other visitors who had an opportunity of inspecting the building in detail.

Later in the afternoon the Old Boys put on a barbecue near First Field and after Benediction gave a concert which was much enjoyed by everyone. Rain interfered somewhat with the day's activities.

The ladies of the Parents and Friends' Association provided afternoon tea for the large number of visitors. (See O.I.U. notes).

Monday 19th: "Monday-itis" was rather pronounced today. P. R. told Mr. Wootten in Chemistry Class that he couldn't understand a certain definition and looked it up in the book, with no more success." Then I looked up the definition you gave us, Sir". "And what did you make of that ?" "I couldn't understand that, either, Sir !" Mr. Wootten has a rather drawn look !

Tuesday 20th: Torrential rain kept us well inside the House and Second Divisioners on the outside verandah had much bed-moving exercise tonight.

Cricket practice out of the question.

Wednesday 21st: Tony Herbert had a yarn which we find it hard to swallow: — "When we first laid eyes on the Jamieson Valley, Blue Mountains, my friend's face dropped a mile !" "Why — was he disappointed ?" "No, he fell over the rim !"

Thursday 22nd: Anthony Whealy's recipe for "the best way of fighting your sister, is to grab your hat and run " The sisters will be glad to know about this. All they need do is: "turn it on".

Friday 23rd: We had a fine day at last, but owing to several days of rain, the grounds were too soggy for practice. We hope they dry by tomorrow when we finish our games with Shore.

Time marches on and those Leaving Exams are creeping, creeping, creeping closer and closer ! Scott Mitchell finds the days are too short for all the work he has to do.

Saturday 25th: Our flags were at half-mast today in common with others, to mark our regret at the untimely death of a good Christian, and a good man, Mr. J. J. Cahill, Premier of New South Wales.

We completed our match with Shore and had the satisfaction of winning on the first innings — 20 runs short of an outright win.

Sunday 25th: Home Sunday — and at last ! beautiful weather in which to enjoy it.

We notice a strong selection of the Leaving Class staying back to do some extra "Swot" in view of the Exams, only about a week ahead.

Monday 26th: It was noticed in class that the French call a plum "une prune" and a grape "un raisin". "We conclude therefore" says our reporter, "that they eat only dried fruit over there." (If he only knew !)

Tuesday, 27th: Glen Mackintosh is reported to have said that he saw a Scotchman stop in the middle of the street holding a loaf of bread in his hand, and apparently "waiting for the jam in the traffic" ! (We heard that about Harry Lauder 30 years ago, but you've probably forgotten it !).

Wednesday 28th: Simon Norris is satisfied that a man may marry many times and to prove it, be quoted the words: "I take her for (4) better, for (4) worse, for (4) richer (4) poorer" — and that makes 16 ! ! !

We'll have to convert him before he leaves school !

Thursday 29th: Rain again, most of the day. We want photos of the three Divisions tomorrow and our prospects look thin. "Sunny New South Wales" — "Oh Yeah !"

Friday 30th: We had rain yesterday, today we had torrents — 313 points ! The place was flooded and the Division photos are postponed to an indefinite future. However we **did** manage six cricket teams during a lull in the downpour.

The L.C. class as of yore, were fully conscious of their last day's class for 1959. Old Boys, looking back, will remember many "episodes" on this day (So do the masters !).

Our games with King's tomorrow are all cancelled, same for the Firsts and Seconds.

Saturday 31st: A beautiful cloudless morning at long last but we still suspect this weather. We began the match with King's after lunch and thanks to Terry Carver's bowling (9 wickets for 20 runs), we started well. After one over when we had started batting — thunder, lightning and a mighty downpour (see above !) the match was washed out for the day. Congratulations to Terry Carver, anyway, for his fine performance. We hope for fine weather next Saturday and prospects of a win seem bright, as we have only 38 runs to get to equal T.K.S. score. Who will bet on the weather now ?

The "Wardens' week-end" began this afternoon. It seems to have replaced the old-time Warden's picnic. The house seems half empty tonight.

NOVEMBER

Sunday 1st: Feast of All Saints. As one Reporter puts it: — "Finis Coronat Opus — meaning that, although the work isn't hard, it's a 'devil of a bother' to think up the last day's jotting". We thank him (Ross Quinlan) specially for his regularity during the year (Ed.)

Monday 2nd: The Leaving Class experts are doing a final brush-up before "zero hour" tomorrow when they face their first papers. All our best wishes are with them.

Tuesday 3rd: Everything comes to an end, if you only wait long enough. We have been waiting for this day since last February. The Printer is grimly waiting for us at the moment and if "Our Alma Mater" is to appear by Break-up Day we shall have to close down right away.

We do so with mixed feelings. Another year has gone — a pleasant, fast-moving year, be it said, yet the end of a year, with its inevitable final departures and good-byes, has its moments of regret.

We can but thank all who have made the year as happy as it has been and (more personally) those who have helped us in so many cheerful ways in the production of yet another issue of "O.A.M.".

It is offered to our readers with a certain trepidation and sometimes with the feeling that we would like to escape to the top of a mountain and pull up the road after us ! !

That being so, here's wishing to all — Present Boys, Old Boys and generous helpers, a first-class holiday, a Christmas second to none and a New Year brighter and better, if possible, than ever before. (Editor).

Schooldays are the Happiest Days of Your Life

By Michael Glasheen

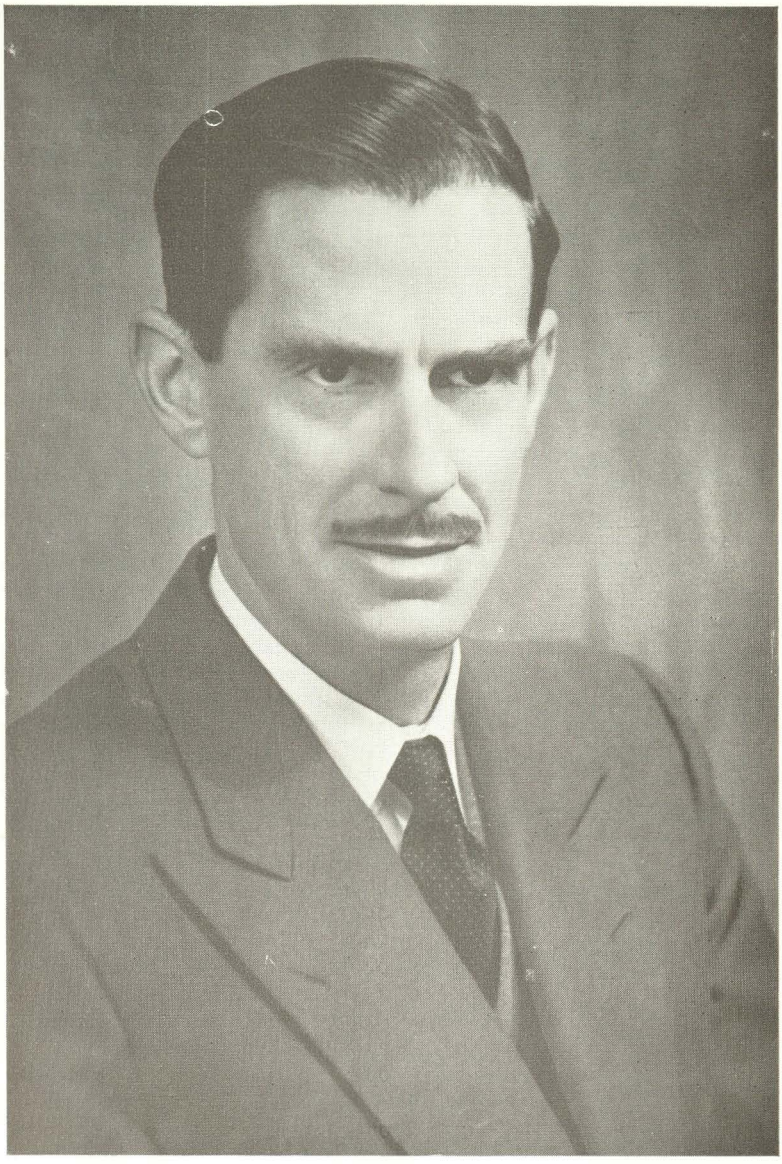
ALL KNOW ME AS AN ASTUTE PATRON OF ANTI-SCHOOLISM. Perhaps I am not so astute. So far, school days are the happiest days of my life, but they are my only days. There cannot be a competition without competitors. Thus, I shall merely have to content myself and you, with what I have been told and have seen of post-school days.

I am very happy at school and most others are too — for three main reasons. Chiefly and obviously, we are young — we have more capacity for enjoying ourselves than have adults. Being rather immature, we are more easily attracted to a varied array of interests and amusements. Secondly, we are reputed to be less infected with troubles being as yet innocent of the voids and vices of the outside world. Thirdly, I feel that there is something stimulating about the spirit of comradeship which permeates the atmosphere of a school. It is an indescribable feeling — we are the school and the school is us — and perhaps only finds a parallel in the army.

So far so good, but what does the opposition, myself included, have to say? Would not life be more sweet without the restrictions, labour, discipline and punishments of school life? Undoubtedly it would — for a while — but just like long holidays, life would become most monotonous and boring if an adequate education at school were omitted? People would become, as Dean Inge aptly phrased it, "bored by their own empty-headedness".

I suppose I must throw all my spirit of anti-schoolism to the winds. Schooldays probably are the happiest of your life, but the parts that are not happy contribute to the more happy parts after school.

I am in such a tangle now that I cannot resist asking those adult advocates of schooldays why they don't go back to school if they like it so much. I think I know why. —M.G.



JOHN d'APICE.
President, O.I.U. 1959.

Old Ignatians' Union

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Sub-Committees:

The following Union sub-committees were appointed early in February:—

Annual Ball and Social: B. L. Nowland (Convener), V. C. Davis, D. de Carvalho, M. Glasheen, A. Patterson, E. Theodore, A. Harris, L. P. Raper. (The Younger Set to attend Ball meetings).

Indian Bazaar: S. Raper (Convener), C. O'Dea, C. McElhone, M. McGrath.

Jesuit Mission: C. O'Dea (Convener), W. Conlon, H. Kelly.

Finance: C. McElhone, K. Slocum, H. d'Apice, A. Bridge (Convener).

Sport: V. C. Davis (Convenor), W. O. Maher, A. Harris, D. de Carvalho, E. O'Halloran, C. O'Dea (co-opted.), M. Hardie (co-opted.).

Younger Set: B. L. Nowland and A. Harris.

Religious and Sociological: A. Bridge (Convener), E. O'Halloran, W. Conlon, Dr. E. McDermott, J. Hunt.

Country Fixtures: Dr. C. J. King, M. Glasheen.

Attendance: E. O'Halloran (Convener), Dr. E. McDermott, H. d'Apice, W. O. Maher, E. Theodore.

Bursary: Dr. E. McDermott, H. d'Apice, J. Hunt.

Back-to-Riverview Day: C. O'Dea (Convener), D. de Carvalho, V. C. Davis, W. Conlon, E. O'Halloran.

Sixty-Second Annual General Meeting.

The annual General Meeting took place at the Metropole Hotel on Friday evening, February 6th. Quite a large number of Old Boys was present. The College was represented by V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. (Rector) and Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J.

Mr. Max Glasheen, the retiring President, was in the Chair and asked the Hon. Secretary (Mr. D. de Carvalho) to read a list of apologies received from Old Boys unable to attend. These included:

Rev. Fr. N. Collins, Dr. G. H. McElhone, Messrs. B. A. McBride, S. Raper, J. Leese, W. Conlon, J. Kelly, B.

Thornton, J. Dynon, Bryan Rush, Geoff Connolly, R. J. Barry, J. Dunford, S. A. Carroll, J. R. Hunt, M. Hardie, J. Sloane (Q.), B. Seppelt.

D. de Carvalho then read the minutes of the last General Meeting which were received on the motion of K. McDermott seconded by V. Quarrell.

Mr. Max Glasheen welcomed V. Rev. F. Rector, Fr. McLoughlin, Mr. T. K. Crowley and the large number of Old Boys present.

He moved the adoption of the Annual Report and Balance Sheet, copies of which were in the hands of all present. He briefly reviewed the functions that had been held during 1958, laying special emphasis on the appeal for funds in aid of the Rowing Shed requirements — an appeal which resulted in a satisfactory amount of over £1,000. The Annual O.I.U. Ball, the Annual Dinner, the Retreat, the Indian Bazaar and all the Country reunions proved most successful also.

He congratulated the College on its successes during 1958, thanked the Country organisers for the successful reunions, Mr. O'Dea for the use of his office for Committee Meetings, Mr. Aaron for his help with the O.I.U. Circulars, Fr. Rector and Fr. Fitzgerald, S.J. for their hospitality to Old Boys and all members of the Committee who had "pulled their weight" so splendidly during the whole year.

Mr. D. de Carvalho then read the report of the S.I.C. Bowling Club which is growing in membership and proving a great success.

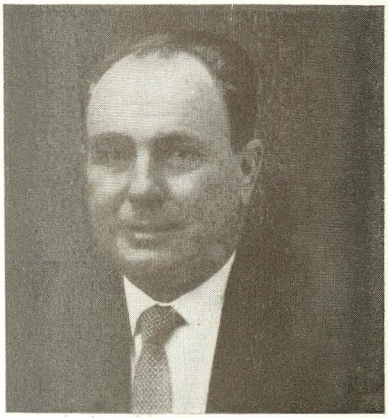
Father Wallace, S.J., congratulated the Union on its most successful year. Its members had shown enterprise and initiative. He felt that the tie between the Old Boys and their School was stronger than ever. The President was the friend of everyone, easy to work with and indeed the whole Executive had proved themselves true, active and enthusiastic friends of Riverview. The College could look back on 1958 as a very successful year. Examination results were good — passes being slightly over 80%. "Not by sport alone do we live", though the sporting results too were satisfactory. The new large building now in course of construction was coming along well and the School roll had passed the 500 mark for the first time in Riverview history. Riverview relied on the Old Boys for continued support and present signs showed that such support was very evident. He wished the incoming Executive every success for the year just beginning.

Election of Officers for 1959 was then proceeded with.

Mr. John d'Apice had already been elected as the new President, O.I.U.

As **President-Elect** for 1960, **Dr. Emmet McDermott** was proposed by Dr. C. J. King who said that Emmet was at the very top of his profession as a Dental Surgeon and a regular supporter of every Riverview project. He was seconded by Mr. Alan Bridge and there being no further nominations, Dr. McDermott was unanimously elected and thanked members present for the honour conferred on him. He hoped he said, that he would be able, when his term of office began, to rise to the stardard already set.

For the post of **Hon Secretary, Mr. Albie Zions** was proposed by Mr. Hedley Kelly and seconded by Mr. E. O'Halloran. He too was unanimously elected, there being no other nomination ! **Mr. Ken Doyle** was similarly elected as **Hon. Assistant Secretary,** on the proposal of Mr. Cecil O'Dea, seconded by Mr. Hedley Kelly.



A. ZIONS.
Hon. Secretary, O.I.U.

Mr. Hedley Kelly who held the office of **Hon. Treasurer** during 1958 was again proposed for this position by Mr. A. Zions, seconded by Dr. McDermott and unanimously re-elected. Voting for Vice-Presidents and Committee took some little time, during which Mr. Glasheen spoke in praise of their new President (Mr. J. d'Apice) and of his work for the Union during the past year, Mr. d'Apice expressing thanks and "returning the compliment" to the retiring President.

The results of voting for Vice-Presidents and Committee are as stated at the beginning of these notes.

This General Meeting was a remarkably bright one and the Executive "Team" for 1959 promises to be a most successful one.

It was particularly gratifying to see so many of the Younger Old Boys at this meeting and to note that two of them (A. Harris, 1958 and W. O. Maher, 1957) were elected to the Committee for which they can do valuable service.

Hedley Kelly, 44; Fr. B. Lowery, S.J., 34; J. Sullivan, Jnr., 18.

Bowling for the School, D. Foley got 6 wickets for 76 runs; T. Carver 2 for 30, T. Vandeleur 1 for 15.



Cricket:

On Sunday, March 15th the School First and Second Elevens met corresponding Old Boys' teams and two interesting games resulted.

The Firsts' game ended in a draw. The Old Boys batted first and made 188. Some of them, however, obviously threw their wickets away. Their chief scorers were: D. de Carvalho, 45;

The present boys replied with 161 for the loss of 5 wickets before stumps were drawn. Michael Conrick batted well for 53 before he was run out. Dennis Foley was also prominent with 47. Other double figures were W. Nevill (14), and B. Johnson (13 not out). Fred Kelly retired at 10, and M. Deloughery was 9 not out. For the Old Boys, Hedley Kelly got

one wicket for 4 runs; Peter Foley, 1 for 18; Peter Burt, 1 for 2; and M. O'Dea 1 for 22. It was an interesting game and gave the School team a useful practice.

The Second teams played on Second Division field. The Old Boys' first innings ended for 59 runs; A. Harris, 12; P. Bradfield, 10 were the only double figures. The School team made 197, the principal scorers being: J. Carver (43), T. Meagher (29 n.o.). M. Johnson (27), P. Roland (14), P. McCarron (12), A. Loneragan (13).



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

The Old Boys did better in their second innings, making 121. J. Drury (21), A. Johnson (18), Johnson (15 n.o.), P. Leckie (14). The bowling analysis was not kept and the School Seconds won by an innings and 17 runs.

The Annual Ball.

The annual O.I.U. Ball was held at the Trocadero on Tuesday evening, April 23 and was well up to the standard of its predecessors.

The number of Catholic School Balls being held round about the above date had some effect on the attendance but the big Trocadero ballroom was well filled by Old Boys and friends, the number present being calculated as between five and six hundred.

The official tables were very tastefully decorated in the College colours together with the School badges of the various G.P.S.

We were particularly impressed by the presence of a large number of Old Boys of recent years and it was a real pleasure to meet them — on one of the few occasions when so many get together.

For the large number present — besides the work of Mr. John d'Apice and Mrs. d'Apice, very great credit is due to the enthusiasm of the members of the Younger Set. They, we understand, were responsible for the table decorations and had every reason to be proud of their work.

Representatives of the other Schools were received by the President of our Union, Mr. John d'Apice and Mrs. d'Apice, who spared no pains in making everyone feel at home.

From Riverview came V. Rev. Fr. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector), and Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J.

In the middle of the evening, announcement was made of the coming departure overseas of **David de Carvalho** with a team of cricketers. He was called to the centre of the floor, Old Boys crowded in a circle round him, gave the School war-cry and cheers and wished him a successful trip.

We were specially pleased to have with us at this function that honoured and distinguished Old Boy, Sir Henry Manning (92-96). A former Riverview Captain. Despite the passage of the years, his love for the School grows ever stronger and all Old Boys are glad to have him with them.

It only remains for us to offer our congratulations to Mr. John d'Apice, Mrs. d'Apice, the members of the Executive O.I.U., and the S.I.C. Younger Set on the success of a dignified and happy gathering.

Annual O.I.U. Reunion at Canberra.

On May 9th, the second Old Boys' Reunion in the A.C.T. was held at the Hotel Canberra and, as we expected, was a splendid success.

Mr. T. Thorpe, Manager of the Hotel, can only be termed a "prince of hosts" and did everything possible to make the Old Boys feel at home. In this we have a suspicion that he had a helping hand from Mrs. Thorpe when we saw on the tables, the College Colours displayed in blue and white flowers — a thoughtful and gracious gesture noted by everyone. Mrs. Thorpe, too, showed the guests many other kindnesses during their stay.

As far as we could see, every seat but one was occupied — which meant that over 40 Old Boys were present.

After the dinner we received a list of the guests — from which we know that several names are missing but we give those we have and apologise for omissions. The 'flu, we know, prevented some from coming.

Those we saw, for sure, included:

Mr. John d'Apice (President, O.I.U.), Ken Doyle (Hon. Assistant Secretary, O.I.U.), Dr. Don Gillespie, Messrs. Alan Bridge, Q.C., Max Glasheen, John Doyle, Michael and Terry Meagher, Marcus and Noel McAuliffe, Tom Corcoran, Leon and John Garry, John Julian, Ian McKillop, John Fisher, Kevin Meagher, Peter Curtis, Brian Ell, Neville and John Gorman, Frank Slocum, Robin Lees, Murray Crowe, John Dalgarno, Jack Townsend, John Durrell, Gerald O'Hanlon, Robert McCarthy, John Thorpe, H. H. Hayes, Denis Robinson, Ray White, Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., Fr. L. Lachal, S.J.

Apologies were received from:

P. and L. Heffernan, G. O'Hanlon, R. A. McKillop, Alan Watson, John Lyons, W. Hallam and Robert Ryan.

Neville Gorman presided and thanked Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe for the general (and generous) arrangements that had been made to welcome Old Boys to this second annual reunion.

John Thorpe deputised for his father (who had been prevented by an important appointment from attending), and gave the Loyal Toast.

John Julian then proposed the toast of the College. He spoke of its unique setting, its dignity, the spirit of great friendship existing between masters and boys down the years, decade by decade. The roots of its spirit go back to St. Ignatius and St. Francis Xavier. Priests and brothers down the years fostered that spirit and instilled into boys the ability to go out into the world, their characters largely developed to give of their very best for their fellow-men and their country.

In the absence of **V. Rev. Fr. F. J. Wallace, S.J.** (Rector of Riverview), who was recuperating in Queensland from a severe operation and who, to his great regret, could not be present, Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J. briefly responded and supported John Julian's remarks on the loyalty and friendliness of Riverview Old Boys — second to none.

Peter Curtis proposing the Toast of the Union, remarked on the splendid dinner we were enjoying and said that this was an important occasion which brought us together, bound as we are by a common tie, for an exchange of views and to look back in gratitude to the School years. The Union is Riverview at large he said and is a necessary complement of the College. A Riverview education imposes on us a definite responsibility and everyone of us should support the Union to the best of our ability.

John d'Apice (President of the Union) replied and having thanked Neville Gorman, Brian Ell, Ian McKillop and Mr. Thorpe for the successful organisation of the reunion, gave Old Boys some details of the work of the Union during the past year — main successes, so far, being the Rowing Club appeal (£1,200), the annual Ball, the Anzac Day Ceremonial. He outlined the O.I.U. 1959 programme emphasising the Annual Dinner (May 17th) and the Retreat. He proposed a special toast to the Canberra branch of the Union and congratulated its members on the success of this function.

Father L. Lachal, S.J. on a visit at present from the Australian Jesuit Indian Mission, was welcomed to the dinner and by special request gave Old Boys very interesting details of the work being done in India, mentioning especially, of course, the Riverview Old Boys at work in that Mission.

An election was held for the 1960 officials of the Canberra branch of the Union and resulted as follows: President: Brian Ell, President-Elect: Ian McKillop, Hon. Secretary: Frank Slocum, Hon. Treasurer: Dr. Don Gillespie.

Alan Bridge spoke briefly about our Life Vice-Presidents, the first of whom was Mr. A. W. M. d'Apice, father of our present President and one who had held every office in the Union. Others who commanded universal respect were Messrs Archie Rankin, John Boylan, Jim Kinkead, not to mention Dr. George McElhone, still with us.

Michael Meagher briefly thanked Father Lachal for his interesting remarks on the Indian Mission. (Mr. Meagher's son Paddy, S.J. went to the Mission at the beginning of the year).

Formalities concluded, we "congregated" in another room close by, where "talk" was "fast and furious" until a late hour. (Though the hour was late, we (the Editorial "we") found it hard to leave. Ask Noel McAuliffe !).

Annual O.I.U. Dinner at Riverview.

The Annual Union Dinner was held at Riverview on May 17th and was attended by a very large number of Old Boys — in fact, many considered that the attendance was a record.

However that may be, we do not recall a more pleasant and enthusiastic gathering. Our President, John d'Apice and members of the O.I.U. Executive are to be congratulated on the success of their organising efforts.

Benediction was held in the College Chapel at 6.15 p.m., after which Old Boys repaired to the Junior Refectory for light refreshment before dinner.

Before proceeding to the main dining hall, a formal General Meeting was held, the main object of which was to secure Old Boys' approval of the Executive's proposal to create **Dr. C. J.**

King a Life Vice-President of the Union. This was explained briefly by our President **(J. d'Apice)** and, as expected, unanimously agreed to. Everyone endorsed the President's opinion of the merits of Dr. Callie King who has been a staunch supporter of the Union and the College over very many years. **Dr. King** was deeply touched by the honour thus conferred upon him and expressed his very sincere thanks.

The "boys" soon found their places in the Dining Hall and proceeded to do full justice to the excellent dinner provided by Father Fitzgerald, S.J. and his staff — ably supported by Brother Doran.

John d'Apice, of course, presided, and at his table had, besides Fr. Fitzgerald who represented the Rector of Riverview, V. Rev. Fr. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (unfortunately absent on convalescence after a severe operation), our guest of honour (although an Old Boy) **Dr. William Gissane, F.R.C.S.** (15-17), Clinical Director of the Birmingham Accident Hospital, just then in Australia — after 34 years absence — as The Sims Travelling Professor of the Royal Colleges for 1959, Dr. C. J. King, Dr. E. L. McDermott, R. E. O'Halloran, Ian McKillop, L. P. Kelly, O. J. Stenmark, Alan Bridge, Q.C., A. Zions (Hon. Secretary, O.I.U.), Hedley Kelly (Hon. Treasurer, O.I.U.) and Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J.

Down the Hall we picked the following names — and quickly offer our annual apology for possible omissions:

Fr. N. Collins, Dr. P. M. Curtis, Dr. D. C. Trainor, Dr. A. McJannet, Dr. J. Kennedy, Dr. J. Quilter, Dr. K. Clifford, Dr. Adrian Johnson, Dr. C. Laidlaw, Dr. R. Gardner, Dr. A. Wilson, Dr. G. McManis, Dr. Arthur Moran, Dr. G. Scarf, Dr. W. J. Quilty, Dr. C. Brady, Messrs. Sid Raper, L. P. Raper, O. Dooley, D. Healy ,J. Hayes, B. Ricketts, N. Gorman, A. C. Mills, J. Dunford, Jas. Baggett, John Baggett, P. Ramsay, A. W. Kelly, R. O'Donnell, Manus Sullivan, I. Comrie-Thomson, Snr., I. Comrie-Thomhon, Jnr., V. Cunningham, A. B. Evans, John Hunt, A. J. Fisher, R. Clifton, G. H. Burns, J. A. Kelly, J. L. McDermott, C. A. Morgan, H. d'Apice, D. Burfitt, T. Clune, J. Rogers, T. Coyle, E. Heaton, D. Meagher, Robt. Meagher, Terry Meagher, P. Magney, J. Parsonage, T. W. Sulway, Mark McAlary, D. Nolan, J. Crellin, M. Foley, P. Foley, John Raper, J. Exner, Kevin Kelly, J. Leese, J. O'Brien, Peter O'Brien, Robert O'Brien, Max Fowler, S. Hammond, W. O. Maher, Peter O. Maher, M. Hammond, Dick Flannery, M. Hardie, I. Ingleby, A. J. Chatfield, T. Cody, P. Delaney, T. Simpson, H. Carter, P. Hunter, J. McKinlay, F. Ricketts, D. Maclurcan, C. P. Golden, C. B. O'Sullivan, R. E. O'Halloran, Jnr., R. Larkins, F. Crowe, M. Hunter, P. Makinson, R. Makinson, F. Reed, G. G. McEvoy, M. J. McGrath, C. J. McElhone, Jeffrey Burns, Cecil O'Dea, J. Stinson, K. Doyle, R. Dick, A. J. Carroll, M. J. Fisher, L. Ricketts, J. Wilkinson.

The Riverview Community was represented by Rev. J. Drury, S.J., Rev. D. Roset, S.J., Rev. R. Bruce, S.J., Rev. W. Wootten, S.J., in addition to Frs. Fitzgerald and McLoughlin (above).

Another guest was present in the person of Dr. T. Coolican, an Old Boy of Clongowes Wood College, Kildare, Ireland.

Apologies were received from:

V. Rev. Fr. Rector, who much regretted his enforced absence in Queensland, Sir Henry Manning, Dr. E. H. Evans, Dr. G. H. McElhone, A. Cobcroft, C. J. Bryant, M. G. Meagher, R. A. McKillop, B. Ell, Dr. F. Costigan, M. Glasheen, Jim Sullivan, Snr., Jim Sullivan, Jnr., S. Ryan, B. A. McBride, W. Horsley, B. L. Nowland, D. Stratton, J. Magennis, V. C. (Bill) Davis, James Dick, F. and M. Casey, V. L'Estrange, E. Theodore, J. Lamerand, Jas. Drury, G. O'Halloran, Dr. K. Fagan.

Ossie Stenmark was asked to formally welcome our guest of honour, **Dr. Bill Gissane** — which he did in recounting Bill's record at Riverview and brilliant subsequent career. He felt sure that the record attendance was largely due to the presence of Dr. Gissane. Bill (as we must call him), feelingly gave thanks for his hearty "welcome home" after an absence of 34 years. In his many travels he considered that Australia was the most progressive country he saw, and he hoped that it would not be long before he paid us another visit to keep his memory fresh. John d'Apice, our President, presented him, on behalf of the Union, with the Old Boys' tie.

Dr. Emmet McDermott then proposed the combined toast of the Union and the "Alma Mater" — which, he said, were almost synonomous. The "Alma" well blended the Past and the Present. With the steady expansion of the School, the number of Old Boys will, of course, increase, and the Union grow stronger. Old Boys, he considered, have largely succeeded in after-life because of the influence of their Riverview Masters and he urged them to make every annual function as successful as this one.

Fr. McLoughlin briefly replied to this toast and emphasised the good influence of Riverview boys throughout the country.

John d'Apice proposed the toast of the College, and spoke of all we owe to the Rectors of Riverview from Fr. Dalton, the founder, down to the present day. He detailed the improvements and development of the School for which our present Rector, Fr. Wallace, is responsible. Each Rector, he said, leaves his mark on Riverview. Our Old Boys too, he considered, are second to none. They leave the School well fitted for the world's battles and well coached in the important matter of saving their souls.

Father Fitzgerald, S.J. in reply, regretted the absence of our Rector who, on doctor's orders had to go away and recuperate in order to be ready for the next term's work and worry. He thanked the President, Secretary and Executive for their help in making this function such a success. Co-operation between masters and boys also served greatly towards the smooth running of the School — and that co-operation at the present time, was most marked. Finally



RECENT AERIAL VIEW OF RIVERVIEW.
(Showing new Drive New Class-Room Block, First, Second and Third fields, and Observatory enclosure.

he thanked Old Boys for coming to the School in such satisfactory numbers.

The President congratulated Don Maclurcan on being appointed Manager of the Olympic Ski team for the overseas games.

As usual, formalities being concluded, Old Boys mixed freely until a late hour before the end of what seemed likely to be termed the most successful function of the year.

FOOTBALL.

The Old Boys fielded two strong teams against the School on June 7th when the annual matches took place. For the third time these games were ushered in by a certain amount of cold rain which, however, did not prevent play.

The **O.I.U. First team** was composed of F. Rava, P. Lenchan, I. Comrie-Thomson J. Raper, Robert Meagher, M. Hammond, M. Talty, W. Coyle, P. Sheridan, P. (Joe) Lewis, W. O. Maher, M. Kavanaugh, P. Bradfield, A. Harris, and M. Mandl. Of these no less than 7 had been recently S.I.C. representatives in Combined G.P.S. teams, and it looked at first as if the School team would suffer a defeat.

The O.I.U. team kicked off and S.I.C. fumbled the ball, allowing M. Kavanaugh to race through and score between the posts. This try was converted by Bill Maher. O.I.U. 5; S.I.C. 0. Our spirits sank a bit but soon a passing movement in O.I.U.'s 25 resulted in J. Thorpe racing for a try which M. Conrick converted: 5-5: Riverview went across again (G. Knight this time) shortly afterwards for another try and the School led 8-5. Our forwards packed well and our cover defence improved. We succeeded in breaking through the powerful O.I.U. back line. M. Conrick kicked an easy penalty goal and the team's hopes rose considerably as the score mounted despite the willing play of the Old Boys. Late in the first half J. Thorpe (inside centre) kicked through and followed up in his usual meteoric style, scoring another fine try. S.I.C. 14. O.I.U. 5. A few minutes before full time, our forwards, keeping the ball, forced their way ahead and put M. Lowrey across for a try. S.I.C. 17. The Old Boys made valiant efforts right up to the final bell but did not score and the points at the end remained S.I.C. 17. O.I.U. 5.

A very enjoyable game and a very useful one too, showing that the home team is steadily improving and has distinct potentialities. Many of the School team, were, of course, playing against recent class-mates such as M. Hammond, Bob Meagher, J. Comrie-Thomson, Andy Harris, M. Kavanaugh and P. Bradfield.

In this game, the Riverview team was: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Maguire, A. Whealy, J. Plummer, M. Lowrey, R. Roberts, J. Kirby, P. McCarron, P. Roland, M. Conrick, J. Thorpe (V.-C.), G. Hepworth, P. Lubrano, G. Knight, T. Vandeleur.

Our scorers were: J. Thorpe (2 tries), G. Knight (1), M Lowery (1). M. Conrick converted one and kicked a penalty goal.

(J.T., M.G.)

S.I.C. Seconds v. O.I.U. Seconds.

The Old Boys won this game, 20-14 after very keen play on both sides!

Riverview opened the scoring with two accurate penalty goals kicked by Bill Nevill, from just beyond the O.I.U. 25.

Following up a short punt by W. Nevill, A. Lenehan scored a try which Nevill converted. Not long afterwards Dickie Day scored a try for the Old Boys and at half-time the score was 14-3 in favour of the School. Rain came shortly after the resumption of play and made the ball greasy and hard to hold. The Old Boys rallied considerably and before long had scored no less than 5 tries. These were obtained by R. Day (2), P. Burt, H. Harrison, C. dos Remedios and I. Ingleby. R. Day converted one. For Riverview A Lenehan scored a try which W. Nevill converted as well as kicking 3 penalty goals. An interesting game in which the home team wilted a little in the second half.

(D.J.)

We entertain Judge Desmond Monahan (15-19)

The Committee of the Union decided that it would be fitting to have a dinner in honour of Des. Monahan to mark the occasion of his appointment as the Chairman of the District Court for the State of New South Wales, and this function was held at the Metropole Hotel on July 30th.

Some 40 Old Boys, mostly of the legal and medical professions were present and included: Dr. E. McDermott, Messrs. A. Larkins, Q.C., M. Glasheen, O. J. Stenmark, C. A. Morgan, K. C. Morgan, Clive Wilkinson, Peter Wilkinson, A. Bridge, Q.C., J. d'Apice (President, O.I.U.), L. P. Raper, Sidney Raper, T. Ziems, B. Page, V. C. Davis, A. Patterson, T. Cahill, T. F. Hughes, A. Evans, J. Grace, J. Kelly, Maurice McGrath, Snr., M. McGrath, Jnr., P. McGrath, Rodney Meagher, C. O'Dea, R. Flannery, J. McDermott, J. Coen, D. Best, Paul McGrath, Dr. D. Trainor, P. Magney, Dr. C. J. King, J. Norris, M. Murray, K. McElhone. The College was represented by Fathers C. Fraser, S.J. and T. J. McLoughlin, S.J.

By request, O. J. Stenmark presided and called on Dr. Emmet McDermott to propose the toast of Des Monahan. In doing so, Dr. McDermott emphasised the singular honour bestowed on their guest by his appointment as Chairman of the N.S.W. District Courts. As friends and fellow Old Boys, all were pleased at this appointment,

following on Des Monahan's already brilliant career at the Bar, and his work at the Law School. He was an honour to this School all his professional life and Riverview was proud of him.

Tony Larkins, Q.C. seconded the toast and said the members of the Bar were sorry to lose him. He had been a member of the Bar Council for 12 years and we all took pride in his recent high appointment. Father McLoughlin, S.J. briefly supported Mr. Larkins and extended to Des the congratulations of the Rector and Community of Riverview.

Des Monahan, in reply to the toast said he was very conscious of the honour paid him by the Old Boys at this function. He gave many reminiscences of his life at Riverview and subsequent profession as a barrister. He keenly appreciated the strong bond existing between us all.

Further words of congratulations and appreciation of the guest of honour were spoken by Maurice McGrath, Snr., Dr. C. J. King, Alan Bridge and John d'Apice, President of the Union, who remarked on the high integrity of our Judiciary and the confidence we had that such a reputation would be held up by Des Monahan. He also thanked Max Glasheen the chief organiser of the meeting and was well supported by Cecil O'Dea.

Apologies for inability to be present were received from:

V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), Sir Henry Manning, Dr. E. H. Evans, E. O'Halloran, E. Theodore, A. W. Kelly, L. P. Kelly, J. Hayes, K. Doyle, P. Bryant, J. Stenmark, C. J. Olliffe, T. O'Sullivan, H. d'Apice, A. Zions, W. Conlon, J. Dowd, J. McDermott, W. McClure, M. McAlary, L. V. Anivitti, B. L. Nowland, Hedley Kelly, R. Larkins, A. Wilson.

O.I.U. Dinner to Father L. Lachal, S.J.

Father L. Lachal, S.J. in Australia this year from the Australian Jesuit Mission in India, was entertained at Tattersall's Club by about 40 Old Boys, under the auspices of the O.I.U., on August 11th. Among those present were:

Messrs. John d'Apice (President, O.I.U.), A. Zions (Hon. Secretary, O.I.U.), K. Doyle (Hon. Assistant Secretary, O.I.U.), V. Rev. F. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), Rev. J. Dynon, S.J., Rev. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., Mr. T. K. Crowley (Riverview teaching Staff), B. Clifton, M. G. Meagher, P. Moore, J. Donnelly, T. Boyce, P. Prior, M. J. McGrath, L. V. Lachal, L. P. Raper, Terry Meagher, Bob Meagher, Dr. Adrian Johnson, V. Golden, H. d'Apice, Dr. E. McDermott, S. Raper, Cecil O'Dea, B. L. Nowland, Dr. C. J. King, Alan Bridge, M. Glasheen, E. Theodore, J. Hunt, E. O'Halloran, K. Slocum, W. O. Maher.

At the request of John d'Apice, Cecil O'Dea welcomed Fr. Lachal, recalling his days as First Prefect at Riverview and his pioneering work at the newly founded Australian Jesuit Mission in 1951. Since then, he said, the Jesuits from this country had done and were now doing a mighty job and had the support of all Riverview Old Boys. **Michael Meagher** supported Cecil O'Dea and was proud to say that his own son, Paddy, is now a member of that same Mission. He considered that we should all keep in mind the ever-present needs of the Mission and help it in every way we can. **Phil Prior** gave some amusing reminiscences of Father Lachal's time at Riverview and presented him with a cheque — which represented the profits made at Old Boys' functions in aid of the Mission.

Father Lachal in reply, thanked the Old Boys for their hearty welcome and gave many interesting details of the work being done by several Old Boys and former Riverview masters at present working in India. His information on the great strides being made in the field of education was most impressive.

Dr. Callie King also added a word of commendation regarding Fr. Lachal's work at Riverview and assured him that Old Boys of his day were putting into practice what he had taught them at the School.

It was a homely, informal gathering thoroughly enjoyed by those who were present.

Combined G.P.S. Reunion at Canberra.

On August 8th a Combined G.P.S. Old Boys' Dinner Dance was held at the Hotel Canberra to mark the end of the football season. The main organisers were Brian Ell and Ian McKillop and about 50 Old Boys attended with their wives. Mr. T. A. Thorpe, Manager of the Hotel was, as usual, most co-operative and everyone enjoyed the evening.

Brisbane Dinner to Fr. L. Lachal, S.J.

A dinner was held by Riverview and Xavier Old Boys in Brisbane, late in July — in honour of Father Lachal, S.J., who was in the northern Capital at the time, and proved a great success. We did not receive a complete list of those who were present, with their wives, on this occasion. Dr. Harold Power, Frank Kelly and Ray Murphy were the organisers. Father J. Dynon, S.J. showed an excellent film of the Indian Bazaar and Dr. Power presented Fr. Lachal with a cheque for £150 towards the needs of the Mission.

Annual O.I.U. Retreat

The annual Old Boys' Retreat was held at Riverview on Sunday, August 23rd. Between 60 and 70 Old Boys attended the Retreat which was conducted by Fr. L. Lachal, S.J. His lectures were stimulating and thought-provoking and were much appreciated by those fortunate enough to be present.

O.I.U. Reunion at Griffith.

As might have been expected, the Griffith Reunion was "second to none".

Between 60 and 70 Old Boys met for dinner at the Hotel Griffith on September 5th, and we do not remember any more enthusiastic gathering. **Dr. Frank Long** (41-46) was the organiser-in-Chief and had the valuable assistance of **Charlie Olliffe** who has been at the head of the Griffith reunions for many years.

Among those present were:

Councillor C. L. Neville (Deputy Shire President), Rt. Rev. Dr. Harper, Parish Priest of Griffith and Fr. Fitzgerald, V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), V. Rev. Fr. J. Casey, S.J. (Rector of St. Aloysius' College), Rev. Fathers P. Stephenson, S.J. (Xavier), L. Lachal, S.J. (Xavier — from the Indian Mission), J. Dynon, S.J. (Xavier), T. J. McLoughlin, S.J. (Riverview), Mr. John d'Apice (President, O.I.U.), Dr. C. J. King (Life Vice-President) and one or two others whose names escaped us.

Dr. Bill Dalton proposing the toast of Riverview and other Jesuit Colleges, said the longer we had left our School the more we appreciated the solid grounding we had received — a grounding that stood to us for life — an appreciation that was well illustrated by the splendid attendance this evening. Many of those present had come long distances in order not to miss this reunion.



OLD BOYS' REUNION AT GRIFFITH.

two representatives of the Marist Brothers' College, Griffith, Jim Stenmark (S.I.C.), Pat Dalton (S.I.C.), J. C. McRae (S.A.C.), Lynton Gooden (S.I.C.), Mark Gooden (S.I.C.), K. Mann (S.I.C.), Terry Pfafflin (S.I.C.), J. P. Ryan (S.I.C.), J. Carney (S.I.C.), Jim Dalton (S.I.C.), M. Hunter (S.I.C.), A. O. (Gus) Pfafflin (supporter in chief), Peter Meagher (S.I.C.), Raleigh Smith (S.I.C.), Alan Meagher (S.I.C.), J. Parkman (S.I.C.), R. Parkman (S.I.C.), Dr. W. Dalton (S.I.C.), Sid Raper (S.I.C.), M. G. Meagher (S.I.C.), W. Ryan (Xavier), L. P. Connellan (Xavier), C. J. Gorman (Xavier), M. W. Peylor (Xavier), J. Montgomery (S.I.C.), D. A. Nolan (S.I.C.), R. A. McCormick, S.I.C.), Ron Burke (S.I.C. and S.A.C.), F. Kinkead (S.I.C.), B. Farley (S.I.C.), C. J. Olliffe (S.I.C.), C. A. Olliffe (S.A.C. '78-' 93, Dr. Farmey Joseph (S.I.C.), Dr. Gordon Oxenham (S.I.C.), Robt. McCormick (S.I.C.), D. Coughlan (S.I.C.), J. Coughlan (S.I.C.), D. W. Gorman (Xavier), Bryan Brennan (S.I.C.), G. E. Morton (S.I.C.), Peter Bryant (S.I.C.), J. J. Parnell (S.I.C.), Gerard Leahy (S.I.C.), Bruce Gorman (Xavier), G. Renehan (S.I.C.), Frank Cruise (S.I.C.), Jim Clifford (S.I.C.), Bruce Flanagan (S.I.C.), L. P. McClure, R. B. Turner (S.I.C.), Alan Lennon (S.I.C.), Ritchie McKay (S.I.C.), Dom. McNamara (S.I.C.), B. S. Parle (S.I.C.), Frank Coughlan (S.I.C.), George Cannon (S.I.C.), Tom O'Brien (Xavier).

(We are quite used to apologising for possible omissions; please take it as read !)

Frank Long asked Councillor Neville to welcome Old Boys to the District. Mr. Neville did so in well-chosen words and gave some interesting statistics on the development of Griffith over the past 40 years. He hoped the Old Boys would pay many more visits to the District.

Apologies for non-attendance were read from youthful **Bill Ryan** (Xavier College) and by **Jack McRae** (St. Aloysius' College) both of whom voiced their loyalty to their old School and to the Jesuit Fathers. **V. Rev. Father Wallace, S.J.** (Rector of Riverview) replied, thanking the Old Boys for coming in such large numbers, Dr. Frank Long for his fine organisation and Dr. Bill Dalton for his generous sentiments so ably supported by Messrs. Ryan and McRae.

He had just come from a Headmasters' Conference at Perth, W.A. where emphasis had been laid, he said on the necessity of religious training as the very core of education. He then gave Old Boys several details about recent developments at Riverview.

He was followed by **V. Rev. Fr. J. Casey, S.J.** (Rector of St. Aloysius' College), who supported Father Wallace in the matter of religion being the very foundation of education at its best. He was happy, he said, to be at Griffith once more, congratulated Dr. Long on his organisation and thanked Dr. and Mrs. Dalton for their

generous hospitality to Fr. Wallace and himself.

Father P. Stephenson, S.J. (Xavier College), also spoke in appreciation of being invited to such a fine gathering of Old Boys representing the various Jesuit Colleges and gave several interesting details and figures concerning the great development of Xavier College.

Charlie Olliffe coupled the toasts of "Our Alma Mater" and "Jesuit Missions". He said the School Magazine played a big part in keeping Old Boys united and reviving the School spirit. As regards the Missions, he said we are all "co-missioners" and in many ways can help the Jesuit Missions especially that one nearest to us — the Australian Jesuit Indian Mission. It was splendid to know that from Australia we are sending each year young men to follow in the steps of St. Francis Xavier.

Father McLoughlin, S.J. thanked Charlie Olliffe for his words concerning the "Alma Mater" and was pleased beyond words to be once more among so many old friends of whom any School could be proud. He paid a brief but sincere tribute to the kindness and hospitality of his old friend Mr. "Gus" Pfafflin and Mrs. Pfafflin who always made his stay at Griffith so pleasant.

Father L. Lachal, S.J. gave interesting sidelights on the Australian Jesuit Indian Mission from which he had returned on a brief visit. Australia, he said, has been generous in helping this Mission in men and in kind. He gave many facts concerning the Schools in the Mission and assured Old Boys that any help they can give will be gratefully received.

Dr. Bill Dalton thanked Charlie Olliffe for starting the series of Griffith reunions which continue to grow in attendance and enthusiasm.

Sid Raper (Vice-President, O.I.U.), proposed the toast of Dr. Frank Long which was honoured most heartily.

On the motion of Charlie Olliffe, a toast was honoured to the Manager of the Hotel and his staff who had provided Old Boys with such a really fine dinner, splendidly served. The Manager replying for the staff (who were also present) thanked the Old Boys for their presence and promised that at the next Griffith reunion efforts would be redoubled to make their function even more pleasant.

The Barbecue.

The following morning (Sunday) after Mass at the Parish Church, Old Boys gathered in force at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Dalton, for morning tea and "trimmings", and — believe us — their hosts had a busy time catering for them all. About midday a general move was made to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pfafflin, just outside the town, where was held the time-honoured **Barbecue** on "Gus" Pfafflin's lawn. This was well up to the previous standards of this function and was, as usual, graced by the presence of the wives and daughters of many Old Boys. "Gus" and Dr. Gordon Oxenham showed up as excellent cooks, there was plenty of seating accommodation, the weather was perfect and it was not easy to tear oneself away late in the afternoon. Our warmest thanks are due to Mr. and Mrs. Pfafflin for their gracious welcome in such pleasant surroundings.

Thus ended one of the most pleasant reunions it has been our privilege to attend.

The Tamworth Reunion

Thanks to the keen organising ability of **John Lyons** (27-28) and **Kevin Clifton** (34-37) a very pleasant and successful reunion of Old Boys was held at the Caledonian Hotel, Tamworth on the evening of September 26th. It took the form of a Buffet Dinner — a fact which met with the approval of everyone, as it enabled the "boys" to move round and see one another freely and informally while enjoying to the full (we repeat the word "full"!) the really excellent fare provided by the Hotel.

V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview), Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J., Dr. C. J. King, J. d'Apice (President of the Union) and Max Glasheen came up from Sydney for the reunion which was attended by (among others whose names we may be missing):

Jim Ireland, Murray Ireland, Gerald Ireland, L. T. Roche, Basil Regan, George Murphy, Michael and Ian Saddington, Eric Lenehan, R. A. ("Ben") Bowyer, Charlie Burfitt, John Kent, Arthur Cox (06-08), Bruce Meppem, Peter Nelson, Otto Baldwin, Brian Cole, Dennis Brennan, Kevin Clifton, Bob Barry, Bob Fagan, Dr. Kevin O'Hanlon, J. ("Micky") Curtis, John Lyons, John Keen, Jack Dooley, John ("Breeza") Clift, John Hallman, Reg Walsh, John Hurley, Ross Bramma.

Apologies were received from:

Fr. Lachal, S.J., Cecil O'Dea, B. L. Nowland, Ken Dillon, David Cloonan, W. A. Fitzgerald, G. Cobcroft, R. King, Bill and Keith Allen, Ron Fitzgerald, Lance Hogg, Noel Morgan, Bill Murray, J. M. Lyons (Jnr.), J. Henderson.

John Lyons presided and having read the apologies, welcomed Fr. Wallace, and all Old Boys present, especially those who had come from Sydney. He also announced that a Barbecue would be held at the Race Course the following afternoon — to which Old Boys as well as their wives and families were cordially invited. He did not propose any formal toast but called on several present for a few words. He was particularly glad to see so many Old Boys present.

Father Wallace, S.J. expressed his pleasure in attending the Old Boys' reunions around the State, spoke of the Head-Masters' meeting in Perth where emphasis was laid on Government

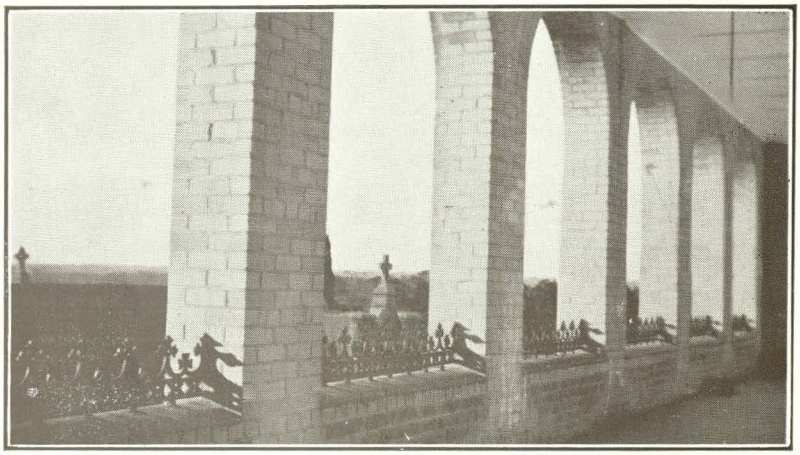
assistance to the independant schools and gave many details of development now in progress at Riverview. He cordially invited Old Boys to come and see for themselves.

John d'Apice (President of the O.I.U.), said how pleased he was to be present. These reunions, he said, were a big help towards keeping Old Boys in touch with one another and towards reviving their interest in their old School and inspiring them to keep other Old Boys interested. He spoke of the other annual O.I.U. functions and hoped that many would come to town for Back-to-Riverview Day (Oct. 18th). He thanked John Lyons and Kevin Clifton for all they had done in organising this reunion.

coming earlier. He welcomed all the Old Boys to the parish and hoped for a continuation of these meetings.

The following day (Sunday) a barbecue was held in delightful surroundings at the Tamworth Race Course. Kevin Clifton was the Chief Cook and supplied everyone with an abundance of steak and sausages. In this department he has a "master touch". Bob Barry made an excellent bar-man and no one went thirsty. We Sydney visitors have to thank Jim Ireland and his two sons for a splendid morning trip to two outlooks up the mountain from where a fine view was had of the Tamworth Valley.

It was an all-round most encouraging and



ON THE TOP VERANDAH

Others who spoke briefly on the pleasure of meeting Old Boys (and old friends) included **Arthur Cox** (the senior O.R. present), **Dr. Callie King, Dr. Kevin O'Hanlon, Bob Barry, Otto Baldwin, Michael Saddington, Bob Fagan, Bruce Meppem, Charlie Burfitt, Kevin Clifton, "Wicky" Curtis** and Fr. T. J. McLoughlin, S.J.

The theme of all remarks was the same — the genuine pleasure everyone felt at meeting old school-mates, the obvious interest that Old Boys had in everything concerning the welfare and progress of Riverview which they never forget, and the hope that these reunions would increase in number and in size.

John Lyons finally thanked Kevin Clifton for all he had done towards making a success of this reunion and "Wicky" Curtis proposed a vote of thanks to John Lyons, Chairman, the chief sponsor of the meeting.

Rev. Dr. Leese, Administrator of the Tamworth parish paid a visit to the reunion, regretting that parish duties had prevented him from pleasant reunion. If the calendar doesn't beat us (!) we hope sincerely for a repetition in the not-too-distant future.

BACK-TO-RIVERVIEW DAY

Opening and Blessing of the New Building

The Back-to-Riverview Day reunion was listed for October 18th. However the Executive agreed to combine it with the Solemn opening and blessing of the new class-room block of buildings by His Excellency the Apostolic Delegate (Archbishop Carboni).

There was a goodly number of Old Boys present for Mass at 11.45 a.m. which was also attended by the boys of the School. Owing to the above arrangement there was no cricket or rowing in the morning. In any case, intermittent rain would have prevented any such activity. Old Boys, now much increased in number, enjoyed an excellent lunch in 1st Division Library, ably catered by Cecil O'Dea, Max Glasheen, W. ('Dinkum') Conlon and J. McDermott.

The Apostolic Delegate arrived just on 3 p.m.

and after vesting in the Chapel walked in procession to the new building accompanied by Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. and Father Pietzsch, S.J. Also present were Monsignor McGuire, Parish Priest of Lane Cove, Rev. Fr. Moran, S.J. (Rector of Canisius' College, Pymble), Rev. Fr. G. Collopy, S.J. (St. Mary's, Ridge St.), and the Rector of St. John's College (University).

His excellency, preceded by Cross-bearer and Acolytes immediately proceeded to the blessing of the various rooms of the building and then returned to the large basement which was completely filled by a very large number of visitors.

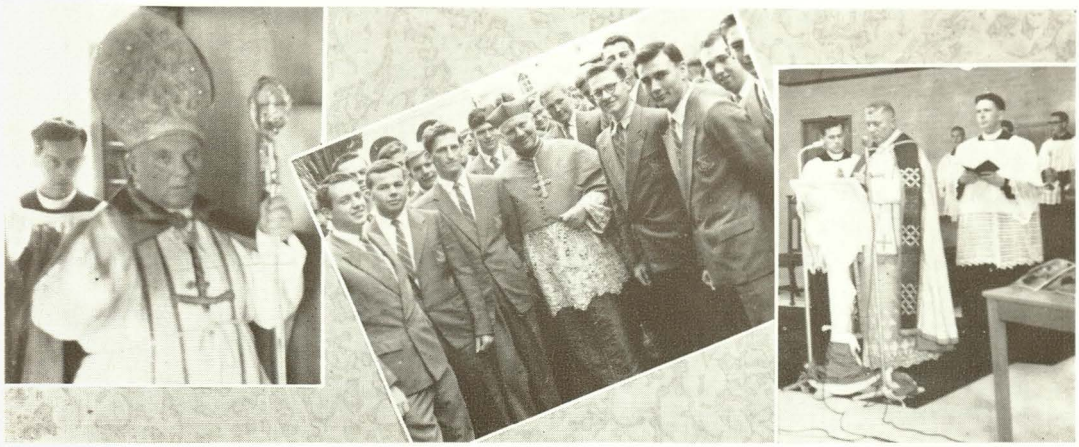
He was formally welcomed by V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. who outlined the gradual development of the Riverview buildings under successive Rectors from the days of the Founder (Fr. Dalton, S.J.) downwards. He also welcomed the many visitors who had come to Riverview and thanked the Old Boys for their co-operation on this annual Back-to-Riverview Day.

He also paid a tribute to the Architect, Mr. McDonald and Builder Mr. Thompson, as well as to the clerk of the works and his men who had done so well, not forgetting those whose investments and donations had been such a help.

His Excellency the Apostolic Delegate spoke emphatically on the need and value of solid, Christian education and of the fact that what counts in a school is the spirit that inspires its boys and which is carried by them into the world when their school-days are over. He urged the boys to live up to their motto—"Quantum potes, tantum aude"—and to become apostles of the truth in their own circles.

Mr. John d'Apice (President O.I.U.) thanked the Apostolic Delegate for coming to Riverview and, with all present, wished him happiness and success in his new appointment in Peru. He thanked also, the Jesuit Fathers for the work they are doing at Riverview for the boys in developing on the right lines their home training.

Visitors then had an opportunity of inspecting in detail the various new class-rooms, etc. in the building. Many also visited the old Study Hall and saw the beginning of a large School Library at present being developed by Father Doyle, S.J. Afternoon tea was supplied in the Quadrangle by those ever-present and willing workers, the members of the Parents and Friends' Association.



AT THE SOLEMN OPENING AND BLESSING OF THE NEW CLASS-ROOM BLOCK.
The Apostolic Delegate. (Archbishop Carboni) — The Archbishop with the School Prefects. — The Blessing.
Photo — P. Odillo Maher).

Later in the afternoon a barbecue was held at the Kiosk on First Field and was appreciated to the full by many parents and their boys—not to mention those who remained at the College for the Concert presented by various members of the O.I.U. and enthusiastically received by the present boys.

The day ended about 9.30 p.m. and, although necessarily curtailed as to sporting events, by the blessing of the new building, was a traditionally happy one.

Melbourne Old Boys

Riverview Old Boys in Melbourne are small in number but keen on regular reunions.

Harry Devlin (10-12) is the mainspring of the meetings which are held on the first Friday of each month and which are growing steadily in attendances.

A little informal Dinner was held towards the end of May as a send-off to Brian Fitzgerald, R.A.A.F., who was posted for a year or two to Malaya. A Christmas Party is due in December, at which Old Boys in the southern Capital are expected to attend in force. One such Dinner was held on December 11th last year, after we had gone to press, and at which the following were present:-B. Parle, H. Devlin, B. Fitzgerald, T. Burke, K. Lacy, R. Kirby, Clem King and J. Carey.

We wish this branch of the Union every success.

O.I.U. Bowling Club

As we go to press we have just received a note on the Old Boys' Bowling Club:-

The second annual meeting was held at the American Club on March 19th this year. The following Old Boys attended:-

Messrs. V. Cunningham (President), A. W. Kelly, Judge D. Monahan, A. Evans, M. McGrath, Dr. D. Trainor, W. McClure, J. Kelly, Dr. E. McDermott, A. Wilson, V. Quarrell, J. McDermott, J. Grace, D. Pinnock, J. O. Stenmark (Hon. Secretary). Apologies were received from Jack McDermott, P. de Lepervanche, A. O. Stenmark and M. McAlary.

It was unanimously decided to donate £10/10/- to the O.I.U. Bursary Fund.

The following officers were elected: **President:** His Honour Judge D. Monahan, **Hon. Secretary:** J. O. Stenmark, **Asst. Hon. Secretary:** D. Pinnock, **Hon. Treasurer:** A. W. Kelly, **Selectors:** Judge Monahan, P. de Lepervanche and J. O. Stenmark.

The 1958-59 Competition was won by **S.J.C.** The points were: **S.J.C.:** 48, **S.I.C.:** 40; **T.S.C.:** 34; **S.C.E.G.S.:** 33, **S.H.S.** and **S.G.S.** 20; **T.K.S.** 15; **N.C.:** 14.

Results were as follow:-

S.I.C. v. **T.S.C.**: won 30-19; won 27-22.
S.I.C. v. **S.J.C.**; lost 18-21;lost 13-22
S.I.C. v. **S.G.S.**: won 27-19; won 43-7
S.I.C. v. **S.C.E.G.S.**: won 29-18; lost 20-24.
S.I.C. v. **S.H.S.**: won 36-10; won 21-15.
S.I.C. v. **N.C.**: won 22-19; won 26-22.
S.I.C. v. **T.K.S.**: won 27-23; lost 16-33.

S.J.C. leads in the 1959-1960 Competition with **S.H.S.** and **S.C.E.G.S.** two points behind, **S.G.S.** in next place. **S.I.C.** has still to win a match.

(October 15th).

J. O. Stenmark (Hon Secretary).

Newcastle

A Reunion at Newcastle had been listed for October 31st, but had to be abandoned shortly before that date owing to various difficulties that beset the organisers and happened to be beyond their control.

It is hoped that this reunion may be resumed next year.

In closing down these O.I.U. notes we would like to congratulate the President, John d'Apice and his committee on the success that attended their efforts during the year.

Every member of the Executive worked with a will, right to the end and we may look back on 1959 as one of the most successful years in the annals of the Union.

(Ed.—"O.A.M.")

Membership

The Union membership fees are:-

Life Membership: £8/8/-.

Annual Membership:- 15/-.

As the running expenses of the Union are paid from the Annual Membership fees, all Old Boys are urged to be prompt in payment and thus help the Union very materially.

"Our Alma Mater"

The annual Magazine is published each year at the beginning of December. Owing to soaring expenses in every section of the magazine, it has been found necessary to raise the price to 15/- per copy. It may be procured from the Hon. Secretary, O.I.U., Box 386, G.P.O., or from the Editor, Riverview.

Lapel Badges.

Our stock of lapel badges is nearly exhausted and a new supply is being ordered. The price per badge is 3/6 post free. Apply to the Hon. Treasurer, O.I.U., Box 386, G.P.O. or to the Editor, O.A.M., Riverview.

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A Call to Recent Old Boys

Every business which hopes to succeed must take stock of its affairs from time to time. A young man out of school for one, two or more years will be wise to do the same. If he left school as a member of the Sodality of Our Lady, he is bound to keep the promises he made at the time of his consecration. What has happened to the daily mental prayer, the yearly retreat, the week-day Masses, the apostolic work, in short, to the programme he deliberately took on as a task of life? The dedication was generously made in words. Has it been generously fulfilled in fact?

Let us be realists. It requires considerable determination, or rather, faith, to battle on alone after school days. It can be done; but it is difficult. It is much easier to work with a group of keen companions; and this is the situation which the Sodality of Our Lady regards as normal.

Now a Sodality does exist for such recent Old Boys, under the titles of Our Lady, Help of Christians and St. Francis Xavier, the principal patrons of Australia. The whole point of this Sodality is to help school Sodalists to honour the promises they made. Its headquarters are at St. Aloysius College, the most accessible spot available. The members meet for an hour every fortnight, and there is besides an evening Sodality Mass every first Friday. We believe in keeping faithfully the Common Rules of the Sodality; and every member has the consolation of knowing that he is at least substantially keeping his word as a son of Mary pledged to special service.

It is hard to find an apostolate to suit all members. Students, proverbially, have no time—the innocent victims of lectures, exams, essays! Champion athletes of various sorts present another problem. Finally, though, it is a question of values. Students and athletes find time inevitably for the things they really want. So, in this group, good work has been done in the Newman Society and a good start has been made in the splendid new venture of the Catholic Enquiry Centre.

Part of this group's work is a very successful series of discussions. The topic this year has been the Letters of St. Paul and their background in the Acts of the Apostles, all applied to the needs of a young Catholic in the world today.

Among members of this group we find Chris Flynn (President of the Newman Society), Nic Ledingham (newly appointed Secretary of the Sodality), John Raper, James Dick, Garry Phillips.

The energy and zeal of one man led to a branch of this Sodality being founded at Rose Bay. Paul Ramsay, now Secretary of this group, used his powers of personality and persuasion early this year to bring together a number of Riverview Old Boy Sodalists. An excellent meeting place was hospitably provided by the Convent of the Sacred Heart. In general, our programme has been similar to that of the first group. We have a monthly Mass on the morning of every first Saturday.

In this group, Barry Thornton (former Captain of the School and Prefect of the School Sodality) is the Prefect. Sam Hammond (student of accountancy and so skilled at addition!) is Treasurer and a contagiously keen Sodalist. Among the other members we find Brian Thornton, Geoff Burns, Michael Donnellan, Ted Conrick, Michael and Peter Burfitt, Terry Simpkins, Allan Oxenham, Phillip Morrissey, Pat Kelly, John Stinson, Rodney O'Neill, and, our latest addition, Vincent John Flynn.

Both these groups had retreats provided for them at Riverview during the term vacations. Sincere thanks are offered to Father A. Fynn for his spiritual help, and to Father Fitzgerald for his generous hospitality.

Lastly, a new and interesting experiment has just started in Sodality work. The St. Stanislaus Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting at St. Aloysius' College does magnificent work for delinquent boys: a perfect apostolate where youth helps youth to happiness and to God. A group of these young men want the deeper spiritual training of the Sodality as a background to their apostolic work. The patrons of this new Sodality are Our Lady, Help of Christians and St. Vincent de Paul.

Old Boys of yesterday, do not let your Sodality ideals dwindle. These three groups provide an opportunity for you to honour your prom-

ises. Yes, you have the time—you have time for any thing you are really keen on. One traditional formula of consecration to Our Lady begins: 'Holy Mary, Virgin Mother of God, I choose thee this day to be my Queen, my Patroness and my Advocate; and I firmly purpose **never to desert thee . . .** '

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Jesuit Colleges Overseas

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COLLEGIUM IMMACULATAE VIRGINIS
AT
KALKSBURG, AUSTRIA

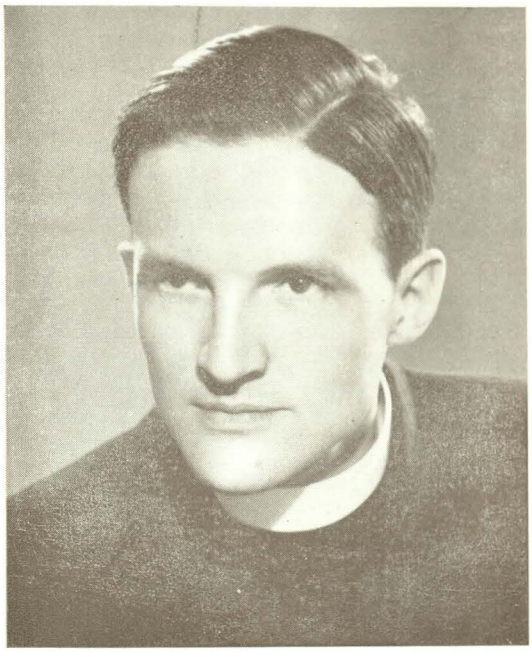
By JOHN COWBURN, S.J. ('36-'44)

I had just heard of Kalksburg College from one of its old boys, an Austrian gentleman who came to Australia before the war, and he spoke of it with such affection — he was a typical Old Kalksburger, for Kalksburg's old boys are very loyal and deeply attached to their old school — that when I came to Austria I was determined to pay a visit to Kalksburg, and ultimately did so.

On the way out to the college I discovered that Riverview and Kalksburg have at least this in common, that they are both miles away from the centre of the city — in Kalksburg's case, Vienna — and hard to get to without a car. However, I finally reached the village of Kalksburg and set out for the college. I had been warned that at present, at least, its external appearance is shabby, and this turned out to be only too true (the photograph of the building which accompanies this article was taken before the war). The interior, however, is pleasant, and behind the college is another reminder of Riverview in the shape of an extensive park, much of which is what we would call bush.

Of course, one thinks, Kalksburg must be very much older than Riverview. In fact, it is not, having been founded as recently as 1856. It happens that there are two Jesuit colleges in Austria — the other is at Feldkirch in Vorarlberg — and they were both founded in that year. Perhaps that calls for an explanation. One has heard of the great educational work done by Jesuits during the 16th, 17th and 18th centuries: how is it then that the Jesuit colleges in Austria are only twenty-four years older than Riverview and are younger by two years than St. Patrick's in Melbourne? Furthermore, how is it that there are so few Jesuit colleges in Europe — where have they all gone?

You can find them if you go looking. In Coblence, for instance, there is a building which still carries the inscription, "Collegium Societatis Jesu". It houses government offices. In Vienna the old Jesuit college, where St. Stanislaus Kostka studied for three years, is a police department. And so on. These buildings ceased to be colleges around 1773, when the Society was suppressed. When the Society was restored in 1814 it had to begin building up almost from nothing. In some cities — for example, here in Innsbruck — its old institutions were eventually given back to it, but this was exceptional and for the most part what the Society has in Europe today is what it has been able to build up, in spite of wars, revolutions and governments hostile to religious education, since 1814.



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I think it was during the eighteen twenties that Jesuits — having, if I am not mistaken, been banned in Russia (where the Society had continued to exist in spite of the suppression) — came back into Austria. In 1848 they were banned by the government — whereupon some Austrian Jesuits went out to Australia. This ban was lifted in 1853 and three years later the Society, encouraged by the Cardinal of

Vienna and assisted financially by the Emperor Franz Josef and other royal persons, bought a house and forty-two acres of land at Kalksburg and opened a college with sixty-eight pupils. They named it Collegium Immaculatae Virginis, the dogma of the Immaculate Conception having been defined just two years previously. Thus the educational work so abruptly broken off over eighty years before was resumed.

1856-1938

The first sixty years of Kalksburg's history are set in the Austria of Franz Josef, in the last great years of the Habsburg monarchy. The boys in the college were from all parts of the empire, and their mother-tongues were German, Hungarian, Polish, Ruthenian, Rumanian, Croatian, Slovakian and Italian; on top of that, numbers of them belonged to various Eastern Rites. Kalksburg thus reflected the variety and colourfulness of the empire, and just as most of the uniforms worn in the Austrian-Hungarian Empire were magnificent, so the Kalksburg school uniform was an elaborate affair. A list of the notable old boys from those days will be found to include many princes and counts, for the college was then very aristocratic.

There were commoners as well as nobles among the boys, and we are assured that they were all comrades and Kalksburgers together. Even the division of the living quarters into two sections, a more expensive one where each boy had his own room and a less expensive one where there was no such privacy, did not involve a distinction between first and second class human beings — says the chronicler, and we can believe him.

The educational system of the "old" Society of Jesus was embodied in a document called the Ratio Studiorum. The new Society naturally wished to use the same system as far as possible, and accordingly the studies at Kalksburg were organized according to the Ratio, which is to say that they were principally classical. At the same time, it was realized that adaptation to nineteenth-century needs was required, but the government apparently wanted more far-reaching changes, and withheld its approval of the college until a compromise was reached in 1897.

It was just at the turn of the century, that the college buildings were completed and the enrolment reached three hundred. Perhaps the following twenty years were Kalksburg's best: it had just attained its full development, and at last obtained official approval from the government, and the college partook of the splendour of the Empire, over which Franz Josef — who had helped in the founding of the college — was still gloriously reigning.

Then came the First World War, which brought the end of the monarchy and empire. It must have seemed to many that the college, with its aristocratic and imperial tradition, could never survive in the new era. But somehow, like Austria, it struggled on.

1938-1955

It survived until 1938. When Hitler's troops marched into Austria and incorporated the country into Germany, the Nazis ordered all schools to introduce the Hitler Youth Movement. Kalksburg refused. While the question was under discussion, the Nazis withdrew State approval from all religious schools, and the Rector of the college informed the parents that he was closing it. One may say that in the year that Austria, as Austria, ceased to exist, Kalksburg College also ceased to exist.

The police took over the building, leaving a small sealed-off portion for the few priests and brothers who remained there, presumably as a holding force. That was the situation throughout the war, until in March, 1945, when the Russian Army was approaching Vienna and the Germans decided to turn the college into a kind of fort. The police moved out and soldiers and the SS moved in. Gun emplacements were set up in the grounds as preparations were made for a stand, and the Jesuits, who were still there, must have wondered how much of the college would be left after the coming battle was over. The Russians were then very close — their planes flew over the college on their way to Vienna, and in the distance could be seen the smoke from the city's fires.

Fortunately for the college, the battle did not eventuate. The German soldiers suddenly withdrew, leaving the building to the Jesuits, and on April 19th a Russian soldier — the first of many to be seen at Kalksburg — appeared. After first the police and then the German army, the college was occupied by the Russians. There were some anxious moments during the following few months, but eventually things settled down and the college became a prison camp for up to a thousand men, with the fathers still doggedly holding out in their part of the building. To the credit of the Russians it must be said that they left them for the most part undisturbed. This state of affairs lasted for a couple of years.

In March, 1947, the Russians left the college. In spite of everything there had been no major damage, but the building was in a bad state. And the exterior was still the drab, greenish colour it had been painted during the war. Courageously, the Jesuits cleared up some of the

rooms and reopened the college in September of the same year, with forty-eight pupils. After an interval of eight years, Kalksburg College was functioning again.

A year after they moved out, the Russians came back to Kalksburg and for the next three years shared the building with the masters and boys. It was a strange arrangement, with boys sleeping on one floor and Russians on the floor below them, and classes being disturbed by orders given in Russian through loudspeakers. One would imagine that it would be rather hard on the nerves to share a college with the Russian army of occupation, but the masters and boys at Kalksburg seem to have simply accepted the situation and got on with the job. There were some memorable sports days at which the audience consisted of the parents and boys on one side of the field and Russian soldiers on the other, quietly and interestedly watching the — the boys meanwhile praying as hard as they could — and in the end the Russian cancelled his order. Not only that, he withdrew his men altogether, so that the college regained the use of the whole building and grounds. It was still in the Russian Zone, of course, and remained so until the peace treaty of October, 1955 and the subsequent withdrawal of the Russians from Austria. Understandably, the college grew more rapidly when the Russians were out of it, and by 1956/57 there were 377 boys, more than ever before. In that year the college celebrated its centenary, and looking back over its first hundred years it may have thought that history is something of which it is possible to have too much.

Kalksburg today

I mentioned earlier that the exterior of the college is in a bad way: this is because the money has not yet been found to make good all



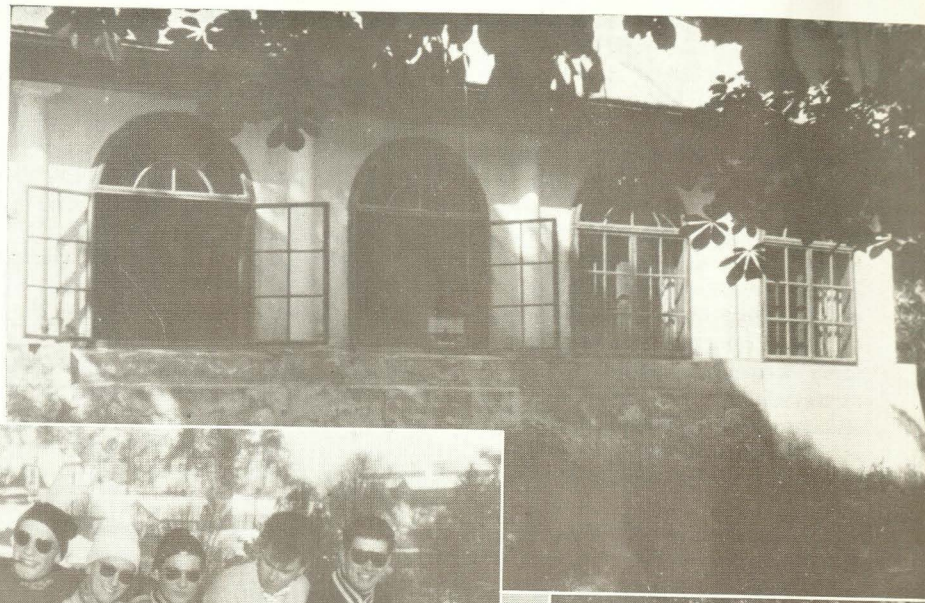
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events. One would not think that many parents would wish to send their boys to a college sharing its premises with the Red Army, but such is the prestige enjoyed by Kalksburg in Vienna —and such was the calm attitude of the Viennese to the Russians — that by the third year there were over two hundred boys there.

In 1951 the Russian commander in Vienna told the Rector to vacate the building, since he wanted the whole of it for his men. The Rector protested, and friends and old boys of the college in the Austrian government also protested the damage that was suffered during the war and afterwards. There is also a chapel in the grounds which is still as the Russians left it, a wreck. It is to be hoped that in time the marks of the invaders will be removed, but the reader will readily understand that that will not be accomplished overnight.

I was not at the college for very long, but the atmosphere there seemed to me very pleasant indeed. Boys I spoke with were very relaxed and friendly — but then a certain easy-going friendliness is typical of Vienna. For some

COLLEGE SNAPS







AT THE KALKSBURG COLLEGE.
Above: The Smoke Temple (see Text).
Left and Right: Skiing and Physical Culture.

reason I used to have the idea that Jesuit colleges in Europe were rather grim institutions, so that it was a pleasant surprise to find at Kalksburg much the same ease as I had known at Riverview.

The present-day college differs in many ways from the old. Firstly, the boys now come almost entirely from Austria instead of from all over the Empire — the countries which belonged to the Empire being now behind the Iron Curtain. Secondly, although there are still many boys from the old noble families, the general tone of the school is more democratic than before, in keeping with the tone of modern Austria. The riding school, for example, disappeared in 1919, and fencing, which remained until 1936, has not been revived since the war. The boys make their own beds and serve at table. There are no longer any private cubicles — for senior boys do their study three or four to a room. And there is now no school uniform. Finally, the discipline has been to some extent relaxed: boys do not have

to keep in line when they go from one duty to another, and they do not have to observe silence in the corridors.

Kalksburg is what we would call a secondary school. In Austria the primary school course is four years long, and there are eight years in the secondary school. Kalksburg, then, has eight classes, and the boys' ages range from ten or eleven to eighteen or nineteen, though there are generally a few in their early twenties. There are six class-days a week, but there are not often afternoon classes: classes commence at eight in the morning and are over by one o'clock. (This is the usual system in Austrian schools, and it has its advantages.) Every day has a different order of time, and where some subjects (Latin and Greek) have five periods a week devoted to them, other subjects have only two or three. Each period lasts fifty minutes, and usually a boy has from thirty to thirty-five periods a week: this represents about the same amount of class time as we had when I was at 'View, though it is very differently distributed.

A few details about the studies may be of interest to some readers. In the first year every boy takes R.K., German, History, Mathematics, English, Biology, Geography, Physics and Chemistry, Music and Drawing. In the third year, when the boys are thirteen or fourteen, Latin is added. In the fifth year, two choices are made. Some sixty per cent. of the boys take up the study of Greek; these boys drop Physics and Chemistry (though they take it up again the following year) and they may drop English. The others do not take up Greek, and they retain Physics and Chemistry and English. The other choice to be made is between Art and Music, though I am told that almost all the boys would prefer to keep on with both subjects if that were possible — they include, by the way, both the history and appreciation of art and music as well as the practice. Latin, German, History, Mathematics, Biology and Geography are retained by all boys to the end of their school careers. In the seventh year philosophy (mainly logic and psychology) is added. In addition to all this a boy may take French or Italian as an extra.

It will be noted that Kalksburg is strong on the classics. Well over half the boys have five fifty-minute periods a week each in Greek and Latin, and they study Latin for six years and Greek for four. Moreover, **everyone** at the college takes six years of Latin. (It will also be

KALKSBURG





Corpus Christi Procession

seen that the course is very humanistic and cultural: besides Latin, everyone takes History, German and Music or Art, and most take English). Mathematics is compulsory in all eight years, but has only three periods a week. (When I was at 'View the Honours Maths. students had fifteen periods of Maths. a week); Physics, Chemistry and Biology have about six periods a week between them. Kalksburg insists on keeping the humanities, and especially the classics, as the basis of the education it gives.

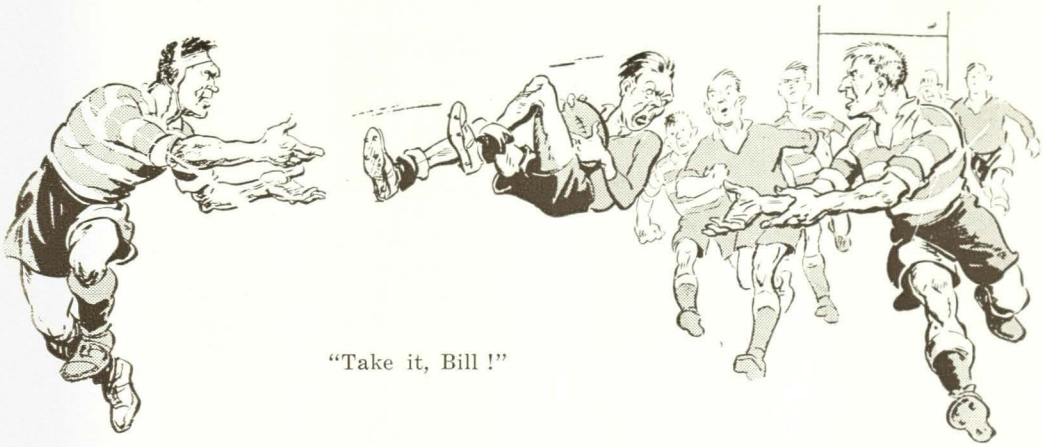
In view of this, and since this is Vienna, it goes without saying that such cultural activities as drama and music play a large part in the life of the college. There is a choir and an orchestra, and a handsome theatre where about three big productions are staged each year. For example, Shakespeare's **Julius Caesar** was put on a couple of years ago. Moreover, the senior boys go to the theatre, opera or concerts in Vienna at least twice a month and frequently weekly. Or, alternatively, they may go to see some culturally important film.

What of sport? Soccer is played all the year round, but principally in the summer. Skiing is the principal winter sport, and two years ago the junior chamipon ski jumper for Vienna was a Kalksburger.

The Smoke Temple is an institution that cannot be passed over in silence. It is a recreation room for the senior boys and in it — and nowhere else in the college — they are permitted to smoke. It is a separate building, set among trees and pleasantly fitted out inside, and the senior boys like to relax there with their pipes or cigarettes at the end of the day.

When I was gathering information for this article I asked someone about the spiritual life of the college and was told: "Well, you know how it is: either a college puts the spiritual life in the first place or it doesn't, and if it doesn't it's just not a Jesuit college." I can add little to that, except perhaps for three minor observations. Firstly, Austria is a country rich in religious traditions and this is reflected in the life of the college. There are processions, traditional observances and minor festivities one after another all through the year, and taken together they give a colour and interest to the religious life which is not essential, of course, but is certainly helpful. I see from the Alma Mater that Riverview, with its Corpus Christi procession and the open-air Mass on Anzac Day, is developing similar traditions. Secondly, in modern developments like dialogue Masses and various kinds of sung Mass the German speaking countries are ahead of most of the rest of the world, and this, too, is reflected in the life of the college. Thirdly. a revolutionary innovation has been introduced at Kalksburg, whereby week-day Mass is not obligatory except on special feasts or when a division has a dialogue Mass. In practice, each week has at least one special feast, and each division has a Mass once a week, so that two week-day Masses are obligatory. On other days the boys may study instead of going to Mass, but of course daily Mass is recommended to them.

I have tried to give an account of Kalksburg past and present. What of the future? It might seem that since it has a full enrolment and enjoys great prestige in Vienna, it should have nothing to worry about, but there are great problems, one of them being the immense amount of repair work and renovation that badly needs to be carried out. However, we may surely think that a college, which, with the aid of Our Lady, its patroness, has survived the troubles which have fallen upon this one, and which has proved so capable of adaptation to new needs while holding on to tradition, can face its second century with confidence.



"Take it, Bill !"

Football Notes

SENIOR FOOTBALL, 1959

To many 1959 must have seemed a disappointing football season. It was a season of mostly narrow defeats, of injured players and of numerous "if onlys" that could have swung matches in our favour. The First Fifteen, after winning three practice matches, lost every competition match for the first time since 1954 and earned the wooden spoon when they were defeated by a point by S.H.S. in the final round. (What a finish that was, with S.I.C. scoring 9 points in the last few minutes, to come from 8-18 to 17-18: a try after the bell and a chance to goal and win!). But defeat more than victory gives pause for reflection and I would like to quote something on sport and its value by the late Holy Father, Pope Pius XII:—

> "As is confirmed by the experts, to win in sport is not so important as to prove ones skill and fortitude. Education in sports aims also at developing in the young the virtues proper to this activity. These are, among others, loyalty that excludes taking refuge in subterfuges, docility and obedience to the wise commands of the director charged with the training of the team, the spirit of self-renunciation when one has to fade into the background in order that the interests of the team may thereby be furthered, fidelity to obligations undertaken, modesty in victory, and serenity in adverse fortune . . ."

Make no mistake, the 1959 team and every one of the twenty-eight (!) who played in competition matches, trained and played to win. Moreover, as those who saw the team agree, they played plenty of good constructive football. They scored 70 points and even when beaten decisively by Sydney Grammar and St. Joseph's, kept spectators and opponents on their toes right to the final bell. Matches against King's, Newington Scots and High were thrilling games which might have gone our way — "if only"! Final figures cannot convey the excitement of those periods in the second half against Newington when the score was 11-11 with a few minutes to go, nor those against Scots with the score 8-8 and time running out.

It was a year of high and even standard with Scots premiers and Newington runners-up. Three points was the margin against Shore and King's in very even matches. Who will forget that last five minutes on the King's line with King's defence repulsing attempt after attempt by our inside backs? Against us St. Joseph's were at full strength for the first time during the season and defeated us convincingly in an interesting and enjoyable game. Sydney Grammar defeated us soundly. but a stimulating aspect of the game was that in the second half when Terry Vandeleur was injured and we played with fourteen, the score was only 6-5 against us.

The team lacked sufficient experience and as a result was often unable to finish scoring movements.

Michael Deloughery (Captain), **John Thorpe** (Vice-Captain), **Peter Kirby, Richard Roberts** were back from 1958. Each of them was to do much during the season, but Michael Deloughery was outstanding as a player and a leader. He led a pack in which only one other forward (Anthony Whealy) played every game and in which no other player was considered worthy of combined representation, even as a reserve. Yet, except perhaps against Grammar and



FIRST FIFTEEN.

Back: L.-R.: J. Kirby, J. Plummer, M. Lowrey, A. Whealy, T. Vandeleur, P. Kirby, V. O'Toole.
Seated: C. Hayes, P. White, J. Thorpe (V.-C.), M. Deloughery (Capt.), R. Roberts, M. Dureau. G. Knight.
In Front: P. Roland-Bower and P. Lubrano.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Scots, the forwards matched their opponents and won enough of the ball in every game to enable us to win if we had used our opportunities. Deloughery himself was always on the ball, quick to snap it up or use his feet, tireless in rucks and scrums, useful line-out man at number two, directing and guiding his pack.

Peter Kirby gave an inspiring example of speed, courage, determination and hard work whenever and wherever he played. His bursts with the ball from his lock position were among the most exhilarating moments of the season. Injury alone prevented this self-effacing yet most cooperative, team-spirited player from being one of the most outstanding forwards in recent years.

John Plummer developed into a fast vigorous forward, good rucker, sound tackler. **Michael Dureau** who had to become a hooker when our best prospect, **John Maguire,** was injured, won a modest share of scrums and proved an excellent No. 1 line-out forward as well as being very useful in the loose.

Anthony Whealy and **Michael Lowrey** had a lot to learn in the second row but they worked with great good will and proved efficient if slow. Whealy's bullocking play almost clinched the Newington game for us. Lowrey was handicapped by an injured cartilage and finally had to stop playing. **Peter White** and **Charles Hayes** were the best tackling breakaways we tried. Through injury, Peter White was unable to finish the season, but Hayes' spoiling tackles and quickness to the ball were valuable assets during the last few games.

Glen Mackintosh and **Denis Pearson** were the most permanent replacements, played well and should have gained much valuable experience.

John Thorpe, last year's left winger and G.P.S. 1st Rep. was tried in the centre and while there helped us to win three practice matches, but he returned to wing where he again scored some fine tries. He played an outstanding game for Combined G.P.S. First Fifteen. We needed an experienced player as inside back and **Richard Roberts** filled the position and played sound if not always imaginative football.

Three of last year's 15A's overcame the difficulty of inexperience and played fine football. **Peter Roland,** half-back showed great courage in attack and defence, giving fast, accurate service from the scrum. He tackled tirelessly and ran judiciously. **Peter Lubrano,** on the right wing, improved with every match. His positional play in defence became outstanding, and he quickly learned more and more of the winger's ways of beating an opponent.

The third 1958 Under 15A player was **Terry Vandeleur** who had played well as full-back and was just beginning to show class when he was unfortunately injured against Grammar and was out for the rest of the season. He was replaced by **Victor O'Toole** who, though young and slow, impressed all by his coolness and courage, his quick disposal of the ball and his tackling.

Geoffrey Knight, right wing and outside centre had only one bad match — against Scots. He developed into a good place-kicker and landed three goals for Combined G.P.S. Third Fifteen against Waverley College.

The five-eighth position presented an insoluble problem and in some ways caused our downfall. Some of those tried were slow and could not tackle, others were fast but could not handle or had other defects. Michael Conrick was replaced by Sean Spence; he in turn by Peter Kirby, who could not be spared from the forwards and Bill Nevill was promoted. Bill was improving but was injured and Richard Roberts took the position for the final game.

Since twenty-eight players appeared in the First Fifteen in competition matches, the **Second Fifteen** was sorely tried. But in spite of this it had a fine season, winning three matches and being beaten only twice. Much of the credit for this goes to Charlie Hayes in the first half of the season, to forwards such as D. Hall, P. McCarron, J. Maher, A Herbert, J. Krivanek, to backs D. Johnson, S. Spence, V. Edwards, G. Hepworth. S. Spence's goal kicking was an important factor in the team's success.

After a lean time for a couple of years, the **Third Fifteen** were again premiers — this time with Grammar and St. Joseph's. They owed their success to the enthusiastic coaching of Mr. W. McCrossin and to the vigorous leadership of John Conlon (who seemed determined to emulate his father, Bill ("Dinkum") who played in a premiership Thirds in the golden era!). Teamwork and team-spirit were splendid, defence impenetrable. We hope to see more of players like Ellis Murphy, David Payten, Glen Mackintosh, Charles O'Hanlon, Tony McCormack, Mark Raper not omitting older heads such as Michael Glasheen, John Collins, Fraser Johnston.

We began with a 4th, 5th and 6th fifteen but injuries soon decimated the 6th fifteen and it ceased to be. The Fourths and Fifths played an encouragingly high standard of football. We hope to see good football from some of them higher up next year.

Our thanks again to assistant coaches, Mr. McCrossin, Fr. M. Pietzsch, Denis Foley; to the Parents and Friends, to officials and to our



G.P.S. REPRESENTATIVES.
M. Deloughery G.P.S. I):, P. Kirby (G.P.S. II), J. Thorpe (G.P.S. I), G. Knight (G.P.S. III), P. Lubrano (Reserve).

patient efficient groundsmen, Mr. K. Jacobson and Mr. E. Thomas.

Congratulations to Scots College on their Premiership. Their team played attractive, open football and played as a team. Congratulations to St. Joseph's and Grammar on the Second Fifteen Premiership and to both of them on sharing the Third Fifteen.



Congratulations also to our G.P.S. representatives, especially Michael Deloughery and John Thorpe and to all Award winners. Finally, a word of thanks to all players for their keenness, hard work and general enthusiasm.

J.D., S.J.

FOOTBALL COLOURS, 1959

The following have been awarded their First Fifteen football colours for 1959:—

M. Deloughery	P. Roland
J. Thorpe	G. Knight
R. Roberts	P. Lubrano
J. Plummer	T. Vandeleur
M. Dureau	V. O'Toole
A. Whealy	P. Kirby
M. Lowrey	P. White
C. Hayes	J. Kirby

SPECIAL AWARDS

College Honour Caps: Best Forward: M. Deloughery.

Best Back: G. Knight.

Mr. Brian Nowland Award for Best and Fairest

Player: M. Deloughery.

G. Wootten & N. O'Neil Memorial Prizes for Most Courageous triers: Forward: P. Kirby. **Back:** P. Roland.

The following members of the Third Fifteen (co-premiers with S.J.C. & S.G.S.) have been awarded the right to a Second Grade Honour Blazer with gold inscription:—

J. Conlon	G. Mackintosh
J. Collins	J. Lyons
P. Bookallil	J. McDermott
M. Glasheen	P. Ward
E. Murphy	F. Johnston
D. Pearson	M. Raper
C. O'Hanlon	A. McCormack
D. Payten	M. Conrick

FIRST FIFTEEN

Trial Games:

On Anzac Day we fielded a team, which contained no Rowers, for a game with **Barker College.** It was our first game of the season, and aroused much interest.

Those who played showed great spirit, despite an inevitable lack of condition and did well to win, 14-12 against very active opponents. Our tries were scored by John Thorpe, John Conlon and Peter Lubrano. Michael Conrick converted one try and kicked a penalty goal. For Riverview, J. Thorpe, P. Lubrano, M. Deloughery and A. Whealy were always conspicuous.

(G. Knight)

Three days after our return from the May holidays, we played **Newington** (away) on the morning of May 30 (seeing that we were to attend the match, N.S.W. v. British "Lions" in the afternoon).

Our team showed good combination for their first game. The backs combined well, J. Thorpe as inside centre proving very good in attack. He broke through several times and scored a fine try. Newington, however, proved superior, especially in the second half. Our tries were scored by J. Thorpe, P. Lubrano and G. Knight. R. Roberts converted one. The scores were: N.C. 23. S.I.C. II.

Our cover defence and general tackling were weak and will need sharpening up.

(J.T.)

On June 6th we played **The Armidale School** and won: 14-6. Our passing and especially our handling were weak. Bill Nevill missed an easy penalty goal but shortly afterwards put two others over. A kick through by J. Thorpe enabled him to pick up and score. Bill Nevill converted and we led 11-0. T.A.S. soon kicked a penalty; S.I.C. 11: T.A.S. 3.

In the second half, passing improved a little. The ball went out to Geoff Knight on the wing and he scored a splendid try: S.I.C. 14. T.A.S. tried hard, but faulty passing was their undoing. They finally broke through and but for a brilliant tackle just on the line by G. Knight, would have scored. A. Whealy (second row), P. McCarron and Peter Roland were always conspicuous.

(J. Thorpe)

We played **Shore** at Northbridge on June 13th — the last of the Trial games before the beginning of the competition. We won: 23-9, after a fair game in which prevailing winds interfered a good deal with the handling and kicking of each side. Riverview pressed early and a good pass in the forwards from A. Whealy to M. Deloughery enabled the latter to dive across for a try.

Our play was too loose and Shore reached our 25 where a penalty goal enabled them to even the score: 3-3. A quick pass to Bill Nevill shortly afterwards sent him over for a good try which, however, he did not convert.

Our backs played better now and tries came to G. Knight and J. Thorpe but the strong wind prevented the converts.

A quick ruck by Shore got the ball to their winger who beat his opponent and full-back and scored. Tries were there for the asking on both sides, but poor handling stopped the scores. J. Plummer played well with our hooker J. Maguire. P. Kirby showed a good deal of his 1958 form and our new half-back, A. McCormack showed distinct promise. This trial match showed up our basic faults but also showed what we can do with their correction.

Riverview: 6 tries (G. Knight (2), J. Thorpe (2), M. Deloughery, W. Nevill, who converted one and kicked a penalty goal).

Our team today was: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C.), J. Maguire, J. Plummer, A. Herbert, A. Whealy, M. Lowrey, R. Roberts, P. Kirby, A. McCormack, M. Conrick, G. Knight, G. Hepworth, W. Nevill, T. Vandeleur.

(J. Thorpe)

COMPETITION MATCHES

June 20th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.K.S.** Played at Parramatta: Lost: 8-11.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C.), J. Maguire, J. Plummer, A. Whealy, J.

Odillo Maher, P. Kirby, A. McCormack, M. Conrick, R. Roberts, P. Lubrano, G. Knight, T. Vandeleur, P. McCarron, P. White.

King's kicked off and their forwards bustled down the field, heeled to their winger at our 25 and he scored in the corner. A good start for T.K.S. We were failing to mark our opponents. Peter Kirby realised what was wrong, stood off from the ruck, made an opening for our centre, J. Thorpe who raced for a try: 3-3.

Geoff Knight eventually got a quick pass and went across for a good try. We looked dangerous for a time but forward passes slowed us up. King's tactics were good. They tightened up the game and this gave them victory.

June 27th: **S.I.C.** v. **N.C.** Played at Riverview: Lost: 11-16.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C), J. Plummer, M. Dureau, M. Lowrey, A. Whealy, P. Kirby, J. Kirby, P. White, P. Roland, S. Spence, R. Roberts, G. Knight, P. Lubrano, T. Vandeleur.

We started off at a fast pace and bustled N.C. back to their line though we could not score. Awarded a free kick about 30 yards out, S. Spence kicked a good goal and gave us an early lead of 3-0. Not long afterwards Newington, similarly favoured, also kicked a good goal. S.I.C. 3. N.C. 3. There was no further score in the first half.



SECOND FIFTEEN.
Back: A. Herbert, Q. Leeder, G. Hepworth, D. Hall, J. Taylor, E. Cahill, A. Lenehan.
Seated: B. Johnson, M. Williams, W. Nevill, D. Johnson (Capt.), P. McCarron, G. McCormack, V. Edwards.
In Front: S. Spence and J. Krivanek.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Egan (T.K.S.) ran right through our forwards and scored, really winning the match for King's. He should have been tackled but wasn't. Peter Kirby, Peter White, John Plummer and John Maguire played really well among the forwards and the game was played in a fine spirit. We hope to play a better game in succeeding matches.

Scores: **T.K.S.:** Two tries (one converted) and a penalty goal — 11.

S.I.C.: Two tries — (one converted) — 8.

(J. Thorpe)

Early in the second half Newington, playing very strongly, forced us right back and scored a try (not converted). Play continued up and down until the N.C. inside centre cut through our defence and made an opening for another try which, being converted, brought the scores to: N.C. 11. S.I.C. 3.

Our team did not relax and from a penalty 25 yards, out, S. Spence landed another goal. S.I.C. 6. Very shortly afterwards he had to leave the field with head injuries. Riverview again pressed very hard and M. Deloughery got across for a

try which P. Lubrano converted. The score was now N.C. 11, S.I.C. 11, and excitement ran high. The game looked like ending in a draw but Newington came again, playing very well and scored near our posts. The conversion brought their points to 16. We pressed hard to the end but time was now against us and Newington deservedly won a splendid game. Our forwards played very well. This was a Comp. match debut for M. Dureau, J. Kirby, P. Roland and S. Spence and they did well. Terry Vandeleur at full back was excellent.

(R. Stack)

July 4th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.G.S.** Played at Riverview. Lost: 11-22.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C.), P. McCarron, M. Dureau, M. Lowrey, A. Whealy, P. Kirby, J. Kirby, P. White, D. Johnson, S. Spence, R. Roberts, G. Knight, P. Lubrano, T. Vandeleur.

Today we met a better team of which the forwards were bigger and heavier than our own and whom we found it hard to stop in the loose rucks and line-outs. The Grammar backs also cut through out defence time and again, our tackling, especially near the scrum, being weak. Early in the game S.G.S. with good backing-up, scored and converted a try, which shortly afterwards was followed by another (not converted), making their points 8-0. From a penalty kick, S. Spence kicked a good goal and repeated the performance from further out, bringing the score to : S.G.S. 8, S.I.C. 6. Grammar came again, and from a penalty kick, brought their score to 11, S.I.C. 6.

After half-time, for a while our play was rather scrappy, enabling Grammar to score and convert another try. S.G.S. 16. Riverview now livened up considerably and went well into Grammar territory, though they were sent back frequently by Grammar's kicking. Our backs were functioning better and made a good run, the ball finally reaching J. Thorpe on the wing. He made a fine run, evading the opposing winger and full-back and scored a beautiful try between the posts. S. Spence converted and the score was: S.G.S. 16, S.I.C. 11. There was now a chance of a draw and play became very fierce. However, a try to Grammar gave them 3 points more and their score rose to 19. We were pressing hard but so were Grammar, and when they were awarded a penalty and kicked a goal making their score 22 there was no time for further efforts on our part. The game ended: S.G.S. 22. S.I.C. 11. This was the best team we have played so far. M. Deloughery led our forwards well. J. Thorpe and P. Lubrano were also conspicuous among our backs. S. Spence's kicks for goal were very accurate.

(R. Stack, G. Knight)

July 11th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.S.C.** Played at Bellevue Hill. Lost: 11-16.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C.), J. Plummer, M. Dureau, M. Lowrey, A. Whealy, P. White, C. Hayes, J. Kirby, P. Kirby, P. Roland, R. Roberts, G. Knight, P. Lubrano, V. O'Toole.

Riverview kicked off and at once went into attack, strongly storming the Scots line. Winning the ball from a five-yards scrum, P. Roland passed to P. Kirby (our new five-eighth) who used his weight and scored a try fairly close to the posts. P. Lubrano converted and we led, 5-0.

T.S.C. quickly retaliated and very soon their outside centre broke through scoring between the posts. This was converted and the points were T.S.C. 5. S.I.C. 5. Not long afterwards following on mid-field play, the same outside centre penetrated again and scored, but the try was not converted. T.S.C. 8. S.I.C. 5. This was the score at half-time. After play recommenced this elusive outside centre broke through for Scots several times, but was held up by our cover-defence. Our hopes rose once more when P. Lubrano kicked a penalty goal which made the scores even. 8-8. Time was running out when T.S.C. kicked a penalty goal which brought their points to 11. About five minutes later the Scots inner centre started a good movement which resulted in a try. This was converted and Scots' score rose to 16. Play continued, fast and furious and almost on full-time G. Knight kicked a penalty goal for Riverview making the scores: T.S.C. 16, S.I.C. 11. The final whistle blew without further scores.

Specially notable in today's play were Michael Deloughery, Peter Kirby, Peter Roland and Peter Lubrano.

(R. Stack)

July 18th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.J.C.** Played at Hunters Hill. Lost: 3-23.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), R. Roberts (V.-C.), D. Pearson, M. Dureau, A. Whealy, J. Plummer, P. Kirby, G. Mackintosh, C. Hayes, P. Roland, W. Nevill, G. Hepworth, G. Knight, P. Lubrano, V. O'Toole.

Quite a large crowd gathered to watch this game which is always interesting.

Riverview kicked off and immediately gave the impression of being a good team despite the absence, through previous injuries of J. Thorpe, J. Kirby and M. Lowrey. We were to miss these players as the game continued. R. Roberts fol-

lowed a high "up-and-under" and toed it to the line but he was tackled and we were awarded a penalty kick five yards out. "Bluey" Kirby tried to barge through but was more or less smothered and a five-yard scrum resulted. From this scrum we were awarded a free kick and P. Lubrano kicked a goal for Riverview to lead: 3-0.

About five minutes later, from a good back movement, S.J.C. scored and converted thus taking the lead: S.J.C. 5. S.I.C. 3.

Shortly afterwards S.J.C. were awarded a free kick near the half-way and kicked a good goal. S.J.C. 8. S.I.C. 3.

On the whole, St. Joseph's backs were faster and more experienced. Our forwards, however, gave no quarter and played with great determination.

(R.S., G.K.)

July 25th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.** Played at Riverview. Lost: 9-12.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C.), D. Pearson, M. Dureau, A. Whealy, J. Plummer, P. White, Glen Mackintosh, C. Hayes, P. Roland, W. Nevill, R. Roberts, P. Lubrano, G. Knight, V. O'Toole.

This game was played under most unpleasant conditions. Heavy rain had flooded the field and



THIRD FIFTEEN.
Back: J. McDermott, J. Lyons, E. Murphy, C. O'Hanlon, M. Raper, G. Mackintosh, D. Pearson.
Seated: A. McCormack, F. Johnston, J. Collins, J. Conlon (Capt.), M. Conrick, D. Payten, P. Bookallil.
In Front: M. Glasheen and P. Luscumbe-Ward.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

In the second half St. Joseph's scored 3 more tries and a penalty goal, and eventually brought their points to 23, gradually wearing us down.

The game in general, showed hard vigorous football, both packs of forwards struggling for possession. From line-outs and set scrums, Riverview won seventy-five per cent of the ball but were unable to take full advantage of this, as the S.J.C. backs were up quickly and our inside-backs were smothered. Our defence was good and solid tackling upset many dangerous S.J.C. movements. Conspicuous among our players today were M. Deloughery, P. Kirby, R. Roberts and P. Lubrano.

continued at times during the match itself. There were patches of water everywhere and the ground had already been churned up by the Second and Third Fifteens who played beforehand.

Riverview kicked off and found touch near Shore's twenty-five. We won the line-out and J. Thorpe came in between the five-eighth and inside centre. He ran about 30 yards and scored between the touch line and the posts. S.I.C. 3. Shore 0. A penalty to Shore shortly afterwards enabled them to equalise: 3-3.

About five minutes later Shore got across for a try but did not convert. Shore 6. S.I.C. 3.

They increased their score to 9 by a penalty goal. Later in the first half P. Lubrano kicked a penalty goal for Riverview and the score was: Shore 9. S.I.C. 6. This was the half-time score. Play was again very difficult in the second half, many promising moves being spoilt by the mud and water. Shore scored another try which brought their points to 12 and for Riverview J. Thorpe toed the ball through well to score. Neither try was converted and the full-time score was: Shore 12. Riverview 9.

It was really a question of luck on a very wet day. We sadly missed "Blue" Kirby in the forwards who were slightly outplayed by a heavier pack. Michael Deloughery played a good tight game and Peter Lubrano showed great vigour and determination. Denis Pearson and Glen Mackintosh were always on the ball and played splendidly throughout the game.

(R.S., J.T.)

August 1st: **S.I.C.** v. **Sydney High School.**
Played at Centennial Park. Lost: 17-18.

S.I.C.: M. Deloughery (Capt.), J. Thorpe (V.-C.), P. Roland, R. Roberts, P. Lubrano, V. Edwards, V. O'Toole, G. Knight, Glen Mackintosh, C. Hayes, P. Kirby, D. Pearson, M. Dureau, A. Whealy, J. Plummer.

Riverview lost the toss and played into the sun, G. Knight kicking off. The game began at a fast pace, Riverview attacking. Spirited play by High, however, pressed us back and their good passing and backing-up soon got them a try which was not converted. S.H.S. 3. S.I.C. 0.

We forced High back after the kick-off and P. Kirby narrowly missed scoring in the corner. High came again, quickly, and after a run of about 40 yards one of their backs scored a fine try under the posts. This being converted, High led, 8-0. This was the half-time score.

Fast play began the second half and after a burst near the High line, G. Knight scored a good try which he converted: S.H.S. 8. S.I.C. 5.

High more or less dominated the play now and scored two tries in quick succession which brought their points to 18. Undaunted, Riverview again attacked and J. Thorpe, after intelligent play by P. Lubrano and G. Knight, scored near the side-line. S.H.S. 18. S.I.C. 8.

G. Knight improved Riverview's position by kicking 2 penalty goals from about the 10-yard line. The score now stood: S.H.S. 18, S.I.C. 14, with about five minutes left for play. We were unlucky now to lose D. Pearson who left the field with a possible fracture. Riverview came again very strongly, but High forced us back to our twenty-five. From a loose ruck P. Roland passed to R. Roberts and the ball was whipped to J. Thorpe who ran almost 75 yards and scored a very fine try some yards in from the side line. S.I.C. 17. Excitement was intense and G. Knight, under great pressure was unlucky to miss a difficult conversion, so that High ran out winners by 1 point.

(M. Garling.)

This was the last Competition match:

As stated elsewhere, in the Combined G.P.S. teams which played on Saturday, August 8, we had the following Riverview representatives:—

In the G.P.S. 1sts v. Combined High Schools — M. Deloughery and J. Thorpe; G.P.S. II — P. Kirby; G.P.S. III — G. Knight; Reserve: P. Lubrano.

G.P.S. I defeated C.H.S.: 25-11; G.P.S. II lost to Hawkesbury A.C.: 5-16; G.P.S. III lost to Waverley 9-13. Our representative (G. Knight) in G.P.S. III kicked the 9 points — 3 penalty goals.

SECOND FIFTEEN:

On April 25th we had a good game with Barker College. Our weakness lay in the size of our forwards who were outweighed.

We lost 11-13 and were pressing hard at the finish. J. Taylor and P. Ward scored our only tries. Bill Nevill converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Our best players on the day were: J. Sherwood, D. Payten and P. Roland.

(G. Knight)

May 30th: Just after the holidays we played a trial game with **Newington** and lost 3-11. During the first half there was little difference between the teams, N.C. leading 6-3 at half-time. Poor handling and lack of speed proved our undoing after that and Newington added another try (converted). Our best players were J. Plummer, M. Williams and P. Roland-Bower.

(J. Carver)

June 13th: We had a close game with **Shore** and won: 11-8. It was mostly a struggle between the forwards, especially in the second half. Riverview were 6-5 at half-time. Among our forwards, Mark Williams and Charlie Hayes were very prominent and one combined effort sent John Maher across for a try, converted by S. Spence. Our best players today seemed to be M. Williams, C. Hayes and D. Johnson..

S.I.C. score: J. Maher, try: S. Spence, 2 penalty goals and 1 conversion.

Shore: 2 tries and 1 conversion.

(S.S.)

COMPETITION MATCHES.

June 20th: v. **The King's School.** Won: 20-11.

The game was very even until midway in the

second half when we established a winning break. The turning point was M. Dureau's fine forty-yard dash along the side-line. His try gave the team more confidence. Our scorers were:—G. Hepworth, M. Dureau, D. Johnson (tries), S. Spence, 1 conversion and 3 penalty goals. The whole team played well, especially C. Hayes, M. Dureau, D. Johnson and S. Spence.

(V. Edwards)

June 27th: v. **Newington College.** Won: 5-3.

This proved a very tense struggle as the scores show. Newington opened the scoring by a fine back movement ending in a try which, however, was not converted.

Our team seemed now to be stung into action and from a ruck, Mark Williams dived across and evened the score. Bill Nevill converted and Riverview led, 5-3. The second half was scoreless and several good movements just failed to penetrate Newington's defence. Our best players in a rather exciting game were: G. Hepworth, V. O'Toole, M. Williams and C. Hayes.

(V. Edwards)

July 4th: v. **Sydney Grammar.** Lost: 8-15.

Grammar defeated us in a hard-fought game by their bustling unorthodox forward play. Our backs seemed better but got little of the ball, Grammar keeping it among the forwards. A. Lenehan scored our only try which B. Johnson converted, as well as kicking a penalty goal from a difficult position. Our best players today were D. Hall, V. O'Toole, C. Hayes and B. Johnson.

(V. Edwards)

July 11th: v. **The Scots College.** Lost: 3-11.

Without the inspiring leadership of C. Hayes, who was playing with the Firsts, our forwards seemed to lack their usual drive and fire. T.S.C. won the majority of the scrums, line-outs and rucks and early in the second half took the lead which they kept despite some vigorous dashes by our backs. Our only score was a penalty goal kicked by S. Spence. Our best players today were A. Herbert, B. Johnson and D. Johnson.

(V. Edwards)

July 18th: v. **St. Joseph's College.** Lost: 3-23.

In this game we lost by the same score as the First Fifteen. S.J.C. showed better combination. In the first half, play was generally more even despite the fact that three quick tries were scored against us from kicks through. Our play fell away somewhat in the second half and S.J.C. "collected" some more tries. Our only points came from a penalty goal by S. Spence and our best players were J. Taylor, J. Krivanek, D. Hall and J. Kirby.

(V. Edwards)

July 25th: v. **Shore.** Lost: 3-9.

The rain fell in torrents as both teams waded through mud to the centre of the field. Orthodox football was impossible in the prevailing conditions and play was confined to the forwards. Shore led 9-0 at half-time, due to their supremacy in loose play. 'View played strongly in the second half and E. Cahill, our only scorer, crossed for a good try, after hard forward play. The final score was: Shore: 9, Riverview 3. Our best players were: P. McCarron, D. Hall, M. Williams, D. Johnson, G. Hepworth and A. Lenehan.

(V. Edwards)

August 1st: v. **Sydney High School.** Won: 14-11. (2 tries, 1 goal, 2 penalty goals, to 3 tries and 1 goal.)

This was a very even game. Our forwards played very well and fed the backs regularly. Our best forwards were: P. McCarron and M. Williams. David Johnson gave excellent service from the scrum base. He and Gavin Hepworth were our best backs. A Lenehan and S. Spence each scored a try. The latter converted one and kicked 2 penalty goals.

(S.S.)

THIRD FIFTEEN

Our first game was on May 30th, against **Newington** and resulted in a narrow win (6-5) for us. Our forwards were the spear-head of our attack, ably led by Mark Raper and D'Arcy Hall among a vigorous pack.

Our backs seemed to lack fire and did not handle well.

Our points came from a try by G. Ward and a penalty goal by J. Lyons.

On June 6th we played **Scots College** and won: 13-8. This proved a hard game all through. The team showed great improvement in play but condition was somewhat lacking and gave T.S.C. eight points in the second half. S. Spence led the backs well, kicking a penalty goal and converting two tries (scored by J. Lyons). Further improvement all round seems likely.

(J. Conlon)

June 13th saw a rather ragged game with **Shore,** which we won: 3-0. We won rather by the mistakes of the opponents than by our own play. Our backs were weak. Glen Mackintosh was strong and fiery among our forwards and Fraser Johnston as full back was very solid. Chris Haseler scored our only try which was a good one.

(J. Conlon)

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: v. **The King's School.** Won: 25-9.

A good start to the competition. We were down 8-9 at half-time but rallied well after that. The backs got plenty of the ball and attacked well. We were fortunate in having Peter Roland (recovered from an injury) as half-back. In the forwards R. Pearson, Glen Mackintosh and Ellis Murphy were very prominent. Our points came from J. Lyons (2 tries), D. Johnson and R. Pearson (1 each). D. Johnson converted 2 and kicked 3 penalty goals.

(J. Conlon)

June 27th: v. **Newington College.** Won: 11-0. Our hardest game so far this season. In the first half our tackling and handling were weak. In the second half our forwards were too strong for the opposition and tackling all round was much better. R. Pearson and D. Payten played extremely well and D. Johnson (outside centre) was splendid in defence. Our points came from a try by R. Pearson, a conversion and two difficult penalty goals by D. Johnson.

(J. Conlon)

July 4th: v. **Sydney Grammar.** Won: 11-5. The undefeated Grammar team tested us more than any side we have met so far. We led 6-0 at half-time. D. Payten tackled well and Ellis Murphy was, as always, very good. M. Conrick, five-eighth, was our outstanding player. J. Lyons and E. Murphy scored our tries. M. Conrick converted one and kicked a penalty goal.

(J. Conlon)

July 11th: v. **The Scots' College.** Won: 11-6. Scots were by far the best and most sporting team we have ever met. They continually pressed us in an extremely hard game when our defence was really tested. Our forwards, especially in that defence, were excellent. Leading 8-6 at half-time we had to hold T.S.C. on our line for about 20 minutes. Fraser Johnston was most reliable and saved us several times. M. Conrick and J. McDermott were also outstanding. M. Raper and M. Glasheen were perhaps our best forwards. M. Conrick scored all our 11 points with a penalty goal, 2 tries (helped by Tony McCormack) and one conversion. A really good game.

(J. Conlon)

July 18th v. **St. Joseph's College.** Lost: 3-8. We let S.J.C. take the lead early in the game. They vigorously held on to their lead and we suffered our first defeat this season. Our forwards did not pack tightly enough.

On the day S.J.C. were the better team and led 5-0 at half-time. Each side kicked a penalty goal in the second half, M. Conrick kicking ours. Our best forwards were: D. Payten and M. Glasheen. Best backs were: J. Lyons and Tony McCormack.

(J. Conlon)

July 20th: v. **Shore.** Won: 17-0. Conditions were difficult. The ground was extremely wet — flooded in fact, but our forwards were at their best. We gave the opposition no chance to move. The backs also played well despite the greasy ball. M. Conrick was excellent, converting M. Glasheen's try and kicking 4 penalty goals. Ellis Murphy played an outstanding game as lock. C. O'Hanlon and D. Payten were also very good. At present we seem to be leading in our competition.

(J. Conlon)

August 1st: v. **Sydney High School.** Won: 17-3. The team played well but were not at their top form. The forwards were good and gave the backs plenty of the ball. The backs were superior to their opponents in general play and could have scored more points but for bad handling. A. McCormack was outstanding. M. Conrick and J. Collins were also very good. D. Payten, M. Raper and Ellis Murphy were our best forwards. Two tries were scored by Tony McCormack, one by J. McDermott. M. Conrick converted one and kicked 2 penalty goals.

(J. Conlon)

(Our best thanks to John Conlon who has been most regular with his reports of the 3rds' matches all the season.—Ed.)

FOURTH FIFTEEN

May 30th: v. **Newington College.** After a very closely contested play we won: 12-9. The vigorous play of the forwards helped our win. The backs, though good, were given few chances. J. Sherwood and S. Spence each scored a try, the latter also kicking 2 penalty goals. Best players today were: G. Mackintosh, S. Spence and P. Bookallil.

(V. Edwards)

June 6th: v. **The Scots' College.** Lost: 3-18. Our opponents were a much stronger combination and played better football. J. Taylor scored our only try and our best players were M. O'Brien and G. McCormack.

(G.M.)

June 13th: v. **Shore.** Lost: 0-5. This proved a hard, gruelling game, especially after half-time when 5 players had to leave the field owing to injuries. Our best players were F. Kelly and J. Doyle. Shore scored and converted a try.

(J. Sherwood)

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: v. **The King's School.** Lost: 6-14 against a strong team. It was mostly a game

between the forwards. Near the end King's three-quarters stole the lime-light with two quick tries. Our best players were J. Krivanek and R. O'Malley-Jones. For us A. Hartcher scored a try and J. Doyle kicked a penalty goal.

(J. Sherwood)

June 27th: v. **Newington College.** Lost: 0-13. Newington forwards took control on a wet and slippery field. Our backs failed to handle the greasy ball well and Newington had a fairly easy win, scoring a try just as the final bell rang. Our best players were M. Mason and B. Walker.

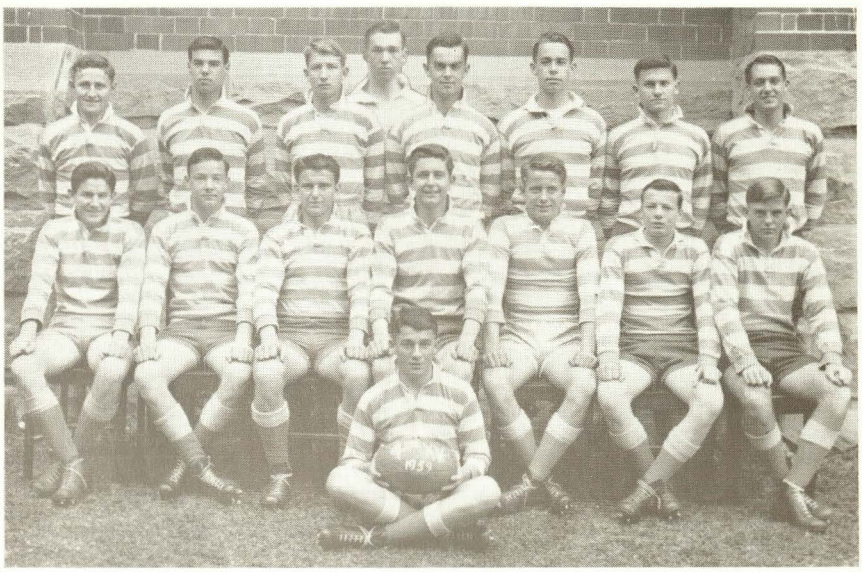
(J. Sherwood)

opponents. Brian Walker was the best of our backs. R. O'Malley-Jones and J. Taylor stood out among the forwards.

(R.S.)

July 18th: v. **St. Joseph's College.** Lost: 0-3. A very even game. There was no score by either side 8 minutes before the end. We narrowly missed scoring twice and were unlucky. Our best forward was Mark Williams and best back M. O'Brien.

August 1st: v. **Sydney High School.** Lost: 3-6. A rather good, even game. High scored a try before half-time as did Riverview (J. Sherwood)



FOURTH FIFTEEN.
Back: M. O'Brien, R. Marr, A. Hartcher, J. Doyle, R. Curtin, B. Walker, C. Rickard.
Seated: R. Stack, F. Kelly, R. O'Malley-Jones, J. Sherwood (Capt.), P. Lamerand, R. Fagan, G. Canning.
In Front: M. Mason.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

July 4th: v. **Sydney Grammar.** Won: 14-6. This was our first Competition win and against a good, so-far undefeated team. R. O'Malley-Jones (Five-eighth) gave his wingers many good chances. Only Grammar's splendid defence kept us out. After half-time three fine goals by J. Doyle put us well ahead. R. O'Malley-Jones scored a good try which J. Doyle converted. Grammar played hard but could not catch up.

(J. Sherwood)

July 11th: v. **The Scots' College.** Lost: 0-28. Played at Woollahra oval — a slushy quagmire. The ball was heavy and greasy. The game was mostly between forwards and we were continually pushed off the ball by our heavier but neither was converted.

The rest of the game was, again very even, High however, scoring another try. John Doyle narrowly missed 2 penalty goals. He and M. O'Brien were our best backs, while J. Sherwood and T. Zlotzkowski shone among the forwards.

(M. Mason)

FIFTH FIFTEEN

May 30th: v. **Newington.** Won: 22-0. We had a rather easy game, all things considered but not quite as easy as the score suggests. N.C. kept at us all the time. Our tries were scored by R. Stack (2), F. Kelly, M. Mason, T. Zlotkowski V. O'Toole and J. Doyle. V. O'Toole converted

3 and kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were F. Kelly, J. Doyle and R. Stack.

(S.M.)

June 6th: v. **The Scots' College.** Lost: 3-6. As the scores suggest, the game was rather even most of the time. Fred Kelly, scored our only try and our best players today were M. Mason, R. Pfafflin, R. Stack and F. Kelly.

(O.K.)

June 13th: v. **Shore.** Game drawn: 6-6. We kicked 2 penalty goals as did Shore. It was even play most of the time but we allowed too many penalties. J. Hardyman kicked both our penalty goals. He, S. Mitchell and P. Lamerand were our best players.

July 4th: v. **Sydney Grammar.** Lost: 3-17. A good, hard game on the whole. Our forwards had the better of the play but the backs were weak in support. A penalty goal was kicked by J. Hardyman and our best players were R. Pfafflin, R. Curtin, P. Lamerand and R. Stack.

(S.M.)

July 11th v. **The Scots' College.** Lost: 3-28 after a rather lifeless game. Our sole scorer was J. Hardyman who kicked a penalty goal and the best of our players were J. Burke, D. Ell and G. Meagher.

July 18th: v. **St. Joseph's College.** Lost: 0-25. Our opponents were a much better team all-round and we had no real chance of scoring. Good



FIFTH FIFTEEN.
Back: Gf. Meagher, J. Hardyman, R. Curtin, J. Burke, P. Curtin, T. O'Halloran, S. Mitchell, J. Wood.
Seated: S. Wall, R. Pfafflin, M. Schiller, D. Ell (Capt.), P. Lamerand, C. Wilson, K. Corcoran.
In Front: M. Loneragan.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: v. **The King's School.** Lost 3-8. Our only score in an even game, was a try by B. O'Halloran. T.K.S. scored a try (converted) and a penalty goal. Our best players were R. Pfafflin, R. Curtin, J. Hardyman and R. Stack.

(S.M.)

June 27th: v. **Newington College.** Lost: 6-11. Our forwards played very well but the play of the backs left much to be desired. John Hardyman secured our points by kicking 2 penalty goals. Our best forward was R. Curtin. The best backs were J. Wall and J. Hardyman.

(R. Stack)

play was shown, however, by D. D'Arcy, J. Burke and S. Mitchell.

(G.M.)

SECOND DIVISION FOOTBALL

This year ten regular second division teams took the field each Saturday, five under fourteen and five under fifteen. Between them they played a total of 91 games of which they won 56 and drew 6. Such figures indicate a very busy and successful season. Top honours for the season must be awarded to the 15 B team who were undefeated, scoring a total of 145 points to 18. This feat is especially laudable as they were called upon constantly to provide replacements

for injured 15A players. In spite of this, they maintained great cohesion and team spirit — the key to their success.

The 15A's began the season full of confidence under the experienced eye of Father Rector. The majority were members of last year's premier 14A team and there were two talented newcomers in J. Drury and P. Renshaw. The forwards proved a strong, mobile pack shrewdly led by captain M. Garling. Hooker J. O'Brien won more than his share of the ball and this, together with the elusive, clever football in the loose play, won for him the Brian Nowland Trophy for the best player in the team. Most of the problems occurred in the backline. J. Carver was an elusive five-eight who sent his back away speedily, but the centres were often unpredictable. Towards the end of the season, after many experimental changes, N. Harpham and J. Willis had begun to combine well. P. Jones and P. Fitzgerald used their great speed to full advantage on the wings. D. O'Connor tackled devastatingly at full back and, as his kicking improved, his play was invaluable to the team.

The 15B team was undefeated and richly deserved its premiership. They always extended the A's fully at practice and, their backs, particularly, often thrilled spectators with fast sweeping movements which invariably resulted in try after try. J. Mitchell was a courageous, resourceful five-eight with beautiful hands and an uncanny anticipation. G. Walker and W. Williams were talented centres who penetrated at will and often left the opposition floundering. D. Glasheen was a crafty hooker and C. O'Neil was a fast breaking forward, adept at pouncing on a loose ball. To the whole team we extend heartiest congratulations.

The 15C and D teams had a very successful season due mainly to the great vigour and enthusiasm with which they practised. A Chan as half back was the key player in the 15C team. With daring runs against bigger opponents and deadly tackling of the same, he often inspired the whole team to match winning efforts. The forwards were hard workers. D. Bruce, M. Darmody and A. Donelan were always in the thick of things. I. O'Rourke and P. Flynn improved tremendously as the season progressed, as did C. Lawson at full back.

The 15D's were competently led by half back W. Hedger and they were beaten once only in competition games. P. Clifton and, later in the season, R. Hoeben played good football in the backline, and G. Griesser rarely missed a tackle at full back. P. O'Brien, K. Reddan, M. Searley and S. Walsh were the best of the forwards



UNDER 15 A.
Back: J. Carver, M. Pirola, P. Fitzgerald, M. Maloney, P. Renshaw, R. McCombie, W. Montgomery.
Seated: P. Jones, T. Meagher, D. O'Connor, M. Garling, (Capt.), J. Willis, J. O'Brien, J. Drury.
In front: C. Dureau. (Inset): G. Oxenham.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

while P. Merkelbach was, as usual, unbeatable in the line outs.

The 15E team, coached by T. Carver, played attractive football and often stole the lime-light from higher teams. They always had a great crowd of supporters. They, too, lost only one competition match. Their many wins were due mainly to the consistent play of forwards A. Parker, T. Hunter and L. McGovern and of backs T. O'Sullivan, S. de Sousa, J. Silver and P. Chatfield.

The 14A and B teams were under the care of Mr. Kinnaird whose prowess as a coach is well known to all connected with Riverview. The 14A's were beaten only by St. Joseph's in a very hard game. The back line pivoted around S. Smith, an efficient and reliable five-eight with safe hands and a clever kick. In the centres P. Hughes and J. Flanery showed splendid form Sidaway ran very hard in the backline and showed great improvement. J. McEvoy and M. McGrath developed into two powerful forwards. T. O'Brien played many fine games at the base of the scrum.

The 14C and D teams were coached by Father Sneddon and they, too, had their share of victories. The 14C team scored largely through their forwards in which J. Daley, A. Enright and M. Shanny were outstanding. P. McMahon played many grand games at full back and often joined his backs to make fine tries. Among the best players for the 14D's were captain and five-eight W. Fanning, half back D. Wood and forwards James Dalton and S. Lloyd.

The 14E's were coached by R. Rowe and C. Haseler. They won only a few matches but deserve congratulations for the fine spirit they showed at practice and during the games,



UNDER 15 B.
Back: A Dempsey, G. Ferguson, N. Harpham, J. Dowd, P. Ryan, C. Bull, P. Quinn.
Seated: A. Mann, G. K. Meagher, F. McInerney, J. Mitchell (Capt.), D. Glasheen, C. O'Neil, M. O'Connell.
In Front: P. Beaumont (Inset: W. Williams).
(Photo — Melba Studios).

that has given us great hopes for future years. J. Meagher improved greatly as a winger during the year. Among the forwards B. Boardman, G. O'Brien and A. Redden proved themselves tireless workers and great cover defenders, while J. Holley and E. Corcoran tackled relentlessly.

The 14B's, though not as successful as the A's, had several meritorious victories due largely to the capable leadership of captain R. Chisholm who steadied and inspired his team with faultless handling and accurate goal kicking. M. often played against much heavier opponents. Captain D. Lewis, P. Carter and B. Kinsella played well in the backs. C. Spence kicked splendidly at full back. M. Yewdall, M. Cannon and P. Walker were the best of the forwards.

We offer our very sincere thanks to those who made the football season so enjoyable for all; to the coaches — Very Rev. Fr. Rector for sacrificing his valuable time; to Fr. Sneddon for his constant journeys from the city; to Mr. Kinnaird for putting at our disposal his great

knowledge of the game, and to first divisioners T. Carver, R. Rowe, and C. Haseler for the energy and enthusiasm they expended on their various teams.

(D.P.W., S.J.)

FOOTBALL RESULTS, 1959

15A	11	7	3	1	126	58
15B	9	9	0	0	145	18
15C	9	7	2	0	116	54
15D	9	6	3	0	75	45
15E	9	6	2	1	122	37
U 15 teams	47	35	10	2	584	212
14A	10	6	1	3	159	59
14B	9	6	3	0	91	50
14C	9	3	6	0	74	110
14D	8	4	4	0	82	84
14E	8	2	5	1	27	118
U. 14 teams	44	21	19	4	433	421
OVERALL	91	56	29	6	1017	633

FOOTBALL AWARDS, 1959

15A — Brian Nowland Trophy for Best and Fairest Player — J. O'Brien.
15B — Best Forward — D. Glasheen.
Best Back — J. Mitchell.
15C — Best Forward — D. Bruce.
Best Back — A. Chan.
15D — Best Forward — P. Neil.
Best Back — W. Hedger.
15E — Best Forward — L. McGovern.
Best Back — S. de Sousa.
14A — Best Forward — B. Boardman.
Best Back — S. Smith.
14B — Best Forward — M. McGrath.
Best Back — T. O'Brien.
14C — Best Forward — B. Hughes.
Best Back — P. McMahon.
14D — Best Forward — B. Coughlan.
Best Back — D. Wood.
14E — Best Forward — W. Haynes.
Best Back — C. Spence.

Under 15A

Our first game was played with **Barker College** on April 25th. We had a rather easy win — 17-0 against a less experienced team. Tries were scored for us by T. Meagher, P. Renshaw, J. Carver, R. McCombie and P. Fitzgerald. T. Meagher converted one. Our best players were T. Meagher, P. Renshaw, J. Carver (backs), M. Garling, R. McCombie and J. Drury (forwards).



UNDER 15 C.
Back: C. Lawson, P. Roche, T. Hartigan, S. Rankin, D. Bruce, B. Jones.
Seated: R. Quinlan, J. Cassidy, G. Darmody, M. Darmody (C.), M. Beston, A. Donelan, I. O'Rourke.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Immediately after the May holidays we met **Newington** and after an excellent game, won: 11-3. Both sides showed good form, combination and condition. Our tries were scored by P. Fitzgerald (2), M. Garling (1), and R. McCombie converted one. Best players on the day were M. Moloney, J. Carver and A. Mann.

(M. Garling)

We had an excellent game with **Scots' College** on June 6th, play being very even until late in the second half when T.S.C. tired somewhat and our score mounted. The result was S.I.C.

25, T.S.C. 0. Our tries were scored by P. Jones (2), P. Fitzgerald, T. Meagher, G. Oxenham, C. O'Neill and J. Carver. P. Fitzgerald kicked 2 good goals. Our best players today were T. Meagher, J. Carver, P. Jones (backs), M. Garling and R. McCombie (forwards).

The team showed fine combination and surprising speed.

June 13th: v. **Shore.** A really splendid game, marred slightly by faulty handling, but for which we might have won. The game was drawn: 6-6. Players on each side put everything they had into it. For us, C. Dureau scored a try, P. Fitzgerald kicked a penalty goal and our best players were, G. Oxenham, J. Drury and J. Willis.

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: v. **The King's School.** Won: 19-6. A really excellent, fast game. Dropped passes alone prevented T.K.S. from scoring several times. Our team showed much improvement this week in the matter of handling and passing. Tries were scored by P. Fitzgerald, G. Oxenham, F. McInerney, R. McCombie and J. Carver. P. Fitzgerald kicked 2 goals and our best players were J. Willis, J. Carver and M. Garling.

June 27th: v. **Newington.** Lost: 8-14. Our first defeat this year, and by a very fine team. The game was most interesting from start to finish. For us J. Willis scored a try which was converted by P. Fitzgerald who also kicked a penalty goal. Our outstanding players were J. Willis, P. Renshaw and R. McCombie.

July 4th v. **Sydney Grammar.** Lost: 9-11. A splendid game which we could have won with a little more dash among the backs. For us, P. Jones and J. Carver each scored a try and T. Meagher kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were P. Renshaw, P. Jones, M. Garling, T. Meagher and J. Carver.

July 11th v. **The Scots' College.** Won: 11-3. An interesting game in which the team played well up to its standard form. Our tries were scored by P. Jones and J. Willis. M. Pirola converted one and kicked a penalty goal. J. Drury, M. Pirola, P. Jones, J. Carver and J. O'Brien were our best players today.

July 18th: v. **St. Joseph's College.** Lost: 3-9. A hard, even game. S.J.C. were just too good for us. N. Harpham scored a try — our only points. Conspicuous players were J. O'Brien, J. Willis, N. Harpham and P. Renshaw.

July 25th: v. **Shore.** Won: 6-3. In very wet weather and muddy conditions, the team played an outstanding game against solid opposition. The forwards especially were splendid. Our tries were scored by R. McCombie and J. Dowd and our outstanding players today were D. O'Connor (full-back) who saved the side again and again, M. Garling, R. McCombie, J. O'Brien and P. Jones.

August 1st: v. **Sydney High School.** Won: 11-3. A very good game. Our tries were scored by G. Darmody, T. Meagher and J. Carver. P. Fitzgerald converted one. Most prominent players were J. O'Brien, J. Drury, T. Meagher, J. Carver and W. Montgomery.

Under Fifteen B, C, D and E

May 30th: **S.I.C.** v. **Newington.**

Under 15B. Won: 19-0. The team showed surprisingly good form so soon (3 days) after the holidays. G. K. Meagher scored 2 tries, converted 2 and kicked a penalty goal. Tries were also scored by T. Walker and M. O'Connell. Best players today:—G. K. Meagher, C. O'Neill, J. Mitchell.

Under 15C. Won: 22-5. Our tries were scored by W. Williams (2), J. Cassidy (2), F. McInerney and J. Wansey. P. Ryan converted 2 tries. Best players were: J. Dowd, W. Williams and J. Cassidy.

Under 15D. Lost: 5-6. A very close game. For us, D. Bruce scored a try which was converted by B. Jones. Our best players were W. Hedger, D. Bruce and B. Jones.

Under 15E. Won: 20.3. A rather easy game for us. Our tries were scored by A. Shanny (4), M. Searley, and A. Parker. R. Hoeben converted one. Best players were A. Shanny, M. Searly and M. McGovern.

June 6th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.S.C.**

Under 15B. Won: 25-0. A good fast game, backs and forwards combining very well. Tries for us were scored by G. Walker (3), J. Mitchell, P. Renshaw, J. Dowd and A. Chan. G. K. Meagher kicked 2 goals. Best players were G. Walker, P. Renshaw, J. Mitchell (backs), C. Bull, G. K. Meagher, J. Dowd (forwards).

Under 15C. Won: 8-3. A very evenly contested game, as the scores show. S.I.C. tries were scored by F. McInerney and M. Beston. P. Ryan kicked a goal. Our best backs were F. McInerney and J. Wansey. Best forwards: P. Ryan and D. Bruce.

Under 15D. Won: 9-6. B. Jones, S. Walsh and W. Hedger. Each scored a try and were about our most prominent players. A very good, even game.

Under 15E. Game drawn: 0-0. The teams were well matched and neither side could penetrate. S. da Souza, R. Quinlan and P. Chatfield (backs), M. Searly, A. Parker and M. McGovern (forwards) were our best players.

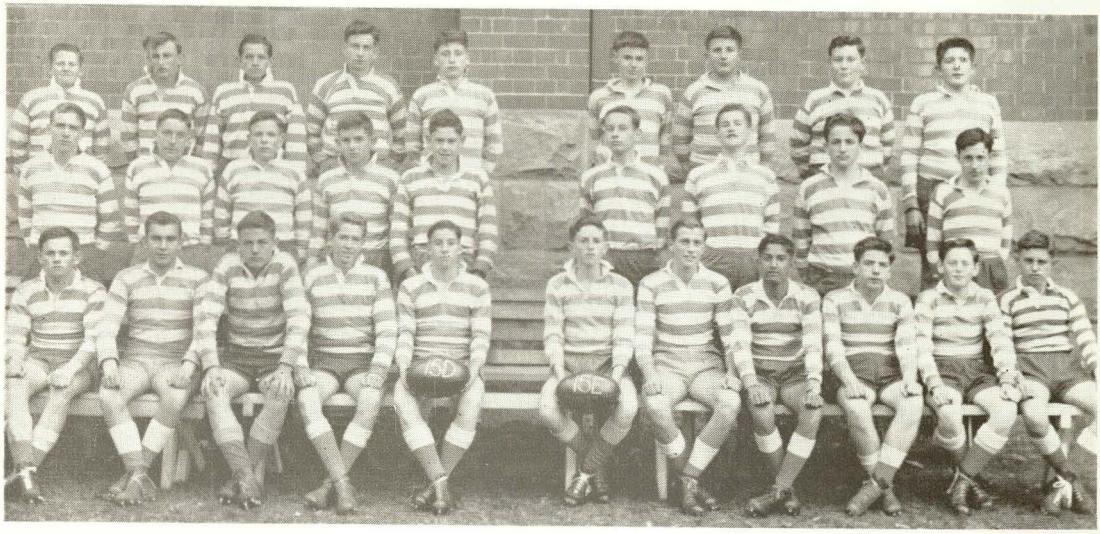
June 13th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.**

Under 15B. Won: 8-6. An excellent keenly contested game by both sides. For us Alan Mann and J. Mitchell each scored a try. P. Ryan converting one with a fine, long kick. Our best players were F. McInerney, N. Harpham and J. Mitchell.

Under 15C. Won: 26-5. A comparatively easy game for once. Our tries were scored by W. Hedger (2), W. Williams (2), M. Pirola (2), B. Jones (1). G. Meagher converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Prominent players today were W. Williams, M. Pirola and G. Meagher.

Under 15D. Won: 8-0. Anyone's game most of the time. A fine match. Our tries were scored by P. O'Brien and P. Clifton (who converted one). Best players were W. Hedger, M. Beston and S. Walsh.

Under 15E. Won: 14-3. R. Quinlan scored 3 tries and R. Hoeben 1. The latter converted one try. Our most conspicuous players today were R. Quinlan, T. Hunter and R. Hoeben.



(Left) **UNDER 15 D**
Back: S. Walsh, J. Kemp, R. Hoeben, T. Winn, K. Reddan.
2nd Row: P. Jones, J. Silver, M. Searly, P. Neil, R. Vandenberg.
Seated: R. Mackenzie, D. Aaron, G. Griesser, P. Clifton, W. Hedger Capt.).

(Right) **UNDER 15 E.**
Back: G. Dangar, D. Ireland, P. Hayes, T. Cannon.
2nd Row: J. Hunter, P. Chatfield, A. Parbury, H. Bartlett.
Seated: T. O'Sullivan (C.), C. Finn, S. de Sousa, B. Duhigg, A. Parker, L. McGovern.

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Under 15D. Lost: 3-5. A very even game. Our only score was a penalty goal kicked by W. Williams, and our best players were P. Merkelbach, W. Hedger and S. Walsh.

Under 15E. Lost: 9-18. Tries were scored by R. Quinlan (2) and M. McGovern (1). R. Quinlan, T. O'Sullivan and M. McGovern were our best players.

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.K.S.**

Under 15B. Won: 21-3. Despite the score, an interesting, hard-fought game. Our tries were scored by W. Williams (3), T. Walker, A. Mann, J. Mitchell and C. Dureau. Our best players today were M. Pirola, W. Williams and C. Dureau.

Under 15C. Won: 14-0. The game was very evenly contested. G. Darmody and J. Cassidy each scored a try. G. Darmody converted one and kicked a penalty goal as did P. Merkelbach. C. Lawson, G. Darmody and A. Chan were our best players.

June 27th: **S.I.C.** v. **Newington.**

Under 15B. Won: 21-0. A rather easy game. Tries were scored by P. Beaumont (2), J. Mitchell, P. Quinn and G. Meagher. P. Ryan kicked 3 goals. Best players were: T. Walker, M. Pirola, and J. Mitchell.

Under 15C. Won: 16-6. A good game but not as easy as the previous one. W. Williams scored 3 tries and A. Chan 1. G. Darmody kicked 2 goals. These three players were our best today.

Under 15D. Won: 14-3. We had to work hard for this win. Our tries came to P. O'Brien, R. Quinlan, W. Hedger and F. Winn. P. Meagher converted one. G. Griesser, P. O'Brien and R. Quinlan were our best players.

Under 15E. Won: 22-0. An easier game than we expected. Tries: S. de Sousa (2), R. Hoeben,

R. d'Apice, P. Chatfield and P. Neil. R. Hoeben converted 2. Best players today were R. Hoeben, S. de Sousa and P. Neil.

July 4th: **S.I.C.** v. **Sydney Grammar.**

Under 15B. Won: 9-6. A very even hard-played game. J. Dowd scored a try and G. Meagher kicked 2 penalty goals. Best players were W. Williams, F. McInerney, P. Ryan and C. Bull.

Under 15C. Won: 15-10. Another very good game. For us A. Chan scored 2 tries and M. Darmody, 1. G. Darmody kicked 3 goals. A. Chan, D. Bruce, M. Darmody and A. Donelan were our best players.

Under 15C. Lost: 3-11. A good even game. Our only points — a penalty goal — were scored by G. Darmody. M. Darmody, I. O'Rourke and D. Bruce were particularly good today.

Under 15D. Won: 8-6. Anyone's game as the scores show. M. Searly and W. Hedger each scored a try. P. Merkerbach converted one. Prominent players were W. Hedger, M. Searly, R. Vandenberg and S. Walsh.

Under 15E. Won: 41-3. We met a much weaker team. Tries were scored by S. de Sousa (2), A. Quain (2), G. Dangar (2), A. Parker (2), A. Parbury, M. McGovern, P. Chatfield. A.



UNDER 14 A.
Back L.-R.: A. Rogers, J. Green, M. McGrath, T. Kelly, B. Boardman, P. Hughes, J. Meagher.
Seated: F. Quirk, E. Corcoran, J. Flanery, S. Smith, J. Holley (Capt.), A. Reddan, T. Mort.
In Front: T. Cunich and G. O'Brien.
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Under 15D. Won: 11-9. A very close thing right to the end. P. Neil scored a try which P. Merkelbach converted as well as kicking 2 penalty goals. Specially good players were W. Hedger, P. Neil and R. Vandenberg.

Under 15E. Won: 8-3. Like all the Grammar games, closely contested. Tries were scored by A. Quain (who converted one), and B. O'Halloran. Best players: B. O'Halloran, P. Chatfield and M. Searly.

July 11th: **S.I.C.** v. **The Scots' College.**

Under 15B. Won: 18-0. A rather easy game on the whole. P. Fitzgerald scored 4 tries of which G. Meagher converted 3. The outstanding players were A. Chan, J. Dowd, C. Bull and P. Fitzgerald.

Quain converted 3 and S. de Sousa 1. Best players were A. Parker, A. Quain, M. McGovern and S. de Sousa.

July 18th: **S.I.C.** v. **St. Joseph's College.**

Under 15B, Won: 15-0. Our only win today. The team played well, especially R. McCombie, C. O'Neill, W. Williams and J. Mitchell. Our tries were scored by C. O'Neill, W. Williams and T. Walker. G. Meagher converted all three.

Under 15C. Lost: 3-11. A fairly even game. D. Bruce scored a try and good players were P. Roche, A. Chan, G. Darmody and D. Bruce.

Under 14D. Lost: 6-11. A close finish after good play on each side. P. Merkelbach, M. Searly, P. Jones and P. Clifton.

Under 15E. Lost: 0-6. The team played hard

but could not penetrate the defence. Good players were S. de Sousa, M. McGovern and A. Parker.

July 25th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.**

Under 15B — this and the other Under 15 teams had to cancel their games owing to the grounds being flooded by torrential rain.

August 1st:

Under 15B v. **St. Aloysius' College 15A.** Won: 9-3. A very good game. D. Glasheen and F. McInerney each scored a try and P. Ryan kicked a penalty goal. Best players for us were A. Chan, D. Glasheen, G. Oxenham and J. Mitchell.

Under 15C v. **Sydney High School.** Won: 9-5. Another even game. For us, M. Darmody scored 2 tries and M. Beston, one. Our best players were C. Fisher, M. Darmody, P. Roche and D. Bruce.

Under 15D v. **Sydney High School.** Won: 11-9. Our tries were scored by B. Jones, R. Mackenzie, and K. Reddan. B. Jones kicked one goal. Our best players were W. Hedger, B. Jones, B. O'Brien and R. Mackenzie.

Under 15E v. **St. Aloysius' College.** Lost: 8-11. A nice even game. A. d'Apice scored a try which S. de Sousa converted and P. Chatfield kicked a penalty goal.

Under 14 A, B, C, D, E.

Against **Barker College** on April 25th we (Under 14 A) had a good win scoring 29 points to 0. Our tries were scored by J. Flanery (2), S. Smith (2), G. Darmody (2) and P. Hughes. G. Darmody and T. Mort each kicked two goals. Our best players were S. Smith, J. Flanery, P. Hughes (backs), J. Holley, B. Boardman and G. Darmody (forwards).

May 30th: v. **Newington College.**

Under 14A. Game drawn after very even play all through. S.I.C. 3. N.C. 3. B. Boardman scored our try. E. Corcoran, J. Holley and J. Flanery were our best players.

Under 14B. Lost: 0-16. We met a better organised team and could not penetrate.

Under 14C. Lost: 3-14. Quite a good game. N. Johnson scored our try.

Under 14D. Lost: 0-20. As for 14B. Backs and forwards were out-played.

Under 14E. Lost: 0-31. Practically a "walk-over" for Newington. We need more fire and condition.

June 6th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.S.C.**

Under 14 A. Won: 23-6. We met a less experienced team and won rather easily. Our tries were scored by P. Hughes (2), J. Holley (2),



(Left) **UNDER 14 B.**
Back: F. Cahill, T. O'Brien, M. Talty, G. Kelly.
2nd Row: M. Gildea, R. Campbell-Jones, M. Sidaway, P. McMahon, J. Loneragan.
Seated: P. Donelan, R. Kelly, P. Ward, C. Fisher, R. Chisholm (Capt.).

(Right) **(UNDER 14 C.**
Back: A. Enright, J. O'Brien, A. Shanny, B. Coughlan, A. Kayser.
2nd Row: B. Hughes, J. Dalton, J. Daley, P. J. McMahon, W. Beerworth, P. Brindle.
Seated: G. Windsor (Capt.), A. Hamilton, D. Eastman, A. Larnach, I. Jacobs, N. Mason.

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E. Corcoran, C. Fisher and S. Smith. Our best players today were: S. Smith, J. Flanery, J. Meagher (backs), J. Holley, B. Boardman and E. Corcoran. T. Mort kicked a goal.

Under 14B. Won: 9-0. A much more even game. Good form was shown by both teams. Tries for us were scored by M. Gildea, T. Kelly and J. Green. Best players were: M. Gildea, T. Kelly, T. O'Brien (backs), G. Kelly, S. Streber and J. McEvoy (forwards).

Under 14C. Won: 11-8. A very close thing. Teams were very even. For Riverview tries were scored by N. Johnson, M. Shanny, P. Brindle, and J. Kelly kicked a goal. Best players were M. Shanny, P. Brindle (backs) N. Johnson and T. Beckett (forwards).

Under 14D. Won: 19-0. A rather easy game for us, in which tries were scored by A. Hamilton, J. A. Dalton (2), and J. Daley (2), P. Perry kicked 2 goals. Our best players were J. A. Dalton, J. Daley and A. Hamilton.

Under 14E. Won: 3-0. Anyone's game from start to finish. B. Coughlan scored our try and our best players were J. Burke, B. Coughlan and J. Silver.

This was a good week-end for 2nd Division teams: Played 10; Won 9; Drawn 1; Lost 0.

June 13th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.**

Under 14A. Won: 22-3. A fast interesting game despite the score. Our tries were scored by S. Smith (2), F. Quirk, J. Flanery, P. Hughes. G. O'Brien, P. Hughes, S. Smith and J. Holley were our best players.

Under 14B. Won: 39-0. Too easy a game to be interesting. Tries for us: T. Kelly (5), M. Talty (2), J. Green and M. Gildea. R. Chisholm converted six tries. He, T. Kelly and T. O'Brien were our best players.

Under 14C. Lost: 8-24. An easy game for Shore. For us, M. Shanny and J. Daley each scored a try. J. Kelly converted one. M. Shanny, Jim Dalton and D. Eastman were best for us.

Under 14D. Lost: 13-18. A much more even game. J. O'Brien, T. Beckett and M. Mason each scored a try, Jim Burke converting two. D. McKay, J. O'Brien and Jim Burke were best for us.

Under 14E. Match drawn: 3-3. Anybody's game. G. Hoy scored our try. Best players for 'View were A. Hamilton, G. Hoy and C. Spence.

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.K.S.**

Under 14A. Match drawn: 16-16. An excellent game well played by both sides. Our tries came from P. Hughes, J. Flanery, T. Cunich and B.



(Left) **UNDER 14 D.**
Back: D. Wood, W. Johnson, J. W. Burke, P. Perry.
2nd Row: S. Lloyd, D. Curtin, J. A. Dalton, D. McKay, T. Beckett.
Seated: J. Kelly, J. Hayes, M. Walker, J. A. Burke, A. Campbell-Cowie (Capt.).

(Right) **UNDER 14 E.**
Back: P. Hayes, G. O'Sullivan, W. Haynes, M. Scott, C. Spence.
2nd Row: P. Adams, G. Hoy, M. Cannon, M. McInerney, B. Kinsella, P. Carter.
Seated: D. Lewis (Capt.), M. Shelton, P. Corcoran, J. Vercoe, I. Horsley, R. White.

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Boardman. J. Flanery converted 2. Best players: J. Holley, J. Flanery and G. O'Brien.

Under 14B. Won: 10-6. Tries were scored by C. Fisher and T. O'Brien. Both were converted by R. Chisholm. J. McEvoy, M. Talty and T. O'Brien were our best players.

Under 14C. Won: 16-15. A close thing. Our tries were scored by N. Johnson, M. Shanny and P. McMahon. M. Shanny converted one. A. Enright also converted one try and kicked a penalty goal. Best players in a fine game were P. McMahon, I. Jacobs and A. Enright.

Under 14D. Won: 8-3. Another close game, in which B. Coughlan and J. Kelly each scored a try. The latter converted one. N. Mason, D. Wood and P. Perry were our best players.

Under 14B. Won: 5-3. A close thing. J. Loneragan scored a try which R. Chisholm converted. Conspicuous players were R. Raper, T. O'Brien and R. Chisholm.

Under 14C. Lost: 13-14. A still closer game. P. McMahon scored 2 tries and A. Enright one (as well as converting two tries). I. Jacobs, A. Enright and P. McMahon were our best players.

Under 14D. Won: 9-8. Close games "in the fashion". Our 3 tries were scored by A. Kayser, A. Hamilton and B. Coughlan. A. Kayser, J. O'Brien and A. Larnach played especially well.

Under 14E. Lost: 0-11. A good game but we could not penetrate. Best players for us were I. Horsley, C. Spence and A. Campbell-Cowie.

This week, Second Division played 10 games,



UNDER 13 A.
Back: P. Lynch, W. Edwards, M. Montgomery, D. Giblin, M. Graham, M. Gillan, D. O'Brien.
Seated: M. Lyons, R. Clark, L. Richardson, K. Mitchell (Capt.), W. Moulder, P. Coates, G. Bagot.
In Front: R. Alagna.
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Under 14E. Won: 13-10. D. Lewis (2), P. Corcoran (1), scored our tries. C. Spence converted 2. D. Lewis, B. Kinsella and P. Corcoran were our best players.

This week-end, 2nd Division teams (from 15A down) had a "day out", playing 10 games, winning 9 and drawing one.

June 27th: **S.I.C.** v. **Newington.**

Under 14A. Won: 17-6. Our tries were scored by J. Flanery (2), E. Corcoran and B. Boardman. J. Flanery converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Best players today were S. Smith, J. Flanery and G. O'Brien.

won 7 and lost 3.

July 4th: **S.I.C.** v. **Sydney Grammar.**

Under 14A. Match drawn: 6-6. Our points came from 2 penalty goals kicked by J. Flanery and our best players were S. Smith, F. Quirk, J. Meagher and E. Corcoran.

Under 14B. Lost: 0-16. We met a tougher team today. They defeated us rather easily. Our best players were J. McEvoy, R. Chisholm, C. Fisher and M. Talty.

Under 14C. Lost: 3-8. More even play all round. B. Hughes scored our try and the best of our players were P. McMahon, G. Windsor,

T. Daley and B. Hughes.

Under 14D. Lost: 3-14. A. Larnach scored a try for us. Our most conspicuous players were A. Kayser, N. Mason and A. Larnach.

Under 14E. Lost: 8-12. A try for us was scored by D. Curtin and converted by C. Spence, who also kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were D. Curtin, J. Hayes and W. Haynes.

Today Second Division teams played 10 games, won 4, lost 5 and drew one. Points for: 72; against: 95.

July 11th: **S.I.C.** v. **The Scots' College.**

Under 14A. Won: 26-0. A rather easy game for us. Our tries come from P. Hughes (2), S. Smith, B. Boardman, J. Holley, T. Kelly, T. Cunich. J. Flanery converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Best players: P. Hughes, G. O'Brien, T. Mort, T. Kelly.

Under 14B. Won: 9-0. An evenly contested match. M. Sidaway scored a try and R. Chisholm kicked 2 penalty goals. Prominent players were R. Chisholm, M. Talty, M. Sidaway and T. O'Brien.

Under 14C. Won: 14-0. Another good game. J. Daley scored 2 tries, P. McMahon and N. Mason 1 each. N. Mason converted one try. Best players were M. Shanny, N. Mason, A. Enright and P. McMahon.

Under 14D. Won: 15-3. A fast, vigorous game. Our tries were scored by N. Johnson, D. Wood and A. Campbell-Cowie. J. Burke kicked 2 penalty goals. Best players: W. Fanning, D. Wood, N. Johnson and P. Walker.

Under 14E. Lost: 0-3. Very even play but we could not score. I Horsley, J. Hayes and M. Yewdall were our best players.

Second Division matches this week:—Played 10, Won 8; Lost 2; Points for: 145; Against: 29.

July 18th: **S.I.C.** v. **S.J.C.**

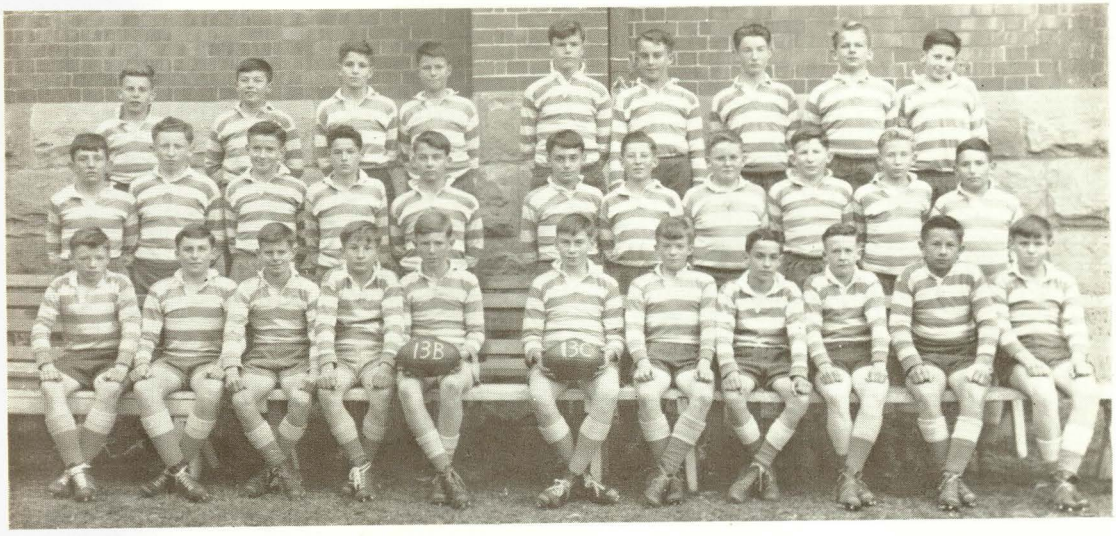
Under 14A. Lost: 6-11. J. Meagher scored a try and J. Flanery kicked a penalty goal. Our best players today were J. Holley, G. O'Brien and T. Cunich.

Under 14B. Lost: 0-9. In a fairly even game our best players were M. Talty, M. McGrath and P. Donelan.

Under 14C. Lost: 3-8. A good, even match. Our try was scored by P. McMahon and our best players were B. Coughlan, W. Fanning and J. Shanny.

Under 14D. Lost: 14-16. A very close finish in a good game: Our tries were scored by J. W. Burke, D. Wood and N. Johnson. J. Kelly converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were B. Coughlan, W. Yanning and J. Hayes.

Under 14E. Lost: 0-42. A runaway win for S.J.C. We were out-classed. Playing well for us



(Left) **UNDER 13 B.**
Back: T. O'Neill, J. Graham, J. Mitchell, M. Clark.
2nd Row: C. Williams, P. J. Delaney, D. Bergin, C. Brennan, L. Walsh.
Seated: B. Fagan, J. B. Dalton, P. Kearney, A. Byrnes, R. Harpham (Capt.),

(Right **UNDER 13 C.**
Back: C. Thomson, C. Yates, V. Kurrle, J. Bamford, D. Merchant.
2nd Row: L. Sullivan, P. Delaney, T. Mann, A. Campbell, P. Dwyer, R. Honeyman.
Seated: J. L. Kelly (Capt.), J. Oxenham, K. Salvat, P. McCarthy, F. Fletcher, M. Mayoh.

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were W. Haynes, B. Kinsella and I Horsley.

Second Division games today: Played 10; Won 1; Lost 9.

July 25th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.**

Under 14A. Won: 11-8. Conditions were very difficult owing to the ground being flooded, but it was an interesting game, closely contested. S. Smith scored a try which J. Flanery converted as well as kicking 2 penalty goals. Best players were B. Boardman, G. Corcoran, G. O'Brien, F. Quirk and S. Smith.

All the other Under 14 games had to be cancelled owing to the heavy rain and flooded fields.

August 1st: **Under 14B** v. **Sydney High School.** Won: 19-0. This proved a rather easy game for us. Our tries were scored by S. Smith, P. Hughes and P. Donelan. Goals were kicked by J. Flanery and R. Chisholm (who also kicked 2 penalty goals).

Under 14C v. **Sydney High School.** Lost: 3-19. Our opponents were much better. J. Daley scored our try. Our best players were P. McMahon, J. Daley, A. Larnach and A. Kayser.

THIRD DIVISION FOOTBALL

The laurels this year must go to the 12A's who in spite of nine hard matches remained unbeaten. The 12C's and 12D's although they only played two matches and one match respectively, kept the colours flying and gave promise of challenging many A and B players in the coming years. Results show that the Under 12 teams were the most successful — something which, I know, was due to the superlative coaching by Father Lowery of U. 12A's and B's, and Mr. Fanning of 12C's and 12D's as much as to the ability of the boys themselves: they were able to get the best out of the boys. The results prove it.

The U. 13C's and D's under the able coaching of Mr. Murphy achieved results very little inferior to the U. 12 teams. In spite of a steady drainage of his best players to replace injured players in the A's and B's Mr. Murphy beguiled his teams to an all but undefeated record.

On the other hand the U. 13E's and F's showed up badly the lack of coaching; they had a particularly lean season. Many were tied down two afternoons a week plying their dialectic skill across the debating table. And so, alas, the 13E's and F's often missed practice. With such a handicap these doyens of the spoken word fought well.

The two top teams in the Division, 13A's and B's had moderate success: each played eleven games and each had to chalk up three losses. A good result? Yes but not good enough. These teams had plenty of potential. Enough to defeat any team the same age and weight. They



(Left) **(Under 13 D.**
Back: J. Cahill, T. Hayes, M. Bull, K. McDonnell.
2nd Row: D. Buckingham, T. Du Val, A. Kerr, G. Ward, P. Wadsworth.
Seated: A. Rudd, D. Fitzgerald, P. Coleman, M. Price, R. Braham, G. Hepworth (Capt.).

(Right) **UNDER 13 E.**
Back: R. Williams, M. Clifton, G. Atkin, A. Coffey.
2nd Row: G. Skuthorp, L. McCaffrey, J. Atkinson, A. Kaldor, R. Healy.
Seated: V. Tang (Capt.), J. Dennis, J. Jones, S. Sharah, R. Lewis.

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played too loose, there was a lack of cohesion between backs and forwards, backing up and cover defence were faulty, finally the handling and tackling of some players were not up to standard. In spite of such drawbacks each team won most of its games.

The 13A's in general played well. Every team except two that they played was heavier, one excessively so. To what was their success due? It was primarily to the fire, vigour and determination of the forwards. This it was which enabled the A's to conquer such a fine team as Newington. This is was which all but defeated St. Joseph's — in fact, though St. Joseph's were were small, five of them around the seven stone mark, but more than one opponent was caught off guard by their fury and determination: P. Coates, for example, small, amiable off the field, a veritable tiger on it. In the backs, R. Harkins stood out as the player with the most football sense: alert, ever sensitive to opportunity, more than one try resulted from his quick thinking. R. Alagna excelled in general play, nippy, elusive, a determined tackler — no fear here of boys twice his weight. L. Richardson at five-eighth was a safe handler and firm tackler. D. P. O'Brien did not have a chance to display more than occasional flashes of his talent —



UNDER 12 A.
Back: B. Donely, J. Rixon, R. Shelton, D. Russell, C. Davidson, N. Greiner, T. Hawcroft, J. Lynch.
Seated: J. Hughes, P. O'Brien, P. Macintosh, M. McCormack, A. Kirby, R. Corcoran, C. Rogers.
In Front: L. Clark.
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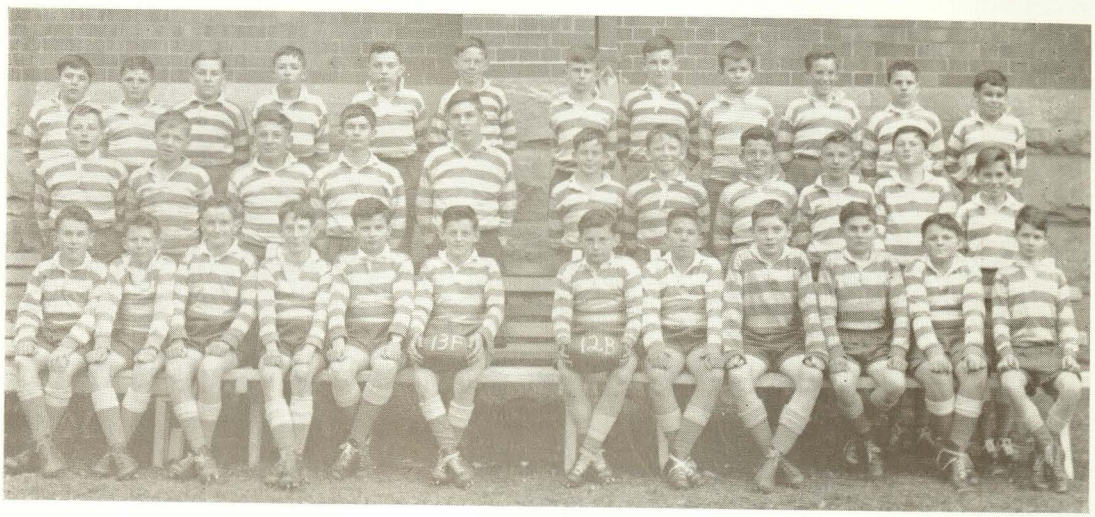
a better team on the day, on another day the A's might have beaten them, as the B's actually did.

K. Mitchell as captain fulfilled his role splendidly: by constant exhorting, by his fire and determination he lashed his forwards to match-winning tempo. All the forwards responded — so much so that it almost seems unfair to single out individuals. M. Montgomery overcoming early timidity developed into the strong fast forward who is the dream of any coach. Blending perfectly with him, almost as fast, equally strong, even more reliable, was second-rower M. Lyons. In weight the forwards partly through his own poor handling! D. Giblin likewise was given little opportunity to show his gifts; he is fast and elusive. Both these last two backs need to improve their tackling.

The 13B's suffered through having to give up their stars to patch up gaps left by sick or injured players in the A's. Nevertheless they achieved their measure of success winning most of their games. Among the forwards A. Byrnes stands out. Fiery and determined, he entered rucks with relish, he was after that ball. P. Kearney was active as breakaway. He too could improve his tackling. Like a bull-dog who has sunk his teeth into a victim and will not let

go — thus J. Graham appeared when near the ball, as he usually was, until his condition gave out! For consistent application D. Bergin always seemed to be giving his best; next year I think that best will be even more effective when he will be not only big and fast but strong as well. The rest of the forwards played effectively, for like the A's for the most part the matches were won in the forwards. When the ball did reach the backs there was some splendid individual work without much combination with the result that the movements were not always effective. G. Bagot used to get his pass away from the base of the scrum even when the breakaways were hanging over him. His passes were good a shaky start P. Delaney claimed a place in the B's and showed us some strong running and good goal-kicking.

Thus far the main-spring of the 13A's and B's success has been revealed. In general however there are four things many of these players will have to watch: (1) playing as individuals, seeking to get the ball and do something with it on their own; (2) forgetting that a good footballer is more than a robot; skill does not mean stereotyped play but clever (or thoughtful) adjustment; (3) many cannot tackle low with the necessary confidence or tenacity — it means determination, gripping hard and hanging on tight; (4) being in perfect physical condition is



(Left) **UNDER 13 F.**
Back: J. Von Drehnen, S. Nogrady, T. Tonking, T. Le Fevre, C. Newnham, M. O'Halloran.
2nd Row: W. Loneragan, J. McKinley, M. Emery, C. Taylor, P. Cameron.
Seated: N. Shannon, P. Carroll, P. Witts, J. Dunphy, E Theodore, C. Maclean (Capt.).

(Right) **UNDER 12 B.**
Back: R. Nolan, J. Brady, M. Walker, D. O'Connor, K. Lynch, D. M. O'Brien.
2nd Row: C. Enright, P. Parbury, J. Flynn, P. Loneragan, J. Cahill, W. Bye.
Seated: J. Herlihy (Capt.), R. Gordon, G. Hartigan, G. McGrath, R. Clark, J. Timbs.

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too — accurate, quick, firm. When he went to the A's in the match against S.H.S. the A's back line flourished for the first time in the season; one wing scored three tries, the outside centre one, the other wing one. The five eighth B. Fagan, strove hard and sometimes broke through by the power of his drive. His handling however will need to be perfected. The B's were ably led by R. Harpham who improved much during the season. By the end he was often the engineer of tries by reversing play at the right moment. In some unaccountable way he seems to glide through the opponents and he deceives others by running faster than he appears to be. His defence too was the best in the back line. After fundamental to the successful footballer: good enough is not really good enough.

The 13C's had a most successful season, losing only one match. Although their players may have lacked the fire and individual ability of the players in the higher teams they were superior in this, that they played more as a team: here most of the players were possessed of the idea that each was helping the team or the pack to win the ball or score the try. As a consequence they have to mourn only one loss — quite an achievement for a C team. F. Fletcher, until he was injured, was a dependable fullback. D. Merchant only joined the sporting ranks rather late but the fame of his prowess

had spread before him and he soon turned rumours into reality. A superb handler, elusive, a strong runner, wonderful ball sense, he will be an asset to his team next year. G. Delaney and C. Yates stuck to the ball with a persistence that seemed magnetic and contributed to their team's success. A player who improved a great deal over the season to become a fine defender and a constant worry to the opposition was K. Salvat. "Explosive" is the word to describe J. Bamford — at least when he decided to do something with the ball. On such occasions opponents really found they had a force to reckon with. Equally fierce on occasion and much more consistent was the play of T. Mann who furthermore seemed to be able to lift the standard of his play at the right moment; many tries were the result. P. McCarthy fulfilled his part well at the base of the scrum and proved himself a deceptive runner. J. L. Kelly took over captaincy half way through the season and showed himself a consistent player and capable captain. V. Kurrle and C. Thomson improved during the season and were strong running and determined backs.

The 13D's also had quite a successful season. Once again it was good team work which gave the results. However several players stand out. Foremost among these is the captain G. Hepworth: his many fine runs often culminated in tries; bad handling alone kept him from advancing to higher teams. M. Price after an inauspicious start revealed some dazzling ability by his incisive and unexpected penetration. This is a player to watch in the coming years.

Of the 13E's and F's it might be said they have already sung their swan-song. Yet even though to see them play one might be tempted to describe their play as a delicate handling of a situation, and even though they snubbed the ordinary standard moves of football, not all were puzzled by what to do with the ball when they did receive it. V. Tang, as captain, undertook the task of encouraging his team to some kind of order. He showed himself the best player in the E's and deserves the highest praise for fighting on when the odds were against him as they usually were. R. Healy was the most determined and courageous tackler in the team. Gusto and zest blossomed in the play of G. Skuthorp as he gained confidence; he played well in the forwards. L. McCaffrey and J. Dennis played determinedly; next time we hope their efforts may be crowned with more success.

Already the exploits of the Under 12 teams have been extolled. Let it suffice now to praise some of the more promising players. From the A's, C. Rogers was outstanding in his ability to penetrate; he always seemed to be able to lure his opponents to move the wrong way and to evade the frantic grab of an out-stretched hand. You could feel him enjoying every minute of it too. M. McCormack, as captain of the A's, led his team with great shrewdness. His game always showed intelligent football sense. The other players in the team all played very well; it would be unfair to those remaining to single out more. They were a great team. Let us give them our heartiest congratulations.

The B's too played well. Robert Clark, and D. M. O'Brien deserve special mention for their doughty displays. The C's and D's unfortunately had few matches, so only flashes of their brilliance were revealed.

In turning to the coaches Father Lowery, Mr. Murphy and Mr. Fanning, I know I speak for the boys when I thank them sincerely. We are all pleased to see their efforts crowned with such success. Let me take this opportunity to thank Mr. Lynch for his helpful advice and M. Gillan and other parents for slaking the thirst of the teams at half time as well as for the interest they showed in the team. I am indebted also to Dr. Flynn and Mr. Parbury for providing transport.

In conclusion lest I be misunderstood on one point let me explain. The goal throughout has been success; we wanted each team to be undefeated. Success was our obvious and immediate goal; we strove to win. That does not mean we failed if we did not come out undefeated, for aiming at success was the way we ensured giving our best and attaining our ultimate goal.

Summary of results:

Team	Matches	Won	Drew	Lost
13A	11	8	0	3
13B	11	6	2	3
13C	9	7	1	1
13D	9	7	0	2
13E	8	0	0	8
13F	1	0	0	1
12A	9	8	1	0
12B	7	5	1	1
12C	2	2	0	0
12D	1	1	0	0

Under 13 A, B, C, D, E.

April 25th: v. **Barker College.**

Under 13A: Our first school game proved an interesting one. We won 13-0 but had to work hard. For Riverview, D. Giblin scored 2 tries and P. Coates 1. L. Walsh kicked 2 goals.

Under 13B. Won: 23-0, against a somewhat weaker team. A. Enright scored 3 tries, M. Lyons 2, D. Buckingham and J. B. Dalton 1

each. J. B. Dalton also kicked a goal. These were our best players.

Under 13C. Won: 15-0. For Riverview tries were scored by A. Kerr (2), P. Coleman, A. Byrnes and L. Sullivan. No goals were kicked.

These games were played just before the May holidays and prospects for Third Division seemed bright

May 30th: **S.I.C.** v. **Newington.**

Under 13A. Lost: 3-6. A good, even game. C. Williams scored our try. N.C. scored 2 tries. Our best players were: C. Williams, W. Moulder, T. Hawcroft, R. Harkins, R. Alagna.

Under 13B. Lost: 6-16. Play was even most of the time. For us J. B. Dalton kicked a penalty goal and M. Clark scored a try. Best players: L. Richardson, P. Lynch, P. Keighery, A. Byrnes.

Under 13C. Won: 11-6. An excellent game. Our tries were scored by C. Brennan, P. J. Delaney and T. Bergin. P. J. Delaney converted one with an excellent kick. R. Braham, C. Brennan, and P. J. Delaney were our best players.

Under 13D. Won: 6-3. F. Fletcher and R. Honeyman each scored a try for us. A very evenly contested game. F. Fletcher and V. Kurrle were our best players.

Under 13E. Lost: 6-13. Our opponents were the better team but play was very even on the whole. C. Thomson and G. Hepworth each scored a try. L. Sullivan and C. Thomson were outstanding.

June 6th: **S.I.C.** v. **T.S.C.**

Under 13A. Won: 11-0. A keenly contested game by both sides. Our tries were scored by M. Montgomery and R. Harkins. M. Lyons converted one and M. Montgomery kicked a penalty goal. M. Gillan, R. Alagna and M. Montgomery were our best players today.

Under 13B. Won: 14-6. Quite a good game. Our tries were scored by P. Delaney (2), B. Fagan, J. Graham and J. B. Dalton converted one. Our best players were P. Keighery, A. Byrnes, P. Kearney and P. Delaney.

Under 13C. Won: 26-3. The team showed surprisingly good form. T. Mann scored 5 tries. G. Bagot and A. Kerr each scored one. F. Fletcher kicked a penalty goal and converted a try. Our best players were: G. Bagot, T. Mann, F. Fletcher, C. Yates and V. Kurrle.

Under 13D. Won: 19-6. Another rather easy game in which our tries were scored by J. Bamford (3), G. Hepworth, and R. Lewis (who also kicked 2 goals). Best players today were R. Lewis, J. Bamford and G. Hepworth.

Under 13E. Lost: 0-32. We had no hope from the start against a much better team.

Under 13F. Lost: 6-19. As above, but the team showed better form on the whole, especially G. Skuthorp and A. Coffey.

June 7th. **Under 13A** v. **Pius X (Chatswood).** Won: 37-0 against a lighter team. Our tries were scored by M. Montgomery (2), P. Coates (2), R. Harkins, D. O'Brien, A. Redden, G. Smith, P. Lynch. Goals were kicked by M. Lyons (4), and M. Montgomery (1). Best players P. Coates, M. Montgomery and D. O'Brien.

Under 13B v. Pius X (Chatswood). Won: 15-0. This game was more evenly contested. Tries were scored by C. Spence (2), B. Fagan, J. O'Brien and R. Clark. Best players were: P. Kearney, J. B. Dalton and R. Harpham.

June 13th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.**

Under 13A. Won: 6-3. A close thing. Anyone's game. R. Harkins and M. Montgomery scored a try each. Best players today were: M. Graham, L. Walsh, R. Harkins, P. Coates and M. Montgomery.

Under 13B. Game drawn: 6-6. Very even play again. A pleasure to watch. Our tries were scored by B. Fagan and C. Williams. G. Bagot, P. Kearney, P. Delaney and J. Graham were our best players.

Under 13C. Won: 22-0. A rather one-sided game. Tries for us: T. Mann (2), V. Kurrle (2), J. Oxenham and D. Buckingham. F. Fletcher converted two. Best players: T. Mann, V. Kurrle, C. Thomson, C. Yates, W. Bye and F. Fletcher.

Under 13 D. Lost: 0-11. Our best players today were A. Rudd, and K. Salvat.

COMPETITION GAMES

June 20th: **S.I.C.** v. **The King's School.**

Under 13A. Won: 14-6. A very good game. Our tries were scored by R. Harkins, R. Alagna, D. P. O'Brien. M. Lyons converted one try and kicked a penalty goal. Best players were: K. Mitchell, R. Alagna and P. Coates.

Under 13B. Match drawn: 3-3. Anyone's game, very interesting. W. Edwards scored our try and most prominent players were: G. Bagot, J. Graham and D. Bergin.

Under 13C. Won: 35-0. Too easy to be interesting. Tries were scored by C. Thomson (2), V. Kurrle, T. Mann, J. Oxenham, F. Fletcher, R. McCarthy and D. Buckingham. F. Fletcher kicked 4 goals. He, with C. Yates and K. Salvat stood out for good play.

Under 13D. Won: 22-6. Another pretty easy game for us. R. Clark scored 3 tries and G. Hepworth 2. R. Lewis and R. Honeyman each converted one. R. Lewis kicked a penalty goal.

Under 13E. Lost: 0-3. Even play all through. Might have ended either way. Our best players were A. Coffey, D. Herlihy and R. Clark.

Under 13F. Lost: 0-3. As before. Each side played hard and well. Best for us were A. Kaldor and R. Healy.

June 27th. **S.I.C.** v. **Newington.**

Under 13A. Won: 12-6. A good game. Our tries were scored by M. Lyons, K. Mitchell and M. Lyons kicked 2 penalty goals. M. Lyons, K. Mitchell and R. Alagna were our best players.

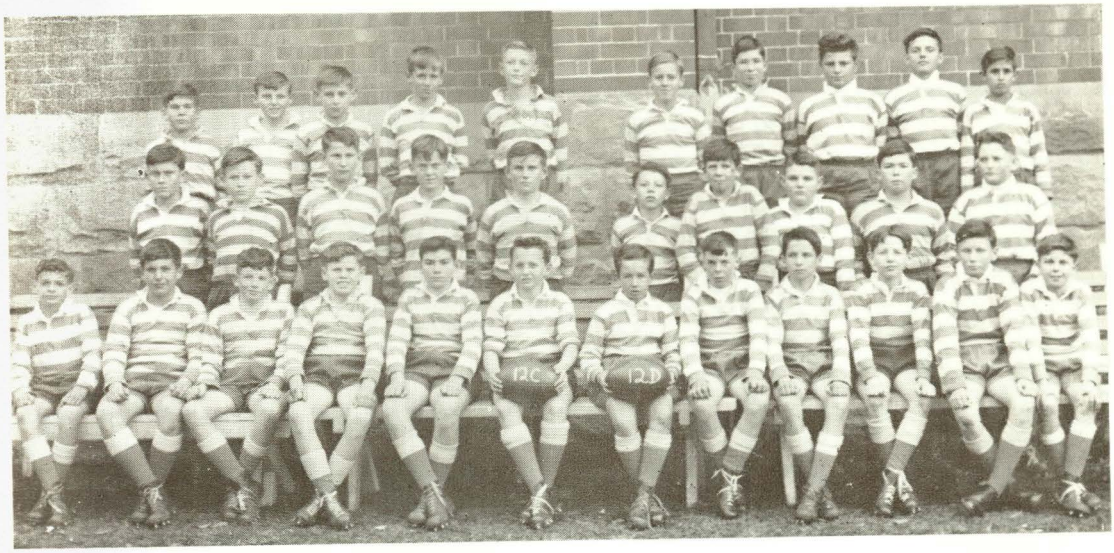
Under 13B. Lost: 3-11. Our only score was a try by L. Richardson. Best players were G. Bagot, K. Byrnes and P. Kearney.

Under 13C. Won: 5-3. A very good game. R. Honeyman scored and converted a try. Our best players today were K. Salvat and A. Campbell. Edwards and B. Fagan each scored a try. Outstanding players for us were R. Harpham, P. Kearney, A. Byrnes, L. Richardson and G. Bagot.

Under 13C. Match drawn: 3-3. Still another keen game. J. L. Kelly scored our try and our best players were K. Salvat, A. Campbell, V. Kurrle, J. L. Kelly, J. Oxenham and D. Merchant.

Under 13D. Lost: 3-18. T. Du Val scored our only try. R. Healy, G. Hepworth and P. Dwyer were our best players.

Under 13E. Lost: 0-40. A "walk-over" for Grammar. Good play was shown by D. Fitz-



(Left) **UNDER 12 C.**
Back: R. O'Brien, B. McLuckie, P. Knight, R. Arnold, R. Stewart.
2nd Row: M. McGlynn, R. Finlay, M. Leonard, P. Rowley, J. Tancred (V-Capt.).
Seated: R. Priess, J. Messara, M. Price, P. Sullivan, R. O'Neill, K. Hartman (Capt.).

(Right) **UNDER 12 D.**
Back: P. Sutherland, J. Buckingham, G. Palmer, M. Armstrong, K. Morton.
2nd Row: C. Hartcher, C. Waterford, S. Garrett, I. Bright.
Seated: S. Mulcahy (Capt.), T. Drake-Brockman, G. Keighery, D. Garnsey, M. Fitzgerald, P. Glasheen (V.-Capt.).

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Under 13D. Won: 17-6. An easier game for us. Tries were scored by G. Hepworth (2), P. Carroll and T. Du Val. R. Lewis converted one and kicked a penalty goal. Very good play was shown by G. Hepworth, T. Hayes and G. Ward.

Under 13E. Lost: 3-11. V. Tang kicked a penalty goal — our only score. Best players were G. Skuthorp and R. Healy.

July 4th: **S.I.C.** v. **Sydney Grammar.**

Under 13A. Lost: 5-9. An excellent game vigorously played by both sides. M. Lyons scored and converted a try. Our best players were K. Mitchell, M. Montgomery and M. Lyons.

Under 13B. Won: 6-3. Another keen game. W. gerald.

July 11th: **S.I.C.** v. **The Scots' College.**

Under 13A. Won: 8-3. Good even game. Our tries were scored by R. Harkins and M. Gillan. M. Lyons converted one and our best players were R. Clark, R. Harkins and M. Gillan.

Under 13B. Won: 15-3. A slightly easier match for us, in which P. Delaney and W. Edwards each scored 2 tries, the former also kicking a penalty goal. R. Harpham, B. Fagan, P. Delaney and W. Edwards were our best players.

Under 13C. Won: 9-0. We scored 3 tries (T. Mann, J. L. Kelly, M. Clark) and our most noticeable players were V. Kurrle, A. Campbell,

T. Mann, M. Clark and J. Oxenham.

Under 13D. Won: 6-3. A closely contested game. M. Price scored a try and P. Dwyer kicked a penalty goal for us. M. Price and T. Du Val were our best players.

Under 13E. Lost: 3-9. Our only defeat today. R. Lewis got our points with a penalty goal. V. Tang, G. Skuthorp and R. Braham played extremely well.

July 18th: **S.I.C.** v. **St. Joseph's College.**

Under 13A. Lost: 0-6. An interesting evenly-contested game in which our best players were M. Lyons and P. Coates.

Under 13B. Won: 8-0. Another good game. P. Delaney scored and converted a try. He also kicked a penalty goal. He and R. Harpham were our best players.

Under 13C. Lost: 0-6. The team played well but could not penetrate the defence. Best players for us were C. Yates, A. Campbell, L. Sullivan, and J. L. Kelly.

Under 13D. Won: 16-3. The team did well against good opponents. Tries were scored by M. Price (2), P. Dwyer, G. Hepworth; P. Dwyer converted 2. Good players were: P. Dwyer, D. Fitzgerald, R. McDonell, T. Bergin and P. Coleman.

Under 13D. Won: 20-3. We were slightly stronger than our game opponents. Our tries were scored by M. McCormack (2), G. Hepworth (3) and L. Clark. C. Rogers converted one. Best players were M. Price, M. McCormack, C. Rogers and T. Du Val.

Under 13E. Lost: 0-52. As the score shows, it was a walk-over for a much stronger team. Best for us were V. Tang and J. Dennis.

Under 13E. Lost: 3-14. V. Tang scored a try for us; he and R. Healy were our best players.

July 25th: **S.I.C.** v. **Shore.**

Torrential rain had so flooded the fields that all the Third Division matches from the 13A's down, had to be cancelled. It was a great disappointment as we always look forward to the games with Shore.

August 1st: **S.I.C.** v. **Sydney High School.**

Under 13A. Won: 20-3. The team played very well. Tries were scored by D. Giblin (3), D. P. O'Brien, G. O'Brien, M. Montgomery. L. Richardson converted one. Our best players were M. Montgomery, G. O'Brien, M. Lyons, R. Harkins, G. Bagot and R. Harpham.

Under 13B. Lost: 3-10. The opposition was just too good in an interesting cleanly-contested game. D. Bergin scored our try and prominent players were C. Brennan, J. Graham and D. Merchant.

Under 12 A, B.

May 30th: v. **Newington College.**

Under 12A. Won: 11-5. Nice evenly-contested game. Tries were scored by M. McCormack, L. Clark and P. Macintosh. M. McCormack converted one.

Under 12B. Won: 11-0. Another keen game. Our tries were scored by G. Hartigan (2), and R. Lewis (who converted one). R. Lewis as full-back played extremely well.

June 6th: v. **The Scots' College.** Won: 51-0 against a young and inexperienced team who, however played hard all the time. Tries were scored for us by P. Macintosh (3), C. Rogers (3), L. Clark (3), A. Kirby (2), G. Hartigan, P. O'Brien, M. McCormack and J. Lynch. Goals were kicked by A. Kirby, J. Rixon, J. Lynch, M. McCormack and L. Clark. R. Gordon, J. Rixon, L. Clark, M. McCormack and J. Lynch were our best players.

June 7th: **Under 12A** v. **St. Aloysius' College.** Won: 9-3. A very good game. For us, P. O'Brien, L. Clark and C. Rogers each scored a try and our best players were W. Bye, R. Gordon, M. McCormack, C. Davidson, C. Rogers and J. Lynch.

Under 12B v. **St. Aloysius' College.** Won: 18-0. An easier game for us. Our tries were scored by M. Walker, J. Hughes, K. Lynch and R. Shelton. R. Lewis played very well.

June 20th: **Under 12A** v. **Knox College (Prep.).** Won: 11-9. A good game, encouraged by many spectators. Tries for us were scored by J. Lynch, L. Clark and M. McCormack (who converted on). Best players: M. McCormack, L. Clark, B. Doneley, J. Lynch, G. Davidson, N. Greiner.

Under 12D v. **St. Aloysius' College.** Won: 22-0. Tries were scored by R. Arnold (2), C. Price, L. Paris, P. Glasheen, B. McLuckie and T. Drake-Brockman kicked 2 goals.

June 27th: **Under 12A** v. **Newington.** Won: 6-0. L. Clark scored a try and M. McCormack kicked a penalty goal. Our best players were C. Davidson, R. Corcoran, J. Rixon, J. Lynch and C. Rogers.

Under 12B. v. **Newington.** Won: 12-6. Tries were scored by R. Corcoran, D. Herlihy, J. Brady and R. Shelton. These four were our best players.

July 4th: **S.I.C.** v. **Sydney Grammar.**

Under 12A. Match drawn: 6-6. Our tries were scored by L. Clark and P. Macintosh and our best player was C. Rogers.

Under 12B. Lost: 0-8. A good game in which our best players were P. O'Brien, W. Bye, R. Nolan, P. Loneragan and M. Walker.

July 11th: **Under 12A** v. **The Scots' College.** Won: 6-3. C. Rogers and R. Shelton each scored a try. Our most conspicuous players in a very good game were C. Rogers, J. Hughes, A. Kirby and J. Rixon.

Under 12B v. **The Scots' College.** Match drawn: 3-3. C. Enright kicked a penalty goal for us. He, D. M. O'Brien and R. Corcoran were our best players.

July 18th: **Under 12A** v. **St. Joseph's College.** Won: 9-5. Our tries were scored by R. Shelton, C. Rogers, T. Hawcroft and our best players in a good game were A. Kirby, B. Doneley and D. Russell.

Under 12B. v. **St. Joseph's College.** Won: 9-6. A still closer game. D. Herlihy scored a try and C. Enright kicked 2 penalty goals. Our best players were: G. McGrath, J. Flynn and Rob. Clark.

Under 12C v. **St. Joseph's College.** Won: 9-0. Our 3 tries were scored by J. Tancred, R. Finley and R. Preiss. Good play was shown by J. Messara, P. Knight and C. Price.

July 19th: **Under 12A** v. **St. Aloysius'.** Won: 9-0. A very pleasant, even game. Our tries were scored by P. Mackintosh, J. Lynch and B. Doneley.

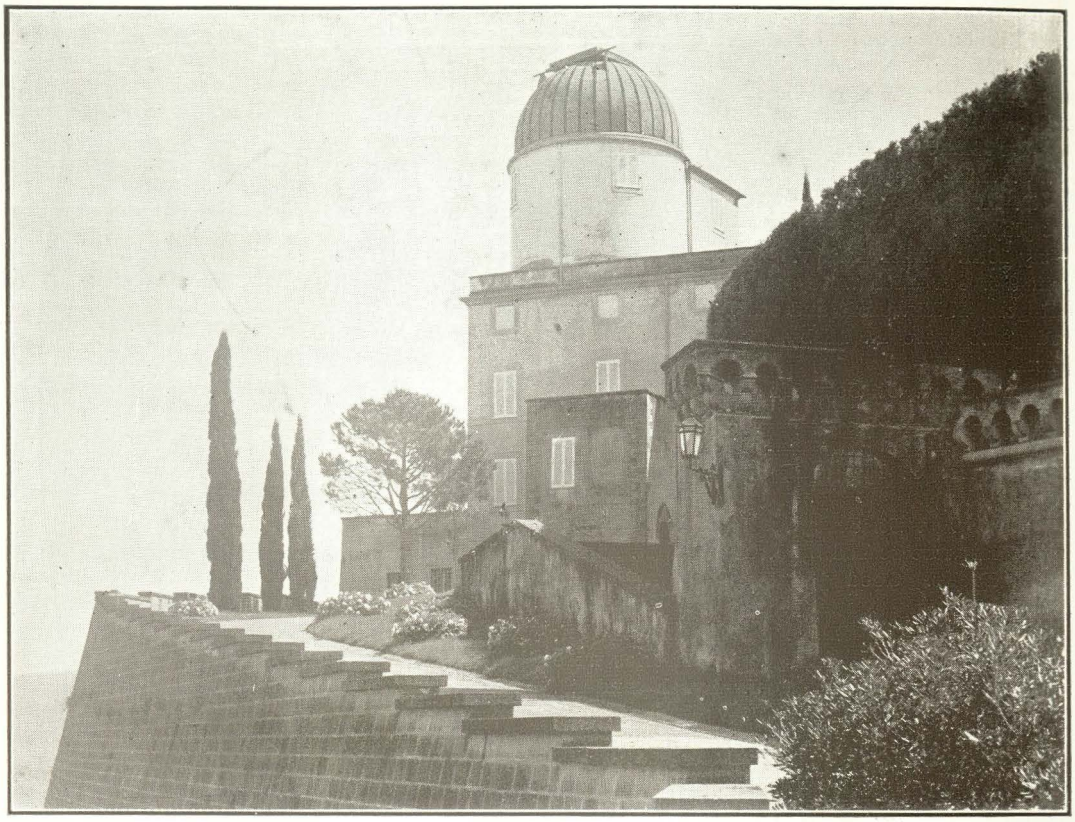
August 1st: **Under 12B** v. **Beecroft Grammar.** Won: 8-3. For us R. Finley and K. Lynch each scored a try. C. Enright converted one. Best players: M. Walker, R. Nolan and P. Parbury.

Under 12C v. **Beecroft Grammar.** Won: 29-0. We were slightly too heavy for our opponents. Our tries were scored by R. Finley (2), R. Arnold (2), R. Preiss, P. Rowley, C. Price, P. Sullivan, K. Hartman. T. Drake-Brockman converted one. R. Preiss and C. Price were our best players.

3rd DIVISION FOOTBALL, 1959

Best and Fairest Player: M. Lyons.
3rd Div. football captain: K. Mitchell.
13A — Best Back: R. Harkins.
Best Forward: M. Montgomery.
13B — Best Back: R. Harpham.
Best Forward: A. Byrnes.
13C — Best Back: F. Fletcher.
Best Forward: T. Mann.
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Best Forward: P. Knight.
12D — Best Back: C. Price.
Best Forward: P. Glasheen.





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Many years must pass before a definite life of Pope Pius XII can be written. The study of the vast mass of documents relating to his pontificate already published is itself a major work; an even greater quantity, now deposited in archives, will not become available to students for many years to come. Until a long period has elapsed the historian will lack the perspective needed to form a just and balanced assessment of the personality and achievements of Pius XII. This much at least we may assert with confidence: the early morning hours of 9th October, 1958, saw the end of a great pontificate. The reactions caused in the whole world by the news of the Pope's death are in themselves sufficient to demonstrate this: articles in the press of nearly every country, statements and messages from heads of States, from leaders of religious bodies, from persons in every walk of life, testify to the great impress that Pius XII made on our time, on people of every race and religion.

The best and most authoritative account of Pope Pius XII that has yet appeared comes from the pen of one who was very closely and intimately associated with Eugenio Pacelli, as Nuncio, Cardinal Secretary of State and Pontiff, uninterruptedly for more than thirty years (Robert Lerber, S.J.). The author has the further invaluable qualification of being a professor of church history and, in particular, an authority

on the lives of the Popes. All that I offer in this brief article are some recollections and impressions, formed during the much fewer years which I was privileged to spend in the Pope's service.

What were the sources of the undoubtedly great influence exerted by Pope Pius XII on our generation? I should classify them under three heads: (i) his deeds—his ceaseless efforts to promote peace in the world: the work done by him during and after the war to succour refugees and to mitigate the sufferings and distress of prisoners and their relatives; the great expenditure of labour and money to help the victims of war and of other calamities; (ii) his many speeches and writings; (iii) the impact of his personality on those who came in contact with him. A brief account of his deeds may be found in the article by Fr. Leiber already mentioned. I shall say something about the other two points.

No other Pope has left such a mass of writings and addresses, on such a manifold variety of topics. Pius XII has been criticized for this: some think that his time could have been better employed. It is undoubtedly true that his work entailed a great drain on his time and energy, even though he was always extremely methodical and most meticulous in utilizing every minute of the day — and much of the night. Yet he himself felt that the spoken and the written word were an esential part of his apostolate. He wished to reach as many different circles, and as many people, as possible, to put before them the eternal truths.

The great encyclicals, the Pope's teaching on dogmatic and moral and social subjects, I leave to those who are authorities on these matters. I can, however, say something about his discourses on scientific topics. Here again he has been criticized for going into too much technical detail in these addresses, as if he were trying to teach the experts their own business. That was certainly not his aim. He wished his listeners to feel that he was interested in their problems and sympathized with their difficulties. Then he invariably used this technical introduction to lead up to religious and moral considerations appropriate to the subject and to the audience.

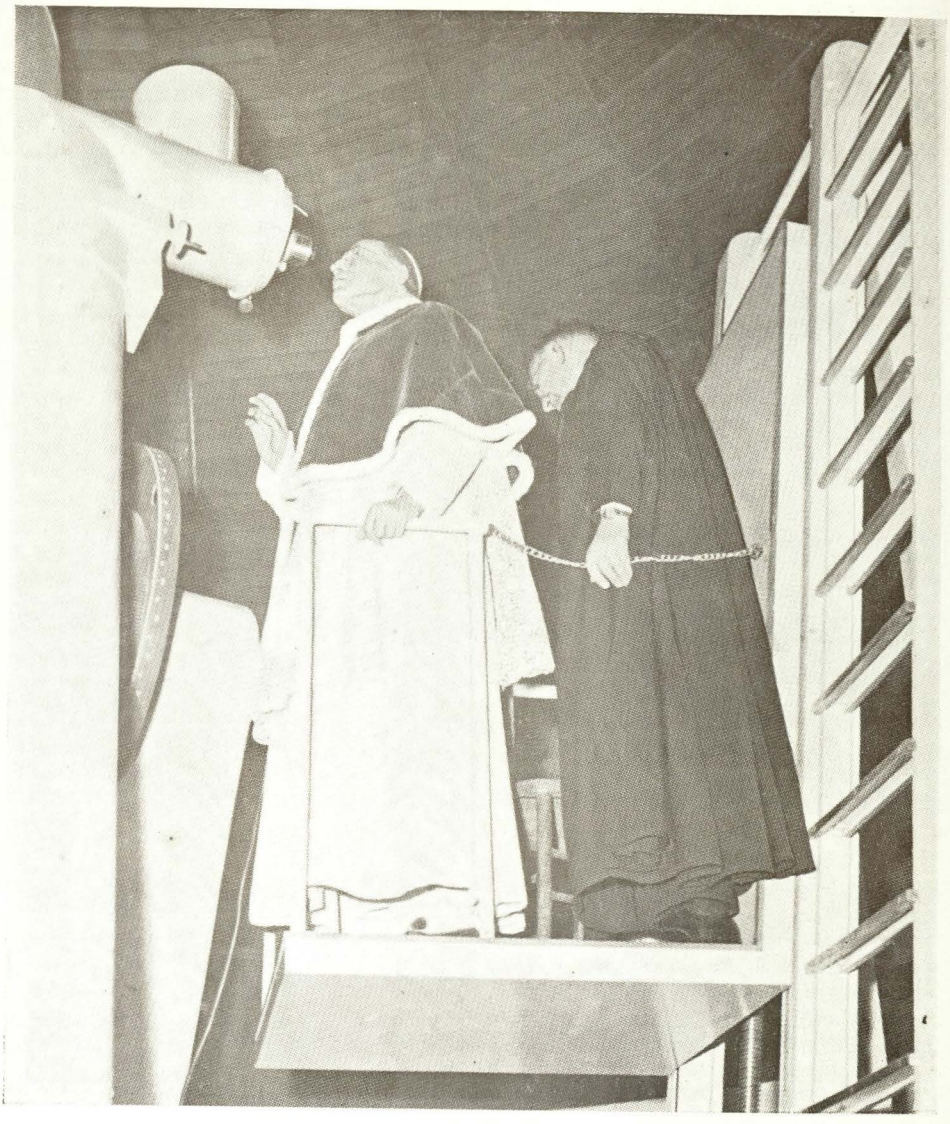
In parenthesis it might be well to correct certain misapprehensions. Many have wondered how the Pope could speak so learnedly on such a great variety of topics. Some indeed have asserted that he prepared all his addresses himself, alone and unaided; others have even gone so far as to suggest that all his knowledge was infused by special divine inspiration. Both notions are incorrect. Pope Pius XII was indeed an ardent student all his life (he had, for instance, a life-long interest in astronomy), but he was far too conscientious and too intelligent to attempt to pose as an authority **de omni re scibili.** He was fully conscious of the obligation, imposed on him by his high position, of weighing his every word. This reinforced his natural passion for exactness and precision, so that he took every care to avoid making any kind of incorrect statement. Thus, when necessary, he called to his aid an expert (sometimes more than one) in the field he intended to discuss. He studied very carefully the technical material presented to him and made it his own, and moulded it so as to drive home the religious or ethical considerations he wished to put before his audience.

He commenced by describing in some detail the topics which were to be debated during the **Semaine.**[2]

> Happy is he who can read in the stars the message which they contain, a message worthy of its author, and capable of recompensing the seeker for his tenacity and his ability, but inviting him also to recognize Him who gives truth and life and who establishes His dwelling in the hearts of those who adore and love Him.

In an address to the Pontifical Academy on the occasion of a previous **Semaine d'Etude** (4th April, 1955) the Pope, addressing scientists in general, said:

> "The mission confided to you therefore ranks among the most noble, for you should be, in a sense, the discoverers of the intentions of God. It pertains to you to interpret the book of nature, to describe its contents, and to draw the consequences therefrom for the good of all.
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> First of all, you are the interpreters of the book of nature. It is, then, necessary that you fix your gaze on each line in it, and be ever most careful not to pass over any detail thereof Set aside all personal bias, and accommodate yourselves with docility to every indication of truth which there comes to light.
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> Authorized interpreters of nature, be you also the guides who explain to their brothers the wonders which are unfolded in the universe and which, better than others, you see assembled as in a single book. Indeed, the majority of men can scarcely devote themselves to the contemplation of nature; they deduce from the facts they perceive only superficial impressions. You who interpret creation, should be teachers eager to reveal its beauty, its power and its perfection so that they may be enjoyed by others . . . .



Pope Pius XII looks through the new Schmidt telescope (which he had just blessed) in the Vatican Observatory at Castel Gandolfo on 12 November 1957. The author, the Director of the Observatory, is with him, adjusting the instrument.

Teach others to behold, to understand and to love the created world so that the admiration of splendours so sublime may cause the knee to bend and invite the minds of men to adoration.

Never betray these aspirations, this trust. Woe to them who make use of falsely taught science to make men leave the right path ! They are likened to stones placed out of malice on the road of the human race; they are obstacles on which men stumble in their search of truth.

You have in your hands a powerful instrument with which to do good. Take into account the unutterable happiness that you procure for others when you disclose to them the mysteries of nature and bring them to understand its harmonious secrets. The hearts and the gaze of those who listen to you are, as it were, hanging on your every word ready to chant

a hymn of praise and thanksgiving."

When the 10th General Assembly of the International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics met in Rome in 1954, the officials of the Union asked the Pope to receive the delegates (1,200 of them) and to address them. After speaking of the various researches carried on by the Union, the Pope concluded his address thus:

"What is most admirable in the universe known to science is not so much the marvellous harmony of the laws of nature, as the very power and force of the mind called upon to master the most difficult problems and to penetrate even more deeply into the secrets of matter. This recognition of the power of the mind gives, no doubt, a legitimate satisfaction, but it is deceptive for one who stops at this stage and refuses to take a wider view. For the human mind, however brilliant, remains subject in its essence and in its activity to the supreme command of a Divine Creator. It must acknowledge God, for He is the Truth, apart from Whom nothing has any meaning. It must serve Him, for knowledge divorced from the rest of life becomes sterile, nay dangerous. The scientist is above all a man face to face with his destiny, and from him, more than from others, will be required an accounting for the god and the evil that he has done . . ."

In the same address the Pope spoke of the International Geophysical Year (1957-58) which was being organized at this meeting. The scientists afterwards expressed their great pleasure that the Pope had given his blessing to this great undertaking. The President and Secretary of the Union requested the Pope's permission to print his discourse in the official organ of the Union.

The Holy Father's addresses reached much wider audiences than those who were actually present. Many requests were received for copies of these speeches. The address on 'The Proofs for the Existence of God in the Light of Modern Science,' delivered to the Pontifical Academy of Sciences on 22nd November, 1951, at the inauguration of a **Semaine d'Etude** on Microseisms, had to be printed a number of times. University professors asked for copies to distribute to their students. Only a few days before the Pope's death there came a request of this kind. Many of these requests came from non-Catholics, some indeed from non-Christians, who had been deeply moved by the Pope's words. Not only were they delighted with his sympathetic understanding of their tasks and their problems, and impressed with the broad sweep of his interests and his familiarity with the most recent developments (even including artificial satellites and space-travel), but, as they listened, new vistas opened before them. Some of them heard for the first time a clear exposition of the ultimate realities, of the meaning of existence.

Over the years several million people saw the Pope and heard him speak in private audiences or in the big general audiences that he granted so readily. Especially impressive, yet more intimate than the audiences in the Vatican or in St. Peter's, were those in the courtyard of his summer palace at Castel Gandolfo. Many will never forget the tall slender figure in white, greeting them from the small balcony with graceful expressive gestures of the beautiful delicate hands. Men of all races and religions went away deeply moved. Many said or wrote afterwards that they felt they had been in the presence of a truly good man, overflowing with love for men and deeply concerned for their sorrows and sufferings.

This faculty of establishing friendly contacts with people of all types was all the more remarkable in one who was by nature extremely reserved and sensitive. His long career as a diplomat would certainly not have tended to lessen this reserve. Apart from the hours devoted daily to audiences, Pope Pius remained very much alone, in his study, at meals or during his regular afternoon walk. His predecessors used to have friends or officials with them during their walks or recreation, but Pius XII always walked alone — usually studying reports or state papers. These walks were always precisely timed, for instance, so many times up and down the Viale degli Elci in the gardens of the Villa Barberini at Castel Gandolfo. Precision and punctuality were marked traits of his character.

It was indeed only by precise apportioning of his time and by his methodical habits that he was able to get through such a vast amount of work. Typical of his systematic and persevering toil is the fact that every evening he practised English for a quarter of an hour (he mentioned this casually in conversation a couple of years ago). He spoke several languages fluently, French, German, Spanish, but he had taken up English rather late in life and, though he read it with ease, he wished to master the spoken language, for the benefit of his many English-speaking visitors.

Almost his only recreations were reading and music. He was very widely read. Dante was his favourite poet, always ready to hand. He knew much of Dante by heart and could always find an apt quotation from him. In the evening, or

late at night, he would play over a favourite symphony.

In one of the audience halls at Castel Gandolfo on the morning of 29th September, just a week before his collapse, Pius XII heard his last concert. Our Lady's Choral Society of Dublin, conducted by Sir John Barbirolli, performed portion of Elgar's 'Dream of Gerontius'. The Pope, though already very tired, appreciated the performance highly, as he made clear in a graceful speech of thanks (and in private comment later). Pausing for a moment in his speech to find the appropriate word, he chose the word 'sublime' to describe the singing. To at least one of those present it seemed afterwards as if Pope Pius had been listening to his own requiem.

say: 'The Pope cannot take holidays.' During the last couple of months he drove himself, if possible, harder than ever, almost as if he felt that the end was not far off and he wanted to complete as much as he could before the night came. Day after day he would deliver one, or even two addresses, some of them long and very important. To those near him it was evident that he was steadily getting weaker. A short time before his collapse he was begged to cancel audiences for a time and to take some rest. He refused. 'Do not worry,' he said, 'I will take all responsibility on myself.' As usual, congresses and organizations were pressing him to address them. He hated to disappoint people. And there were at times errors that he felt he must



Audience of I.U.G.G. with Pope Pius XII at Castel Gandolfo, in the Hall of the Swiss Guards. (Father D. O'Connell, S.J., Director of the Vatican Observatory is to the right of His Holiness.)

For many years he worked into the early hours of the morning; only after his serious illness in 1954 could the doctors persuade him to get to bed by midnight. He rose early in the morning to say his prayers and celebrate Mass and then get to work betimes.

Pius XII worked all out up to the end. When urged to rest a bit or take a holiday, he would

correct as soon as possible.

On Monday, 29th September, the distressing hiccoughs, the prelude to his grave illness in 1954, returned. He was not able to speak at the usual General Audience on the following Wednesday evening, but appeared several times to greet and bless the multitudes that crowded the courtyard of the Palace, and the Piazza in front,

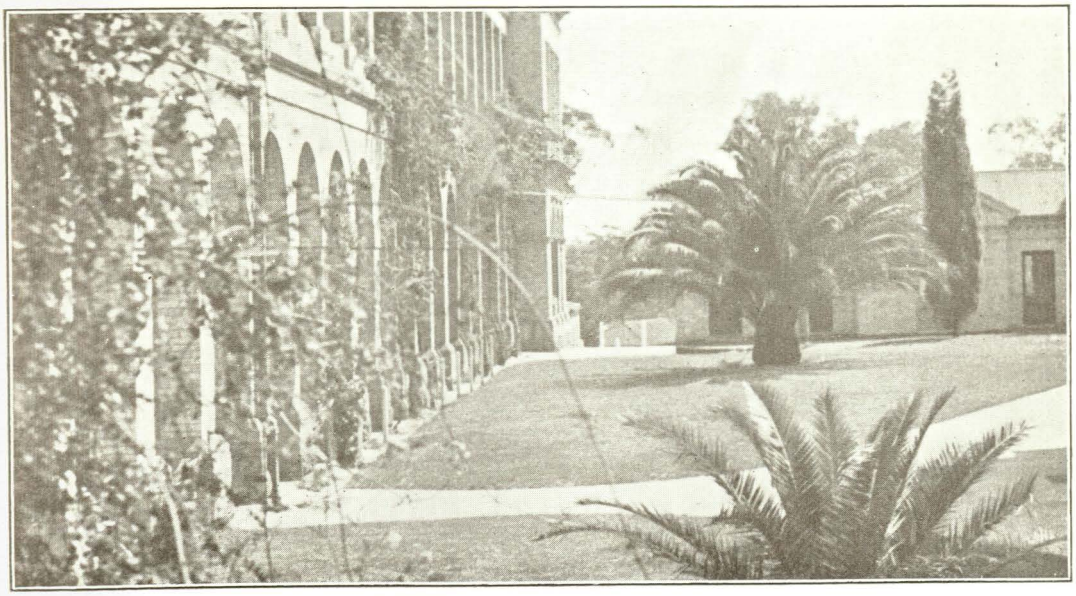
in spite of storm and torrential rain. On Friday morning he spoke to a large American pilgrimage. Next morning he received a congress of plastic surgeons and delivered a beautiful and impressive address, even though he was struggling all the time with attacks of hiccoughs. On Sunday morning he addressed a congress of notaries. Each evening he also came to the balcony to bless the crowds, the last time being on Sunday evening, 5th October. Early the next morning he had his first stroke, followed by a second one on the Wednesday morning. At 3.52 a.m. on the morning of Thursday, 9th October, he died.

He gave a perfect example of the most complete and selfless devotion to duty, working up to the last possible moment, as he had wished. So strongly did he feel that the Pope must always be fit to cope with the arduous duties of his high office ('The Pope cannot be sick,' he used to say) that there is reason to think that he would have abdicated if ever he felt himself incapacitated. He had indeed a particular veneration for his predecessor, Pope St. Celestine V, who abdicated in 1294 after a reign of only a few months, and he would certainly not endorse Dante's condemnation of **il gran Rifiuto.** Eugenio Pacelli, scholar and diplomat and great world figure, and Pietro di Murrone, the thirteenth century hermit — it would be hard to find two Popes who differed more in background and training and temperament. Yet they had this much in common: a profound understanding of the duties incumbent on a Pope and of the very heavy burdens they entail.

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); 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.); The Star (Wah Yan Callege, Hong Kong); R.A.A.F. College (Point Cook, Victoria); The Newingtonian; New England University; The Australian Genealogist; St. John's College, Woodlawn, Lismore; Woodlwick Convent; "Viking" (C.E.G.S., Brisbane); "Loreto"; Aquinas, S.A.; St. Stanislaus, Bandra, Bombay; C.E.G.S. (Sydney); St. Mary's High School, Bombay; Brisbane Grammar School; Xaverian (Hazaribagh, India); The Torch bearer (C.E.G.S., Sydney); Rostrevor College, S. Australia; The "Aloysian" (Galle, Ceylon).



ACROSS THE "QUAD".

IN THE OBSERVATORY.

1. Wiechert Horizontal Seismograph.
2. Mainka Horizontal Seismograph.
3. Wiechert Vertical Seismograph.
4. The three Galitzin Seismographs.
5. The Late Fr. O'Leary at the Wiechert.

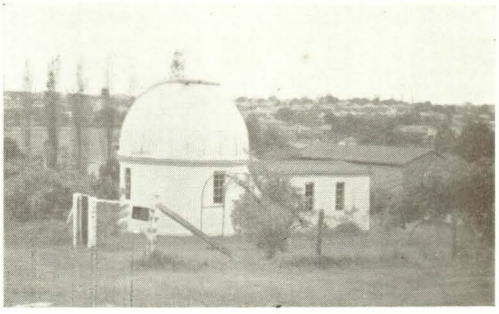
The Riverview Observatory

THE FIRST FIFTY YEARS

By The Director.

This year the Observatory celebrates the completion of fifty years of fruitful activity in the field of seismology. When Fr. Edward Pigot returned to Riverview from China in broken health he brought with him the idea of doing some work which would be at once a worthwhile contribution to the advance of scientific knowledge and a proof of the active interest of the Church in this field of human endeavour. Looking back over the past fifty years, we can form some estimate of how nobly he succeeded in the face of seemingly insuperable difficulties.

The choice of seismology was dictated partly by economic considerations and partly by the very urgent need for a first class seismic station in this region. From the very beginning Fr. Pigot saw clearly that nothing but first-class work would be of any use for his purpose. He set about obtaining the best advice available and when he had assembled his facts put up a strong case to his Superiors for the establishment of a seismological Observatory of the first rank at Riverview. Once he had received permission to go ahead he set about the realisation of his ideal. How well he succeeded can be judged by the fact that in 1939, ten years after Fr. Pigot's death, Sir Harold Jeffreys, after a thorough investigation of the data furnished by the various seismological observatories of the southern hemisphere, assessed the reliability of the stations. According to Sir Harold, Riverview was the only station to be rated one hundred percent. reliable.



ENTRANCE TO THE OBSERVATORY.
THE TELESCOPE.
(Photo — A. Herbert).



THE OBSERVATORY DIRECTOR
Fr. A. FYNN, S.J.

When our first seismographs were installed in 1909 seismology was in its infancy. We have grown up along with this science and made a worthwhile contribution to its growth. That this is so is due in large measure to the vision and drive of our first director. It is fortunate that we have in the person of Mr. P. F. Rheinberger, who came to the Observatory, fresh from school, in 1926 and has been with us since, a living link with the pioneering days. Thanks to his devoted service the high standards set by Fr. Pigot have been maintained.

It would be impossible, in this place, to give even an inadequate account of the part that the Observatory has played in the scientific life of Sydney and Australia. Readers of "Our Alma Mater" have had glimpses, year by year, of our varied activities. In addition to seismology, which has remained our principal interest, much effort

IN THE OBSERVATORY.

1. The Mann Telescope.
2. The Voute Telescope.
3. Fr. O'Leary's Clock and Free Pendulum.
4. Fr. D. O'Connell at the Mann Telescope
5. Fr. O'Leary's Blink Comparator.

and time went into the study of Solar Radiation in cooperation with the Smithsonian Institution of Washington. Though this investigation proved to be fruitless as regards the primary objective, the painstaking observations when reduced and published by Fr. O'Connell proved to be valuable in another field. A scientific officer of the Commonwealth Department of Works and Housing engaged in a study to provide building designers with an easy means to determine the intensity of solar radiation on buildings wrote to Fr. O'Connell that "without these pycheliometer observations our work would have been almost impossible".

In 1913 in response to a desire expressed by the Central Bureau of the international Geodetic Association Fr. Pigot undertook work on earth tides 437 feet underground in the disused workings of a copper mine at Cobar. Fortune did not smile on the venture. The Company went bankrupt. When the mine was reopened, the workings where the instruments were installed were flooded by the closing down of an adjacent mine. A transfer was effected to another mine, where fire broke out and the mine had to be sealed off. On reopening months later the fire revived and the mine had to be resealed. The instruments are still there.

Fr. Pigot's first love among the sciences was astronomy. His hopes of resuming work on the stars were realised in 1922 when Mr. J. Mann, father of Lieutenant Alfred Mann, an old Pupil of Fr. Pigot's, who was killed in action in France in 1916, presented the Observatory with a 7 inch equatorially mounted refractor. A building to house the telescope was completed in 1928 and Fr. Pigot, in collaboration with Dr. J. Voute, then of Lembang, Java, planned a programme of work on Variable Stars, which went into operation after his death, being carried on by Fr. O'Leary and later by Fr. O'Connell and by Dr. Voute who worked at the Observatory for several periods. The work has proved successful and is being continued.

Another aspect of the work of the Observatory, which might easily be overlooked, is the very active part taken in the work of the learned societies by successive directors both on the administrative side and in the presentation of papers. For instance, in recognition of his valued co-operation Fr. O'Connell was made an Honorary Life Member of the Royal Society of New South Wales, a distinction which is limited to twenty members. As Mr. Harley Wood, the Government Astronomer, summed the matter up on the occasion of the Dinner given by the College to celebrate our Fiftieth Year: "Riverview College Observatory has won a very honoured place for its work in Seismology and Astronomy."

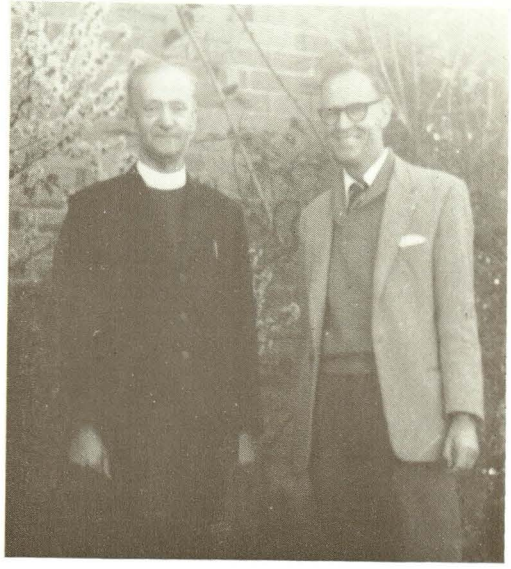
A. Fynn, S.J.

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During the year Fr. Hession has been busily engaged in improving the apparatus for imprinting the time-marks on the seismograph records. In the course of years these circuits have become a nightmarish tangle of unidentified wires. The circuits have been rewired and the associated occulters redesigned so that we can now look forward to prolonged trouble-free operation of this important item of our equipment. There still remains considerable work to be done in the vault, particularly in the recorder room where the layout leaves much to be desired. The Dome has also profited from Fr. Hession's attentions. It is now less frequented by the starlings and much easier to open and rotate.

Towards the end of second term, third division developed a lively interest in astronomy. Every available opportunity was eagerly seized on by parties of third divisioners to visit the Observatory and view the instruments and the heavens. Unfortunately the year has been a particularly bad one for observing. In spite of bad weather and the increased brightness of the night sky efforts have been made to continue the Variable Star programme whenever possible.

A tremor in the Snowy Mountains area aroused considerable interest, being recorded as far afield as Ottawa in Canada, Shillong in



FATHER A. FYNN and
MR. FRANK RHEINBERGER.

India and Strassbourg in Europe. The shock occurred shortly after four o'clock on the afternoon of 18th May. Not many minutes later our phone began to ring. Callers in some of the Sydney suburbs enquired whether what they had felt was an earthquake, or as one of them feared, the onset of a coronary occlusion. After a quick glance at the Mainka records we were able to assure the enquirers that there had been a local shock. In view of probable enquiries from the press and radio we decided to develop the Galitzin and Sprengnether records. On this occasion the Sprengnether behaved well and yielded a very interesting record which was later of use to Mr. E. A. Flinn, a Fulbright scholar at the Australian National University, who made a detailed study of the quake. This tremor provided the occasion for the first use in Australia of an electronic computer for the determination of the epicentre and origin time of a quake from the data supplied by a network of seismographs.

For some time past Mr. Rheinberger had been puzzled by records of what looked like small local shocks. What first attracted his attention was that these shocks seemed to occur at roughly the same time in the afternoon, which suggested that they might be due to quarry blasts. Mr. B. A. Bolt of the Department of Applied Mathematics of the University of Sydney thought the idea was worth investigating. He discovered the company which was responsible for the blasts and arranged that in future we would be notified beforehand the blasts would be set off at carefully determined times. In this way we have already been able to collect some data which will be of use for a more accurate determination of the travel times of certain types of waves in this neighbourhood. The director and staff are now trying to resolve some relatively inexpensive addition to our instrumentation which would enable us to obtain better records of the short period waves which are involved in this work. We are also hoping, in the near future to improve the recording of the longer period waves to which our present instruments are relatively insensitive. The rapid advances in seismology in recent years make it increasingly difficult for a private station with meagre resources to remain in the front rank. However Riverview has achieved the seemingly impossible in the past and we hope to keep on in that spirit.

THE GREEN FLASH AND OTHER LOW SUN PHENOMENA

REV. D. J. K. O'CONNELL, S.J.
(DIRECTOR, VATICAN OBSERVATORY, CASTEL GANDOLFO, ROME)

Our former Director, in spite of his many other pressing occupations, has seized the opportunities provided by the location and facilities of the Vatican Observatory to make a valuable contribution to the solution of a problem which has tantalised observers, professional and others for centuries. When the Sun and some of the other heavenly bodies are close to the horizon they at times undergo rapid changes of shape and colour. The most striking of these is the green flash which sometimes follows the sun's setting or precedes its rise. Explanations have been offered in abundance from time to time ranging from the suggestion that the effect is a purely subjective one, due to fatigue, or possibly biliousness, to quite complex explanations involving such factors as atmospheric dispersion, selective absorption, scattering and so on. Father O'Connell has done better than merely offer hypotheses. Having long been interested in these phenomena he realised that Castel Gandolfo was well placed for the observation and recording of what really does occur on these occasions. On his staff he has had an expert photographer in the person of Brother C. Treusch, S.J. The Observatory provided a view of sunset over the Mediterranean for part of the year and over land at other times. He set to work to collect a wealth of observational material, much of it in colour. The result is a book which is a delight to the eye and a challenge to the inquiring mind. No longer will the conscientious observer have to assure his readers, as one did in the past, that he is a total abstainer, before venturing to describe what he observed. For good measure Fr. O'Connell conducted some experiments in the laboratory to aid in the evaluation of the several factors which are involved.

—A. F., S.J.

The Cadet Unit

Before recording the doings of the Unit for 1959, I would like to hearken back to 1958. As the year drew to a close, it was feared that our Annual Camp to Singleton might have to be abandoned. An unavoidable change in camp dates made it impossible for us to attend. We would like to express our thanks to Lieut.-Col. Hind and his staff for the trouble and inconvenience they went to in placing Holsworthy camp at our disposal. It was a most enjoyable and beneficial camp. A word of praise is due to our fine group of C.U.O.s and N.C.O.s who instilled their enthusiasm into the rest of the Unit. Under the guidance of Sgt.-Major G. Pomeroy and Lt. T. Simpkins a N.C.O. course of twenty cadets was conducted with outstanding keenness. The Band, under the leadership of W. Tisdale, was tireless in its efforts in preparation for the Band Contest in which they gained eighty four per cent. only five points behind the ultimate winners. We would like to express our appreciation to the Rector for the interest he shows in the Cadets by finding time to pay



CADET UNDER-OFFICERS.
Back: C.S.M. P. Lamerand, C.U.O. J. Collins, Drum Major A. Whealy, C.S.M. J. Plummer, C.U.O. M. Dureau.
Seated: C.U.O. S. Spence, C.U.O. M. Raper, C.U.O. M. Deloughery, C.U.O. R Moses, C.U.O. V. Edwards, C.U.O. J. Butcher.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

us a visit during our stay at Holsworthy.

During the Summer vacation, R. Moses, J. Spence, V. Edwards, M. Raper, M. Collins, J. Butcher, L. Lachal and G. Knight attended a C.U.O. course at Singleton and all were successful in qualifying for the position of C.U.O. in the Unit. The N.C.O. course was attended by D. O'Connor, J. McDermott, J. Hardyman, T. Zlotkowski, A. Dempsey and R. Lachal who gave a good account of themselves and were promoted to N.C.O. rank.

On returning to school in February, 1959, M. Deloughery, Captain of the School, became our Senior C.U.O. He was assisted by Com. Commanders R. Moses, M. Dureau, J. Butcher; Platoon Commanders M. Raper, V. Edwards, M. Collins, J. Spence, G. Knight and J. Thorpe. The Band, which had reached such a high standard under W. Tisdale, was taken over by Drum Major A. Whealy.

Once again we had the misfortune to lose one of our officers of Cadets. I refer to Mr. P. Lewis, S.J. We wish to thank him for the very efficient service he rendered in the training of the Unit. We wish him well in his next stage of training as a Jesuit Father. In his place we welcome Mr. J. Healy and hope his association with the Unit will be a pleasant one. We take the opportunity to welcome back Sgt. Major G. Pomeroy to our midst and to thank him for the help he gave us in 1958.

Our first concern in 1959 was the receiving of new members into the Unit. Owing to the restricted strength of 222 members, we regret that no boy in the 14 yr. age group was admitted into the Unit. Representations have been made to No. 2 Cadet Bde. for an increase in strength but nothing can be done in that regard till extra finance has been allotted to the Cadet Movement.

With Anzac Day Ceremonies in view, most of the training in first term was devoted to the Parade Ground. It is to the credit of First Year Cadets and their officers that they were able to reach such a high standard in so short a time. They were quite proud of the fact that they were permitted to carry their rifles on the Anzac Day Parade — a feat which has seldom been accomplished. The boys of 2nd and 3rd Year did all that was required of them and upheld the high standard of our parades.



THE CADET BAND MARCH TO THE PARADE GROUND.
(Photo — T. O'Halloran).

This year we were privileged to have with us the Hon. The Minister for the Army Mr. J. Cramer, to inspect our Unit. He was greatly impressed by the efficiency of the Corps and informed us that he had seldom seen a more finished display presented by school boys. I would like to compliment the Chapel Guard and members of the Catafalque Party, under the guidance of C.U.O. M. Dureau, for the manner in which they performed their various duties.

During the May Holiday fifteen of our Cadets attended the Specialist Courses at Singleton. All passed the required standard. M. Collins and

A. Quain distinguished themselves by securing first place in the M.M.G. and Drum Section of the Band respectively. This year our new Specialist Section, the Medical Section, came into action and is flourishing well under the care of Mr. Healy.

Throughout the 2nd term, much good work was done in acquiring a thorough knowledge of our specialist weapons. The N.C.O.s, who did so well in the various courses at Singleton, are to be complimented on the manner in which they passed on their knowledge to the other members of the groups.

Full use was made of our miniature range this term and, as usual, an afternoon at the targets proved the most popular feature of the training syllabus.

On the 2nd of August, we had the pleasure of providing a guard of honour for His Eminence, Cardinal Gilroy on the occasion of his opening the Church of "Our Lady of the Visitation" in Pengilly Street. The Band distinguished themselves by a most creditable performance.

At the time of recording these events we are awaiting our Annual Passing Out Parade to be held in October, when another group of some forty Cadets will have completed a three to four years course. We wish them well and hope that their association with the Cadet Unit will be of benefit to them.

Lieut. B. C. Kinnaird,
O. C. Cadet Unit.

ANZAC DAY

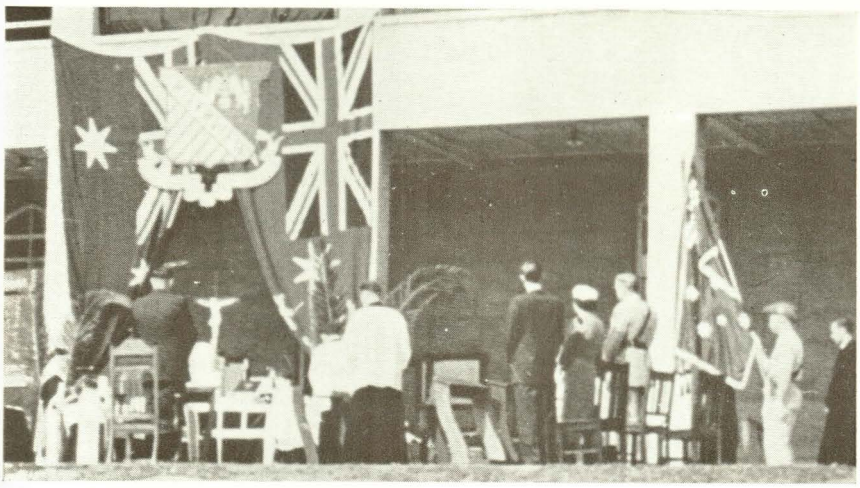
Glorious weather favoured the annual Anzac Day Ceremonies this year. It may have had something to do with the success of the said Ceremonial which in our personal opinion, may possibly be equalled in future years but will certainly not be surpassed.

The Cadet's took up their position at the College front and awaited the arrival of the Minister for the Army, Mr. J. O. Cramer, who was formally received by the O.C. of the Unit, Lieutenant B. C. Kinnaird.

The Colour Party, led by Sgt. P. Kirby and the Ceremonial Guard under the command of C.U.O. M. Dureau then made their entrance while Chopin's Funeral March was played at the organ by Cadet D. D'Arcy.

The Altar for the Solemn Requiem Mass was erected on the flat in front of First Division building, facing the Third Oval where chairs had been provided for the large number of visitors.

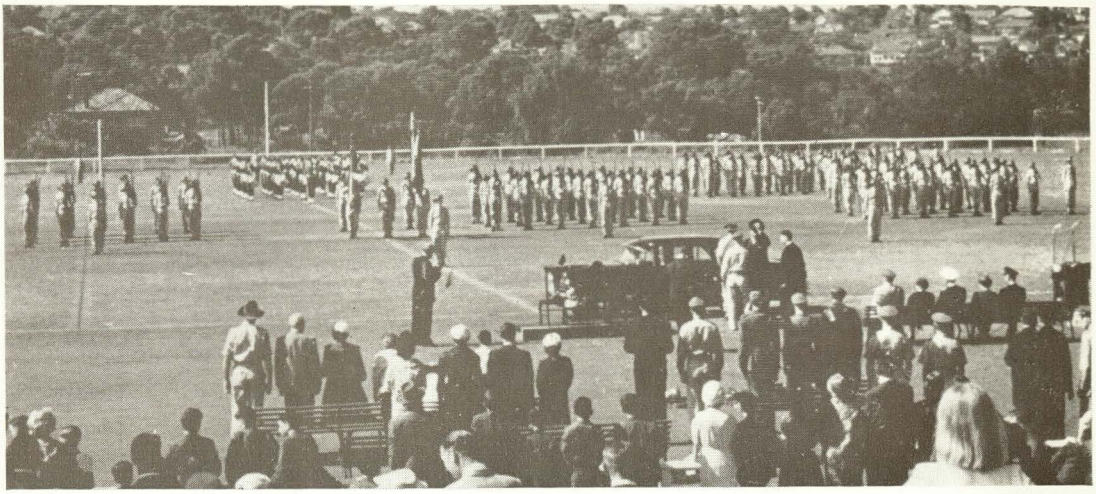
The Mass was celebrated by Very Rev. J. Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview) the Deacon and sub-Deacon being respectively Fr. J. Drury, S.J. and Fr. K. Carroll, S.J.



ANZAC DAY.
MASS IN THE OPEN.

The occasional sermon was preached by Fr. P. Kelly, S.J. of Canisius' College, Pymble, who reminded his listeners that were assembled to commemorate the sacrifice made by those Riverview boys whose names are inscribed on our War Honour Boards and on the Chapel windows. We should never forget them, he said, but rather be inspired by their example and resolved to make their high ideals part of our own lives.

Upon the completion of the Mass, the Cadets marched from the College front to the parade area on the Senior Oval. Their marching and general bearing, as well as the Cadet Band,



ANZAC DAY.
CADETS ON PARADE. ARRIVAL OF THE MINISTER FOR THE ARMY.

aroused much favourable comment from all present.

The Minister (M. J. O. Cramer) arrived by car at the oval and was welcomed by Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J. He immediately conducted the inspection of the Cadet Unit which was under the command of Cadet Under Officer M. Deloughery, the Band being under the direction of Drum-Major A. Whealy.

Wreaths were laid on the Cenotaph (erected at the front of the Parade Ground) in the following order:—

The Minister for the Army on behalf of the Cadets; Rev. Fr. Rector on behalf of the College; Mr. J. d'Apice (President) for the Old Ignatians' Union; Mrs. R. Chatfield (President) on behalf of the Parents and Friends' Association, and Miss G. McEvoy (President) for the Riverview Younger Set.

The Last Post was sounded by the Buglers of the College Band.

V. Rev. Fr. Wallace, S.J., formally welcomed Mr. Cramer, saying that we were all honoured to have with us the Minister for the Army at this Church and Army Ceremonial held each year in memory of our boys who gave their lives in both great wars. We were reminded, he said of the spirit of unselfishness and generosity which had inspired them and did not forget the lesson they had taught. He again thanked Mr. Cramer for his presence and also welcomed the large number of visitors who had come to join in the Ceremonial.

Mr. Cramer thanked Fr. Rector and community for their welcome to himself and also expressed his pleasure at seeing so many visitors present on this important occasion.

He congratulated the Cadets on their excellent showing and was pleased to see them wearing the Slouch hat as a compliment to the old Diggers. The smartness of the College Band, he said, impressed him very much. Everything was "spic and span' and reflected great credit on all concerned. The Cadet Movement he considered of great assistance to the regular army, 93% of the officers of which were products of the Cadet system. He urged us to preserve the spirit of Anzac. The fight is still on and the elements of evil still in the world. Ours is the responsibility to assist, all we can, in keeping the freedom we possess — and in that endeavour, our Cadets can play a big part.

After the Minister's address the Unit marched past in column of route and reformed on the inspection line. The Unit then advanced in Review Order. The General Salute was given and "Present Arms", after which the Minister moved off with the Official Party.

The Cadet Unit subsequently marched up the main drive to the dispersal area — and the Ceremonial came to a dignified conclusion.

Morning tea was served to visitors in the College Quadrangle by the members of the Parents and Friends' Association.

If we may be allowed to say so, we were particularly pleased to have with us this day His Honour Mr. Justice Crisp of the Tasmanian Supreme Court and Mrs. Crisp. Peter Crisp, an Old Boy of Riverview (24-28) was fortunately able to pay us one of his rare visits and was much pleased to be introduced once more to Riverview by Mr. Alan Bridge, Q.C. (21-26).

It only remains for us to heartily congratulate Lieut. B. C. Kinnaird (O.C. Cadet Unit) on the splendid success of the Ceremonial and on the fine bearing of the Cadets under his charge.

Parents and Friends Association

SECRETARY'S REPORT
1959

President: Mrs. R. M. Chatfield.
Vice-Presidents: Mesdames Glasheen, Clark, McDermott, Gildea, Luscombe-Ward, Corcoran, Conrick, Sutherland, Finn.

Hon. Secretaries: Mrs. A. E. Hughes, Mrs. Cawley Madden.

Hon. Treasurer: Mrs. J. E. O'Toole.

Annual General Meeting:

This meeting was held at Riverview College on Sunday the 15th February, 1959, and was attended by the Rector Very Rev. Father Wallace, S.J. and ninety members.

After the Balance Sheet was read by Mrs. McCauley a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. K. Slocum, our Hon. Auditor. Mrs. McCauley presented the Association with a most attractively bound leather book to be used for Life Members' names.

Mrs. Chatfield presented Father Rector with a cheque for £770/-/-, the result of the Association's activities for the year. In thanking the retiring President, Mrs. Chatfield and her Committee for the cheque, Father Rector also congratulated them on their hard work and unfailing co-operation during 1958. He then welcomed the new President, Mrs. Chatfield (who had been re-elected) and her committee.

There being so much extra work, owing to the expansion of the school, it was decided to elect three extra vice-presidents, making the total nine instead of the usual six.

On assuming office Mrs. Chatfield outlined the Association's activities for 1959.

Welcome to New Mothers.

The first of our functions for the First Term was the "welcome to New Mothers", which took the form of morning tea on the 10th March in the Starlight Room, at the Hotel Australia. We entertained 158 Mothers, including 48 new Mothers. It was a very happy gathering, and we were very pleased indeed to have Father Rector with us, as we realised the morning would not be so convenient for him.

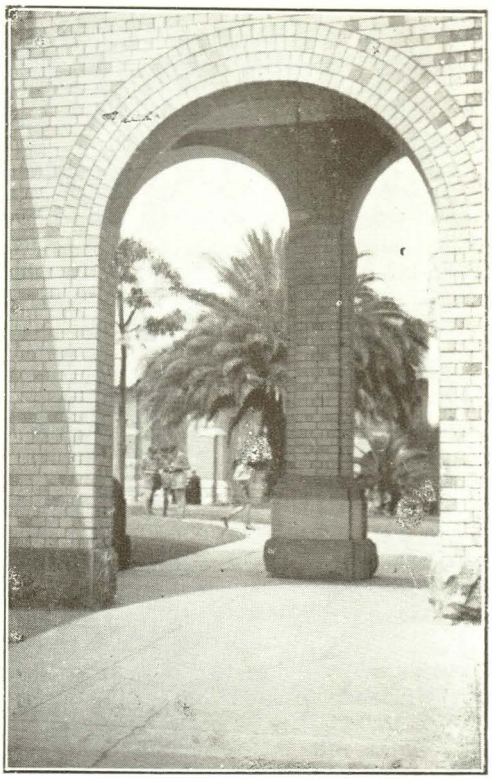
Gold Cup.

Once more we had perfect weather for the 75th Annual Riverview Regatta, and, as usual, it was a very exciting and enjoyable day. The Rector entertained the official party, including representatives from the various Schools and Rowing Clubs.

We take this opportunity of thanking Mr. and Mrs. Kinnaird for the use of Cove Cottage, where afternoon tea was served by the Committee.

Anzac Day.

Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated on Third Field by the Rector, the Very Rev. Father Wallace, S.J. It was a most impressive ceremony, and very much appreciated by all who were fortunate enough to attend.



ENTRANCE TO QUADRANGLE.

At the conclusion of Mass a Wreath was placed on the War Memorial by our President, Mrs. Chatfield.

Following the ceremonies, morning tea was served.

Annual Supper Dance.

Our second Term activities started with the Annual Supper Dance on the 13th June, held at the Pickwick Club. A very happy atmosphere prevailed, and it is thought that the 170 guests had a very memorable and enjoyable night.

Mrs. Chatfield entertained the Official Party, who included V. Rev. Fathers Wallace and Casey, S.J. and Mr. and Mrs. d'Apice.

Theatre Parties

There were two Theatre Parties during the term. The first was "Roar Like a Dove" at the Theatre Royal on 3rd July, followed by supper at the Hotel Australia. The second "Auntie Mame" on the 21st August, supper at Ushers Hotel. They were both very enjoyable evenings and exceedingly well attended.

Boys' Dance.

A dance was held at the College on the last day of the second term (20th August). Supper was arranged by the Committee.

INDIAN MISSION BAZAAR

Third Term

September 12th was the day of this big annual event, which was opened by His Eminence Cardinal Gilroy. It was a perfect day and evening and the attendance appeared much larger than usual, and, if this is the case, it is hoped it will be much more satisfactory financially. The Association, as usual, conducted the Cake Stall, Sandwich and Coffee Bar, Sweets, Soft Drinks and Devonshire Afternoon Teas. We extend our thanks to all those who worked so diligently before and during the bazaar, and to the fathers who ran the soft drink and sweet stalls.

New School Building.

This Report will probably go to Press before the day we have been looking forward to, the 18th October when His Excellency, the Apostolic Delegate, will officially open the new building.

Christmas Party.

At the time of going to Press, arrangements have been made to hold the annual Christmas Party in the Starlight Room, Hotel Australia, on November 19th, at 8.00 p.m.

Passing-Out Parade.

At the Passing-Out Parade on October 4th, afternoon tea will be provided by the Parents and Friends' Association. Major F. Ahern will take the Salute.

Field Tuck Shop.

For their unfailing help and interest in the Tuck Shop, we wish to convey our heartfelt thanks to Father Fitzgerald, S.J., Brother Johnson, S.J. and Brother Doran, S.J., also to the young "fire helpers" and all those who so generously supplied sandwiches on many occasions.

With much regret we have to report the deaths of Mr. Selby Burt, Mrs. Joyner, Mrs. Casey, Mr. Diehl, Mr. Roche, Mrs. M. E. Cahill. To their relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

The Association wishes to thank the Rector and Community, the teaching and lay staff and Matron Maher for their co-operation, and for the care and interest they so unfailingly take in our boys.

In conclusion we would like to thank our President, Mrs. Chatfield, our Treasurer, Mrs. O'Toole and all members of the Committee for their willing assistance during the year, and to extend to them, and all members of the Association, our very best wishes for Christmas and the coming New Year.

—Kathleen Hughes, Gloria Madden,
Hon. Secretaries.

RIVERVIEW TUCK SHOP

In September this year, the Riverview Tuck Shop had its fourth birthday. By the time the "Alma Mater" is issued a further cheque for approximately £500 will have been handed to Father Rector.

This year, 1959, has been a busy one for the Tuck-Shop helpers, as the number of Day Boys has increased.

Many of the mothers whose sons have left Riverview still continue to help in the Shop. Besides helping a cause, they have made firm friends amongst their co-workers.

We should like to thank Father Rector, Father Fitzgerald, Brothers Johnson and Doran for their whole-hearted co-operation. Without Brother Doran, we are sure the Shop could not exist.

A word for the men employed on the new building. We should like to thank them for being such excellent customers. The boys also have our gratitude for their continued patronage.

—R. M. Chatfield,
(For the Riverview Tuck Shop)

RIVERVIEW YOUNGER SET

Patrons: Very Rev. Father Wallace, S.J. (Rector of Riverview); Mr. John d'Apice (President of the Old Boys' Union).

The 10th Annual General Meeting was held at the College on Sunday, 22nd February, Very Rev. Father Wallace, Rev. Father McLoughlin, Mr. John d'Apice, Mr. Max Glasheen, Mr. Zions and Mr. Brian Nowland (representatives of the Old Boys' Union) attended, and Father Wallace

in his address, congratulated the out-going Committee on their wonderful efforts during the year for Riverview, and wished the in-coming Committee every success. He then accepted (on behalf of the Building Fund) a cheque for £50, and Father McLoughlin accepted £45 for the "Alma Mater."

The election of Office-bearers then followed:-

President: Gai McEvoy; **Vice-President** Michael Hammond; **Hon. Secretary:** June O'Gorman; **Asst. Hon. Sec:** Tim Barrett; **Treasurer:** John Raper; **Publicity Secretary:** Janet Leary; **Committee:** Misses Maryanne Firth, Judy King, Maureen Clark, Sue Chadwick, Margaret Tracy, Joy Pinnock, Juanita Zalapa, Sue Clapin.

Messrs Greg Herbert, Tony Clark, Bill Maher, Rodney O'Neil, John Stevens, Bob Meagher, Maurice McGrath, Sam Hammond, Barry Kemp.

Activities

A Regatta Dance was held at Royal Motor Yacht Club, Rose Bay, which was a wonderful success, over 200 people attending.

Many functions were held during the year including informal dances entitled "View in Paris", "A Beaten Extravagance", and an "Indian Pow-wow." A Progressive Dinner Dance and "A Summer Fantasy" which was a professional Fashion Parade with "An Added Attraction" the Younger Set Committee presented being a skit on International Models.

Apart from arranging their own functions, the Younger Set took part in helping the O.B.U. with their Annual Ball at the Trocadero on the 21st April, and here we would like to congratulate all concerned on its outstanding success.

The Younger Set were indeed proud to again help Jesuit Missions at the Indian Bazaar—the work entailed included "A Car Raffle", "Lucky Envelopes", "Ice Cream", helping on the "The Old Boys' Wheel", and "The Dance", which was a record, over £165 being made compared with £45 the previous year. Although very tired by the end of the night, the Younger Set were very proud and happy to contribute in all £550 to the cheque to be sent to India.

Father Lachal during the day, asked me to extend his thanks on behalf of the Jesuit Missionaries for their wonderful efforts.

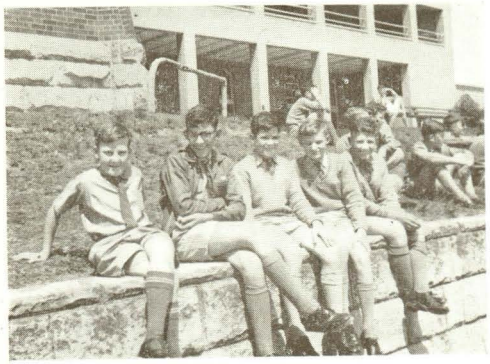
Football games were arranged again this year between S.A.C., S.J.C., and Waverley College Younger Sets for the Combined Trophy, and we would like to extend our congratulations to St. Aloysius College on their victory.

Two functions have been arranged before our next General Meeting and they are "A Car Trial-Bar-b-q" followed by a "Summer Formal" Dance.

Although not as financial as last year, we have had a very busy but pleasant one meeting new members whom we greet warmly.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Father Wallace, Father McLoughlin, Mr. John d'Apice, Mr. Zions and Mr. Brian Nowland for their help and guidance during the year, and also to my Executive and Commitee for their hard work and loyalty, and my thanks to the Younger Set for their help and attendance at our functions without which we could not have succeeded.

Gai McEvoy (President).



A CHEERFUL SQUAD.
(Photo — T. O'Halloran3.

Overseas Trip in Retrospect

by

CHRISTOPHER FLYNN ('52-'56)

"Caelum, non animum, mutant qui trans mare currunt". It was Horace who thus admonished a friend of his who was at the time apparently on a somewhat conventional tour of the "cultural" splendours of Greek Asia Minor, seeking relief from the cares of daily life in the capital.

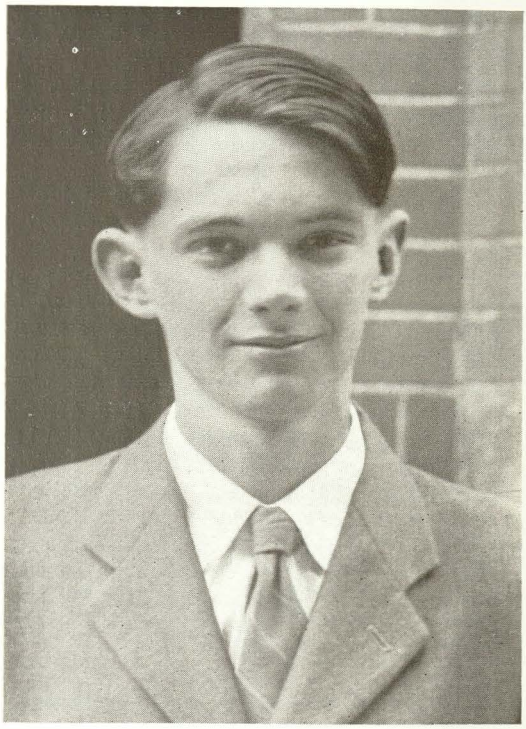
The advice is untranslatable — it would probably never have become an immortal tag otherwise — but, "a trip overseas may give you a new view of the stars; it won't change your outlook on life" is what he might have said had he been writing ugly modern prose instead.

Of course, people still continue to travel; and there was always some place whose fame or wealth and beauty made it outstanding as the goal of the traveller. In the last century Karl Baedeker and his firm wrote sensible, detailed guide-books for the educated and well-to-do Englishman or German who had grown up with the railway and went where it took him. Now it is little old Stratford, or Paris or cute old Venice that welcome the tens of thousands from across the Atlantic with bright and usually rather inane "tourist literature". (Not that Americans now have the sights to themselves, of course, but they certainly have the guide-books written for them.)

After twelve months abroad with my parents and elder brother, I have had good time to see whether Horace was right or not. He was indeed thinking of those who are trying to "get away from it all"; such people would probably do better to apply our modern version of Horace's own remedy and seek out a sleepy, sunny inlet on the South coast somewhere, or possibly a hospitable friend's station property. Even so, the shrewd remark bears a deal of truth, even for those who "run across seas" to seek positive enlightenment and education. One sees what one looks for and expects.

We looked quite hard in Turkey and Greece for classical ruins, and found an inexhaustible source of interest and information. A geologist on field work would have looked at the same scene with vastly different thoughts; and a German business man, driving to Constantinople to make arrangements for the expensive bridge he wanted to build across the Bosphorus would perhaps not have looked at it at all.

Nevertheless, to venture out of one's own country and customary environment into surroundings that may in some ways be similar, but are always radically different in many others, must have an effect. For example, driving in the interior of Sicily is much like driving in parts of New South Wales — like the south-



CHRISTOPHER FLYNN.

ern tableland between Canberra and the coast: long open vistas across hill country; abandoned-looking single tracks of railway at intervals; roads in the same rather good but uncertain condition — even familiar-looking sheep (with un-Australian shepherds in attendance). As in N.S.W. there are some fifteen or twenty miles between townships — but the "townships" are grim old overgrown villages, each with twenty or thirty thousand inhabitants who walk the miles daily to their fields and pastures and have lived for centuries in their huddled condition to avoid the dangers that attended the normal pattern of agricultural village life in that lawless and remote corner of Europe.

Again, a frequent sight in the mediaeval

cathedrals and parish churches of England is an elegant bronze tablet or wooden scroll with a list of Bishops or vicars on it — from 1190, say, with not an interruption until the name of the present incumbent is reached. It is rather irritating at any time for a Catholic to hear claims that the Anglican Church is the historic apostolic Church in England and that the "Roman Church" is a foreign interloper — but tablet or no tablet, the church is there.

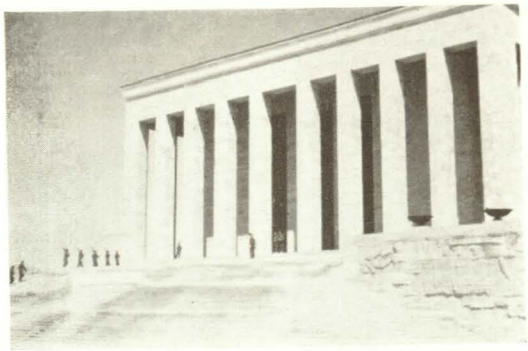
I believe that well over half of the Anglican churches in England are mediaeval — in the rest of Europe, except France, the great bulk of churches, Catholic and Protestant, were built after the Reformation, and so, most certainly, the work of Catholic hands. But for over three hundred years it has been used by the Established Church and has become a venerable and intimate symbol for its Protestant community. Seeing such churches daily in villages and towns throughout England, it is much easier for one to understand why Anglicans want to consider themselves as God's Church on English soil.

I cannot expect to record in detail here the manifold impressions that different places made or the great variety of things that we saw; but as an attempt at some form of classification, I shall deal separately with the great buildings and sights of the cities, the rural scene and face of the country, the life and manners of the people, in some parts of the world we visited.

We had planned to fly through India, spending two or three weeks there as a prelude to the ruins in Turkey and Greece. I expected to see little but poverty and squalor in the great cities and find the flat plain of the Ganges impressive but monotonous. Singapore was interesting as real commercial prosperity did not seem to be abreast with the proliferation of its Chinese



THE ERECTHEUM FROM WEST OF THE PARTHENON.
(Greek).



MAIN HALL OF ATATURK'S MAUSOLEUM IN ANKARA.
(Turkey).

communities; Rangoon, I thought, would be a pattern for India; it is an ugly shabby metropolis with many colourfully dressed inhabitants, many obviously very poor and an utterly inefficient municipal government that has not even repaired footpaths damaged in the war, being content to see the hundreds of thousands stream in devotion to the great Pagoda some two miles from the business centre, or to the garish new Peace Pagoda — a building decorated with stars and other such progressive and democratic signs that are obviously the Burmese answer to the political problems that face them.

But India had much more to show. Calcutta is certainly an abyss of grinding poverty — there are acres and acres of chaotic "bustees", as the slums are called — but the close-printed newspapers report at length efficient-sounding schemes of the City Council to sweep them away. Large crowds of Indians press intently along the footpaths, obviously on some thriving business — but against the heavy granite pillars of an insurance office lie two or three spindly bodies, hanging to life by a thread. If Calcutta were a city of half a million, its efficiency would bring it a rapid and prosperous development; but as it has more than six times that population, much of that good work must go to keeping its head above water.

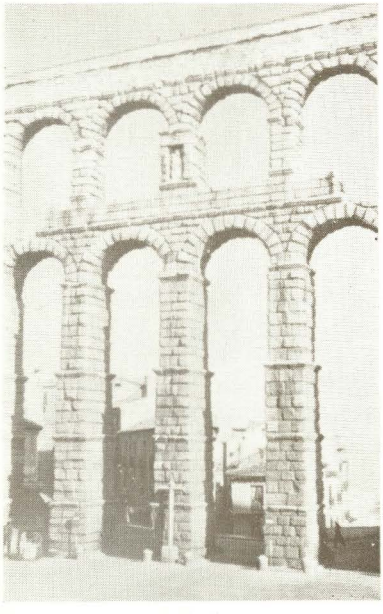
Benares, hundreds of miles upstream, is a great centre of Hindu pilgrimage. I looked in wonder at the tens of thousands of the devout bathing in the blue waters of the Ganges over a mile wide at that point. Delhi is two cities — firstly the imperial capital whose splendour and modernity is a challenge to the Indians to preserve national institutions that it was built to foster; secondly, the capital of the Mokhuls, whose architectural achievements — the Red Fort, the tombs of numerous Emperors and

noted Muslims — outshine even the glories of New Delhi. As well as these, there linger the remains and memories of previous endeavours to express magnificence in stone.

Everyone knows about the Taj Mahal, and it deserves the praise it gets; but when it is seen as just one of many such tombs, each in its own way a great architectural work and all together forming a well-preserved series of attempts at a yet grander and more beautiful building, it too contributes to this impression of mighty achievement.

Ankara, the Turks' new capital on an age-old site, is vaguely like Canberra both in situation and atmosphere, though the bowl of hills at Ankara is much vaster. Just as you can go in search of the quaint at Canberra, in the shape of the mosaic dug up by our troops in Palestine and preserved in the War Memorial, so in Ankara you can go and find the Testament of Augustus in Latin and Greek on a stone wall that now abuts upon a busy mosque; nobody cares about that either. The Turks want you to see Atatuk's mausoleum, which the Americans stopped paying for only in 1953 — and very impressive it is, not at all disconcerting for being vaguely Hitler-like.

We were in Constantinople for eight days over Easter. It is perhaps the only city we saw, except London and Rome, of which I should like to know every alley and stone — though



THE GREAT ROMAN AQUEDUCT
AT SEGOVIA NORTH OF MADRID.



VIEW DOWN THE GOLDEN HORN.
CONSTANTINOPLE IN THE BACKGROUND.
(Turkey).

much of it is very grubby and superficially ugly. The Bosphorus might even approach Sydney Harbour in beauty and freshness (we did not see the sun on it, as a cold wind blew down from Russia). The extensive site of the city, on its seven hills between the Marmora and the Golden Horn, bound into a triangle with the Land Walls that held the "God-defended City" for a thousand years, seemed adapted in every detail for the exalted role it played.

The great Church of Justinian (that of Hagia Sophia) seemed to belong by nature to its site, living like a tree (and a very ugly one seen from outside). As the travel-writers say, Constantinople has "died twice", but it is still very much alive in spite of the depressed state of Turkish economy and finances, and as I mentioned earlier, the Germans are being invited to build a bridge across to Calcedon and Scutari. But it is a mysterious kind of life. It is a city that has had fifteen centuries continuous and thorough experience in the art of bare survival, and bad times like to-day's seem only to give it more grim vigour.

Horace's friend went to "cultural" Asia Minor; so did we. The Alexander Sarcophagus, brought from Syria to Constantinople in the eighties by the Sultan, seemed out of place and almost primitive in the museum there. But such Hellenistic splendour came onto its own in Ephesus, where the Austrians are still uncovering yards of street in rich pinkish marble, sure evidence of continued weath and opulence existing rather incongruously in the city near which Our Lady is said to have lived.

We had flown to Athens by the first of May. There, the Acropolis and its fellow outcrops (Lycabettus, the hill of Philopappus and the rest) project in timeless beauty into a sky of clarity and peace. The sunlit Saronic Gulf and

the dull brown-green of Hymettus and Pentelicus complete the fanciful picture. Modern Athens, though highly lively and interesting, seemed to me to associate rather uneasily with its companions, not becoming itself ancient, as modern "Istanbul" does, or being able to exhibit that real timelessness or "eternity" that Rome proudly boasts. The modern Athenians are rather worse: apt to shove rudely when making for the door of a trolley-bus, clattering loudly about in quite needless traffic-jams, and generally wearing harsh, mask-like expressions on footpaths and in shops, they seemed a brash, mannerless crowd. There was a striking contrast between them and the rural Greeks who preserve their traditional deep respect for any and every stranger and seemed to be thoroughly satisfied with their simple life.

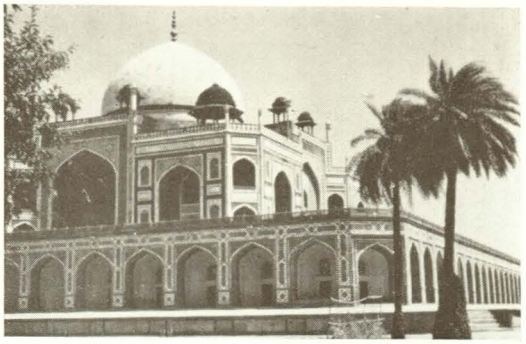
We hired a car in Athens and drove it about Attica and the Peloponnese for ten days; it soon became obvious why there was no common word in Greek for "valley", as there were only the mountains, the plains and the coasts.

It was with great interest that I approached the Palace of Knossus in Crete. I had once sat down to learn its plan and form a detailed mental picture of it. When I saw the reality, it was clear that some things were as I had thought —the oil and wheat stores on the west side of the great court, for instance, though I had not been aware that some of the storage bays had stone cists let into the floor. But imagination had failed me for the eastern half, which looks out over a wide cultivated valley. It stood three stories high, though heavily supported with restored work, and was far more complicated in plan and far less palatial in aspect than I had thought.

While at Rome we were fortunate enough to see from the tribune the beatification of a French



WEST END OF THE ROMAN FORUM: TEMPLE OF SATURN IN FOREGROUND.
(Rome).

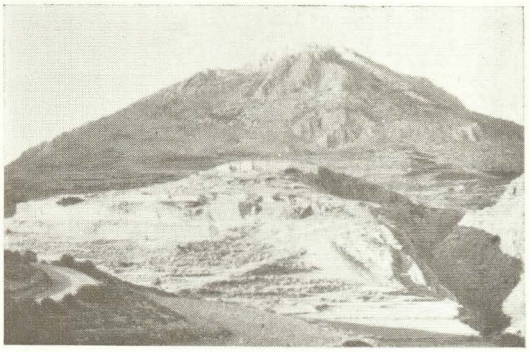


TOMB OF HUMAYUN IN DELHI.
(India).

nun, Blessed Mary of Providence. At a very grand but essentially simple ceremony, Pope Pius XII was borne up to the apse of St. Peter's which had been beautifully hung with many electric chandeliers and draped with crimson. With surprising agility for a man so old and burdened, he then stepped forward and knelt at a prie-dieu before the altar. The Brief was signed and Benediction given. Some twenty Cardinals were present as well as many Bishops, diplomatic guests and religious. The Pope was then borne out in his sedia to the applause of the large crowd in the body of the Basilica. I could not help thinking that the same ceremony might one day be performed in his honour.

As I remarked above, Rome is really "eternal" in that it seems to be above time. Mussolini put up a number of flamboyant buildings by the Tiber that are now reconciled to their landscape just as his railway station and the noted fragment of the wall of the king Servius that is just outside it, both seem to belong. Before Mussolini's time the architectural tradition of four hundred years provided strong and heavy palaces and offices, more or less elegant, and the vast majority of the churches of Rome have either been built or in some way refurbished in the baroque style.

Behind all the stupendous structure of the Christian Rome brooks the Rome of the Caesars, of the consuls, of the kings. It is almost impossible to speak here of "ruins", for the colosseum is still "the world's biggest traffic roundabout" as well as a memorable fabric, and the Arch of Constantine is a welcome pedestrian refuge. The Pantheon is a church out of favour through its intimate connection with the House of Savoy (it was their burial-place) and, according to Father O'Connell, S.J., who entertained us most hospitably at Castel Gondolfo, hardly ever used. The walls first built to enclose Rome against attack, in the third century, A.D., by Aurelian



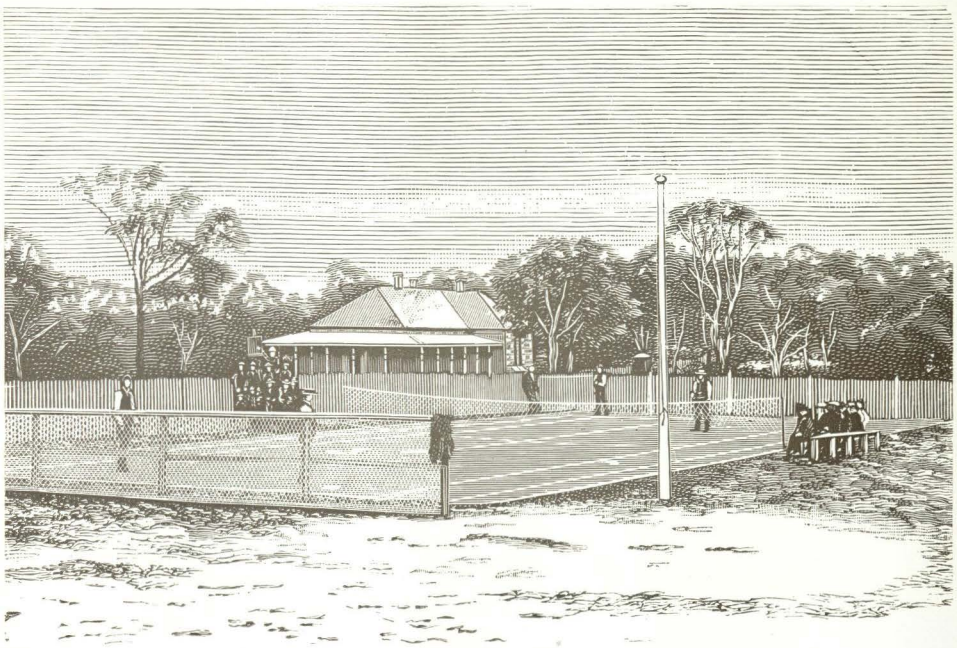
"GOLDEN MYCENAE" FROM WEST OF THE PARTHENON.
(Greece).

and maintained since then by Popes down to Pius IX, still mark Rome proper from the "suburbs" which only in this century have burst beyond the ancient circuit.

We were forunately able to spend some time in every country of Western Europe except only Portugal and Ireland. In almost all of them we found much that was new, surprising and very little was so commonplace as not to be interesting. That the French Swiss say "septante" and "huitante" — "howlers" if ever there were any, while the German Swiss pronounce "w" as "w"; that what I had thought was the "common Victorian" architecture of the terraces of Sydney is, in fact, a curious and unparalleled Australian development; that the Yorkshire moors really are high and remote compared with the industrial towns that lie to the south and north; that the Germans do have little muddy villages with high-pitched roofs on the houses that belong to the most commercialised variety of Christmas card — and so on. A rather odd list of impressions, indeed, but one that in the future I shall be very glad of.

It was just as interesting too, to be acting the foreigner as well as the tourist in Germany, Italy and France. Although our command of the languages of these parts was quite imperfect at the best of times, it was very rare to find anyone who was impatient with the jabbering foreigners. Indeed, only the Spaniards seemed to expect you to know their language; unfortunately, of course, they never knew yours, while many French and Germans, knew an English phrase or two.

So, with God's grace we arrived home safely and in good health after a long air-trip across the Pacific. As for Horace, he seems to have been proved solidly wrong, for after seeing all that, I am able to walk down Macquarie Street to the dentist, look at his building and think — "Ha — absurd neo-Scotch baronial" or "stone-slice director's wedding cake in the worst taste", thus avoiding all thought of him and what he might do to me. That is, the poet has been proved solidly wrong in one immortal tag. But then I suddenly recall that the infuriating man has another to hand: "Naturam expelles furca, tamen usque recurrit."



TENNIS AT RIVERVIEW IN OLDEN DAYS.

Hazaribagh Calling

OUR INDIAN MISSION: FACTS AND FIGURES

When it is the question of the glory of God, the Jesuit ideal is the Missions as well as anything else and anything else as well as the Missions. Nevertheless the Jesuits have always had a strong weakness for the Foreign Missions. It stems from their beginnings. Their founder, Ignatius of Loyola, sent his first companion, his right arm and his best friend, Francis Xavier, to India. To-day over six thousand Jesuits work for the glory of God in the Field afar, from Alaska to India.

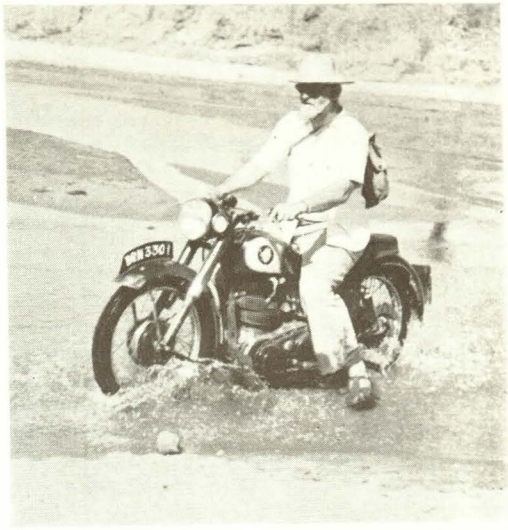
Late in 1950 the Society of Jesus in Australia was considered to have come of age and was set up as a separate Province of the Order. In no time we heard echos of India, and at the end of the year six of us were given Indian "jersies". At the beginning of 1951, after the example of our spiritual forebears, we sailed for India.

The destination was Hazaribagh, a town of about sixty thousand people, two hundred and fifty miles to the north-west of Calcutta. The territory assigned us was roughly two hundred miles by a hundred, a slice from the immense Ranchi Mission where the Belgian Jesuits started eighty years ago. Up to the time of writing, forty Jesuits from Australia — priests, scholastics, brothers — have gone there. In addition seven born sons of India have joined our team. The writer is the first to return. When he goes back in December three more Australians are to go with him.

God has blessed the work over the nine years. Much of it is in jungle country, the back of



MASS IN THE OPEN.



Fr. LACHAL.
On the motor-bike given him by Riverview Old Boys.

beyond, though there is a big industrial belt among the coalfields to the south of Hazaribagh, and important mica towns to the east. The people we are working among are in great part tribals, the original inhabitants of that corner of the world. They are called adibasis. They till their thin fields more or less as their forefathers have done for a thousand years. The main crop is rice, and the word for rice and food is the same. Natural hunters, they are very brave indeed in their jungles. The occasional tiger, or frequent leopard or bear, they naturally try to avoid, but, if necessary, they can usually defend themselves, or their cattle effectively. The jungle breeds brave men. Given regular army food and discipline these tribals can make first class soldiers.

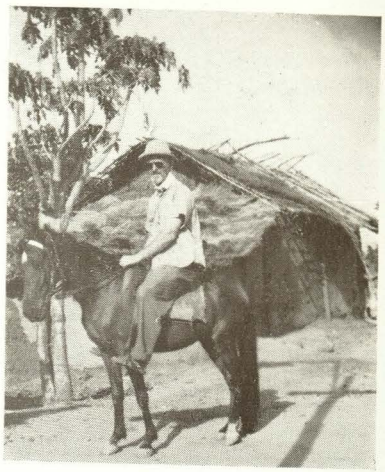
Under its Five Year Plan the Government of India is much concerned with the uplift of these peoples. It plans and provides better and more village wells, irrigation schemes, an anti-malarial campaign, wider educational facilities. We play our part too. We have opened an Agricultural Training Institute for teachers near Hazaribagh. We have started an agricultural High School at Mahuadam, the south west corner of our territory, and we have started some forty

village Schools, the Australian bush type, though of course, far, far, simpler. We begin with the bare essentials, namely a teacher and children, a mud shelter, a chair and table for the teacher, slates, and grass mats to squat on; for the children, a blackboard. Moving up the educational ladder, we acquire benches and charts, and more impressive schools round the parish bungalows; and Holy Cross Sisters from Switzerland, or Indian Sisters of St. Anne, to teach the girls. Then come High Schools for the boys and for the girls. Finally to top the ladder, is St. Xavier's University College at Ranchi which Australians help to staff.

St. Xavier's, Hazaribagh rates a special mention. The Australians started it, the only English School under the Fathers in that part of the world. St. Xavier's follows the Cambridge Matriculation. It caters for all sections of the community including the sons of business and professional men, of men in the Military Services. It is the last born of an honourable line, St. Xavier's, Bombay, St. Xavier's, Calcutta, St. Xavier's, Patra, and now St. Xavier's, Hazaribagh. It is already well known in the state of Bihar. It bears modest comparison with Australia's "Riverview" or "Xavier". It is a happy School, and we like to think it has a flavour that we knew in the old days, a flavour compounded from a friendly relationship between master and boy, from a reasonable discipline, from adequate educational standards. It has four hundred boarders on its rolls and two hundred day-boys. There are hundreds of applications each year.



FR. LACHAL AT THE SCHOOL.



ON TOUR.

The hospital we built at Kodarma, a mica town fifty miles from Hazaribagh, rates special mention too. Holy Family Hospital, Kodarma, is staffed by Medical Missionary Nuns from Philadelphia. These Nuns are unusual in this, that among them are Physicians and Surgeons, something doubly welcome in the East where the reserve of the women is traditional. The Hospital has thirty beds, and many, many outpatients each day.

Parishes are outsize. From Sydney to Penrith would be normal, and India is a land of villages. The Parish of Mahuadam for example has christians in sixty-five villages. How to keep in touch with the flock? The answer is the indispensable catechist. Each village has one, and then there are head catechists to check regularly in their section of the Parish. The Catechist instructs, he holds "Church" on Sunday in the Village Mud Chapel, distinguished from the other houses by the Cross over it. He knows his village in all its details. Each First Friday he comes to the Bungalow to report. The Priest tours regularly. Each year he will try to say Mass several times in each small Village Chapel, but it is above all through the Catechist that he has his finger on the pulse of the Parish.

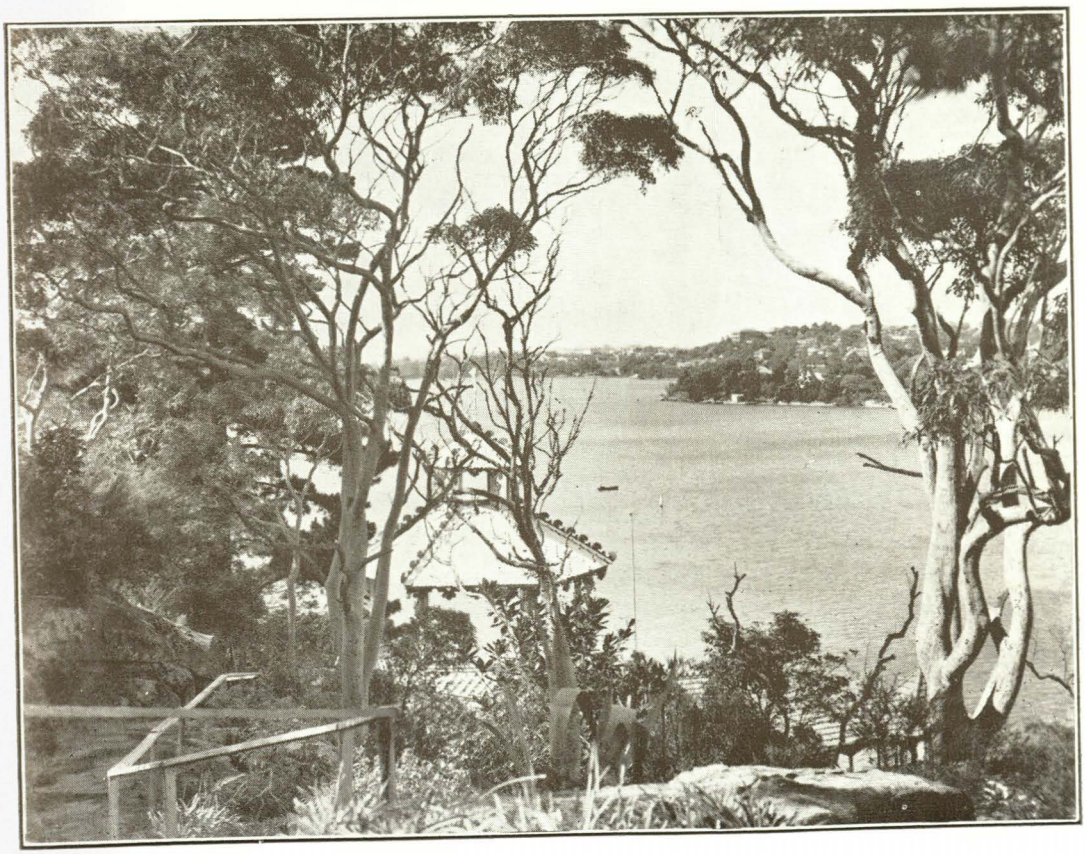
The priest has a difficult assignment. It includes a School at the Bungalow, and several village schools. Rather hot up to 120; rather dusty, and no abundance of this world's goods. Last year a Church was built there. It is called "Our Lady of the Poor". Need we underline the danger of Communist influence in towns of this type, and the tremendous importance of the Christian answer?

We would have liked to say more about rice, the rice the Parishioners put in the bucket on Sundays as the collection, the rice the boarders pay their fees with. The boarding fees are four hundred pounds of rice a year, literally what boarders eat. Then there is the rice bank which lends a hundred pounds of rice for seed or for special need, and the loan, plus interest, is repaid when the harvest comes in. The interest makes it possible to provide rice scholarships for promising pupils.

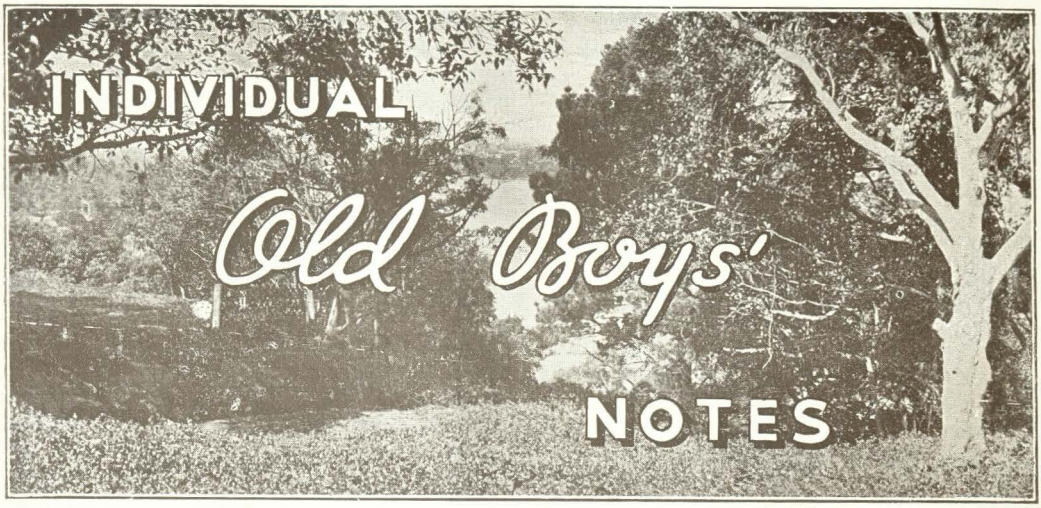
There are "Riverview" names round Hazaribagh that will ring a bell. Father E. O'Connor has a jungle Parish, and Father L. Forster another. Father K. Grogan is Spiritual Father and Guide, Philosopher and friend to the boys at St. Xavier's, Hazaribagh. Hans Hendriks directs a School of 350 boys at Maheshmunda, eighty miles to the north of Hazaribagh. Peter Nolan comes up the straight to the Priesthood in theological studies at "de Nobili College", Poona. Paddy Meagher wrestles with the Hindi language at Ranchi. All fit and well ! The writer has the privilege of trying to say thank you, in the name of his companions in India. The gratitude goes first of all to The Society of Jesus in Australia which has remembered its Missionary traditions so well, and has been so generous in manning its corner of the Field afar. Then it extends to the many co-missionaries, particularly to Schools like "Riverview", old boys and new, who have been with us in spirit and in deed since we started.

Australia revisited is a tremendously vital Country. Material progress in the last decade has been enormous. Spiritual progress has not lagged behind. It is abundantly clear that more and more realise that Christ's command to pass on the good things we have received, to preach the Gospel to every creature, was not to mere individuals. It was to the Church, and the Church means all of us. Those who leave their Country are representatives, and it is for the others to be with them in regular prayer and in practical aid — co-workers for God. We believe, and we know, that the source of men and of means from the Country that we have left will never dry up.

LOUIS G. LACHAL, S.J.



LOOKING DOWN THE LANE COVE RIVER FROM THE GROUNDS.



OLD BOYS' NOTES

Once more we attempt to give scattered details about many well-known Old Boys of recent and more distant "vintages".

It is no easier now than it has been down the years. Scraps of information reach us during the year, often from most unexpected sources — at a football match, an O.I.U. reunion at home or in a country district. We have put them together as well as we could, conscious of the fact that very often, we are "groping in the dark".

So — Old Boys if you notice (as you probably will), inaccuracies regarding your present activities, don't blame us — or do, if you like — but recall our annual request: "send us news of yourselves."

Impenitently yours,
The Editor.

We see **Joe Alagna** (21-30) when he is down from Boorowa now and then to see his son Robert who is at Riverview.

We meet **Jack Alexander** (22-23) and his brother **Oswald** (25-29) each year at the O.I.U. reunion in Newcastle where both are in business. **Michael** (52-56) is doing a commerce course there at the University of Technology. Like his father, he doesn't miss the reunion.

Bill Allan (44-47) who was married at Riverview last year and his father **K. T. ("Frosty") Allan** (12-15) look after "Stirling", Rob Roy, Inverell. Bill paid us a welcome visit early this year.

Dr. Tom Anderson (35-40) has been practising as a Radiologist, at Newcastle, for some years now. His brother, **Dr. Peter** (35-40) has his rooms in Macquarie St. He is an eye specialist. Both brothers doing very well.

Rodger Austin (49-57) is occupied in one of the City branches of the Commonwealth Bank. Pays us frequent visits from Lane Cove, during the year.

John Baggott (48-53) will be sitting for the final exams of the Medical Course when these notes go to press. We wish him the fullest success in those finals. His brother **Jim** (48-53) is now doing the final exams of the Law Course. He is a "fierce" barracker during the football season.

We understand that **Peter ("Bunny") Baker** (44-49) now manages "Jandra" Station in the Bourke district.

Neville Baker (42-46) is in the Real Estate business in Newcastle. A keen organiser of the annual O.I.U. reunion in that City.

Where has an old 'Cobber' called **Otto Baldwin** (51-54) got to? Presumably he is (very) busy on the home property "Durham Court", Manilla for it's a considerable time since he dropped in to see us. (Glad to meet him at the Tamworth reunion).

Bernard Bambach (47-52), Solicitor, came back from an overseas trip last year and is now in practice with Garland, Seaborne and Abbott, Bligh St. His opinions, whatever they are, will always "carry weight". Just look at him! No longer the "shrinking violet" of long ago!

Tim Barrett (53-58) very successfully weathered the L.C. exams. last year and has now begun the Law Course. We hope he will frequently use the Riverview road.

Our old friend **Ted Bartlett** (37-42) has his pharmacy at Burleigh Heads and his other interest is his steadily growing young family.

Dr. John Beer (46-50), since graduation, has been busy at Lewisham Hospital, of which he

is Superintendent this year. His brother, **Rev. Peter Beer, S.J.** (46-50) is on the teaching staff of Bourke Hall, Xavier College's Preparatory School (Melb.).

Barry Beach (47-50) is working steadily the year round, on his property, "Yarrandale" Warren. His brother **Lloyd** (50-54) is on "Strayleaves" in the same district. It seems to us a long time since they favoured us with a visit.

We understand that our one-time "star pupil" **John Beaumont** (51-54) (—"Beau" to you), is now at work with Tancred Bros. We're always glad to see him.

Lach Becket (39-42) runs the Becket Thomson Advertising Co. in Sydney. He puts in an appearance during the year — often during the football season.

We were pleased to see **John Bergin** (31-32) at the school early in the football season. He had the satisfaction of seeing his son Tom (who came to us this year) score a fine try in his first match. John "cultivates" the sheep on "Glen Leigh" in the Glen Innes district. We hope to see more of him now.

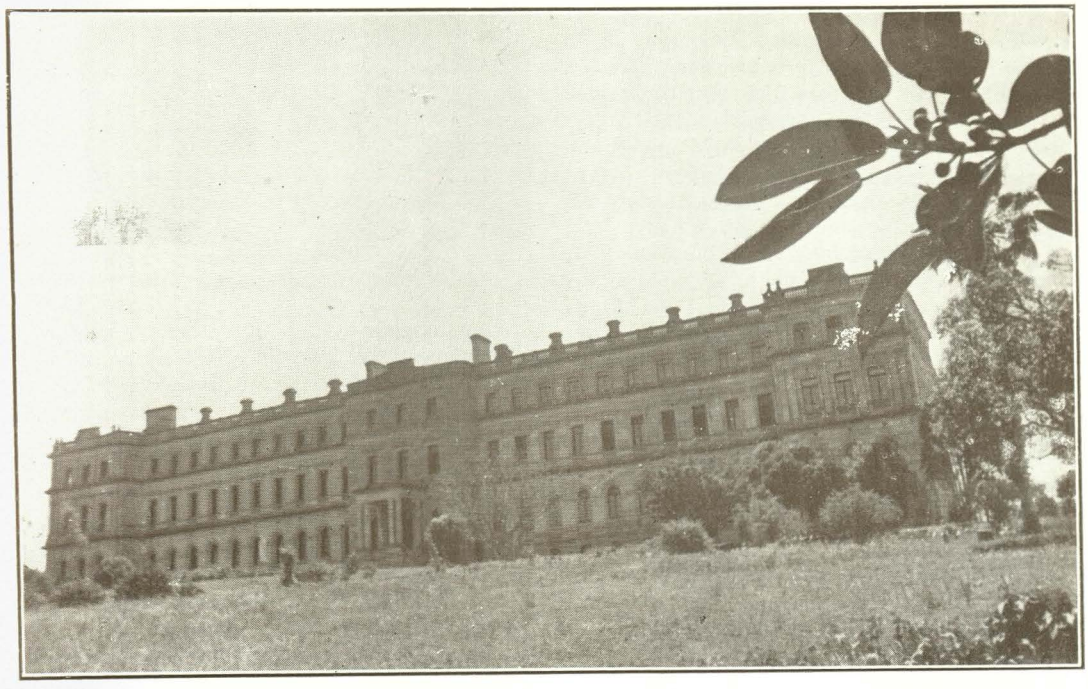
Lou Berthet (41-47) travels for W.D. & H. O. Wills during the year and has his home at Newport (57 Queen's Parade).

Michael Best (44-48), Solicitor, is busy at Lismore where he has been practising with his father **Harold Best** (16-18) for some years. A pity Lismore is so far away; we rarely see Michael.

Douglas Best (26-28) was present at the Dinner to Judge Monohan this year. He is in business in Sydney.

From all accounts, **John Beston** (53-55) is doing well at his Law Course these days. He pays us regular visits during the School year — and "sizes-up" his younger brother Michael at the School.

Murray Bolger (14-16) and his three sons, **Tony** (41-45), **John** (44-46) and **Michael** (48-52) are all prospering on "Clover Hill', Young.



FROM THE FRONT GARDEN.

We are hoping for the revival of the ever-successful O.I.U. reunion in that district.

Paul Bookallil (55-56) is making steady headway through the University Science course. His brother is at Riverview and near the end of **his** course.

"Artie" Booth (45-47) who was married last year, looks after "Korrowong" a property near Gilgandra, while, not far away is his brother **Teddy Booth** (39-40) on "Karingai" Station.

Bill Borthwick (51-57) and **Jim** (54-57) are, as usual busy on "Whynot" the widespread home station near Quilpie, Q. We have not seen them

down our way since they left us.

We rarely see **Deane Bowring** (41-43) except when there is an O.I.U. reunion at Young. Then, you both see and hear him. He looks after "Mirimichi", Grenfell Rd. His elder brother **John** (39-43), Solicitor is a steady worker with the legal firm of Beswick, Heydon and Lochrin in the City.

Peter Bowen (37-40) was in to see us last April, looking a "ball of muscle". He now manages "Gingie" Station near Walgett but does not often come as far down as Sydney.

Tom Boyce (38-43) has a managerial position with the well-known I.X.L. Company whose products regale us at Riverview. You may meet him at most yearly fixtures.

Tony Boyce (54-58), hard trier, fleet of foot and courageous footballer last year, left us at the end of '58 and since then has been at work in his father's firm Boyce & Bridgen. He is also doing an Accountancy Course at night.

We see **Dr. Carroll Brady** (31-35) now and then during the School year. He practises at Lindfield and is a very busy man. His brother **Dom Brady** (32-36) brought us his son this year, so we may see more of him. He is busy as usual at the Hotel Commercial, Bega.

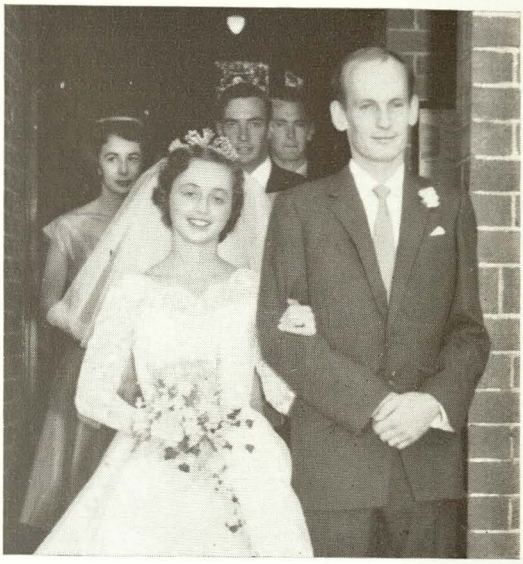
Our last news of **Ross Bramma** (50-56) put him on Tirlinga Station near Moree, where he is absorbing ideas necessary for "the man on the land".

David Branagan, B.Sc. (42-46) was doing a Fellowship Course in Geology at the University when we last had news of him.

Rev. Michael Breen, S.J. (41-53) is now completing the third year of his Philosophy Course at Loyola College, Watsonia (Vic.). Judging by the number of years he spent at Riverview, he should have no difficulty in finding his way back' His brother **Wallace** (44-56) has been some time wth the Commercial Banking Co. in town.

We frequently hear of **Len Brennan, LL.B.** (22-26) who has his office in Martin Place and lives in the thick of legal matters, but we very rarely see him. We are told that **Stanley** (27-31) Dental Surgeon, practises in or near Newcastle.

Dr. Frank Breslin (44-46) is still overseas seeking that elusive F.R.C.S. degree in London. He is well on the way to success which will probably come his way before these notes are in print. He has recently been blessed with a daughter. **John** (42-45), Dental Surgeon, went overseas with his wife last year and is doing post-graduate work in London. **Tony** (46-55) is having a very successful passage through the Medical Course. Our congratulations go to **Peter** (46-51) who was married at Riverview on April 4th to Miss Janice Hall. Peter has completed his Pharmacy Course. (November: Frank has just secured his F.R.C.S. Cheers !)



PETER BRESLIN AND JANICE ON THEIR WEDDING DAY.

Alan Bridge, Q.C. (21-26), elected Vice-President of the Old Ignatians' Union this year, is very busy the year round with his legal practice. However, he makes time to pay us frequent visits and size-up his son who is one of our boarders. **Jack Bridge** (07-12) wool-broker, has we think, gone back to Brisbane where he has already spent many years.

According to reports, **John Brown, B.Econ.** (44-48) is attached to the Snowy River Scheme and puts in his day's work at Cooma.

Peter Brown (49-53) is, we believe on "Darnick" Station, near Ivanhoe. Another **Peter Brown (B.Sc.)** (49-53), Civil Engineer is with an engineering company in town. **Tony** (43-47) is with the firm of Horace Brown and Sons, Sydney and **Philip** (45-51) is with Morley Johnson & Co.

Stuart Brown (54-58) having left the L.C. behind him last year has begun Accountancy with Wolfenden & Co., Pitt St. We wish him success.

Peter Brown (53-58) left us at the end of last year and is standing up to L.C. work at Newcastle. We'd like a visit from Peter.

Rev. Bob. Bruce, S.J. (46-50) came back to Riverview this year on the teaching staff. He is also Third Division Prefect and has his hands full, with coaching down there.

Robert Bruce (52-57) may be found on "Adair"

in the Orange district.

We were very sorry to know that **Cyprian Bryant** (03-13) suffered a set-back in health at the end of last year while at work with the City Mutual Assurance Co. where he was Investments Manager. We wish him a complete recovery. His work for the Old Boys' Union is known to everyone and he is a Life Vice-President of that body. We can't do without Cyp.

His son **John ("J.J.")** (46-49) is a qualified Chemist and is very busy these days at Manly. **Peter** (42-45) Solicitor, has been practising at Wagga for some years now.

Adrian Bryant (37-41) (son of the late Basil Bryant), may be found at 13 Bent St., Cooma. He runs a taxi and truck service with **George** (37-38) in that town. **Paul** (42-47) and **John** (45-47), brothers of the above, are car-salesmen in Cooma. **Michael** (50-53) another of the brothers is with the A.M.L. & F. Co. in town and **Kevin** (51-54) looks after "The Kurrajongs" Greenthorpe, near Young.

Congratulations to John and best wishes, on his marriage at Riverview early this year.

We are always glad to see **Peter Bryant** (42-45) when he comes down from the home property, "Mt. Mulyah", out from Bourke. Conditions (except wool prices of course!) are good out his way.

Wilson Bull (23-30) has his two boys, Charlie and Michael at Riverview but doesn't often have an opportunity of coming down from his property, "Cooringoora", Bingara. We are told that, if required, he can still bowl an "insidious" ball at cricket.

Dr. Maurice Burfitt (21-26) has been practising at Waverley for years. (A visit is due Maurice).

Dr. Walter Burfitt (24-27) has his rooms in Macleay St., Elizabeth Bay and **Paul** (51-56), if reports are correct, is taking up civil aviation.

Dr. Tom Burfitt (24-30) has been in practice for several years at Casino.

We have not seen much of **Charlie Burfitt** (34-40) this year. He is doing well on his property "Little Hills", Blandford, near Murrurundi and attended the Tamworth reunion in September.

David Burfitt (26-31) Chemist, works his pharmacy at Woollahra.

Des. Burfitt (27-33) pays us frequent visits during the year. He is in business at Bondi. His son **Peter** (54-57) is in the motor business in town and **Michael** (53-57) took to the wool industry on leaving Riverview and has been since then with the firm of Conlon Bros.

W. S. ("Wal") Burfitt (20-24) has been at work in his pharmacy at Belmont for a long time. Usually attends the Newcastle O.I.U. reunion.

Tom Burke (21-24) up from Melbourne paid us a welcome visit in October. He was recovering well from a very serious accident and operation. We were very glad to see him again.

We see **Stewart Burke** (30-33) now and then during the School year. He now lives at St. Ives and his son John is now completing his fifth year at Riverview.

Walter Burke (30-32) manages the British Laundry at Cremorne and pays us periodic visits to see his son James now in his third year at Riverview.

Dr. Harding Burns, M.R.C.P. (Lond.) (37-42) is one of Sydney's busy medicos — so busy indeed that we miss his visits to Riverview. He practises in Macquarie St. and has his home at Bellevue Hill. His brother, **Dr. Rob Burns** (38-43) practises at Randwick.

Jeffrey Burns (46-53) should be a qualified Architect as we write. His brother **Graham** (46-52) was on the land — at "Tookinook" Station, Jerilderie, when we last had news of him.

Congratulations to **Dr. Michael ("Alfy") Burns** (48-52) who graduated with distinction at the end of 1958. Since then he has been getting



DR. MICHAEL BURNS.

valuable experience at St. Vincent's Hospital. We feel confident that "Alfy" will give us a sym-

pathetic "once-over" if required. (Too late, Alfy!)

We missed **Peter Burt** (51-58) (our cricket captain and prominent footballer last year) when he finished up at Riverview last December. Since then he has been doing the Pharmacy Course.

His brother **Jim** (49-53) works with Sargood Gardiner Ltd. in town.

We offer them as well as their mother and sister, our very sincere sympathy on the death

Roger Byrne (39-45) who was married just before he went overseas last year, topped the State in Economics, with two distinctions and two credits, and now manages the London office of Emmco. He has a comfortable flat at Kensington Gate, London and will be away for a year or two. His brother, **Dr. Kevin Byrne** (39-40) is in practice at Lakemba and Wiley Park. Our best wishes to both.

We were pleased to welcome during last summer holidays, **Dr. Vin Byrne** (14-17) who, with his two sons, **Dr. Tom Byrne** (42-45) and **Roger, LL.B.** (42-46) paid Riverview a visit. All three are busy men in Brisbane.

We frequently met **Kevin Byrnes** (40-48) when he was at work in partnership with Mr. W. J. Austin, Chemist, at Lane Cove. We understand that this year he opened his own pharmacy at Lindfield.

Tom Cahill, LL.B (43-48) went overseas last year and has returned to Sydney. While overseas he played much high-grade football in England. We were pleased to see him at the O.I.U. General Meeting in February.

The **Campbell** brothers, **Bruce** (45-50) and **Ian** (45-52) are both busy men on the home station, "Mundooie" in the Warren district. Bruce has called in several times and "Benjy" called in October.

Nicholas Campbell-Jones (55-58) left us at the end of last year. His heart is set on "the land" and in the coming year he intends to jackeroo on Bundemar Station, Warren. His brother Ross is with us at Riverview.

Father Leslie Campion (39-41) has been doing parish work at Lewisham for some time now. We rarely see him. **Eddie** (45-50) is nearing Ordination and deep in Theological studies at St. Patrick's College, Manly. **Lough** (39-42) is in the Hotel business in Sydney.

Greg Cannon (43-44) has been for several years with the Australian Society of Accountants at Bankstown.

John Cannon (36) lives in the Cassilis district and works his property "Lorimer" there.

We are always pleased to welcome **George Cannon** (29-36) when he appears on our verandahs, which is quite frequently, seeing that his son Michael is now in his third year at Riverview. "Horton Park", Booligal, keeps George busy most of the year.

Dr. John Carmody (45-50) is senior Resident M.O. at St. Vincent's Hospital this year. We should like to see more of him and his brother **Dr. Frank Carmody** (38-39) who practises at



DR. JOHN CARMODY AND HIS BRIDE AT THEIR WEDDING LAST APRIL.

Bondi Junction. Congratulations to John on his marriage last April to Miss Brenda Finn. Long life and happiness to both.

Neil ("Slim") Carrigan (38-44) has been running "Weldon" Station, Garah for some years now, even though he is, apart from that a qualified Dental Surgeon.

Tony Carroll (50-54) pursuing his legal studies, is with the firm of Carroll and O'Dea, Solicitors, Castlereagh St. His brother **Ritchie** (47-52) is busy these days in his pharmacy at St. Mary's. We usually see them during the football season.

Ray Carroll (47-53) should be leaving behind his finals in the Medical Course, as we write. Needless to say our best wishes are with him all the time and are too, with his brother **Tony** (47-51), qualified Chemist, who is also well into the Medical Course. Two strings to his bow.

Hugh Carter (47-51) was thinking last year

of going to Malaya, but changed his mind and is still with us working his own business. He lives at Balgowlah. His brother **Guy** (47-51) works his property "Euralie" in the Cowra district.

Fernao de Carvalho, B.Econ. (40-41) manages Estate Agencies at Gosford and Newcastle and continues to play high-class cricket. His brother **David, B.A., LL.B.** (42-48) passed on the Secretary-ship of the O.I.U. this year to Albie Zions, but is still a very active member of the Committee. He helps very much with our cricket. He left in April last with the "Australian Old Collegians" Cricket team, for a world tour, about which we hope to have something to report very soon.

Father John Casey, S.J. (23-26) entered on his fifth year as Rector of St. Aloysius' College, Milson's Point, last January. We still recall his sterling work as Rector of Riverview. **Maurice** (25-30) is Accountant for a Sydney company, **Pat** (28-32) is on the teaching staff of the Technical College and **Frank** (30-33) works, as usual at Garden Island, as an Accountant.

Vincent Cavanagh (49-55) was interested in the motion picture industry at Quirindi until this year when he came to Sydney and is now at work with the Australian Guarantee Corporation.

We frequently see **Peter Chadwick** (46-56) in connection with the S.I.C. Younger Set of whom he is a keen supporter. Peter is now well into his Pharmacy Course and may be found with **Pat Fitzgerald** (43-48), Chemist, at Lane Cove. (He will roll you a pill on request!)

Chris Chalmers (52-56) has been at work with the C.S.R. company at Nausori, Fiji since he left us three years ago. He keeps us posted with his activities during the year. He is doing very well. His brother Richard has been with us nearly six years.

Simon Chapman (53-58) since he left us last December, is presumably back at work on "Little Plains", Cudgegong. As a full-back last year he did some brilliant work for Riverview football.

Michael Chapman (48-49) is looking after "Moorilyah" and **Peter** (48) is on "Invermay", properties near Ilford.

Tony Chatfield (50-55) has given up the Medical Course on which he started and is now concentrating on Pharmacy.

Our old friend **Henri Chaverot** (51-53) has been with a French wool firm in town since he left us and "just to prove us wrong"! **DOES** pay us an occasional visit!

Don Chisholm (55-57) started on the Medical Course last year and judging by results so far, looks likely to make quite a name for himself. We shall watch his career with interest.

Bill Clapin (50-54) is doing a Law Course and is in the office of Purcell and Clapin, King Street. We see Bill occasionally during the football season.

John Clements (52-57) started on the Dentristry course after leaving Riverview and is now half way through it. We wish him a smooth passage to the end.

It seems an age since we have seen **Jim Clifford** (19-23) who has been running the pharmacy for years at Tumut. His son **Rev. Peter Clifford, O.F.M.** (46-50) is completing his course of Theology prior to ordination, at the Franciscan Monastery, Melbourne. **Michael** (50-54) can't be far from the end of his Pharmacy Course now.

Arthur Clift (01-04) has been having a slight set-back in health and, as we write, is recuperating at Manly. Later he will spend some time at Toowoomba, Q. We wish him a speedy recovery and were very pleased to see him early this year. His son **John ("Breeza")** (38-41) is prospering on "Bald Ridge", not far from Arthur's property ("The Dip'). **Bill Clift** (08) works "Condabri", near Miles, Q. **Joe** (08) looks after "Nangrum" Station near Condamine. **Jack** (01-04) now lives in Toowoomba, Q. (Wirra Wirra St.). He is interested in the Stock Exchange. **Jack Clift** (21-24) is, as he has been for several years, with Austral Bronze in Sydney.

Ross Clifton (44-47) Chemist, runs his pharmacy with conspicuous success at Narrabeen and his brother **Warwick** (43-44) is still at work with W. J. Craine & Sons in the City.

We were pleased to greet **Kevin Clifton** (34-37) when he brought his young son to Riverview this year. His elder brother **Basil** (31-35) manages Boyded Ltd. in town, and his son, Peter is now completing his third year at the school. Kevin manages the Tamworth branch of the same firm and we now have hopes of seeing him more frequently. (He did great work for the Tamworth reunion this year.)

We haven't sen **Dr. John J. Collins** (41-43) since he took up his practice at Dubbo (P.O. Box 49) but no doubt, he will come our way before long.

Father Neil Collins (48-51) who was ordained last year, was posted to St. Mary Magdalene's Rose Bay, in January. We wish him every success in his parish work.

Tom Collins (43-50) home on leave from New Guinea, called to see us in February just before

he returned to the Wewak district where he works as a lay teacher (and "man of all work") with the Franciscan Fathers. He gave us interesting facts about the Mission work.



TOM COLLINS AT HIS MISSION STATION.

Eric Comrie-Thomson (20-24) sent us his boy this year so we may see more of Eric now. He is in charge of the firm Comrie-Thomson Pty. Ltd., Clarence St. His brother **Ian** (16-21) has been with the Bank of New South Wales for years. His son **Ian, Jnr.** (54-58) left us at the end of last year. He was a vigorous Captain of our Fifteen in 1958. He has now taken up Electrical Engineering.

W. ("Dinkum") Conlon (12-17) has just as much energy as he had 42 years ago when battling among the Rugby forwards at Riverview. He has long been a member of the O.I.U. Committee and may be called upon at any time to further School or Union projects. "Ask Dinkum", is becoming the usual phrase these days. He, with his brother **Jack** (12-15) are at work in the wool firm of Conlon Bros. The latter pays us periodic visits during the year.

Father Vin Conlon, S.J., (04-09) of Burke Hall, Kew, (Melb.) died suddenly on Nov. 14th. Our deepest sympathy to his brothers **Val** (09-16) and **Joe** (00-05) who are in business in Sydney.

Father Joe Connolly, S.J. (29-32) continues his parish work at the Jesuit Parish of Toowong, Brisbane.

Geoffrey Connolly (47-49), Chartered Accountant, has been practising this year at Wangaratta, Vic., where he is a partner in a firm of Chartered Accountants. His brother **Graham** (47-52) also a Chartered Accountant, went overseas early this year and may be absent some considerable time.

David Connolly (49-57) is with the C.S.I.R.O. training as a Divisional Administration officer. He also studies Economics and belongs to the C.M.F. Commandos.

Our old friend **Des. Connolly** (43-48) expert in the Jewellery trade, and is busy each day at 284 King St., Newtown. Frequently looks us up. He is another of these young, happily married recent Old Boys.

We get little news these days of or from **Jim Conrick** (48-51) who is attending Adelaide University but whose exact course eludes us. His father, **Ted Conrick** (05-07) works his property at Meningle, S.A. **Jack** (05-07) looks after "Popitah" Station, Western N.S.W. **Clive** (05-07) is working "Bagalarah", Casterton, Victoria.

Eddie Conrick (53-58) finished off his L.C. exams with success last year and is now doing a Commerce Course as well as working in the family textile business. His brother Michael is one of our Cricket mainstays this year.

We have been unable to "contact" **Tony Coombes** (51-54) of late. Architecture claims his attention these days but we are anxious to welcome him to Riverview again — any time.

John Coombs (52-54) should be at the end of his Law course this year. You will surely meet him at the S.I.C. Regatta and the other main fixtures of the year.

The sudden, totally unexpected death of our old and valued friend **Tom Corcoran** (08-15) on May 15th this year came as a great shock. Only a few days previously, he was apparently in perfect health at the O.I.U. Canberra reunion, to which he came from his home, "The Elms" Binalong and was in characteristic good form. Our very deep sympathy goes to his wife, his brother **Russell** (06-12) of "Ballyryan" Boorowa, and to **Max** (44-46) and **Jim** (44-45), also of Boorowa.

We still look forward to a visit from our old friend **Frank Coughlan** (32-36) who is prospering on "Tarabah", Morundah. **Jack** (36-38) is on "Windamarra" (Wagga District) and also looks to "Yarrabee Park", Morundah. His boy Brian came to us this year.

Des Coughlan (36-40) and **Jack** (36-38) have been thriving for years on their Darlington Point Station.

Father John Cowburn, S.J. (36-44) who was ordained at Innsbruck, Austria last year, is now completing the final year of his Theology Course over there. He will be absent from Australia for some time yet.

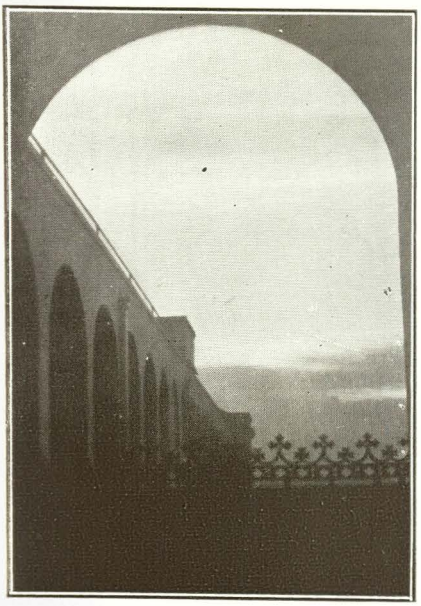
Arthur Cox (06-08) suddenly appears at various O.I.U. reunions, especially the Country ones, and his memory of the old days is still very

bright. Eurolie Station, Junee Reefs, claims his attention during the year.

Bill Coyle (51-56) is now completing the third year of his Medical Course, but we don't often see him on our premises where his brother keeps up the name.

Dr. Bill Coyle (14-19) is, we understand, at work in the Repatriation Centre, Grace Building, Sydney. Some time since we have laid eyes on Bill.

Tom Coyle (33-34) has long been looking after the State Theatrette in Town. We well remember



A SIDE GLIMPSE.

his reaction there last year when Riverview won the Head of the River.

Congratulations and best wishes to **Dr. Laurie Coy** (42-48) on his marriage (April 2nd) at Riverview to Miss Elizabeth Hansen. Long life and happiness to them both. Laurie has been doing much work at Lewisham Hospital.

Graham Crawford (45-52) is one of many O.R.'s nearing the end of the Law Course. We are not quite sure of his year.

Bob Creaser (38-46) is Accounts Executive with W. E. Smith & Co., George St. We have not yet heard if his brother **Warwick, B.Sc., B.Econ.** (46-50) who was overseas with a Birmingham firm has returned yet to Australia.

Bill Cummins (17) has discovered the secret of perpetual youth and manages the firm of Cummins and Campbell, Townsville. Bill, Jnr. is near the end of his Riverview course as we write. We have to thank Bill, Snr. for much practical help in matters concerning the "Alma Mater".

Michael Cunich (52-58) secured his L.C. pass last year and no doubt is working day in, day out, on Romani Station, Kingston (Via Uralla). (That "poker face" often had us bluffed in class!) His brother Terry has been with us since last year.

Don Curchod (50-56) is half-way through his Engineering Course at the University of Technology. His problems will soon be over.

Charlie Curran (47-54) is presumably studying Law now as he was at the end of his Arts Course last year.

W. J. ("Wicky") Curtis, LL.B (29-32) practises at Muswellbrook (P.O., Box 57) and has promised to pay us a visit at the first opportunity. He will be very welcome.

We see occasionally, **Dr. Percy Curtis** (01-05) who has retired from active practice and divides his time between Sydney and his son's property, i.e., "Digger's" (26-34) near Coolah (See Dr. P.'s article in this issue.)

Peter ("Pug") Curtis (38-47) is busy these days in Canberra. He is with the Department of External Affairs and when we have an O.I.U. reunion in the Federal Capital, Bill is "present and correct". He was expecting an overseas appointment when we met him last May.

The **Cusack** brothers — **Jim** (46-49) and **Brian** (47-50) are going strong and prospering on "Noonameena" Station, Galong. They get their inspiration from their father and their mother and are doing "a great job". Always present at the O.I.U. reunion in Young.

We see little of **Peter Cusack** (44-47) except at the O.I.U. reunion in Young when he is invariably much in evidence. He works his property, "Rath-Erin" not far from Young.

Tim Daley (48-53) pays us frequent visits during the year and we were pleased to have him at the O.I.U. General Meeting this year. He is in the stevedoring business. His brother **Eugene** (51-56) is leaving behind him steadily the exams. of the Law Course. John, a younger brother plods along at Riverview.

Carlyle Dalgleish (42-44) we know, is a qualified Chemist, and has his pharmacy at Double Bay.

We were very pleased to meet **Michael Dalton** (44-51) when he turned up with his young brother John at the beginning of the year. The latter joined our Roll last year. Their father **Brian Dalton** (15-22) together with Michael runs that well-known Station, Kangaroobie, Orange. Always glad to see them.

Dr. Reg Dalton (18-22) has been in practice at Singleton for several years and usually attends the O.I.U. reunion at Newcastle each year. Our latest news of his son **Tom** (45-51) put him in Orange with a company dealing in Agricultural machinery.

We have had no news recently from **Pat Dalton** (43-48), Dental Surgeon, who, since he returned from overseas, has been in practice at Griffith, where his father, **Dr. Bill Dalton** (07-13) also lives, though we understand that he has retired from active practice. **Jim** (41-45) runs his farm some seven miles out of Griffith. We offer our most sincere sympathy to Dr. Dalton, Jim and Pat on the death of Mrs. Dalton last October.

Every Old Boy passing through Noumea, New Caledonia is sure of a welcome from **Numa Daly** (21-23) who for years, has been in charge of the "Maison Barrau" over there. Still as keen as ever on all concerning Riverview.

Noel Dan (53-57) has not worn any shoeleather on the Riverview road of late, but we hear he is making a success of the University Medical Course.

Rev. Bill Daniel, S.J. (42-46) came east again this year from St. Louis' School, Perth, and began his theology studies at Canisius College, Pymble.

We meet regularly, each year **Paul Daniel** (46-49) at the Newcastle O.I.U. reunion, and usually also, at the annual S.I.C. Regatta. As a Chartered Accountant, he has a very busy practice and seems to thrive on it.

John d'Apice, LL.B (32-36) has been President of the O.I.U. this year and true to form, left nothing to chance. No one could be keener than John on everything that concerns the College (where, incidentally, he has three sons) and the Old Boys' Union. Every function finds him present and "pullling his weight" and we congratulate him on the success that has attended his own and the Union's activities this year. No doubt the memory of his father's (Mr. A. W. M. d'Apice) interest in Riverview has been an inspiration to him and we know that John's wife is a big help to him in what has developed into an exacting Old Boy position. His brother **Hugh** (32-37), Solicitor, is again a member of the O.I.U. Executive and always keen to lend a hand. **Ivo** (38-46) is in his office. **David** (38-42) has been with the Lisgar Building Society for several years. Their uncle **Joe d'Apice** (86-91), Solicitor, despite the passing of the years, is still in active practice at Wollongong.

It seems quite a long time since we have had a visit from any of the **Da Roza** brothers. However, our latest news of them is that **Dr. Bruno da Roza** (38-42) is practising at Curl Curl; **Manuel** (38-43), Dental Surgeon, has his practice at Belgravia, Victoria; **Peter** (44-51) deals in wool in the City, with I. H. Patterson & Co. **Denis ("Tubby")** (38-45) also a Dental Surgeon, is at present practising in London.

(Later: Manuel has taken over "Tubby's" practice in town while the latter is absent.)

Jack ("Davo") Davidson (84-92) has a long and very bright memory. The passage of so many years has not made him forget the old School to which he sends greetings every year. We send him ours now — and every year. He lives with his daughter at Townsville, Q. and will be sorry to hear of the death of **Alec Thynne** (82-89), another Rower of note.

Our most recent news of **Dr. George Davies** (31-35) puts him in practice at Orange. His brother, **John** (31-32), Solicitor, has his office at 81 Elizabeth St. We see him occasionally during the School year.

Once again we have nothng but sincere thanks for **V. C. ("Bill") Davis** (24-32) — for all he does concerning the "Alma" advertisements. Without his help the Magazine could not very well carry on in these days of soaring costs. Bill runs his advertising business at 118 Christie St., St. Leonards. He was elected a Vice-President of the O.I.U. last February and he is a valuable addition to the executive. His brother **Roger** (17-24) has now joined Bill's firm. Roger's son **David** (46-55) is with the Department of External Affairs and is also doing a Law Course. **Peter** (46-54) brother of David, has been some time now in the Production Department of Nuffield's Ltd., all doing well.

Dickie Day (52-58) completed seven years at Riverview last December by his good L.C. pass. He has begun an Accountancy Course in town. We hope to see him often.

Eddie Dearn (40-45) has an ever-growing legal practice with offices in Wagga and Sydney. He follows our main yearly fixtures.

Brian Delaney (51-54) has been working on the home farm, "Dara" near Cowra since he left us. His brother Peter came to us this year.

John Deloughery (52-57) started on the Medical Course last year. He is one of several Old Boys resident at St. John's College (Univ.). We wish him success. His brother, Michael is Captain of Riverview this year.

Paul Dempsey (54-57) works the year round on Pibbon West Mendoora. **David** (54-57) is at the Forbes Agricultural College, picking up some of the finer points. There is still a representative

of the name at Riverview (Anthony, Gerald).

John Deppe (44-53) has a definite and confident business air about him when we see him each year at the Newcastle O.I.U. Reunion. He manages that city's branch of A. F. Bambach Pty. Ltd.

Marc Desmarchelier (46-50) Chartered Accountant was a busy man at Barraba until he returned to work this year with Irish & Mitchelmore.

Harry Devlin (10-12) one of the "hardy annuals" of the old days has been living in Melbourne for years and is very keen to get the Riverview Old Boys down there to weekly and annual reunions. He is the Hon. Sec. of the Melbourne branch of the O.I.U.

Station; **Barry** (43-49) is on "Budgildool"; **Jardy** (27-34) and **Eric** (26-31) are at Boggabilla, on "Boonara". Moree knows them all well.

Peter Doherty (36-45) is manager for the McCall Publishing Co. in Sydney and as he lives close by is able to pay us periodic visits. His brother **Tony** (42-50) is nearing Ordination to the priesthood and doing his Theological Course at St. Patrick's College, Manly.

Van Doherty (45-52) was at Little's Pharmacy, Coogee at our last news of him. (Please let us know if he has moved on.)

Peter Donelan (54-56) has gone to work on "Bundemar" Station, Warren.

We can only hope that **Michael Donnellan** (53-56) doesn't find the Medical Course too



LOOKING DOWN ON THE RIVER.

It won't be long now (as we write), before **Robert Dick** (50-54) completes his Medical Course. He is reaping the reward of steady work in that course and is sure to succeed. Needless to say every good wish of ours is with him. His brother **James** (55-58) left us last December after a very good L.C. pass and has taken up the Law Course. A younger brother, Anthony, came to Riverview this year (—to keep the name before us!)

Ken Dillon (33-39) called in early this year and "signed on" two of his boys for some years hence. We shall be glad to have the name represented again. Ken looks after "Millewa" Station, Moree. **Rex** (32-36) manages "Goonah"

exacting. But always being rather silent, he hasn't told us yet!

Joe Donnelly (34-35), never misses any of the yearly O.I.U. and College functions. He has been for many years, a Manufacturer's Agent and has his office in Macquarie Place.

Owen Dooley (38-42) continues his peaceful way with E. J. Dwyer Ltd. and as we write, is at the factory office. We see him at all the major O.I.U. and College fixtures.

We were very pleased to meet **Jack Dooley** (24-29) at the O.I.U. Tamworth reunion in September. As you know, he is General Manager of Dooley & Co. Murrurundi and Willow Tree.

The passage of the years has left him as keen and active as ever.

Father Francis Douglas (30-31) has been for some time now Secretary to Archbishop Duhigg in Brisbane. **Sholto, LL.B** (24-27) is practising in that city.

Ken Doyle (49-53) was elected Assistant Hon. Secretary of the Old Boys' Union last February and is a regular attendant at all Committee meetings where he does a good job. He is near the end of the University Arts Course.

Bernard Drinan (27-30) Chartered Accountant, has his office at John St., Singleton. We have been in contact with him this year. **Francis** (28-29) is managing a property, "Manresa" at Glendonbrook.

Father John Drury, S.J. (35-36) carries on as First Division Prefect at Riverview. **Tom** (36-41) is managing a station in the Mungindi district. **Jim** (28-32) is with Le Tourneau Ltd. and brought his son to Riverview this year.

Brian Duck (53-58) who was Captain of Riverview last year, successfully left his L.C. Exams. behind him and is now doing the Law Course in which we wish him full success.

David Duncan (54-58) Safely negotiated the L.C. at the end of last year and now is at work in the University of N.S.W., on a course of surveying.

Surveying his five years capabilities while at Riverview, we think he can make quite a success of that practical course.

John Dunford (49-53) should now be at the end of his University Law Course. He was kind enough to give us several O.R. items. You will meet him at all the yearly fixtures.

Fritz Dunstan (20-25), Solicitor, is busier than ever in his practice at Cooma these days, but he has a helping hand in his son **Peter** (44-48) — also a qualified Solicitor. Congratulations to Peter on his marriage (April 18th) to Miss Eileen Hain. **Russell, Jnr.** (46-50), son of Fritz, is we think, on the land near Hillsdon. **John** (52-56) is now polishing off Med. III. We rarely see **Russell, Snr.** (14-18) — (The original "Risso") who is with Tutt Bryant Ltd. in town.

John Durrell (52-58) since leaving us at the end of last year has joined the Public Service and is now at Canberra in the Immigration Department. He attended the O.I.U. reunion there this year. His father, **George** (24-27) is in business at Crookwell.

We were sorry to lose **Tony Dynon** (54-58) when he secured a fine L.C. pass at the end of last year. He is now following the course of Engineering and knowing his power of work we predict a successful future for him. His father **Frank Dynon** (29-30) has been in business at Collaroy for a considerable time.

John Dynon (45-54) is now, we are told, finishing Law IV. He is with the firm of Freehill, Hollingdale and Page, Martin Place. We rarely see him or his father **Jack Dynon** (16-18) not to speak of his uncle **Basil** (16-18) who are in business in the City.

Dr. Matt Eakin (15-19) is one of Brisbane's best known medicos and, believe us, carries his years (in comparison with us) extremely well. He's as young as ever, despite the calendar. His son **Andrew** (51-54) is now completing Med. III. He is President of the Newman Society in Brisbane.

We hear that **Bob Egan** (43-48) who was at work on "Corynnia", Carathool, is now on another station near Brewarrina. (Name please!) **David Egan** (34-40) looks after his property ("Riverside") not far from Wellington, N.S.W. **John** (32-37) may still be found, hard at it, on "Duffity" Station, Warren.

Brian Ell (42-48) runs the Ainslie Pharmacy (Edgar St., Ainslie, Canberra) and is doing very well. Very keen organiser of the O.I.U. Canberra reunion. His brother **John** (41-45), Dental Surgeon, practises at Cardiff, near Newcastle.

We have not seen **Dr. Ted Evans** (09-16) lately. He practises as usual, at North Sydney and is one of Riverview's Medical Advisers. His son **Ian** (43-52) is now nearing the end of his Medical Course. **Austin** (07-15) has been for many years with Chubb & Co. in the City.

Ken Evans (45-50) never fails to look us up when down in town from "Tambua" Station, Cobar. His small son is developing fast into "a man on the land".

John Exner (54-58) left Riverview at the end of last year and is now doing Accountancy with Harold Flice, Chartered Accountant, 369 George Street.

As you know, **Dr. Kevin Fagan** (23-26) is one of Sydney's most prominent surgeons, and is very busy also at consultations in his Macquarie St. rooms. (We have to thank him for a sympathetic "carving" early this year.)

Paul Fagan (49-52) should be leaving Med. III exams. behind him as we write. We wish him a smooth passage to the finals.

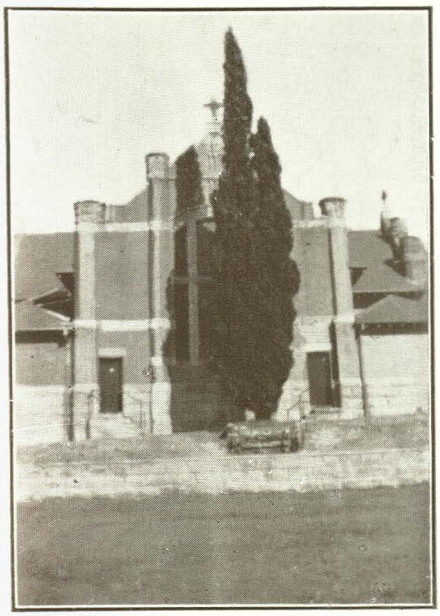
Bob Fagan (35-36) surely owes us a visit from "Wirrindi" Station, Manilla. His brother **Tony** (36-41) is with the Dunlop Co. in Sydney.

Bill Farrell (36-41) has switched from legal work to "life on the land" and has a property north of Ariah Park, where he and his wife and family are very happy. **Jim** (28-32) and **Bob** (32-36), Solicitors, are practising at Temora.

Dr. Leo Feain (45-47) still does a full day's work at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney. He was married at Riverview two years ago.

Barry Fearon (43-44), Chief engineer, is frequently at sea these days, but if on shore, always attends the O.I.U. Newcastle reunion.

We are very sorry indeed to record the untimely death this year of **Bill Fennell** (18-21) who was working his cattle station ("Maynard", Jericho, N.Q.) until a serious illness overtook



STILL GROWING !

him. Our sincere sympathy to his wife and daughters.

Stephen Fennell (53-57) writes to say he is jackerooing on Irish Lord's Station, Irida (where is it?). He says the "work is hard, but good". That's the spirit!

Charlie Ferguson (30) is looking after "Woodend" Cooma and has two sons, Brian and Geoffrey at Riverview. (Pretty solid specimens too !)

John Fisher (44-50) and his brother **Pat** (50-53) pay us occasional visits during the year. They have a younger brother, Christopher at Riverview and work at "The Glen" near Goulburn.

Tony Fisher (42-46), **John** (44-50) and **Kerry** (46-50) descend on us periodically from "Melyra" Station near Grenfell. They always have that "100%" look. We envy them.

Pat Fitzgerald (43-48) works his pharmacy at Lane Cove and pays us a visit now and then during the football season.

We have not seen **Ken Fitzgerald** (18-22) for a considerable time. He has his home in Bourke but is no longer in the Hotel business which claimed him for many years.

The Moree clan of **Fitzgeralds** is going as strongly as ever. **John** (44-48) and **Paul** (50-54) are on "Krui Plains"; **Neil** (35-40) on "Glenesk"; **Adrian** (35-37) and **Ron** (35-37) on "The Prairies", Ashley; Brian (44-47), is, we think, on "Amaroo", Narrabri. **Wing-Commander Bryan Fitzgerald, R.A.A.F.** (30-34) left in June for Singapore, with his family, and expects to be away for two years. **Old Boys of 1918-20** will be sorry to know that **Dr. Charles Fitzgerald** died this year on March 20th (See obituary notices).

Norman Fitzpatrick (12-15 carries on, with renewed youth, on "Warre Warral" in the Wagga district, and his brothers **Clarrie** (12-17) looks after "Erin Vale", Junee Reefs. **Peter Fitzpatrick** (52-56) works with his father, **Edmund Fitzpatrick** (20-21) at Cootamundra (Atlantic Oil).

Ross Flanery (53-56) is busy during the year on "Goonawarra", Galong, but apparently does not favour Sydney with many visits. His brother keeps him posted on Riverview "doings".

Dick Flannery, LL.B (31-35) who has his rooms in Macquarie St., is always present at the O.I.U. General Meeting, and many other main annual fixtures. "Age cannot wither him"!

Vincent John Flynn (51-58) is sailing smoothly through the Law Course having completed Arts. His brother **Christopher** (52-56) is having a brilliant passage through the Arts Course — as we expected.

Michael Flynn (53-57) works at home in Taree and keeps in touch through his brother who is at 'View. He usually attends the O.I.U. Newcastle reunion.

The Foley twin brothers **Michael** (50-55) and **Peter** (50-55) are doing Accountancy in town. Michael is with C. T. Hartigan & Co. and Peter with Fell & Co. They keep up their cricket at week-ends. Their brother Dennis is Captain of our First Eleven this year.

Francis Foy (50-56) is nearing the end of the University Law Course, as we write. His brothers, **D'Arcy** (36-39) and **Don** (36-40) have been already several years on the staff of Mark Foys Ltd. in the city.

Jack Fraser (12-18) is prospering, as of old, on "Deltroit", his property at Tumblong. We have not given up hopes of seeing him one day.

Father Charles Fraser, S.J. (26-31) keen on "conditioning" as usual (!), does quite a good

deal of rather heavy gardening work at Riverview these days when he isn't playing squash, in "off" hours. You see, Greek classes are hard on the system!

We get regular news of **Tom French** (17-22) from his son Tony who is at Riverview. Tom manages the Fiji Trading Company at Suva. Of course his visits to Sydney are not frequent.

We haven't seen **Father Dom Furlong** (14-17) for quite an age. He is doing parish work these days at Lakemba. **John M. Furlong** (41-48) is, we believe, looking after the Station Hotel, Campsie. **John M., Snr.** (1920) lives at Vaucluse — and that's all we know. **John F.** (43-45) also manages a hotel — the Civic at Fairfield. Walter (50-55) manages the Royal Hotel, Auburn.

Dan Gale (53-57) according to our most recent news of him, is jackerooing on "Burrengong" station near Corowa.

John Gallagher (51-57) is doing the Law Course at Brisbane University and doing it well. His brother **Peter** (50-57) who was Captain of Riverview during his last two years with us, is busy in the Hotel business in the Northern State.

Brian Gallagher (47-52) is to be congratulated on obtaining his LL.B degree early this year and has begun his practice at Molong. Our very best wishes always follow him.

Tony Garling (54-58) completed his fifth and final year at Riverview last December and is now with C.S.I.R.O. with Economics in view. His brother Max is still with us. We hope to see much of Tony during the year.

John Garnsey (53-55) was at work again on "Babanek", near Young after a spell in Longreach, Q. He is now c/- Dalgety & Co., Bourke.

Leon Garry (45-49) and his brother **John** (45-49) (well known as "Binalong Bill') are thriving in that district — Leon on "Weilora" Station and John on "Mylora". When in town, they call in. Both were present at the Canberra O.I.U. reunion this year.

We hear regularly still from **Dr. Charles Gaudron** (01) who left Riverview 58 years ago but has kept up a very live interest in the School ever since. He is as a Doctor of Dentistry in active practice in Paris and, as annually, we thank him for the excellent French revues he sends us regularly.

Dr. Eric Giblin (35-39) practises up the line at Asquith and his brother **Dr. Dexter, F.R.A.C.S.** (35-37) has his practice at Wahroonga. His son Dexter, Jnr. is developing as a bowler and is very fleet of foot at Riverview.

Dr. Nicholas Gerber (47-51) is to be congratulated on graduating last December in company with five other O.R.s This year he has



DR. NICHOLAS GERBER.

been collecting further experience in medical matters at Sydney Hospital.

Dr. Don Gillespie (39-43) has an ever-growing practice at Queanbeyan and seems to revel in the work. **Pat** (37-44) has been with J. J. Sullivan Pty. Ltd., Sussex St. for some years now; **Malcolm** (38-44) is with A. G. Healing & Co., Goulburn St. **Jack** (39-46) is very interested in the car business and is with Caldwell Motors, Crown Street.

We were very pleased to have as our Guest of Honour at the annual O.I.U. Dinner in Riverview last May, **Dr. Bill Gissane, F.R.C.S.** (15-17), Surgeon-in-Chief of the Birmingham (Eng.) Accident Hospital. His work there has received world-wide recognition and he was visiting Australia and New Zealand as the Sims Travelling Professor of the Royal Colleges, for 1959. He has lectured widely since coming to our shores and was very pleased to re-visit the "old haunts" and meet many former Riverview school-mates who were just as glad to meet him.

Max Glasheen (28-31) senior Vice-President of the O.I.U. did a great job as President last year and is now the O.I.U. representative on the G.P.S. Council. Max is ready and anxious at all times to further the projects of the Union and the College. A most valuable addition to the executive. He has three boys at the School.

"Irgy" — i.e., **Ian Glover** (40-46) and his brother **Ross** (42-48) are as busy as ever at "Toorang" Tarcoon in the Brewarrina district. They don't often "strike" the city but when they do, we see them.

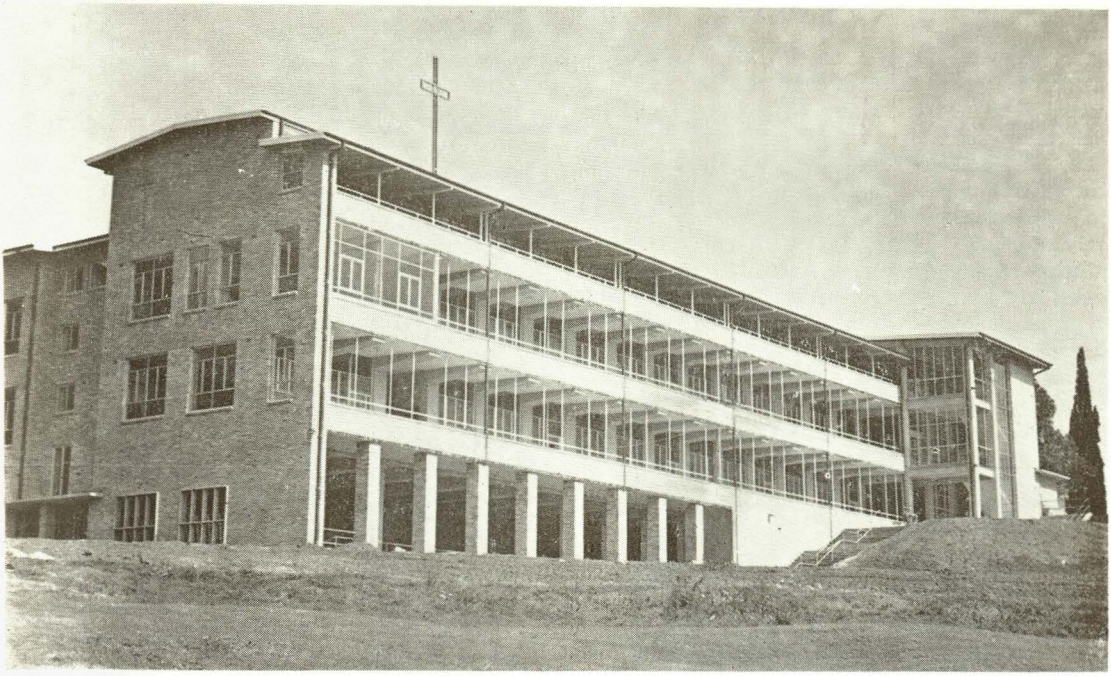
When there is an O.I.U. reunion in Brisbane, you will surely meet **Hal Godsall, LL.B** (17-21) who never misses. **Peter** (31-33) is working a truck business we hear, at Surfers Paradise and **Ted** (17-21) manages a farm at Beerwah, North Coast, Q.

Rev. J. Golden, S.J. (26-28) has been attached to the Staff of Newman College, Melbourne University, for several years now. **Vin** (29-35), Dental Surgeon (with a gentle touch), practises at Mortdale, **Paddy, Solicitor** (26-31) has his own! He has been with Stapleton Pty. Ltd for some years now. **Tony, LL.B** (41-43) is still overseas and, we believe, on the Continent but exactly where, at the moment, we are not sure.

"Goog" (David) Gowing (53-57) is always a welcome visitor when he turns up from South Winscombe, Uralla — which isn't often enough for our liking!

John Grady (51-56) is nearly through his Pharmacy Course and is at work at Balmain, but we don't know his exact address.

Jock Graham (33-34) brought us his two boys at the beginning of this year, so we may see more of him now. He works his property "Eulonga", Coolac. We were sorry to miss him in February, but met him at the School in July.



THE NEW CLASS-ROOM BLOCK. NOW IN USE.
(Photo from J. Deppe).

rooms in Phillip St. **Dr. Albert** (35-37) practises, we think, in Newcastle.

Lynton Gooden (46-49) and **Mark** (49-53) are busy as usual on "Berrembee" the property near Wagga. Both are water-ski experts.

Neville Gorman (40-41) of "Beltana", Queanbeyan is the chief organiser of the O.I.U. reunion at Canberra. His brother **John** (40-44) works "Bunyip", his property in the same district.

We see very little of **John Gould** (43-45) these days. Being a married man, his time is not his

course of Philosophy at Loyola College, Watsonia (Vic.). "One of these days" we may have him back at Riverview — and he will surely enjoy the football season. (Even from the side-line!)

Greg Guest (47-51) pays us sudden, unexpected, but welcome visits at times when he takes time off from teaching. He is with the Education Department and is at work in Sydney, but we don't know which district.

We still await an overdue visit from **Jean Hagen** (36) of Noumea, New Caledonia where he is very prominent in business circles.

Geoffrey Hall (52-56) is pursuing his placid way through the University course of Engineering. Exams never caused him any trouble. May things remain that way with him.

Vav. Hammond (42-44) is chief Property Officer for the Australian Stevedoring Industry Board. (Time he looked us up again)

Sam and **Michael Hammond** (both 53-58) left us at the end of last year and have begun a course of Accountancy the former with Yarwood and Vane, Chartered Accountants, O'Connell St. and Michael at an Accountancy College. Their prowess in the winning Eight and on the football field will long be remembered.

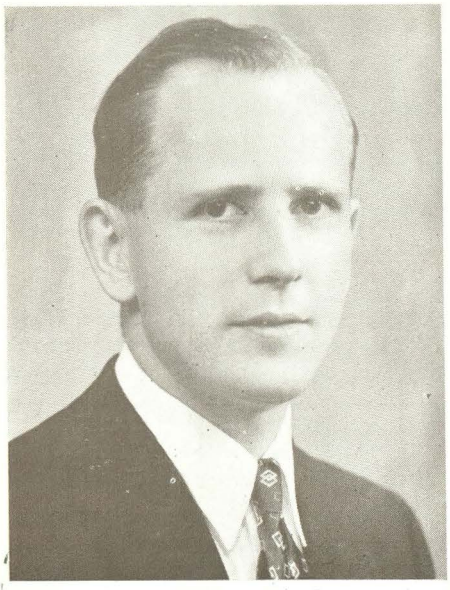
We meet **Pat Hanson** (54-57) at various College fixtures during the year, As last year, he is doing a course in wool at the Technical College and will later go further afield — on the land.

We see **Michael Hardie** (51-57) frequently during the year. He is working hard and successfully at his Pharmacy Course in which we wish him success.

Bruce Harding (56-57) began the Medical Course last year. We hope he doesn't find it too exasperating. Some do, especially in the early stages.

Father Leslie Harper, S.J. (26-28) was transferred last year from Brisbane (Toowong) to the St. Ignatius' Parish, Richmond, Melbourne — a busy parish indeed.

Andy Harris (52-58) was very much missed in our football team this year. As full-back last year, he inspired confidence in everyone and did a great job. He has now taken to the Law Course and we wish him complete success. He was elected Hon. Assistant Secretary of the O.I.U. at the General Meeting last February.



DR. OWEN HARRISON.

Henley Harrison (54-58) successfully left behind him the L.C. headache last year and has begun the Medical Course. (It runs in the family!) His eldest brother **Dr. John Harrison** (45-48) has been doing much work at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, Crows Nest and **Dr. Owen Harrison** (46-51) graduated last December. He has been working this year at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Peter ("Abo") Haseler (50-56) has been some time at work on "Terrick" Station, in the Blackall Q. district but is now on "Thylungra", Quilpie — one of the largest stations in the world, incidentally. (Plenty of room for him to throw his weight about). His brother Chris. is one of Riverview's Prefects this year.

Tony Hassall (51-56) is engaged in a course of Industrial Engineering at the Newcastle University of Technology.

It is a very long time since we have seen our old (one of our oldest, in fact) friends — **Fred Hayes** (11-16) who has been running a business at Terrigal for some years. We were pleased to meet his brother **Herbert ("Dreamy")** Hayes (13-18) at the Canberra O.I.U. reunion. He is in the Department of Works at Canberra. We regret to say that the activities of the other brothers have escaped us.

Dr. Bryan Haynes (26) whose son Warwick is completing his fifth year at Riverview attends many of our matches during the year. He has a busy practice in Macquarie St.

We hear occasionally from **Dick Hazlitt** (43-48) who is doing his higher studies for the priesthood at the Propaganda College, Rome, and enjoying the experience. It will be some time before he sees Australia again. Our best wishes are with him.

P. J. Heaney (50-55) (—always known as "P.J."—) is near the end of his Pharmacy Course (and looking fat on the work). We were pleased to see him at the Swimming Carnival this year — but weight told in the Old Boys' race! His brother **Paul** (56-58) having procured his necessary Matric. subjects, began a course of Architecture at the University of Technology. Either or both will be very welcome at Riverview.

Val Heaton (22-30) has been developing his property, "Hawthorn" in the Yass district for some years. His son **Tim** (57-58) got a very satisfactory L.C. pass last year and, we under-

stand is now doing a Course of Agricultural Science. **Eddie** (35-41) hasn't been to see us of late. He is in business in the city.

Paul Heesh (27) runs a Newsagency at Summer Hill. **Albert,** R.A.N. (27-35) is at Flinders (Vic.), Naval Base. **Mark** (41-47) and **John** (40-44) both Dental Surgeons are busy in practice — Mark at Warialda and John at Springwood. (He has his home at Leura.)

The **Heffernan** boys are doing well on the land but we have not seen any of them lately at Riverview. **Pat** (37-38) works his property "Wandong" Gurrundah about 15 miles from "The Pinnacles", Byalla. **Frank** (37-38) looks after "Wallerine", Yeovil; **Greg (41)** is on "Moorelands", via Dalton and **Laurie** (47-48) has his property "Lyndon", Gurrundah not far from Pat. That completes the news we have of them.

John F. Henderson (46-50) well-known as a promising cricketer at Riverview, was selected last June to tour Malaya with the Emu Cricket Club. John plays regularly with the Nullamanna Club in the Inverell Cricket Association's competition. He is a member of the North West County Council.

Jon ("Spot") Hendriks (45-49) a wool-buyer of several years standing now, is busy week by week in Newcastle, Brisbane or Sydney. He now lives at Edwards Rd., Wahroonga with his wife and young family. **Harry** (45-52) is in the middle of his Law Course. Their brother **Rev. Hans Hendriks, S.J.** (45-49) writes cheerfully from Hazaribagh, India. He has been on the Mission over there for several years already.

We have had no news — which must be good news — of **Michael Hendy-Pooley** (50-51) who joined the Franciscan Order a year or more ago. We send him our best wishes. His brother **Kerry** (48-54) is studying to be a surveyor.

Doug Henwood (47-51) is doing well in his business as a general dealer and lives at Ponsonby Parade, Seaforth, where he is very comfortably ensconced.

We meet **Greg. Herbert** (55-57) at various meetings of "the boys" during the year. As we write he is at work with J. Bayley & Sons, Botany and plays good football at week-ends.

John Herlihy (51-56) is now doing an Arts Course at Armidale University.

Richard Herlihy (53-58) is doing a part course (mainly economics) at the University and intends to begin the Medical Course next year. We wish him success which will follow, we think, his excellent L.C. pass last year.

Dr. John Herlihy (34-35) has been practising for many years at Norton St., Leichhardt and we look forward to having his boy with us before long.

Roger Hogan (51-55) sticks close to "Brookbank" not far from Crookwell and rarely comes to the City.

Lance Hogg (38-42), of Lamson Paragon, Printers, Newcastle, is ever "up and doing" when the time comes round for the annual O.I.U. reunion in that city. He has a good seconder in Neville Baker and their efforts ever meet with outstanding success.

If you don't see **Bruce Holland** (26-31) in Sydney, you will certainly meet him at the Annual Newcastle O.I.U. reunion. He has been with the B.H.P. for many years and is still keenly interested in Rugby Union. We offer him our sympathy on the death of his father this year.

Peter Hollingdale (37-42) has more than one Old Boy in the office of Freehill, Hollingdale & Page, Solicitors, Martin Place — of which firm he is a partner. Peter's family is steadily growing and makes him very happy. His brother **Hilton** (37-42) is doing a good job on his property, "Barragowa", Cargo but we rarely see him.

Bruce Horsley (37-41) works "Gundillawah", Tumblong and his younger brother Ian is putting on weight at Riverview. **Wally** (11-16) father of both the above, now lives at "Yarri" close by and pays us frequent visits when in town. **Lach Horsley** (06-11) runs "Yabtree", Tumblong, as usual and will shortly have his son **Fred** (50-55) doing full-time with him after his course at Wagga Agricultural College.

Father Bernard Hosie, S.M., D.D. (36-41) has been on the Staff of St. John's College, Woodlawn for some years now. We still await a visit from him.

Ray Hood (42-46) whom we don't see as often as we should like, is busy at Radio advertising. (Probably T.V. too.)

Dan Horton, LL.B (47-48) has a busy practice in town. He returned last March from England where he was on a Privy Council Case. Dan certainly owes us a visit.

Tom Hughes, LL.B. (36-49) one of Sydney's well-known barristers has recently "steered to success" several knotty cases. His younger brother **Geoffrey** (37-45) is, as usual, partner in that old-established firm of Hughes, Hughes & Garvin, Barrack St. **Robert's** (51-55) activities escape us for the moment.

John Hunt (42-47) was again elected to the O.I.U. Executive last February and his commonsense suggestions are prized by the Committee.

He practices as a Solicitor with Carroll & O'Dea in town.

Dr. John Hunter (30-37) is Director of Neurosurgical teaching at the Boston City Hospital (U.S.A). He has specialised for some years in neurosurgery.

The three **Hunter** brothers — **Maurice** (41-45), **Paul** (45-49) and **John** (48-51) are all busy in the Hotel business. At Oatley and Earlwood you will find them.

John Hurley (52-55) and his brother **Paul** (55-57) are doing "their bit" on "Wena Park", Quirindi but do not often visit Sydney. The football season may attract them.

Robert Hyde (53-57) began a course in electrical Engineering last year at the University of Technology. If power of work gets one anywhere, Robert is sure of a safe course.

Warwick Ingall (46-51) is at work, we hear, with National Cash Registers Ltd. in Sydney. (Time he paid us a visit!)

Ian Ingleby (51-57) began the Medical Course last year and as we have heard nothing to the contrary, is presumably making satisfactory inroads into it.

We had a visit early this year from **Gerald Ireland** (53-56) who works, with his father **Jim Ireland** (16-19), "The Lake", near Walcha. **Murray** (52-56) has been some years now on the Borthwick Station "Whynot", Quilpie, Q'ld. **"Paddy" Ireland** (15-18) works his Station near Bingara. Denis still upholds the name at Riverview.

We hear occasionally from **Eric Ireson** (36-42) of "Round Box", Hay. He was very pleased last year at Riverview's win at the "Head of the River".

We frequently see **Dr. Alex Johnson, F.R.-A.C.S.** (22-26) — especially during the cricket and football seasons. His son **Alex, Jnr.** (53-58) started on his studies for the priesthood this year at St. Columba's College, Springwood. (Best wishes "Lex"). David and Paul are at Riverview.

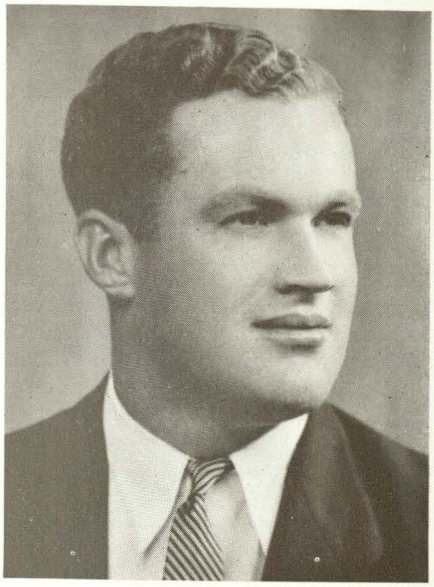
Dr. Bristow Johnson (22-28) practises in town as usual and his son Brian is at the School. Another son, **Michael** (52-57) is now following the Medical Course at the University.

Dr. Adrian Johnson (27-33) also has a busy practice in Macquarie St. His son (Norman) is climbing the Riverview ladder since last year.

Dick Johnson (37-45) lectures in classics at Melbourne University. His eldest brother **Ross** — "Singa" (33-43) has left the Regular army and now works in the Customs Department. **Terry** (41-49) has been some years with Macdonald & Co., Marrickville. All three happily married.

Dr. Fred Jolley (46-51) graduated in December, 1957 — (he had a smooth passage all the way) and has been getting experience since then at the Royal North Shore Hospital.

Congratulations to **Dr. Don Jones** (44-52) on passing so successfully his final Medical exams



DR. DON JONES.

at the end of last year. Since then he has been collecting valuable experience at Lewisham Hospital.

Alan Jones (49-55) one of our "star" cricketers in his day has been, since he left us, at work on "Milo" Station, Ashley, Moree.

We meet **Dr. Farmey Joseph** (38-41) at the regular O.I.U. reunions in Wagga where he has been in practice for several years. He has a big name in Medical circles.

Mick Kearins (41-46) is enjoying work (and married life) on "Orana" Station, Coolah (— and we would enjoy a brief "yap" with Mick.)

It is a considerable time since we have seen **John D. Keating** (22-24) who has been in Melbourne for some years with the Adult Probation and Parole Service of the Victorian Government. He takes a great interest in that work.

Jim Keighery (43-49) lives at Wollongong and is keenly interested in everything that concerns that well-known firm — Aquila Steel, Pty. Ltd. You never know when Jim will pop in to see us, but he does periodically. His brother **Dick**

(48-55) should be near the end of his Course of Economics as we write. His football prowess is still remembered at 'View.

We haven't seen **Bill Kelman** (52-57) for a month of blue moons — and we hope he takes the hint! He is living on "Glenberrie", Julia Creek, N.Q., so, of course, a casual week-end in Sydney isn't likely. **John** (50-54) at our last news, was on "Manda" Station, Hughenden, Q., and liking it.

We hear periodically from **E. H. ("Ned") Kelly** (90-95) who lives at Lismore and can give interesting reminiscences of the old days. We still hope to get him to put them on paper.

Frank Kelly (34-37) is Stock and Property Inspector for Mackie & Co., Dalby, Q. but rarely comes as far south as Sydney; never changes.

We were glad to meet **Pat Kelly** (51-55) at



MICHAEL AND MRS. KELLY (JULIE ROURKE) ON THEIR WEDDING DAY AT RIVERVIEW LAST APRIL.

the swimming Carnival this year. He is smiling his way through the third year of the Medical Course, and our best wishes are with him. **Michael** (47-51) has a managerial position with Woolworths (at Punchbowl, we think). He was married last April to Miss Julie Rourke and we send him our best wishes.

Arthur Kelly (03-10) is Hon. Auditor to the O.I.U. and puts in appearance at all the main Union and College functions of the year. He lives at Lane Cove. His brother **Jack** (09-12) is hard at work in the Motor Trade at Pacific Highway, Crows Nest. **Bert** (02-08) is in business in town but we do not often see him.

We are still fortunate in having **Hedley Kelly** (28-35) as Hon. Treasurer of the O.I.U. and we hope to see him in that position for a long time yet. Efficiency is his second name. His boy John is at Riverview. **Kevin ("Dan") Kelly** (17-24) will greet you at the main School and Union fixtures of the year. He is a keen wool expert and lectures at the Technical College.

John Kelly (27-34) of Newhaven Park, near Cowra is probably interested in his son **Fred's** cricket scores. At times, they are big. His second son Richard is also at Riverview.

Lance P. Kelly (90-91) "the evergreen" is a Life Vice-President of the O.I.U. and a valuable asset to the Executive whose meetings he never misses.

Our latest news of **Ernie Kelly** (44-49), Dental Surgeon, is that he has gone "very much north" and is now practising at Oslo, Norway.

Barry Kerin (50-51) keeps up with all our activities each year through the pages of O.A.M. which he never misses. He may be found at Eden Valley, Trundle.

Anthony Kevin (56-58) secured a splendid pass in last year's L.C. Exams. and has started this year on the Engineering Course at Sydney University. As he lives in Sydney we shall probably see much of him now.

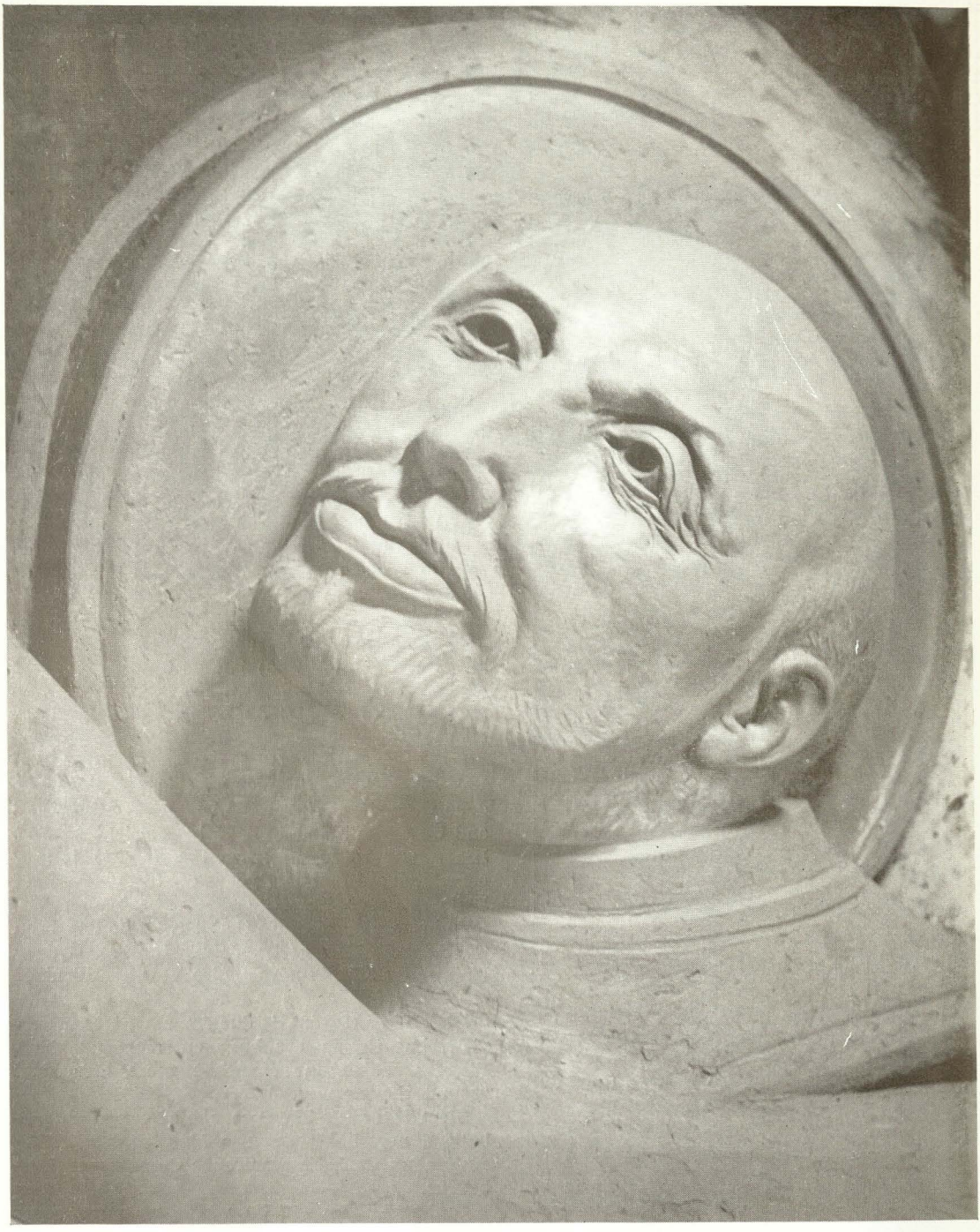
John Kindred (54-58) left us towards the end of last year and has, we hear, taken up the study of the Wool industry. Nothing "woolly" about John!

Dr. Callie King (16-17) was again elected Vice-President of the O.I.U. this year. He has done valuable work for the Union over the years and we are all glad to have his efficient service. His son, **Rev. Justin King, S.J.** (46-54) is now completing the final year of his Course of Philosophy at Loyola College, Watsonia, Vic. (We hear with pleasure that Dr. Callie has been elected a Fellow of St. John's College, Sydney University). He is now a Life Vice-President of the O.I.U.

Dick King (39-42) is due for a visit to Riverview, but things are busy on "Jarrandabbie", Bingara which is somewhat more than just "round the corner".

Clem King (34-36) once one of our star footballers, now holds down a high post with the Australian Catholic Assurance Company in Melbourne.

Graham Kirby (53-58) whom we were sorry to part with when he finished up at Riverview last year, leaving the L.C. Exams. behind him, has gone to the University of New England at



THE HEAD OF ST. IGNATIUS.
(from his death mask)

As sculptured for the New Class-room block by **Mr. TOM BASS.**

Armidale to do a Course of Rural Science which he expects to find interesting — before going "on the land". Our very best wishes are with him.

Leo Kirby (18-25) has three hefty sons at Riverview now. Peter was very useful more than once in our XV this and last year. Leo works his property "Beralga", St. George, through the year. He should slip down and see us some time.

Of late, **John Kirkpatrick** (40-47) has not shown up at Riverview and we have missed him. He has more than his hands full looking after "Cleveland", Mungindi these days.

Dan Kissane, LL.B. (29-32) has left Casino and now practises at 142 Phillip St., City, so we may see more of him.

John Kouvelis (53-58) having secured his Matric. early this year, has started on the Dentistry Course. (He began the year well by becoming a Life Member of the O.I.U. !) His uncle **Jack Kouvelis** (37-40) is prospering on his fine property, Springfield, not far from Orange.

We hear regularly from **Paul Lamerand** (42-49) who works the year round on "Mulga Downs", Goodooga and takes a keen, sustained interest in all Riverview activities.

Ossie Landers (13-17) is away out in Queensland, looking after "Benyeah" Station, Dajarra, but rarely comes to Sydney. We still hope to have a visit from him.

We were very sorry indeed to know that our old friend **Eric Langley** (21-25) died on May 10th this year after a long period of ill-health and we offer our sympathy to his brother **Warren** (21-26) who is with Ampol Petroleum Company in town.

Dr. Bill Larkins (23-29) who has been practising at Leura for seevral years, has now come to practise in Sydney. He sent us his son this year and we are glad to have the name on our Roll again. **Ralph** (32-36), Solicitor, has been practising some years with McDonell and Moffitt in town, and is now practising on his own. **Tony, Q.C.** (23-31) is very prominent these days in Sydney legal circles and has been overseas on important cases. **John** (31-37) is Accountant with Clyde Industrial Groups and **Mick** (33) is Manager of McLaughlin Motor Tractors Pty. Ltd.

George Lawson (53-58) is at work with McDowells Ltd. and is doing a night course of Accountancy as well.

George Leahy (43-46) and his brother **Michael** (42-44) are busy men in the country and we have seen very little of them. George manages "Bonnie Doon" at Tarago and Michael is manager for Pitt, Son & Badgery at Trangie. (Come again you two !)

Keith Leahy (29-34) is working "Oban" Station, fairly far out in Queensland, but gets about quickly in his 'plane. The latest news we have of the others is: **Gerard** (40-48) on "Burra" Station, Tumbarumba, **Paul** (29-31) on "Manna Park" (Condobolin).

Peter Leckie (53-58) successfully weathered the L.C. Exams. last year and is now with the C.S.I.R.O. An Arts Degree is also in view. Our cricket and football teams miss him this year.

Tony Ledlin (48-55) (we heard lately), is at work at the Railway Hotel, Windsor. We thought he was in the Customs Department but he should pay us an overdue visit and put us right if we are "off the beam".

Ian Lees (47-51) and **Robin** (47-53) are as busy as they want to be on "Kia-Ora," Gundaroo, but have not been up to 'View for some time.

Jack Leese (14-20) for many years with Neon Lights Ltd., has retired from that activity. He keeps a keen eye on all Riverview activities and you will meet him at the main yearly fixtures.

We did not see much of **Jim Lenehan** (49-56) in the early part of the year, for he was at work on "Gillenbah" Station, Narrandera. He played football in town during country week.

His brother **John** (45-47) is looking after "Wirrani" Station and **Bill** (45-48) concentrates on "Eurolibah" — all near Narrandera. Andrew is still growing "up and out" at Riverview.

Don Le Lievre (48-55) has not been to see us for a long time. We hear, however, that he is prospering on "Wuttagoona" Station, Cobar and still plays a mighty game of cricket (on second thoughts, Don did call in during the second term.)

Peter Lenehan (51-56) still nuggety and football minded as at Riverview, is doing Accountancy with Smith, Johnson, Chartered Accountants in the City.

Alan Lennon (52-55) was with Farmers & Graziers at Wagga for some time but now is with Golden Fleece Oil Co. (H. C. Sleigh Ltd.), and travels as stock inspector in their interests. Looks very well on the work, and calls in to see us when in town. His brother **Michael** (47-51) is now completing the third year of the Medical Course and resides at St. John's College, Camperdown.

Bernie Leonard (09-16) has had a set-back in health (we heard) and spent some time in hospital. We hope he has completely recovered because "Ruglan", Gradule, S.W. Queensland, has missed him. His two boys, **Michael** (48-52) and **Simon** (48-55) are carrying on the good

work there. Congratulations to Michael on his marriage, last July, to Miss Kath. Antill.

Dr. Jim L'Estrange (38) has been practising at Naremburn for several years and his brother **Vin** (38-44) who lived quite near Riverview is a hard-working wool-buyer.

Rev. Pat Lewis, S.J. (43-48) did a very good job at Riverview as Second Division Prefect and was transferred to Canisius College, Pymble this year where he now pursues his Theological Course.

The **Lewis** brothers are all prospering, we are glad to say. **Noel** ("Joe" I.) (40-45) is working "Bombowlee" near Tumut. **Paul** ("Joe II") (46-51) who was married at Riverview last year is, as you know, a Dental Surgeon and practises at Devonport (Best St.), Tasmania. **John** ("Joe III") (50-56) is nearing the end of the Medical Course and plays football for the University.

We were sorry to part with **Michael Lewis** (53-58) last December. He is still picking up a subject or two at Wagga and his two younger brothers David and Ronald are keeping up the name at Riverview. We certainly hope that Michael will pay us a visit or two in the near future.

Dr. Tony Liggins (36-41) has been in practice at Taree for several years and apparently thrives on it. Jon will usually meet him at the Newcastle O.I.U. reunion.

Dr. Bert Lipscomb (33-36) practises at Murwillumbah and when he can "makes" the Brisbane O.I.U. reunion. **Dr. Jack** (21-27) and **Dr. Griffin Lipscomb** (17-21) have been practising in England for several years now.

Paul Lippmann (41-44) does valuable umpiring work for us during the football season. He misses nothing. He and his brother **Peter** (41-44) work their farm at Moorefield Hills, Dural.

Kevin List (47-48) this year joined the Trappists and is now doing his first year's training for the priesthood with that Order in Victoria. Our best wishes are with him.

We don't see **George Little** (41) or his brother **Mac ("Wimpy")** (38-45) during the year — or very rarely. They are on the land near Grenfell — "Bellevue"?) and when possible attend the Young reunion.

Robert Lloyd-Jones (54-57) has been in the Gladesville branch of the Commonwealth Bank since he left us. His brother **John** (44-52) is stationed at East Maitland for some time. He is with the Valuer-General's Department. Both brothers call in periodically and are always welcome.

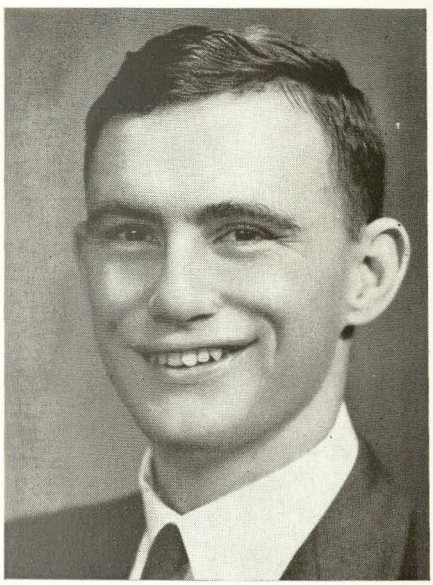
Tony Loneragan (54-58) finished up at Riverview last December and this year has been following a course at Hawkesbury Agricultural College. His brother, James came to us last year. Their father **E. H. ("Tim") Loneragan** (17-18) is with the Mudgee firm as usual.

Charlie Loneragan (23-31), as of old, looks after "The Lagoon", Gulgong. His son **Richard** (49-54) is doing Agricultural Science at the University and Michael is still at Riverview.

Bob Loneragan (36-38) sent us his son William this year. Bob is busy at Bombirr Hill, Mudgee these days and we remind him that Riverview's doors are wide open to him.

Bryan Loneragan (33-37) looks after "The Poplars", near Gulgong. **Peter** (30-32) is on "Putta Bucca" near Mudgee. **David** (37-42) and **John** (42-46) may be found on "Woodlands", Pyramul in the same district.

Dr. Frank Long (41-46) is this year Chief organiser of the O.I.U. reunion at Griffith, N.S.W. where he has been practising for some time. His



DR. GEOFF. LONG.

brother **Dr. Geoff** (48-52) graduated in December, 1958 and this year has been hard at work in St. Vincent's Hospital, Darlinghurst. We wish him further success.

Father Basil Loughnan, S.J. (00-03) has been living at Canisius College, Pymble for some years now. **Bede Loughnan** (11-14), **Bob** (00), **Hal** (12-13) are in legal practice at Christchurch, N.Z. and Palmerston North. **Joe** (00-02) is, we believe at or near Tauranga, Bay of Plenty, N.Z.

Bill Love (45-49) has not paid us a visit for a long time. He has been in Journalism for several years. His brother **Ray** (47-52) now plays Rugby League in season and is doing Industrial Chemistry with Ch. Macdonald Pty. Ltd.

Father Bede Lowery, S.J. (37-41) after putting in some time at Kostka Hall (Xavier Preparatory), Melbourne, was transferred this year to the staff of his old school and is well able to find his way about! **Roger** (53-58) left the L.C. Exams. behind him last December and is now doing Electrical Engineering at the University of N.S.W. **Max** (48-56) is doing Pharmacy at the University and **John** (39-48) continues his prosperous career in the Forestry Department. He is at present at Urunga, N.S.W.

Garry Lubrano (24-32) pays us frequent visits during the year — and especially during the football season when his son Peter is much in evidence and becoming more so as the years go on.

Basil Lyons (45-50) looks a "ball of muscle", but he always did. He is with the "Twin City Express" carrying service, Canberra. **John** (43-48) has been some time in the Department of Trade, Commonwealth Public Service — also at Canberra.

John M. Lyons (55-58) successfully negotiated the L.C. Exams last year. This year he began the study of Law at Tamworth, articled to Mr. E. Barnett. He plays reserve grade cricket and football and is Secretary of the Y.C.W. Football Club. His father, as you know is a Solicitor in Tamworth and is President of the Catholic Men's Dinner Club as well as of the Lions' Club. We wish them both well.

Dr. Willie Macdonald (04-08) is a most faithful correspondent and despite his long absence from Australia (—he has been practising in Boston, U.S.A. for years) is still keenly interested in all Riverview activities. He keeps well up to date by means of "O.A.M."

Richard Macintosh (54-58) left us towards the end of last year and is now at work on "Buck Barraga" near Barraga — (that is if we have got the correct spelling from his brother). (We wonder if R.M. is still interested in Agricultural Science!)

Hugh Macken (01-05) directs the fortunes of Mark Foys Ltd. as Managing Director — a position he has carried for many years. **Jack ("Bud") Macken** (10-20) is in the Registrar-General's Department in town and you will surely see him on Regatta Day and during the football season. **Jim** (38-46) is an Industrial Advocate in the City. **John** (38-48) a Production Engineer, **Tony, B.A.** (50-54) a debater of note is near the end of his Law Course. **Robert** (42-47) has eluded us.

No news this year from the **Mackenzie** brothers of New Zealand but we know that in their case, "no news is good news" and that they are prospering on their Stations in South Canterbury — **Alister** (11-15), **Lach** (11-16), **Ian** (12-16) and **Simon** (12-17). We would welcome a visit from all four. The name still "rings a bell" at Riverview.

Donald Maclurcan (31-36) needs no chronicling. He is well known as one of Sydney's prominent Architects and as a partner in the firm of Fowell, Mansfield & Maclucan. His brother, **Bob** (31-38) also a flourishing Architect is a partner with Mr. Gordon Jenkins of North Sydney. He wrote from Rome early this year where he had been on a visit.

Tim Odillo Maher (46-50) should now be just about at the end of his Chartered Accountancy Course, which was temporarily interrupted when he went overseas. He is with Hungerford and Spooner in town. **Peter** (49-53) will probably be sitting for his finals in the Medical Course very shortly. **Bill** (52-57) is also studying Accountancy — with Yarwood and Vane, O'Connell St.

Tony (45-50) went to Fiji last year. He is engaged with Qantas Airways but should be back in Sydney before very long (He returned lately). **Adrian** (46-50) is in the Advertising business in town.

Jack Mallon (38-43) has paid us several visits during the year, especially when there is "something on" like the Regatta or a promising football match. He works "Binni Downs", Woodstock. His brother **Frank** (49-51) is now operating in Newcastle with National Cash Registers Ltd.

Owen Moore MacMahon (40-43) paid us a visit on Regatta Day this year. A qualified Chemist of some years standing he has his Pharmacy in Mosman. His brother **Dr. Bryan Moore MacMahon** (40-44) is at present doing a post-graduate course at Georgetown (Jesuit) University, Washington, U.S.A.

Our old friend **"Malc" Macrae** (47-51) has been with the Rural Bank for some years now — at Parkes, we think. He was married last year and our best wishes still follow him.

Alan Madden (47-55) is doing a very satisfactory Course of Engineering and "sailing through" the intervening exams.

Garth Madden (38) is prospering on his property, "Kailoa", Piney Range, Grenfell. We shall not be surprised to see his lively son on our Roll before very long.

Peter Madden (48-55) should be nearing the

end of his Pharmacy Course as we write and we wish him a "smooth final". (It sometimes produces a snag or two.)

Julian Magennis (15-18) is always a welcome visitor to 'View. He takes a keen interest in all our "doings" and never fails to look us up when he comes to Sydney from his property "Ulundi", Bugaldi. His son **Pat** (53-57) is keen on the "land" too and told us recently that he is now jackerooing on "Manda" Prairie, Q. Best wishes to both.

Roger Makinson (39-44) pays us periodic and very welcome visits during the year. He is with the A.M.P. Insurance Co.

Peter Makinson, B.D.S. (43-45) who had a distinguished Course in Dentistry is now practising in the city. His brother **Owen, D.D.S.** (43-44) has been appointed a Reader in Operative Dentistry at Melbourne University, and began work there at the start of the University year.

We don't often see **Geoff Malloy** (41-48) these days. He and his brother **Kevin** (41-43) — who is a Chartered Accountant also, incidentally — are at work round the year on "Aranui", Forest Lodge, Forbes. Congratulations to Geoff on his



GEOFF. MALLOY AND HIS BRIDE.

marriage at Riverview last April, to Miss Helen Payten. Our best wishes to both.

Michael Mandl (48-55) (once very fleet of foot) has probably slowed down a bit by now as he has to face up this year to the Exams. of Med. III. Still, we trust he will race through these too !

Norman Mangraviti (51-56) is undergoing a course of property management with L. J. Hooker Ltd. at their Potts Point-King's Cross Office and getting much useful experience in the Real Estate field. **Dr. Norman Mangraviti** (40) is in practice at Leichhardt with Dr. Gailey and **Joe** (45-53) is at work in the radio and television business at Seaforth.

Hon. Sir Henry Manning, K.B.E., Q.C. (92-96) was good enough to write us a chapter of reminiscences in our last issue of O.A.M. From all sides we have had evidence of the interest aroused by that article. "Harry" has lost none of his interest in Riverview and we look forward to many more visits from him.

John ("Joe") Mannix (36-40) turns up at least once a year as does his brother **Paul** (45-49) "Joe" works "Yappalee" Station, Brewarrina, and Paul is also prospering on "Gumbooka" his property in the Bourke district.

Max Mantach (43-50) who passed his final Law exams. so brilliantly a year or two ago, is legal officer with the Public Trust, and (we think), is in Newcastle.

It is quite a long time since **Tony Markham, LL.B.** (32-37) paid us a visit. He has plenty of legal work to keep him occupied at Liverpool and has not forgotten Riverview — far from it.

We very rarely see **Des Maroney** (40-42) who is very much attached to his work at Lower Coolegong — Young. But whenever possible, he attends the O.I.U. reunion in that town and we are all glad to see him.

John F. Mason (56-58) left us at the end of last year and will be much missed in football and cricket circles. He is presumably at work now at "Iona", Gollan (via Wellington, N.S.W.).

Rod Mater (54-58) lost no time in joining the Old Boys' Union after leaving us at the end of last year. He has begun the Arts Course — to be followed by Law. We hope to see more of him.

Roger Mayhew (47-51) is a Civil Engineer and is in the Railways Department. Time he looked us up again.

Dave Mayo (38-46) manages in Sydney, the firm of C. E. Mayo Ltd. and looks well on what must be a very busy occupation. He pays us sudden, unexpected but very welcome visits during the year.

Mark McAlary (16-25) has been out of town this year, and has been in business in Brisbane. His presence on the O.I.U. Sydney Executive has been missed. His brother **Victor** (19-25) manages the family property, "Milewa", Warren and now has with him **Tony** (49-54) who has been jackerooing in W. Queensland, is now back at Milewa with his father Vic. **Dan** (52-57), Mark's son, is on a station in Northern N.S.W.

Bernie McBride (86-93) one of that rare company of Life Vice-Presidents of the O.I.U., is ever at our beck and call when knotty points of Riverview's history turn up. His memory of the details of days gone by is fantastic. Despite

his legal practice which keeps him pinned to his Pitt St. office, he always makes time to "give a hand". Ad multos annos, Bernie, is our prayer.

Tony McCarron (49-52) is braving the "catches" in the Medical Course and should not be far from the end now. **Michael** (49-54) looks after "Nandewar Inn" at Bellata. We have Christopher and Peter at Riverview.

We regret that we have to record the death early this year, of **Dr. Justin McCarthy** (04-08) who had been practising for years at Goulburn and, in recent years, in conjunction with his eldest son **Dr. Bill McCarthy** (33-37). We offer the sincere sympathy of Riverview to **Bob** (42-44), Solicitor, who practises at Crookwell and to **Justin, Jnr.** (43-44) and **John** (43-44). Justin works in the Valuer-General's Department and John is with Farrelley Bros., Distributors, in town.

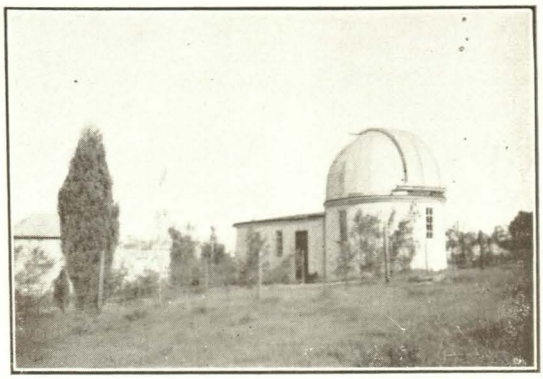
John McConochie (38-40) lives and thrives on "Ben Avon", Girilambone and keeps in touch during the year. We look forward to the day his son joins our ranks at Riverview.

Dick McCormick (49-50) and his brother **Bob** (49) are prospering on "Uralla", in the Hay district and Dick has an added interest now since his marriage last year. They both attend most of the country O.I.U. reunions.

W. F. McDermott (96-00) of Lismore went overseas early this year to be present at the marriage, at St. James' Church, Spanish Place, London, of his son, **Dermot** (29-31) (Captain in the Royal Dutch Airlines, Y.L.M.) to Miss Gay Boneschausker of Amsterdam, on May 15th. His brother John was best man and his sister, Mary was also present. W.F. is still overseas, visiting the Continent as well as England, Ireland and Scotland. **John** (35-39), Solicitor, is now in partnership with Messrs J. D. Mahony and J. J. Fahey, Bridge St. **Bill** (40-45) is a busy Dental Surgeon in Brisbane and **Francis** (31-34) is in business at Lismore.



DERMOT AND MRS. McDERMOTT AT THEIR LONDON WEDDING.



Dr. Emmet McDermott, D.D.S. (21-29) is President-Elect of the O.I.U. for 1960 and has been most active as a Committee man up to now. We look forward to a good year with him as an enthusiastic leader. He has long been practising in Macquarie St. as a Dental Surgeon — in which profession, he has reached great heights. His son John is at Riverview and visibly growing (up and out). **John** (21) also a Dental Surgeon of many years standing (and of course, we mean "standing") in Macquarie St. **Kevin** (21-24) has temporarily relaxed from Dental Surgery and may be found — not exactly relaxing — at David Jones Ltd. He still carries an infallible cure for insomnia ! **Brian** (24-31) has been with Mark Foy's Ltd. for several years now.

Dr. John McDonald (38-41) after three years' work at Childrens' Hospitals in London and Boston, U.S.A., now practises in Macquarie St. He is on the honorary staff of the Childrens' Hospital, Camperdown, where he also does research work at the Institute of Child Health. He is senior Paediatrician at the Mater Hospital and is on the honorary staffs of the Royal Hospital for Women and the Tresscillian Homes. **Phillip** (38-39) who is in the Training Section of the Public Service Board, lives at Canberra (Block 20, Northbourne Flats, Braddon, A.C.T.).

Congratulations and all good wishes to **Father Charles McDonald, S.J.** (38-45) who was ordained last January and this year has been complet-



FATHER CHARLES McDONALD, S.J.

ing his Course of Theology at Canisius' College, Pymble. Not even the knotty points of Theology can interfere with his perennial smile ! **Dr. Geoffrey McDonald** (36-37) practises in Macquarie St., is an Honorary at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital and is Assistant Hon. Secretary of the Royal Australian College of Physicians.

Dr. Stanley McDonnell (07-12) is President of the Queensland branch of the B.M.A. and attends the O.I.U. reunion when it is held at Brisbane.

Dr. George McElhone (99-03) now lives at 91 Lyons Rd., Drummoyne and gives us a willing hand when we have doubts about points in past Riverview history. George, as you know, is one of five Life Vice-President of the O.I.U. to which he has given great service down the years.

Colin McElhone, Solicitor (37-38) was again elected to the O.I.U. Committee this year and gives that body efficient and useful assistance. **Ken** (40-44) also a Solicitor, practises in Sydney with Mr. J. Gammel.

Jack McEvoy (21-26) is Central Queensland Manager for the Shell Oil Co. and has his headquarters at Rockhampton. He happened to be in Brisbane last year for the O.I.U. reunion there and during the Christmas holidays paid us a most welcome visit at Riverview. (Were we pleased to see him !).

Dick McEvoy (18-20) has been at work for some years with the Wheat Board. His brother **Geoff** (18-21) whose boy Michael has been at Riverview since 1957 is with the Nyal Co. in town. You may meet both on Back to Riverview Day and at other annual fixtures.

Congratulations to **Father John McGee** (47-48) who was ordained in the middle of the year. We were pleased to have him with us in September when he said the Boys' Mass and gave his blessing to them all individually. We wish him many years of happy, fruitful work.

John McGovern (51-56) should have three years of his Dentistry Course behind him now. We don't often see him at the School.

Bill McGrann (53-55) is Accountant, according to our latest news from him, with Lowe, Bingham and Matthews in Hong Kong. He reads all about our doings each year in the pages of O.A.M. and is a Life Member of the Union.

"Junior" McGrath (38-43) who rejoices in a family of five — the latest additions being twin boys — is Chief Executive of World Travel, A.P.A. Building, Martin Place and can see you



FATHER JOHN McGEE WITH HIS MOTHER AND FATHER.

round the world at a moment's notice. **Tony** (45-52) was studying Economics and Business Administration at Stanford University, U.S.A., until he returned this year. We congratulate him and his American bride on their marriage at St. Joseph's Church, Edgecliff on October 20th.

Maurice McGrath, Snr. (19-20) has been for years a mainstay of the O.I.U. and still takes a live and practical interest in all its activities. We just can't do without Maurice. He is, as you know, a busy city Solicitor. **Paul** (42-48) is also doing Law in his father's office. **Pat** (46-51) has been for some time now with King and Prior, Clarence St. **Roger** (46-51) is with a building firm in town. **Maurice, Jnr.** (51-57) is also studying Law in his father's city office. Our best wishes to this well-known "clan". The McGraths "ring a bell" at Riverview.

Tom McHugh (44-45) works with Commonwealth Steel in Newcastle where you may meet him at the annual O.I.U. reunion in that city.

Hugh McHugh (94-96), Solicitor, is still in active practice at Moruya. **Wilfrid McHugh** (26-27) is also a Solicitor at Balranald. **Brian** (26-27) works a farm close by. **Joe** (03) is Conveyancer with W. J. H. Hammond & Co., Sydney.

Bill McIntosh (38-43) we have not seen for several years, but we hear of him occasionally. He is, we think, a mining engineer attached to the Placer Development Company and has his home in Vancouver, B.C. He has been happily married for a couple of years and rejoices in a recent arrival — a son. Our best wishes are always with Bill.

We were pleased to meet **Dr. Alan McJannet, F.R.C.S.** (Eng.), (36-41) at the O.I.U. General Meeting this year. Alan is practising in Macquarie St. and doing very well indeed.

Ritchie McKay (47-48), Dental Surgeon, recently brought a practice at Dubbo where he now works. We hope he comes to Sydney occasionally for we have much to discuss with him. We wish him all success.

Jim McKay (09-12) carries on, as he has done for years, on "Kulkine", Trangie and doesn't bother at all about the passing of the years. Of course, he has an able assistant in his son **Ian** (45-50) who was married at Riverview last year, works on "Kulkine" and has his home in Orchard St., Warren. **Bryan** (36-39) father of Douglass (now at Riverview) works "Winnabri" close to Kulkine.

Michael McKay (45-50) looks after "The Overflow," Warren.

The Hon. Mr. Justice J. J. McKeon (20-22) — Justice of the Industrial Commission of N.S.W., dealing with Arbitration matters, is a busy man these days from whom we trust to have an odd visit or two. (We haven't forgotten Jack McKeon of old).

Father Colin McKillop, S.J. (05-06) may be found at St. Francis Xavier's, Lavender Bay. He pays us periodic visits during the year and never misses the football season. **Bob McKillop** (92-99) lives at Canberra. **Ian** (25-32), his son, also lives there and runs an Estate and Auctioneering Agency.

John ("Inky") McKinlay (43-50). Since his return from overseas and his marriage last year at Riverview, has been at work with his father in town.

Myles McLachlan (37-38) has left the Royal Australian Navy (in which he held the rank of Lieut.-Commander) and now is at work with Smith's Ltd. (precision instruments) in town. Quite some time since we have had the pleasure of a visit from Myles. We offer him our sincere sympathy on the death of his father last December.

The **McLaughlin** brothers **Terry** (16-22), **Bob** (19-25) and **Laurie** (32-35) are all at work in Rockhampton — mostly in connection with the Fitzroy Brewery.

Dr. Geoff McManis, F.R.C.P. (Eng.) (24-29), had a similar degree conferred on him by the Royal Australian College of Physicians last year. He has a busy practice in Macquarie St. **Phil** (24-34) has been for many years with the Taxation Department in Sydney. **Dr. Keith** (30-38) is, as before, attached to the Australian Embassy in Holland.

Pat McManus (24-27) has not shown (us) any sign of life for a considerable time. He looks after "Bicton" Station, Charleville, Q. and our latest news of his son **John** (51-56) puts him on "Bundemar", Trangie.

David Meagher (39-46) has built himself a house at Turramurra and now lives up there (36 Evelyn Ave.) in the fresh air. In business hours he practises, as usual, with the firm of Hughes, Hughes & Garvin, Solicitors, Barrack St. **Ted** (43-49) also a Solicitor is now practising with Mr. Ryan at Barraba, N.S.W. **Alan** (38-44) works a property near West Wyalong and was married in August to Miss Elizabeth Woods. **Paul ("Pip") Meagher** (53-58) went this year to Loyola College, Watsonia (Vic.), to begin his training as a Jesuit. No doubt, he'll be "getting some of his own back" at Riverview before many years! His younger brother Tom is at Riverview.

Michael G. Meagher, K.C.S.G. (15-21) as usual, directs the fortunes of that widely-spread firm, John Meagher & Co. and has his head-

quarters and home at Cootamundra. His son, **Andrew** (42-48) is also with the firm at Cootamundra.

Rev. Paddy Meagher, S.J. (46-52) sailed for India last December and is now at work in the Australian Jesuit Mission over there. **Peter** (40-47) looks after the Temora branch of the firm. **Chris** (44-52), Solicitor — (he graduated with Honours recently) has gone overseas for some time before settling down to work in Australia. He left in April. Up to recently he had been with Cowlishaw and Macready, Solicitors, in Sydney.

Roddy Meagher, B.A., LL.B. (42-49) after topping his final year with many honours and legal prizes went overseas for a period and returned in April. He is now a consultant with the well-known firm of Minter, Simpson & Co., Hunter St. **Desmond Meagher** (33-39) whom we see occasionally during the year, manages the West Wyalong branch of John Meagher & Co. **Kevin** (24-31) whose two sons are at Riverview, fills a similar position at Yass. **Brian** (28-34), Solicitor, practises at Temora. **Tony** (09-10 and 14-16) still looks a "ball of muscle" and has been managing the Forbes branch, with his son **John** (37-40) for many years. Another of his sons (Hugh) left us at the end of last year. **Robert Meagher** (51-58), Captain of the Boats last year and leader of the Winning Eight, is doing a business course with Woolworths. Good prospects for him. **Terry** (44-50) is now getting business experience at Anthony Hordern's in town. We were pleased to see him with his father (Michael) at the O.I.U. Canberra reunion this year.

According to latest news, **Bruce Meppem** (53) is now stationed at Tamworth (18 Bourke St.). We have heard that he manages "T.V.M." — (and tell us what that is, please). (Glad to see him at the Tamworth Reunion.)

"Joe" Meynink (54-57) is now at work on "Blackburn" Station, Mangalore Siding, Charleville, Queensland, and follows the School activities through the pages of O.A.M.

Dr. Bill de Meyrick's (43) practice at Seaforth is giving him less and less time to himself, but he still manages to keep an eye on a lively young family.

Congratulations to **His Honour Judge Des. Monahan** (15-19) on his appointment, last May, as District Court Judge and Chairman of N.S.W. District Court. He has been a prominent Sydney barrister for many years, and we wish him further success in his important position.

Jack Montgomery (42-46) is working a property in the Corowa district (2 Parade Place, Corowa may find him).

John Moore (45-54) is completing the second year of the Pharmacy Course. **David** (51-56) is at work in the Pyrmont branch of the Bank of N.S.W. Hugh keeps up the name at Riverview.

Peter Moran (38-43) whom we haven't seen for some time is doing Accountancy in town (with Harris & Horne). His father **Dr. Arthur Moran** (07-12) is mainly engaged these days, we are told, with Repatriation work.

Charlie Morgan (13-14) is as busy as ever at his legal practice in town. **Kevin** (37-39), Solicitor, has been practising several years at Parramatta. **Dr. Noel Morgan** (38-41) works hard at his Newcastle practice and always attends the O.I.U. Reunion there. **Peter** (38-41) is with the Commonwealth Public Service.

We had a (regrettable) short word on the phone with **Jim Morris** (04-05) as he passed through Sydney recently on his way home to Melbourne. He has been overseas more than once as a Director of Tozer, Kemsley and Millbourne Pty. Ltd. having been 52 years with that firm, shipping, importing and exporting. He has now retired from active work with the firm. We hope that he pays us a visit before long.

Harry Morrissey (13-14) is Chairman of Directors of the City Mutual Life Assurance Society in town. His son **Phillip** (49-55) should now be close to the end of his Pharmacy Course.

After a long silence, we received news from **Owen Mortimer** (38-39) who has been several years in America and very interested in the stage. He lives in Hollywood, California, is an M.A. of North-Western University and also a Bachelor of Science. He is looking for news of his contemporaries and hopes to revisit Australia next year. (1900 Taft Avenue, Hollywood 28.)

Dr. "Rick" Mulhearn, M.R.C.P. (42-44) has been some years in England where he has been practising and expected to be back in Australia this year. (Has now returned.)

Kevin Murphy (27-31) pays us periodic visits during the year when down from "Warringham", his property near Galong. His son Ellis is finishing his third year at Riverview as we write.

Barry Murphy (53-58) since leaving us at the end of last year, has been studying Accountancy with Smith, Johnson & Co. in town. He too, swiftly became a Life Member of the Union at the first opportunity.

George Murphy (44-46) has a wool and skin business at Werris Creek and is doing very well.

Mark Murray (44-46), Solicitor, is in practice at Bull's Chambers. The firm is Murray and Welles and Mark seems "on top of the world".

That old-timer, **Bill Murray** (99-01), Solicitor,

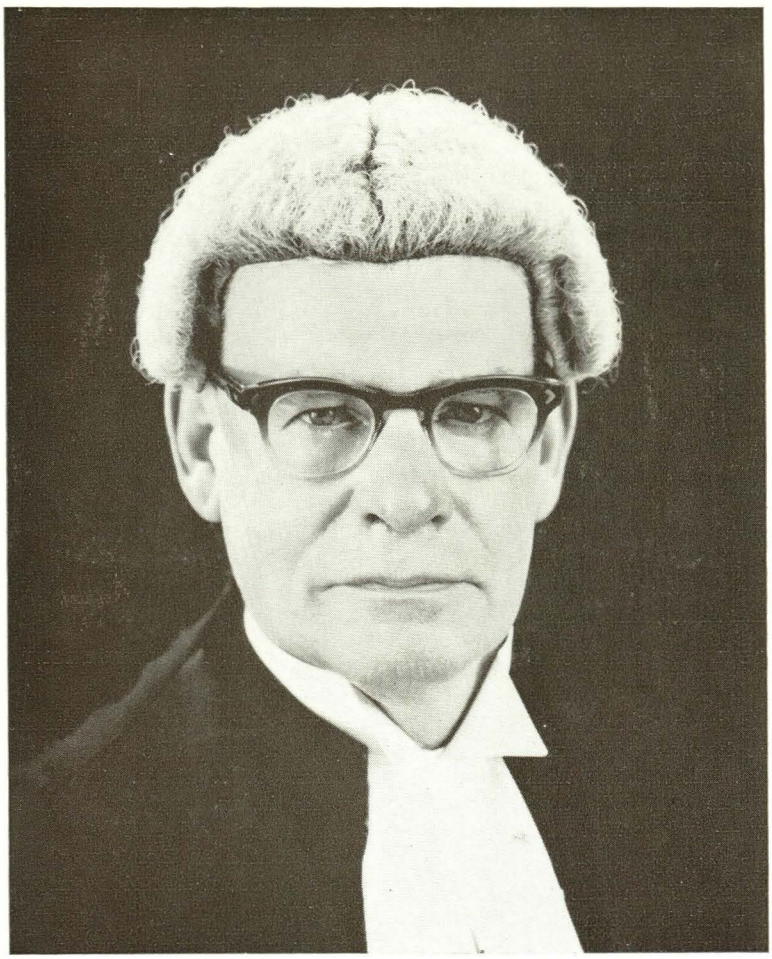
practises, as of yore, at Armidale. Does not often "strike" Sydney.

Barry Nader (42-47) went back overseas a year or two ago, weighed down with honours in the Dental profession and still practises in England. **Douglas** (48-56) should now be near the end of his Dentistry Course. **John** (42-49), Chemist, is, as we write, at work in the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney — and **Robert** (45-54) should by now be completing his Pharmacy Course.

who will listen to what you have to say and give you a sympathetic hearing! Tony (we think) works at the Criterion Hotel, Pitt St.

Peter Nelson (56-58) completed his L.C. Exams. very successfully last year and has begun (in Tamworth) his Course of Pharmacy in which we wish him success. He has joined the O.I.U.

Ron Neville (43-47) is prospering in New Guinea at Patrol work. We are not sure if he has yet acquired the plantation he has in mind,



HIS HONOUR JUDGE DESMOND MONAHAN.

We have seen little or nothing of **Adrian Newell** (51-53) or his twin brother **Tony** (51-53) all this year. Adrian has been a member of the Police Force (Traffic control, Cycle Corps) since June last year. So, if you are told suddenly to "pull in to the left", look up. It may be Adrian but he will let us know in time.

Robert Nichols (53-58) got a very satisfactory L.C. pass last year and since then has been sampling the knotty points of the Medical Course. He had hardly left us when he became a Life Member of the Old Boys' Union — an

example we heartily recommend.

John Nihill (50-55) works the year round on "West Bullaway", Bugaldie. **Michael** (48-52) should, as we write, be near the end of the Medical Course. We haven't seen either of them for a long time.

We rarely see **David Nolan** (44-48) these days. He must be very busy indeed with Pitt, Son and Badgery, the wool firm.

Don Nolan (34-40) christened his property, near Corowa "Riverview", some years ago and is busy there the year round. His brother **John** (32-37), otherwise known as "Corowa George" works "Lilydale" in the same district.

Rev. Peter Nolan, S.J. (47-48) has been on the Australian Jesuit Indian Mission for some years now and is busy at St. Xavier's College, Hazaribagh.

Jack Noonan (45-47) has "moved camp" from "The Cedars", Warren district, to "Braeburn", Nevertire and is very pleased with his new surroundings. He has an additional interest in his three children. His brother **Tom** (47-50) is doing well at "The Cedars", though he has another property — in the Nevertire district.

Brian Nowland (42-45) was again elected Vice-President of the Union this year and does valuable liaison work between that body and the S.I.C. Younger Set. Always keen to further the various union plans. His brother **Dr. Rex Nowland** (1939) practises at the Canterbury District Hospital.

John B. Norris, LL.B (29-34) practises in town and sent us his twin sons, Anthony and Simon this year so we hope to see him more frequently.

Jon North B.Econ. (48-53) now has his office at 228 Pitt St. ("Jon North and Associates). He is a professional Economist and business consultant.

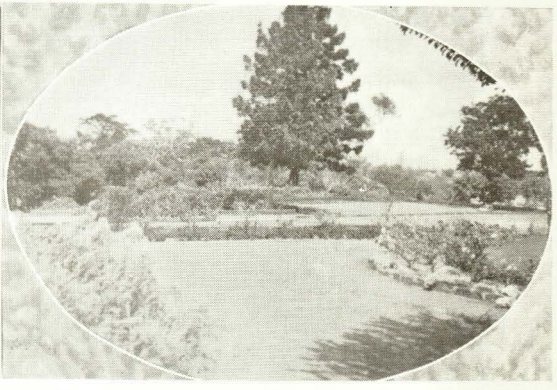
We hope to be congratulating **John O'Brien** (48-53) "Jack-O.B." to everyone — shortly, as while we write, he is sitting for the finals of his Medical Course. So far, he has gone "as smoothly as on ice". Needless to say his success will be a great joy to us. His brother **Peter** (51-55) — (once we christened him "small-boy", but he now "looks down" on us) — is finishing the third year of the same course. **Robert** (53-56) has started a course at Hawkesbury Agricultural College. We still have two members of the family at Riverview — James and Paul.

John F. O'Brien (45-49) an expert, courageous footballer in his Riverview days, is now an engineer with the Shire Council, Canberra. If you attend the O.I.U. reunions there you will meet him looking as vigorous as ever.

Dr. Peter O'Brien (42-46) is working very enthusiastically at St. Vincent's Hospital and was good enough to send us some details about several O.Rs. there. His elder brother **John** (40-44) is, as usual, with his father in Breville Distributors and **Bill** (46-52) is now working with Ronson in Los Angelos, U.S.A. and will probably be in America another two years. All doing well.



FIRST DIVISION BUILDING FROM COLLEGE ROOF.



THAT PEACEFUL FRONT GARDEN.

(Photos — A. Herbert).

John O'Connell (41-42) has been in practice as a Dental Surgeon at Legacy House, Sydney for some years now.

Father John O'Connor (27-29) who was Administrator at Tamworth for several years was transferred early this year, as Parish Priest, to Uralla. **Father Shane O'Connor** (36-37) has been at parish work at Port Augusta, South Australia for quite a long time.

Cecil O'Dea (17-22), Solicitor, Vice-President

of the Union, is well in the foreground when any College or Union scheme is on the agenda paper. Thanks to him, the Union Executive meets each month at his rooms in Castlereagh St. (As you know, he is a partner in the firm of Carroll & O'Dea). Cecil is loaded with practical ideas and a valuable addition to O.I.U. deliberations.

His elder son **Michael** (51-56) is doing the Arts Course, with Law in view. **David** (51-57) is now doing a course at Hawkesbury Agricultural College. We are confident that, as they did at Riverview, both will continue to "pull their weight". They deserve success.

We are not absolutely certain as to which year of the Medical Course **David O'dell** (53-56) is now completing. Whichever it is (and we hope he tells us) we wish him success.

You will meet **Reg O'Donnell** (09) at all the chief College and Union fixtures of the year. He lives at Lane Cove these days so he sees at close quarters, most of our activities.

Paddy O'Halloran (52-57) is leaving behind him the Exams of the Medical Course. (He has grown so much of late that we no longer dare to call him "half-portion"). Bryan, Terry and Michael, his brothers, still carry the O'Halloran flag at Riverview.

Robert Emmet O'Halloran (05-08) well-known by Riverview contemporaries — and far beyond Riverview — has done us many favours during the past years and keeps up a very live interest in our activities. His son **Emmet** (32-36) is a very live member of the O.I.U. Committee and produces eminently practical ideas for its progress. **Grattan** (32-40) has been with the N.R.M.A. for several years and now operates in Nth. Sydney. R.E. (above) lives at Glenbrook.

We met **Dr. Kevin O'Hanlon** (14-17) at the beginning of the year when he came down with his son Charlie who is now completing five years at the School. Kevin has been practising at Quirindi for many years. He was with us on Regatta Day, April 4th.

Tom O'Keeffe (39-45) turns up just when you don't expect him, but he usually picks one or other of the main yearly "get-togethers". He is with the Permanent Trustees in Sydney.

Carl O'Malley-Jones (42-45) is doing very satisfactorily on his fruit farm, Mangrove Mountain, Gosford but is too busy to come often Sydneywards. His brother **Father Paul O'Malley-Jones, C.SS.R.** (42-43) has been a missioner at Singapore for some years now.

We haven't seen **Dr. Max O'Mara, F.R.C.S. (Eng.)** (35-39) for quite a long time but we have heard many golden opinions of his skill in his profession. It did not surprise us. We have watched his career with interest.

Rev. Bill O'Neill, S.J. (50-54) is nearing the end of his Philosophy Course at Loyola College, Watsonia (Vic.). We presume to prophesy that Bill will soon be "getting some of his own back" at Riverview before long.

John O'Neill (28-31) is Deputy Chairman of Directors of the City Mutual Assurance Co. in town as well as being senior partner in the firm of Murphy & Moloney, Solicitors.

We don't know when to expect **Dr. Bill O'Neill** (36-37) back from London where he went last year for a special course of Obstetrics. His youngest brother, **Dr. Gerald O'Neill** (41-45) was aiming at further degrees at London Hospital when last he wrote. Another brother, **Dr. Bryan O'Neill** (38-40) is practising at Inverell.

You will surely see **Jim O'Riordan** (34-40) at one, if not every one, of the games during the football season. (He still looks wistfully at a rugged forward pack!). He manages Newtown Chemicals these days and, we are pleased to say, prospers at the work.

We look forward several times a year to visits from that keen old-timer **Jack ("Jacko") O'Rourke** (22-24) whose son Ian is now completing his third year at the School. Jack is looking after Sutton Farm, Sutton Forest and thriving on the work.

Frank O'Sullivan (29-34) who manages the Westray Engineering Co., Caringbah has his son at Riverview these days.

Tim O'Sullivan (54-58) left us at the end of last year and has joined the Royal Australian Navy. He is now at the Naval College, Jervis Bay. His brother **Sean** (52-55) is in the office of Toohey's Brewery. Their father **John** (21-24) is, we understand, an Instructor at the Balmoral Naval Depot.

Tom O'Sullivan (22-27), Solicitor, practises as of old, in Newcastle. His son Tom, Jnr. has been at Riverview since 1955. Still going strong **Ben** (31-32) is with the B.H.P. Co. in Newcastle.

John R. O'Sullivan (45-49) has been a qualified Chemist for some considerable time and when we met him, was attached to Washington H. Soul & Co., North Sydney.

Dr. Peter "Prof." O'Sullivan (43-45) went overseas over a year ago to gain further medical experience and if he has returned we haven't heard of it. (Can anyone oblige?).

Michael Oates (52-58) left us at the end of last year and is now doing a night course of Accountancy at the Newcastle Technical College. During the day he works with the Northern

Drug and Chemical Co. "It is very enjoyable" he says — "on Thursdays" (pay day !).

Charlie Olliffe (29-34), chief organiser for several years, of the O.I.U., Griffith reunion, passed on his mantle of office this year to Dr. Frank Long. Charlie has a busy legal practice at Griffith.

Robin Osborne (53-57) has taken very kindly to his Law course with Mr. P. F. Irvine, Bridge St. We wish him a smooth passage.

Dr. Brian Oxenham (28-35) manages the Australian branch of Bristol Myer Pty. Ltd., a position he took over when his father **Douglas Oxenham** (91-96) retired. We still recall Brian's outstretched arms as he kicked for goal in the Riverview matches.

Dr. Gordon Oxenham (33-36) (cousin of above) has been practising for several years at Griffith and has two sons at the School now.

Alan Oxenham (48-52) (son of the late Dr. Alan Oxenham) is battling with the problems of the Medical Course (third year).

We haven't seen **Brian Page, B.A., LL.B.** (29-30) for a long time. He is a partner in the firm of Freehill, Hollingdale and Page, Solicitors, Martin Place. He is also, we hear, a Director of a hire purchase finance company connected with the Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney.

Jack (35-37) and **Bob Parkman** (35-37) nearly always drop in to see us when they are down in Sydney from the Young district where Jack is at work on "Chanticleer" and Bob on "Orizaba". Always pleased to welcome them.

Vin Parer (41-42) who has been practising for several years in Brisbane as a Qualified Chemist, has now switched to the Medical Course in which we wish him success. His brother **Dr. Brian Parer** (41-42) is practising at Nundah, Brisbane and was one of many Old Boys at the O.I.U. Dinner there in April.

Dr. Frank Parle (26-32) has been for some years medical officer for T.A.A. and flies over much of Australia in the course of duty, though his home is in Melbourne where he is President of the Victorian branch of the O.I.U. **Brian** (42-47) is with Waugh & Josephson Ltd. (farm equipment) at Goulburn.

The **Parnell** brothers, **Jim** (37-43) and **Brian** (37-43) are prospering as usual on their properties — Jim on "Mootangi" and Brian on "Granville". Mangoplah. They usually turn up at one or other of the O.I.U. country reunions.

Tony Patterson (44-52) was Assistant Hon. Secretary of the O.I.U. for two years and is at work in the office of his father — Patterson & Co., Hunter St. As full of life and energy as ever.

Rodney Paul (50-54) has completed his Arts Course at the University and is now completing the third year of the Law Course. He paid us a visit early this year.

We don't see much of **Bayley Payten** (38-40) during the year. He is busy looking after "Burramunda" Station not far from Young. **John Payten** (37-38) and **"Pete"** (37-40) are doing well on the land near Canowindra. **Robyn** (52-56) is now doing Med. III.

Roy Pearson (53-58) successfully negotiated the L.C. Exams. last year and has begun a course of Agricultural Science at the University.

Congratulations and best wishes to **Dr. Brian Pegum** (49-50) on his marriage to Miss Margaret Cochran last January, at St. Mary Magdalene's Church, Rose Bay. Brian graduated in 1956 and did much work at St. Vincent's Hospital. We hear that he has gone overseas for further experience in surgery.

Dr. Tony Pelly, B.Sc., F.R.C.S. (Eng.) (42-46) is overseas for the last few years, gathering fresh laurels in his profession. This year, we understand he has been specialising in plastic surgery. **Noel, LL.B.** (42-43) is Legal Adviser to the Water Board, Sydney.

Terry Pfafflin (49-54) works with the Shell Oil Co. in Griffith and pays us periodic visits during the year.

Garry Phillips (50-54) has retired from the School of Pacific Administration, after some time in the Islands and as we write, is completing the second year of the Medical Course.

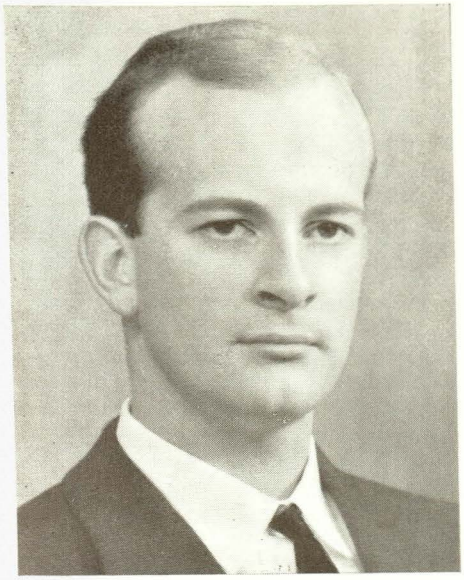
If we don't see much of **Leo Pierce** (16-18) during the School year, we are at any rate sure to meet him at the O.I.U. reunion at Newcastle He is with the Gas Co. in that City.

Peter Pinney (34-39) after many recent adventures, is now a Feature writer and Public Relations specialist with the Canadian Air Force in Vancouver, where he lives. (2635 West 7th Avenue, Vancouver 9, B.C.) will find him.

Don Pinnock (26-29) has been many years with the Hastings Deering Car firm and is kept very busy in William St. He is always ready to lend a hand, when required, in College and Union projects.

Brian Poirrier (45-53) is in the stock-broking business with Mr. Bernard Curran, Stockbroker (Pitt & Hunter Sts.), Sydney. **Michael** (51-56) should be near the end of his Accountancy Course now, with G. T. Walton & Co., Elizabeth Street.

As far as our news goes, **John ("Pun") Powell** (48-50) is with the N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Agency at Scone. (Does he ever come to town?) We have missed him of late.



DR. JOHN POWER.

Congratulations to **Dr. John Power** (47-51) who graduated last December with several other O.R.'s. This year he has been at work in St. Vincent's Hospital.

Colin Powter (45-50) a qualified Civil Engineer of several years standing now, returned from Borneo last year where had had been on important work and after his official holiday, has returned there.

Bill Prior (33-40) is, as usual, at work in the Bulletin Office, George St. You will have seen his "inspired" drawing in connection with the O.I.U. Ball last year. His brother **Phil** (37-43) is with King and Prior, Clarence St. He is (literally) worth his weight in gold each year at the Indian Bazaar. As a salesman he has no equal

Alf Proust (03-04), having retired from active practice as a surveyor, has built himself a house at Wyong and is now able to do much valuable work assisting his son **Peter** (46-50) on his chicken farm close by. Peter is doing very well and "bluffs the chooks" with electric lights, we hear. (When things brighten up, they think it's day-time and lay another egg ! !). He has thousands to care for, and his wife, Denise is almost growing feathers, too ! **John** (28) is, as of old, a radio engineer, at Albury. Peter never fails to drop in when he comes to the City. No one more welcome.

Ray Proust (39-41), Optometrist, paid us a welcome visit early this year. He now practises at Wagga and may be found at 9 Neurant Avenue.

We have heard periodically from **Angelo Quaglia** (50-53) who has been overseas a considerable time now and in the course of business has visited practically all the European capitals. He was particularly impressed by Paris. He met Noel Yates in London. In August this year he went through Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Spain, Portugal, France again and after some months in Italy, expects to be back in Australia about March, 1960. Very interested in all 'View activities.

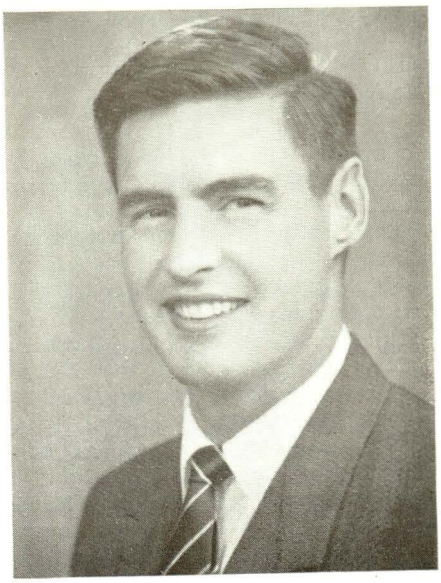
Chris Quain (53-57) works with a firm of wool-brokers (Elder Smith) at Newcastle. He attends the annual O.I.U. reunion in that City.

Dr. Jack Quilter (20-25) has left Grenfell where he practised for 24 years and now practices at Burwood, so we expect to see him more frequently. His son **Michael** (49-54) should be leaving Med. V. behind him as we write. He has our best wishes for a safe passage to the end of that Course.

Dr. Bill Quilty (42-47) completed his course of Medicine at the end of last year and since graduation has been at work at the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney. We haven't seen Bill for some considerable time (and hope he takes the hint !).

Austin Quilty (19-21) lives on the northern side of the Harbour. He is President of the Particular Council of Northern Suburbs Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

John Quinn (50-56) who is doing a Law



DR. W. QUILTY.

Course, is now with Wm. Lander & Co., Solicitors, Bridge Street.

We rarely see **Wally Rae** (48-52) during the year, as "Raeburn", Narromine keeps him very busy. When he does turn up he is the same irrepressible Wally as ever.

Rev. John Ramsay, S.J. (44-50) is doing a full day's work at Kostka Hall, one of Xavier College's Preparatory Schools in Melbourne. His brother **Peter** (46-51), now a qualified Engineer, is at present with the Sydney City Council and **Paul** (49-53) works in the office of his father, Mr. O. Ramsay, Surveyor.

Rev. Sid Raper, S.J. (52-56) took his first vows last February as a member of the Jesuit Order, at Loyola College, Watsonia (Vic.), where he is now continuing his studies. His father **Sid Raper, Snr.** (23-24) and his uncle **Laurie** (27) direct their Estate Agency at Caltex House, where **John** (53-57), Sid's son, is also at work.

Frank Rava (53-55) was doing Accountancy in Wagga until this year, when he switched to Sydney where he is continuing the course and living in the City.

Vincent Redden (50-54) should now be nearing the end of his Theology Course at St. Patrick's College, Manly. Ordination can not be far away.

Basil Regan (15-20) one of Tamworth's top-line businessmen was in good form at the O.I.U. reunion in that city last September. A keen tennis player in leisure hours. **Laurie Regan** (12-19) is now underwriter for Lloyds (Insurance) and should be back in Australia in December. **Brian** (45-51) is a busy stock-broker these days. **Charles** (51-56) is learning business methods with his father (Basil).

Bill Reid (44-45) will greet you with his historic smile (letter-box type !) when you attend the Newcastle O.I.U. reunion. He is with Bird & Co. in Newcastle.

Ruy dos Remedios (51-54) must be well on towards the end of his course at Gattan Agricultural College, Queensland, to follow which he came down from Hong Kong.

As far as we know, **Chris dos Remedios** (53-57) is ploughing his way through the early stages of the Medical course. We have seen little of him since he left us.

John Renshaw (50-56) as far as we know, works with his father, **Jim Renshaw** (27-30) on the home property, "Glencoe", Mendooran.

Laurie Ricketts (46-51) who was married at Riverview last year, is Accountant with National Plywood Co. **Brian** (40-42) and **Frank** (32-36) manage the Rockdale firm of Ricketts and Thorpe. The football season often attracts them to the School.

Dr. Tom Roberts (41-45) is practising at Conway St., Lismore but does not often come as far down as Sydney. His brother Richard is at Riverview.

Terry Roberts (48-55) must be near the final hurdle of the Pharmacy Course this year. His elder brother, **Billy Roberts** (48-55) is thriving and getting good business experience with Woolworths.

John F. Robinson (45-50) has his Pharmacy at Wentworthville and drops in to see us now and then. Still plays a good game of football.

John Robinson (48-52) is also a chemist but we are not clear as to his location.

Denis Robinson (41-45) is with the Public Service in Canberra. He is a Statistician. He attended the O.I.U. reunion in the Capital last May.

John B. Roche (50-53) must have forgotten the whereabouts of the Riverview road or else, "Meroo" Station, Dalton, keeps him too busy to meet the "city slickers" ! ! We haven't seen him for an age.

Tom Roche (43-47) calls in now and then — (mostly "then") when down from "Werribee", Tambar Springs where he works the year round.

Dr. John Roche (40-44) has been practising at Berry, South Coast for the past few years. His brother, **Dr. Jim Roche** (45-49) practises in Sydney. We have not seen either of them for a long time.

Terry Roche (51-55) (who used to disarm us with his smile) and **Bede** (52-57), his brother, are at work on Rochedale, Adelong. We have a younger brother Pat at Riverview.

We are always pleased to see an old friend in the person of **Jim Roche** (23-26) when he visits the city from Goulburn — usually during the football season. We offer him our sincere sympathy on the death of his father last July.

Bruce ("Bubble") Rose (46-50) is Assistant Manager for Trinity House Productions Pty. Ltd. at Lane Cove. We are always glad to see him.

Father Don Roset, S.J. (19-22) carries on the good (French) work at Riverview and should be used to it by now — if one ever gets used to it !

John Ross (46-50) was in town early in April this year and, needless to say, paid us a welcome visit. "Bon View", Wellington, will always find him. John never misses a country O.I.U. reunion if he can at all "make it" and over the years he has "made it" many times to our know-

ledge. No one keener and no one more welcome.

Brian Ross (50-54) was well into his Course of Chemical Engineering last year but we don't know yet if he is continuing it, as the family, including his brother **Michael** (55-58) have migrated to Melbourne. We hope for some definite news.

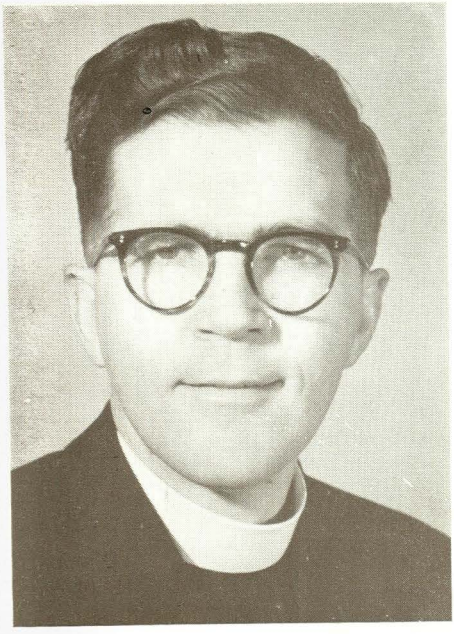
Denis Rowe (51-58), the stroke of our 1958 winning Eight, finished the L.C. course last December and has now begun the University Medical Course, in which he has our best wishes for success.

Philip Rusconi (44-51) — ("Rubber" for short) is now, we hear, with Associated Securities in Brisbane and also has a Law Course in view.

Dr. Bryan Rush (41-50) who graduated in 1957 has gone to St. Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne where he is Pathology Registrar.

Bill Russell (47-55) must now be close to the end of his Engineering Course which he began on leaving Riverview. His brother **John** (57-58) who got an extremely fine pass in the L.C. last year, has started on the course of Civil Engineering. We predict a very bright future for him.

Father Tony Ryan (40-44) — who also "packs" a Medical degree — was this year appointed to St. Mark's Church, Drummoyne and took keenly



FATHER TONY RYAN.

to his parish work. In August last he departed to Rome for post-graduate Theological studies in which we wish him the fullest success.

Dr. Bill Ryan (46-48) has been practising at Nowra, practically since graduation, but we do not often see him in Sydney.

We often meet **Peter Ryan** (43-45) who with his brother **John** (43-47) runs a service station near Drummoyne. These two brothers seem to work 25 hours a day — or words to that effect — but are losing no weight at it. Rather the contrary.

Robert Ryan (50-55) who, by the way, is a Life Member of the O.I.U. works the year round on "Melford" near Yass.

Senan Ryan, M.A., B.Econ. (06-11) has had a busy practice as a Chartered Accountant and now has office at 36 Pitt Street, City.

Dr. Garry Scarf (47-49) has done much work at St. Vincent's Hospital. He is, we believe, concentrating on surgery and will probably go overseas shortly in search of his F.R.C.S. degree. Our best wishes will go with him.

John Schell (36-38 and 40-45) is as busy as he wants to be with the firm of C. E. Mayo Pty. Ltd., Importers, Castlereagh St. His brother **Mark** (36-39) is at David Jones Ltd. in the City.

We did not know until last April that **Lou Schneider** (41-44) has been for the past couple of years, on a Station near Bourke. We thought he was still at "Ashantee", Walgett. **Paul** (39-40) Chemist, works his pharmacy at Maroubra Bay. **Laurie** (40-42), Civil Engineer — where is he? Your guess is as good as ours — and ours is a poor one.

Father Michael Scott, S.J. (24-27) was overseas for the greater part of a year recently but is now back again in charge of Aquinas College, Adelaide University. His brother **John, O.B.E.** (24-29) sent his boy to Riverview this year. Inter-State trucking is his usual occupation. **Geoff** (21-24) is with Bradford Insulation Ltd. — in Sydney.

As far as we know, the three **Scriven** brothers — **Bill** (45-46), **Brian** (45-49) and **Tony** (54-57) are working the home property, "The Kraal", near Mungindi.

Ted Sedgwick (10-15) and his brother **"Mate"** (21) may be found at Campbelltown. Ted still looks after the home farm and 'Mate' is, if we mistake not, Mayor of Campbelltown and a prominent member of the Milk Board.

Karl Seppelt (41-48) is well settled in now at Seppeltfield, South Australia. His brother **Benno** (41-50) is doing Accountancy — or was — with a view to making use of it in the same district.

Gerald Shaw (46-48), Solicitor, of some years standing, is at work in the firm of Malloy and Shrader, in town.

It's time **Bill Sheehan** (50-53) called in to



DOWN AMONG THE TREES AT RIVERVIEW.

see us again. He is, as usual, in the Hotel business at Binnaway, N.S.W.

It was with great regret that we got news of the death of **Phil Sheridan** (24-28) on July 27th this year. Phil was always a good friend of Riverview. We offer our very deep sympathy to his son **Paul** (51-56) (now in the 3rd year of his Medical Course) and the other members of his family — **Bill** (39-40), who does T.V. Script writing for the A.B.C. and **John** (30) who, we think, is farming near Kempsey.

E. ("Buster") Shine (28-32) rarely comes our way from "Emerald Hill", Binalong but is a regular reader of O.A.M., so keeps in touch with all Riverview activities.

Dr. Lionel da Silva (47) will be serving in the U.S. Air Force for two years from Sept., 1957. He has done one year's internship at the Veteran Hospital at Los Angeles, and last year married Miss Carlann Jones. His brother, **"Ric"** (47-48) is doing post-graduate work in organic chemistry at U.C.L.A. with a Ph.D. in Chemistry in view.

Frank Simpkins (49-50) is at work these days with Harvey Lowe, Stockbroker, in town. His brother **Terry** (52-57) is with Mr. Tisdale, importer and pays us frequent visit. We understand he is in the C.M.F. Commandos.

Father Arthur Ryan (30-33) called in to see us last year when down from Mackay, Q'ld., where he is busy on parish work.

Our old friend **Lloyd Ryan** (53-56) turns in to see us whenever he comes to town from the home property "Glandore" near Wagga. He can't come too often, as far as we are concerned.

Ian Saddington (52-56) called in to see us early this year, looking "a ball of muscle". This no doubt is explained by the fact that he and his brother **Michael** (51-56) — "Monsieur" — are now working — (and we mean "working") — "Bonny Rigg", near Quirindi. We hope for a visit from Michael before long.

We understand that **John A. Saleh** (55-57) is doing a vigorous course in station and wool work at Haddon Rigg, Warren.

Francis Van der Smagt (51-52) returned from England last year and is still interested in tea as we believe he continues to work with Liptons Ltd., Exporters of team from Ceylon (where F. spent his youth).

Jack Skuthorp (27-29) comes down every year (and is usually present at the O.I.U. General Meeting, with practical suggestions) — from "Moora", Coonamble. We were pleased to welcome to the Riverview Roll this year, his hefty son Greg.

Jack Slattery (90-97) was one of Riverview's old-time rowers who were very pleased at our win in the Head of the River race last year. It is known that in his day he never stroked a losing crew.

Congratulations and best wishes for happiness to **David Sloane** (46-50) and his bride Mary Taylor who were married at Riverview early this year. David is a qualified Chemist and, as well, is heading for graduation in Medicine. His elder brother **John** (46-49) finds the day too short for the work he has to do on "Strathlea", Cunnamulla, Q'ld., but he revels in life on the land. **Tom** (52-55) should, by now, be qualified as a Chemist. Good wishes to all three.

Kevin Slocum (32-39) Chartered Accountant, pursues his placid way with the firm of Bryan Rush & Co., Young St. He was once more elected this year to the Committee of the O.I.U. which body is glad to have his services. His brother **Frank** (32-39) Chemist, is at Yarralumla Canberra. **Dom** (28-34) is also a Chemist but we don't know his present address.

Our old friend **"Ral" Smith** (42-46) has been at work in his father's firm at Temora since he left us. We are not sure if he still keeps up his football. In the "Country" it is somewhat suicidal at times !

Ian Smith (53-56) is, we hear, with Vanderfield and Reid Co., Timber Merchants at Glebe. His brother **Lewis** (51-54) is with Employers Liability Assurance Co. in town and attends all the Main O.I.U. and College fixtures of the year.

Geoff Smith (36-42) is due for another visit to 'View. He is prospering on his property "Nandillyan Heights", Molong (and incidentally has an experts' eye for a good horse).

Brendan Russell-Smith (43-51) has been attached to Sid Raper's Estate Agency at Caltex House for some years now.

Frank Smith (31-35), Solicitor has been in practice at Dubbo for several years. His son Stephen is now completing his third year at Riverview.

The **Spora** brothers — **John** (47-53) and **Philip** (47-53) stick close to their work on "Windourong", Gulargambone, these days but call in whenever they "strike" Sydney.

Philip Spry-Bailey, B.Sc., B.Econ. (47-50) has been with the Vacuum Oil Company practically since he graduated. He was married at Riverview last year and looks a very happy man.

Ossie Stenmark (16-17) has done great work in bringing the Old Boys' Bowling teams to their present standard. The O.I.U. Bowls Club is increasing its membership every year. Ossie,

Dental Surgeon, has been practising at Bankstown for years. His son, **Tony** (39-44), Solicitor, also practises at Bankstown. **Jim** (36-42), Dental Surgeon, has been practising at Wagga for several years and is chief organiser of the O.I.U. reunion there.

John Stevens (53-58) since leaving us at the end of 1958 has taken up the Pharmacy Course. He is with Mr. Larkins, Chemist, Macleay St.

John Stinson (47-52) is doing Mechanical Engineering and is always "present and correct" at the Union and College functions. No one more welcome.

It was a great sorrow to us when we received news of the untimely death last February of **Tony Strain** (40-46). His death was quite unexpected by his parents to whom Riverview offers sincere sympathy as well as to his brother **Clem** (42-49) who is doing his Law Course in town.

Desmond Stratton (14-15) is a well-known figure at Cootamundra where he looms large in business circles.

David Stratton (43-48) as far as we know from fairly recent news, runs a property near Gunnedah — but the name escapes us.

John Sullivan (26-31), as you know, is Managing Director of J. J. Sullivan Pty. Ltd., Sussex St. His Son, **John V.** (50-55) is to be congratulated on securing his B.A. degree and on completing his first year in the Law Course on April 6th this year. **Joe** (28-32) continues to prosper on St. Antoine, his property at Cassilis.

Dr. Arthur Sullivan (14-16) was at the Migration Office, Australian Embassy, Rome at our last news and might be back in Australia at the end of this year.

Jim Sullivan, Snr. (14-17) carries on as a curator of Cricket fields in many parts and comes to 'View occasionally. **Jim, Jnr.** (39-41), Solicitor, practises at Blacktown and **John** (41) is with Westray Engineering Co., Caringbah.

Manus Sullivan (18-21) lives at Arcadia, but we are not quite sure of his daily activities.

Bill Sulway (14-15) will meet you at the annual O.I.U. Dinner and during the football season. His son **Rex** (45-47) is a Health Inspector and his other son **Martyn** (52-54) is doing the Medical Course.

We met **Philip Sydenham** (53-57) and his brother **Brian** (53-56) at the Swimming Carnival this year when they swam well in the Old Boys' race. They work with their father at Coal and Candle Creek.

Peter Talty (55-57) has begun, this year, we hear the Pharmacy Course. His brother **Michael** (50-55) has been at work for some time now, with Lysaghts Ltd. in Newcastle. Martin is still at Riverview.

Dr. Michael Tarlinton (45-49) spent a couple of years at the Royal Hobart Hospital but this year has been at work at the Royal Women's Hospital, Sydney and will later go to Crown St. He now rejoices in two children (a boy and a girl). His brother **John** (49-53) is steadily leaving behind him the Exams. of the Medical Course in Sydney.

Edgar Temple (53-57) since he left us has been studying Accountancy with a city firm.

We were very pleased this year when **E. R. (Ned) Theodore** (27-35) brought his son Edward to join the Riverview "family". Ned was elected for the O.I.U. Committee last February. He and his brother **John** (27-31) are in business in the City.

We hope that **Peter Thom** (51-53) is nearing the end of his Medical Course. The first three or four years are the worst, they say !

Bill Thomas (50-51) who was married at Riverview last year, has well settled down to Real Estate work with L. J. Hooker & Co. His brother



THE WINDING LANE COVE RIVER.

Richard (50-54) according to our latest news is completing the second year of the Dentistry Course.

Brian Thornton (48-54) is another O.R. nearing the end of his Law Course with Freehill, Hollingdale & Page in the city. **Barry** (47-52) must be close to the end of the Engineering Course at the University of Technology. Both brothers pay us frequent and very welcome visits.

We were sorry to hear that **Alec Thynne** (82-89) a brilliant oarsman (at Riverview and Inter-State) of the old days died early this year.

Warren Tisdale (53-58) left the L.C. Exams. behind him last year and since then has been at work in his father's importing business. Much missed on the football field this year.

Michael Tomaszewski (50-54) should be completing his Course of Architecture at the University this year. His visit to Riverview is definitely overdue !

Frank Towner (43-44) took to Accountancy some years ago and is on the staff of Bryan Rush & Co., Young St., City.

We nearly started praying for the happy repose of **Dr. Des Trainor** (15-17) when we couldn't find him at his usual Macquarie St. address, but were pleased to see him at the Annual O.I.U. Dinner at Riverview on May 17th. He is now at work in the Department of Public Health.

Anthasius Treweek (24-28) is Senior Lecturer in Greek at Sydney University. He owes us a visit — for sure !

The **Tully** (brothers and cousins) continue to flourish in the Quilpie, Q'ld. district — **Jack** (23-27) and his son **John** (51-56) on "Yambutta" Station; **Paul** (33-36) on "Pinkilla"; **Francis** (23-25) on "Ray"; **Hugh** (31-34) on "Congie"; **Joe** (24-31) on "Raymore"; and **Cameron** (36-39) on "Naretha". All these stations carry (to our ideas) fantastic acreages.

Bruce Tweedy (28-30) is now caring for sheep and cattle on "Boomerang" Capella, Central Queensland and enjoying good seasons, he says **Roy** (27-28) is still on the land near Moree.

His Lordship, Bishop A. Tynan (24-25) has a very busy time looking after the Diocese of Rockhampton and does not have much chance of coming south, but we hope to welcome him one one day.

John Tysoe (47-49) still carries on his daily work with the Commonwealth Bank in Sydney. His brother **Bill** (51-55) joined the Farmers and Graziers on leaving Riverview. Neither have been to see us for a considerable time. Our loss !

Ewald Uechtritz (33-38), Engineer, is a busy man these days in Germany. He attended the Geophysics Year Conferences at Amsterdam and there met an old friend, Dr Keith McManis, who is attached to the Australian Embassy. **Alf** Uechtritz (37-40) is thriving on the home property ("Sum Sum") at Kokopo, New Britain, T.N.G. We would very much like to meet these brothers again.

David Vaughan (57-58) left us last December after the L.C. Exams. and is now at work in the Valuer-General's Office in town.

Father Frank Vavasour, S.J. (13-18) has been Rector of Stonyhurst College, Lancashire for six years and last September passed on the responsibility to another; but we think Fr. Frank is still at the College for which he has done so much. We have had no news of his brothers lately.

Chris. Veech (97-00) retired recently from "Ulalli" Station (Wellington) and has his home now at Dee Why.

Dr. Mick Veech (99-04) puts in unexpected visits now and then at one or other major College fixture. He has been practising in Macquarie St. for years.

Bert Veech (01-06), Veterinary Surgeon, of long years standing, has more or less retired from active practice and lives, hale and hearty on "Yarrabundy", Wellington, N.S.W. which is worked by his two sons, **Bernard** (40-53) and **Bryan** (40-47). We were sorry to have missed Bernard who was with us on Regatta Day. (He now rejoices in two promising daughters). **Nicholas Veech** (06-09) has left "Remuera", Wellington but still engages in primary industry at "Allendale" (via Orange). **Les Veech** (06-09) is, as usual, active on "Mountain View", Wellington. A great "tribe", these Veeches.

Our old friend **Pat Veech** (20-27) came back hale and hearty from his trip to Lourdes (— and Ireland !) last year and has since been at work on his property "Quilbone", Quambone. He has quite a large family to interest him too. We offer him our sincere sympathy on the death of his father last June.

Joe de Viana (53-54) should be near the end of his Engineering Course at the Technical College. His brother **Robert** (52-56) is with one of the Sydney branches of the Commercial Bank.

Richard Walker (54-58) and **Peter** (53-56) after leaving Riverview (to our regret, by the way) are back at work on "Ledgeworth" Station Yass. We still have two brothers here — Terry and Michael.

John Walker (54-57) is wrestling with the Exams. of the Medical Course. Despite the fact that "casualties" are heavy in Med. I, as many

know to their cost, we have confidence in his final success.

Bill Wall (47-50) is now Accountant with Rycoles Ltd., Roseville. (Time Bill dropped in !). **Peter** (54-56) is doing Accountancy with Bowes and Craig, Chartered Accountants, Martin Place.

James de B. Wall (44-46) is with the Dominican Fathers preparing for the Priesthood. **Peter** (44-47) was representing Waugh & Jones Ltd. at Deniliquin and Hay when we last had news of him. **David** (50-54) is with the Port Moresby Steamship Trading Company.

Jack Walsh (20-23) has been working a farm at Jaspers Brush for several years. He is well overdue for a visit up our way

R. B. ("Bat") Walsh (21-27) whose son Sean is at Riverview, has been teaching at the Randwick High School for a long time and pays us periodic visits.

Reg. ("Rowena") Walsh (20-21) was one of many O.R.'s at the Tamworth reunion in September and looked very hale and hearty. He has a property ("Spring Ridge") some 60 miles out from Tamworth.

"Thos." Ward (49-54) is now in the final year of his Law Course and hasn't a worry in the world — (except, maybe, his young brother, now at Riverview '). We see him frequently.

Dr. Ralph Weaver (10-14) one of the first boys we met at Riverview more years ago than we like to look back on, still practises at Sherwood, a Brisbane suburb. His son **Peter** (39-43), Chemist, has his pharmacy at Gatton, not far out. **Cecil** (08-11), Estate Agent, operates at Forbes and **Ted** (12-17), similarly occupied, has now, we hear, left Coolah and has his office in Sydney.

The last news we had of **Tony Westblade** (44-48) was that as a Dental Surgeon he is in charge of the Miners' Dental Clinic at Wonthaggi, Victoria.

Peter Weston (49-55) has not been down our way much this year. He's working hours are taken up on "Daledmund", Nymagee, N.S.W.

Peter Whealy (50-54) who used to "reach for the stars" at the Riverview football line-outs, has finished his Pharmacy Course as far as the University is concerned and has yet to pass the Pharmacy Board Exam. before "setting up" on his own account.

We frequently see **Jack White** (24-28) whose son Peter faces up to the L.C. Exams. at Riverview this year, is a Metallurgical Chemist. He never misses any of our yearly fixtures. Always a welcome visitor.

We still wonder when we shall once more set eyes on our old friend **Dr. Bill Whitling** (36-40) who has been practising for some time now at Kiama. (We hope he takes the hint !).

George Wilkins (43-47) is, as usual, working at Wellington, N.S.W. in his father's business (Land Agent and Valuer). George always looks us up when in town. Ever welcome.

We sometimes see **Tom ("T.C.") Williams** (50-54) but, of course, not often, because he is now deep in his studies for the priesthood at St. Patrick's College, Manly. He carries all our best wishes.

Johnny Williams (49-54) doesn't often come to the "big smoke" but we see him when he does. He is at work on the home property, "Devon", Somerton. His brother Wayne keeps up the name at Riverview.

Rev. William Wootten, S.J. (39-46) who joined the Riverview staff last year, is still with us and, of course, quite at home at "the home from home" !

Father Brian Yates (42-47) who was ordained last year has, this year, been doing Parish work at St. Dominics, Flemington. His brother **Noel** (43-48) is a Dental Surgeon and practised at Eden, last year, until a few days after his marriage, when he went overseas for a couple of years experience.

John Youll (38-40) and **Brian** (43-45) are Solicitors in practice with their father at Newcastle. **Dickie** (45-52) must be near the end of his Law Course which he resumed after dropping it for a short period.

We have seen very little of **Ken Young** (09-11) this year. He retired some time ago from the C.S.R. Co. with whom he had been for many years. He has done valuable work in his day for the O.I.U.

Albie Zions (33-34) was elected Hon. Secretary of the Old Boys' Union this year and has been business-like and most efficient in that exacting position. We are lucky to have him on the Executive. His brother John (34) is in business in the City.

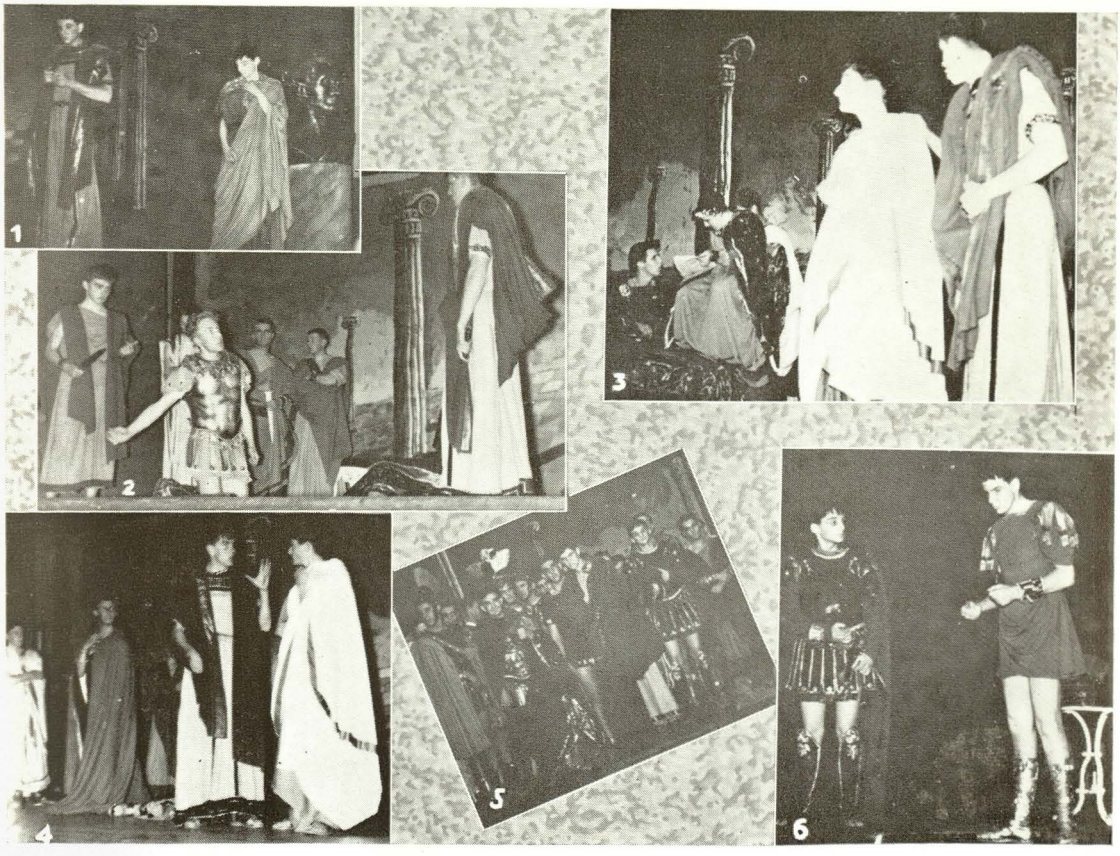


Julius Caesar

by William Shakespeare

Presented by the
LEAVING CERTIFICATE CLASS

On August 16th, our 'resurrected' Drama Society presented William Shakespeare's 'Julius Caesar' to a hall of students, parents, critics and Old Boys. The play had last been performed in 1955, and since that time, no serious attempt had been made to present a Senior play. This year, however, after the idea had been enthusiastically upheld, we faced many difficult tasks. We had no 'experienced' actors, no stage properties, and very few productive ideas. Yet, through the untiring spirit of 'Trial and Error', which filled every member of the cast, through the generous help we received from the Elizabethan Theatre Trust, and through the hard work and diligent example of Mr. A. Gallagher, our producer and inspiration, we produced, I feel, a play which was easily worthy of the standards set by Senior Boys in other years. The real reason for whatever success we enjoyed was probably the 'Life' which actors gave their characters. The danger in a play which is often produced is that the characters become stodgy and hackneyed. The reality of the acting in our 'Julius Caesar' was exceptionally praiseworthy. Jerome Flynn, as Cassius, never let his character slip below the standard he set in the 'persuasion' scene, and at time was brilliant. Scott Mitchell, in a new 'serious' role played Mark Antony with



JULIUS CAESAR.
1. Brutus (A. Whealy and Cassius (J. Flynn). 2. Antony's Message, Messenger (A. Quain), Brutus (A. Whealy). 3. "Cassius, be constant"; Antony (S. Mitchell); Caesar (D. Ell). 4. "I know not what may fall" (Antony, Brutus, Cassius). 5. Group scene. 6. Cassius and Brutus. The Quarrel.
(Photos — C. Flynn).

good insight and sincerity. His speech in the forum was particularly moving. David Ell, as Caesar, acted brilliantly, presenting a character, almost likeable, almost detestable, but very human. In the minor roles, the work of Mark Raper as 'Decius' and the work of David Johnson as 'Octavius' were both particularly good. Mark Raper was, perhaps, one of the most natural actors in the cast. All the other actors deserve great praise. The crowd effects, led by P. Bookallil and D. Darcy were, at times, overwhelming. It would be unfair, however, to try to congratulate all the cast singly. The ovation given by the audience at the end of the performance did this very well. Our thanks go to our lighting experts, dressers, stage removalists and all who helped so obligingly in the preparation. We are mainly grateful to Mr. Gallagher, to whom we, afterwards, presented a wallet, for his fine work and example. It was through him that the concept of a Shakespearean Play for 1959 was brought to a reality and successful fruition.

—A. Whealy.

The players in order of appearance:—

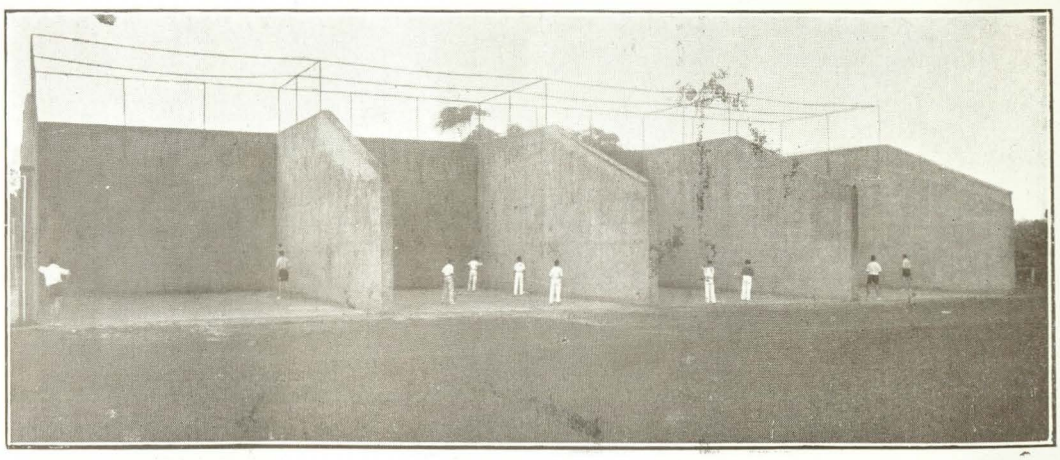
FLAVIUS ..... John Thorpe
MORULLUS ..... Michael Deloughery
Two Citizens Michael Glasheen, Peter McCarron
SOOTHSAYER ..... William Cummins
JULIUS CAESAR ..... David Ell
BRUTUS ..... Anthony Whealy
CICERO ..... Victor Edwards
CASSIUS ..... Jeremy Flynn
DECIUS BRUTUS ..... Mark Raper
ANTONY ..... Scott Mitchell
CASCA ..... Michael Conrick
LUCIUS ..... Peter Roland-Bower
CINNA ..... Anthony Herbert
METELLUS CIMBER ..... Richard Roberts
TREBONIUS ..... Charles Hayes
Servant to Caesar ..... Mark Williams
PUBLIUS ..... Denis Pearson
LIGORIUS ..... Richard Chalmers
ARTEMIDORUS ..... John Conlon
LEPIDUS ..... John Plummer
POPILIUS LENA ..... Geoffrey Meagher
Servant to Antony ..... Adrian Quain
Servant to Octavius ..... John Maher
OCTAVIUS ..... David Johnson
TITIMUS ..... John Maguire
MESSALA ..... Robert Fagan
LUCILIUS ..... Philip Bookallil
PINDORUS ..... Kerry Corcoran
CLITUS ..... William Nevill
DARDONIUS ..... Christopher Haseler
VOLUMNIUS ..... Brian Walker

Citizens — Peter Cornwall, John Burke, Brian Johnson, Michael Loneragan, Hugh Moore, Bryan O'Halloran, Thomas O'Sullivan, Peter Quinn, John Sherwood, Terence Vandeleur, Darcy Hall, Fraser Johnston, Peter Kirby, Peter Lubrano, Colin Rickard, Brian Donovan, Anthony French, David D'Arcy, Richard Rowe, Peter White.

Scenery designed by Mrs. R. King, executed by Miss B. Saul and the Rev. A. J. Healy.

Music and sound effects: Dr. R. King.
Lighting: Paul Jackson & Geoffrey Ferguson.
Costumes & Properties: The Australian Elizabethan Theatre Trust.
Programme: Michael Glasheen.
Stage Director: The Rev. Z. Pilsyk, S.J.
Produced by A. M. Gallagher, Esq.

The action takes place in Rome and near Philippi



USING SPARE ENERGY.

Debating

First Division Debating Society
Chairman: Rev. G. F. Jones, S.J.
Senior Team: A. Whealy (Leader), S. Mitchell, P. Jones.

Careful direction and preparation at the hands of Fr. G. F. Jones, S.J., Mr. W. Wootten, S.J. and Mr. Gallagher, paid dividends on June 5th when our Senior debating team met Sydney High School in the first debate of the **G.P.S. Competition.**

Our representatives were A. Whealy (leader), S. Mitchell and P. Jones. The Adjudicator, Mr. Riley, had chosen the topic for debate which was that **"Patriotism is outmoded".** Sydney High defended the motion, Riverview opposing.

The adjudicator pointed out a discrepancy between the three S.H.S. speakers who nevertheless debated eloquently and logically. He said that the Riverview speakers showed more teamwork. He awarded the debate to Riverview by a narrow but decisive margin. S. Mitchell was declared the best speaker of the evening and P. Jones (making his debut in G.P.S. debating) did himself and the team much credit. We look forward hopefully to our next debate.

(A. Whealy).

(We may mention in passing that the Bellarmine Society has been very active during the year — due mainly to the hard work of Fr. Jones and Mr. Gallagher who deserve special thanks for giving so much of their time to the debates which were held nearly every Friday. The best of these were two very spirited ones:— "Love makes the world go round" and "Beauty is in the eye of the beholder").

The Competition continuing, we met **Shore** at Riverview on June 26th. The motion which was supported by Shore, was that **"Australia should look to Asia rather than to Europe."** It was a fruitful, well-chosen subject. The Shore debaters spoke ingeniously arguing that Asian countries offered a Challenge to Australia, not in rivalry but as a vast field ready for development. Australia and Asia, growing up together, it was to our advantage to have such a powerful ally so near our shores.

The Riverview team pointed out the Communistic tendencies of the Asian countries pledged to destroy us in any way they could and that Australia has a definite repulsion to the coloured races, especially the unfriendly and Communistic ones.

The Adjudicator, Dr. Ryan, gave his verdict to Riverview, by the traditional "narrow margin".

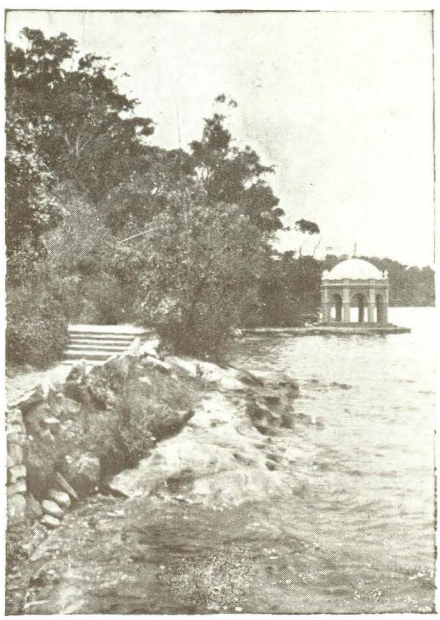
(R. Quinlan.)

Lawrence Campbell Oratory Competition

This annual Competition was held at the Sydney Grammar School on the night of July 10th. There were 9 entrants from G.P.S. and other Sydney Schools. Our representatives, Anthony Whealy (leader of our Senior Debating team) won this Competition and is to be congratulated on his fine delivery.

Our last debate before the finals or semi-finals in the Competition, was with **Sydney Grammar School.** Our team was, as usual, composed of A. Whealy, S. Mitchell and P. Jones.

The subject for debate was that **"Dictatorship is the most efficient form of Government".** The Riverview team defended this motion and A. Whealy opened with good definitions of the true conception of the word "efficient". He contrasted the prompt and good decisions of a dictator with the slowness of a democratic gov-



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ernment, quoting historic and contemporary examples. The opposition claimed that such (dictators') decisions were often too impetuous and that the considered opinions of a large body of men were more likely to be accurate in theory and practice.

The respective leaders were ably supported by those that followed and the debate was very enjoyable. In his searching and concise summing-up, the adjudicator awarded the debate by "an almost inseparable" margin, to the opposition.

As a result of this debate Sydney Grammar and ourselves are level in the Competition and will shortly debate the semi-finals.

(R. Quinlan)

This semi-final debate was held at Sydney Grammar School on July 29th. The motion was that **"Our freedom is being lessened".** Sydney Grammar defended and we opposed the motion. Our team was the usual one (A. Whealy, S. Mitchell and P. Jones).

Much ingenuity was shown by each side in dealing with "being lessened", and the "welfare state" as opposed to Dictatorship and Communism was shrewdly discussed. The adjudicator, Dr. Ryan, awarded Riverview the debating honours, mainly owing to better team-work.

We now await the final debate — with St. Joseph's College. (R.Q.)

We met **St. Joseph's** in the final debate on the night of July 31st. The subject was that **"A thing of beauty is a joy forever".** St. Joseph's defended the motion against our team (A. Whealy, S. Mitchell and P. Jones).

A "thing of beauty" argued St. Joseph's, was something material, and, although "beauty" takes many forms, it contained three elements in varying proportions — wholeness, existence and symmetry. It was therefore, not ephemeral and consequently a joy forever.

S.I.C. on the other hand, quoting St. Thomas Aquinas, held that beauty is in the eye of the beholder. It is only beautiful when appreciated. Tastes and fashions vary so much, that a thing (by definition) may be alternatively beautiful or unappreciated.

The debate was argued out on logical lines by each side. However, both the adjudicators (Mr. Ryan and Mr. Forester) argreed that St. Joseph's College would retain the Debating Shield for the next twelve months.

(R. Quinlan)

Although for the second time, we failed to win our final debate, we can truly say that this season has been most successful.

Our success has been due to the wonderful work of our two coaches, Father Jones, S.J. and Mr. Gallagher. They have both been an inspiration to the team during the whole season and we extend to them our deepest gratitude.

I should also like to thank the other two members of the team, Scott Mitchell and Pat Jones who have been wonderful to work with and who gave everything required of them without complaint.

Our congratulations, of course, go to St. Joseph's College, the winners of the Debating Shield for 1959.

(Anthony Whealy)

The Bert Norris Medal for Senior Debate has been awarded this year to **Anthony Whealy.**

Second Division Debating Society
Chairman & President: R. Quinlan.
Secretary: P. Jones.

A debate was held on Friday, March 13th, the motion being that **"Australians should return to the land".**

Speakers in favour of the motion were M. Darmody, G. Greisser, and R. Chisholm. They were opposed by T. Hartigan, G. Windsor and W. Beerworth.

The teams failed to really come to grips on the motion. However in the summing-up speeches there was some really good form shown. The Adjudicator (Fr. Jones) awarded the debate to the opposition by a margin of two points and declared G. Windsor the best speaker of the evening. He secured 36 out of a possible 40 points.

(Ross Quinlan)

The motion on April 10th was that **"Television does more harm than good".** This motion was upheld by P. Jones, F. McInerney and M. Garling. They were opposed by R. Chisholm, B. Kinsella and W. Beerworth. M. Garling held that Television diverts man's mind from more useful intellectual pastimes. B. Kinsella made a very good maiden speech and, with W. Beerworth, strongly attacked the argument of their opponents. Fr. Jones, who adjudicated, awarded the debate to those affirming the motion by a margin of two points.

(Ross Quinlan)

On June 12th the motion debated was that **"Tradition is the enemy of progress".** The teams were: For the Government: R. Quinlan, S. Walsh and D. Aaron. For the Opposition: J. Willis, P. Beaumont and H. Moore. Debating was light and pleasant, somewhat spoilt by the restless and noisy audience — a fact stressed by the adjudicator (Fr. Jones). The teams followed a few "red herrings" instead of keeping to the motion.

The debate was awarded to the opposition by 7 points. The adjudicator declared that the leader of the Government was the best speaker.

(R.Q.)

June 26th: The motion for debate was that **"We spend too much time at School".** This was defended by P. M. Darmody, T. Beckett and R. Chisholm and opposed by P. Chatfield, G. Windsor and D. Eastman.

The arguments on each side were a trifle naive but speakers backed up their respective leaders and the debate was a success. "Questions from the House" were seaching and enjoyed by all. Fr. Jones (adjudicator) awarded the debate to the defenders of the motion by a small margin and commended the audience on its attention.

(R. Quinlan)

CITY OF SYDNEY EISTEDDFOD

Our team was composed of Brian Donovan, Ross Quinlan and Pat Jones.

We debated with **Sydney Boys' High School** on August 31st, the motion, which we defended, being that **"The Human Race is degenerating",** and won the debate, the points being **S.I.C.** 251; **S.H.S.** 244. Individual points were: B. Donovan, 80; R. Quinlan, 79; P. Jones, 72.

On September 4th we met **Camperdown Boys' High School.** The motion was that **"Hollywood is a blot on civilization".** We opposed this motion, (proving that the rest of civilization was equally black) — i.e., there was no blot ! We won again: S.I.C. 219; C.H.S. 207. Points here were: B. Donovan, 70; R. Quinlan, 76; P. Jones, 73.



THE SENIOR DEBATING TEAM.
P. Jones, A. Whealy, S. Mitchell.

We won by a forfeit on September 10th against "Anonymous".

We met **Fort St. Girls' High School** next, the subject for debate being that **'Co-existence is not peace".** This debate we lost by 9 points: Fort St. 250; S.I.C. 241. B. Donovan, 79; R. Quinlan, 82; P. Jones, 80.

A Colour team debate was held on September 25th, the motion being: **"Danger is the spice of life:** The "Reds" (G. Griesser, S. Walsh and T. Winn) proposed the motion and were opposed by the "Blues" (M. Darmody, G. Windsor and J. Willis). The adjudicator awarded the debate to the "Blues", their arguments, he said, being more to the point. Debating was of good standard.

(R. Quinlan.)

Another Colour debate was held on October 2nd — between the "Whites" (R. Chisholm, I. Horsley and G. Mackintosh) and the "Blacks" (P. Jones, R. Quinlan and D. Eastman). The motion, defended by the "Whites", was **"Safety First"** and was successfully defeated by the "Blacks" who were adjudged the more fluent speakers.

(R. Quinlan)

Further debates in Second Division are listed as we go to press and we regret our inability to record them.

The G. E. Flannery Prize for Junior Debate has been awarded this year to Patrick Jones.

Third Division Debating

Roger Williams, Mark Emery, George Atkin and **John Flynn** generously acted as chairmen for our debates in which many speakers showed excellent technique, some combining this with fluency and rhetoric of a high degree, while good team-work was noticeable in several debates. This skill was due to the wholehearted spirit in which these speakers worked with Fr. Jones whose searching mind and powers of vivid description showed how powerful speech can be.

Seconds

3/7/59 — Railway is the best way.

Govt. (White): Messrs. Kesteven, Bye, Flynn.

Opp. (Blue): Messrs. McKenzie, Keighery, Tancred.

The best speech was Mr. McKenzie's opening one. The Govt. had the audience travelling in England, Germany and Italy, while Mr. Flynn and Mr. Tancred told us of their own harrowing journeys in N.S.W. It was a close debate, the Opposition lacking a sufficiently clear and positive case.

17/7/59 — The dog is man's best animal friend.

Govt. (Red): Messrs. Greiner, Rogers, Stewart.

Opp. (Black): Messrs. Herlihy, Connelly, McLuckie.

The Govt. was well prepared and defeated a team which was poorly prepared, and which allowed the Govt. to avoid the difficulty of the word "best". Mr. Connolly in a fighting tone strongly attacked the Govt. and forcefully presented his own team's case in favour of the horse, but Mr .Greiner's flowing tongue and superb speech in reply were unbeatable.

Firsts

10/7/59 — Speech is man's mightiest weapon.

Govt. (Black): Messrs. Giblin, Hartcher, Bagot.

Opp. (Blue): Messrs. Russell, Brown, J. Buckingham.

This was a disappointing debate, the Government failing to present speech as a weapon and the mightiest of weapons, while the Opposition similarly failed with their counter proposal of writing. It was stimulating, however, to hear Mr. Hartcher's sprightlyness and Mr. Buckingham's persuasiveness. The debate was awarded to the Government largely because Mr. Bagot, though somewhat indirectly, came to the point at issue.

7/8/59 — Olympic Games should cease.

Govt. (Red): Messrs. Parbury, Rixon, Edwards.

Opp. (White): Messrs Atkin, Hamilton, Williams.

The athletic Government found it hard to argue against their own inclinations, and Mr. Atkin led his team to a grand victory dismissing fights and political tensions as rare in an atmosphere of friendly rivalry, while Messrs. Hamilton and Williams gave us a march past of patriotism, culture, migrants, internationalism, and commercial exploitation of the stadiums.

As we go to press some finals have yet to be decided. If possible, they will be added.

The J. J. B. Kinkead Memorial Prize for Third division debate has been awarded to George Atkin.

Obituary

Alexander W. Thynne (1882-1889)
John B. Carlton (1887-1889)
Thomas D. Roche (1891)
Dr. Justin McCarthy (1904-1908)
Thomas Corcoran (1908-1915)
Dr. Charles Fitzgerald (1918-1920)
William Fennell (1918-1921)
Eric Langley (1921-1924)
John B. Parsonage (1923-1930)
Philip Sheridan (1924-1928)
Anthony Strain (1940-1946)

ALEXANDER WILLIAM THYNNE
1882-1889

At the beginning of the first term of 1882 Alexander William Thynne came to Riverview from Brisbane. He soon entered into the life of the College where he won the respect of all.

On the sporting side rowing attracted him. He was in the crew that defeated the Geelong Grammar School on the Lane Cove River in October, 1889.

After completing his College course he studied law.

He rowed in the 1894 Queensland Eight stroked by B. J. Beirne and in which crew Jack Davidson rowed bow.

Being admitted as a Solicitor in 1897 he commenced practice in Cairns. After a short period he moved to Maleny, and then to Nambour, where he continued to practise until he retired in 1950.

He pioneered the town of Nambour, established the hospital, the Ambulance, the town Library, the town planning Committee, the Show and the water supply. As Chairman of the Shire Council he introduced the first road-grader. As one of the oldest residents said: "He gave much to the world and his fellow man, and sought nothing in return." He edited the Nambour Chronicle for seventeen years and was the first Chairman of the Queensland Country Press Association formed in 1907. He was also the father of the Co-operative movement on the North Coast.

Leading a very active life, and being a good citizen during his fifty years residence in Nambour, he was held in high regard by all who met him.

He died in Brisbane on the 23rd of January, 1959, aged 87 years.

He married twice. He is survived by his widow and two sons and three daughters of his first marriage.

They are Theo Thynne (Architect, Brisbane), Ivo Thynne (Manager Commonwealth Bank, Tamworth), Mrs. Neil Cochrane (Ilfracombe), Mrs. M. Drewe (Head Mistress, Morton Bay Girls' High School) and Miss Lucy Thynne, to whom we offer our sincere sympathy.

JOHN BEDE CARLTON
1888-1889

John Bede Carlton was enrolled at Riverview in 1888. He quickly adapted himself to College life winning the high esteem of all. Among the various sports rowing had his preference. He was number three in the crew that beat the Geelong Grammar School on the Lane Cove River on the 5th October, 1889.

After leaving Riverview he became a Real Estate Agent. Auctioneer, and Valuer, and as such entered into partnership with his uncle carrying on business in Lismore under the name of Carlton and Carlton. In 1947 his nephew Bede Clarke joined the firm, the name being changed to Carlton & Clarke.

He served a term as Mayor of Lismore in 1911.

He was regarded as one of the leading land valuers in New South Wales, becoming a Fellow of the Commonwealth Institute of Valuers, and was instrumental in forming an association which obtained a differential rating of urban lands.

For many years he was Chairman of the Board of Directors of St. Vincent's Hospital, taking an active part in the building of the new hospital. He also did important work for St. Joseph's Hospice, the new St. Carthage School, and other parochial works.

He ranked as an intimate friend of the first Bishop of the Diocese the late Bishop Doyle, and was a trusted Counsellor of the late Bishop Carroll and of Bishop Farrelly.

In 1950 Pope Pius XII created him a Knight of the Civil Class of St. Gregory the Great.

He died in Lismore on the 7th February, 1959, aged 88.

A Requiem Mass was celebrated in St. Carthages Cathedral, at which Bishop Farrelly presided.

Representatives of the professional and business sections attended the large funeral.

His wife and one daughter predeceased him.

He is survived by daughters Mrs. C. K. Simpson (Broadwater), Mrs. D. J. Kissane (Sydney), his sisters Miss Agnes Carlton (Chatswood) and Sister Brigid (Good Samaritan Convent, Arncliffe), to whom we offer our sincere sympathy.

THOMAS D. ROCHE
1891

On July 5th this year passed to his reward Thomas D. ("T.D.") Roche father of Jim Roche (22-26) and his late brother Neville (22-27), at the ripe age of 85. He had spent but one year at Riverview, having previously been at St. Patrick's College, Goulburn and St. Joseph's, Hunters Hill.

He was one of Goulburn's oldest and most valued citizens and spent the greater part of his life in that district on his property, "Meroo" which has been in the family for more than 100 years. He is survived by 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. During his life-time he maintained a keen interest in every form of sport and was president and patron of many sporting bodies in the district.

He was always an exemplary Catholic and a foundation member of the Holy Name Society. His kindness and generosity to these less fortunate than himself were proverbial and he will long be remembered for his many fine qualities.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at the Cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul. The choir of O.L.M.C. sang the Mass — as a tribute from the College where his daughters were educated. His funeral was very largely attended by his relatives, friends and by many who held him in the highest esteem.

We offer our sympathy to his surviving children, especially to Mrs. O'Dea (Sydney), Mrs. Lees (Gundaroo) and to our old friend Jim Roche. May he rest in peace.

DR. JUSTIN McCARTHY
1904-1908

A prominent member of an old Riverview family passed away on January 22nd this year, in the person of Dr. Justin McCarthy, at St. John's Hospital, Goulburn.

Justin spent five years at Riverview. A lively, cheerful character, he was always prominent in the School's activities. He was a member of the Council of the Senior Sodality, a Committee member of the First Division Debating Society, spent four of his five years in the College orchestra and played for the First Eleven in 1906-07 and 08 winning the medal for the senior bowling average. He came second in the final College Examinations and in the Tennis Championship.

He began the Medical Course in 1909 and spent most of his professional life at Goulburn where, in later years he was joined by his eldest son, Dr. W. (Bill) McCarthy.

Another son Bob, has been a busy Solicitor at Crookwell for many years and two younger sons Justin, Jnr. and John are in business in Sydney, the former in the Valuer-General's office and the latter with Farrelley Bros., Distributors.

Dr. Justin did not visit Sydney very often. He was devoted to his Goulburn practice and earned golden opinions for his attention to his patients.

Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at St. Peter and Paul's Church, Goulburn by Rev. Fr. Conway, Administrator and his funeral which was attended by a very large number of priests, nuns and general public was in charge of Monsignor Fevier who recited the last prayers at the graveside.

Our very sincere sympathy goes to the surviving members of his family. His death was announced and prayers asked for his eternal repose at the Boys' Mass in Riverview.

—R.I.P.

THOMAS CORCORAN
1908-1915

Anyone meeting Tom Corcoran at the O.I.U. Reunion in Canberra on May 9th this year would have pronounced him as physically fit and healthy as he was 30 years ago. In fact, that is exactly what we did. Imagine then our distress and shock when we learnt of his sudden death less than a week later from a completely unexpected heart attack.

Tom spent eight years at Riverview and gradually became "part and parcel" of the School, being affectionately known as "Dad". He took his share in everything that made up School life, was one of the Senior debaters, coxed several of the crews at College regattas and was Captain of the second fifteen.

He returned to Corcorans Plains on leaving Riverview and after some time took over the "Whareora" property close by, which he developed until he married — 18 years ago — Miss Mary Dargan of "The Elms", Binalong where he lived happily until his untimely death. He and his wife made several trips overseas but whenever he passed his annual holidays in Sydney he never failed to pay us a welcome visit. Never have we known a "boy" who changed less with the passage of the years. Always



TOM CORCORAN.

cheerful and ready to do others a good turn when occasion offered, he naturally made a host of friends wherever he was, and his death came as a great shock to everyone in his wide surroundings.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was said at the Parish Church of Binalong by Monsignor Cahill and the funeral, very largely attended by surviving relatives, personal friends and people of the district by whom Tom was well known and respected for his sterling qualities, moved to the local cemetery where he was laid to rest, Monsignor Cahill officiating at the graveside.

Many have lost a reliable and valued friend. His Riverview contemporaries will sorely miss him and will join with us in offering our sincere sympathy to his wife, his brother Russell and the other members of the Corcoran families. May his kindly, generous soul rest in peace. Riverview will not forget him.

DR. CHARLES FITZGERALD
1918-1920

Great sorrow came to large numbers of people in the Auburn district when it was known that Dr. Charles Fitzgerald had died suddenly in his surgery on March 20th this year. For many years he had been greatly beloved by the aged, the sick and the poor of the district. As one of his neighbours said: "the good he did by stealth will never be known and many will mourn the loss of a good friend."

He came to Riverview from "Kunderang", Armidale and while he was with us was very much respected and liked by both Masters and boys for his cheerful disposition and for his proficiency in studies and sport. He was a member of the Senior Sodality and First Division Debating Society. He was a prominent athlete too, breaking the School Broad Jump record with 20 ft. 6 inchs, winning the Senior High Jump and representing Riverview for two years, at the G.P.S. Athletics, coming 3rd in the open hurdles.

In his final year he was 5th in the Senior Class aggregate, getting full marks in Mathematics. That year (1920) he passed the Leaving Certificate Examinations and Matriculated. He then took up the Medical Course at the University and resided at St. John's College.

After graduation and the usual hospital work, he practised at Auburn succeeding his predecessor in the practice, Dr. Ludwig Hartum who, like Charlie, had a great reputation for his constant kindness to and care of the poor. He was not married and was 57 years old at the time of his death.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at St. John's Church, Auburn by Rev. Fr. Hickman assisted by Monsignor Cronin, Fr. Ryan and Fr. Slattery.

The nursing staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, led



DR. CHARLES FITZGERALD.

by Rev. Mother Peter (Rectress) pupils of St. John's Girls' School and of the Marist Brothers' School, formed a guard of honour outside the Church. Dr. Charlie's two nephews, Paul and John Carrick were the altar boys. Mourners filled the Church and many lined Queen St., Auburn, to pay a last tribute to a beloved doctor.

Assisting at his burial in the Catholic portion of Rookwood cemetry were his brother (Rev. Brother Gregory, O.S.A.), and Fr. O'Byrne, O.S.A.

Our sincere sympathy is offered to his family relatives in Moree and elsewhere. May he rest in peace.

WILLIAM FENNELL
1918-1921

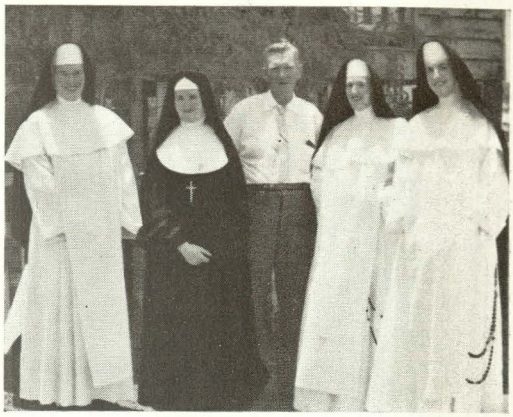
Many Old Boys of his years at Riverview will be sorry to hear of the death on May 1st at Barcaldine, Q'ld. of that well-known identity, Bill ("Hefty") Fennell.

During his four years at Riverview he soon made his presence felt, especially in sporting activities. He was a first-class handball player and many of his school-mates will recall the titanic struggle he had with Arthur Hogan for the title. He was also an enthusiastic footballer, playing with the first Fifteen in 1920 and 1921, his greatest triumphs being the winning of our matches against Grammar, St. Joseph's and the King's School.

Upon leaving Riverview, he took up the study of Medicine but soon found the call of the bush too strong and settled on "Bora", Brewarrina where his five daughters were born. (He had married Miss Kay McManus in 1928). He sold "Bora" in 1948 and took up grazing at "Maynard", Jericho, Q'ld. where he worked until his death last May. Four of his five daughters joined Religious Orders, the eldest choosing the Sisters of St. Joseph of California and the other three joining the Dominican Order of nuns. His other daughter (Janet) lives in Sydney.

A year or so ago he had had some heart trouble but it was not until the day before he died that his brother, Brian and family received word that his condition was serious. His brother flew up to Barcaldine from Brewarrina hoping to have a word with Bill before he passed away but arrived too late as he died at 4.30 a.m. on the morning of May 1st.

Bill died very peacefully, having received all the last Sacraments. Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was said the following morning in the Convent Chapel. His death was a great blow to his brother, for they had much



BILL FENNELL.
(With four of his five (Nun) daughters.)

in common and had worked together at Brewarrina for the greater part of their lives. It was sad news too for his five daughters, not to mention his wife who will feel lost without him on the property.

Bill never lost his interest in Riverview. He wrote interesting and regular letters inquiring about the activities of the School and was immensely pleased last year to know we had won the Head of the River.

His many friends will deeply regret his death at the comparatively early age of 54 and will greatly miss his happy laugh and cheery character.

Masses have been said at Riverview for his eternal repose and our old friend Bill will long be kindly spoken of and affectionately remembered. May he rest in peace.

(I. C.-T.)

ERIC LANGLEY
1921-1924

A very close friend passed away on May 10th this year in the person of Eric Langley. He had been in very poor health for many years and at various periods spent a long time in hospital. In recent years we met him but rarely it being almost impossible for him to visit us.

Eric, who spent four years at Riverview, though never very robust, played football for the Third Fifteen and cricket for the Fourth Eleven, but left Riverview before graduating to higher company. He was a member of the Second Division Sodality and was of a most cheerful, friendly disposition.

To be a friend of Eric was easy and once he gave his friendship it was forever. His letters always breathed a courageous, optimistic tone,

nor did he ever despair of his ultimate recovery from the painful, monotonous ailment which finally caused his death.

We shall always treasure his gentle, sincere friendship which never faltered, even in his worst days and Eric will not be forgotten at the altars of his old School.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was celebrated at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Avoca Street, Randwick on May 11 and his remains, after a private funeral, were laid to rest in the family grave at Randwick cemetery.

Our very deep sympathy is offered to his brother Warren and his other family relatives. May he rest in peace.

JOHN BERNARD PARSONAGE
1923-1930

Jack Parsonage's death in the Coast Hospital after a very short illness came as a great shock to his many friends, as he was only 47 years of age. He had attended the Old Boys' Dinner at Riverview on May 17th and seemed then to be as well as we had ever known him to be.

During his last days at the hospital he was quite conscious and confident of his recovery, but he passed away on June 13th fortified by all the last Sacraments of his Church.

He came to Riverview in 1923 with his elder brothers, Tom and Cyril. During his eight years at the School, he was overshadowed by Tom as an all-round sportsman, but despite this, he was a very good performer himself. As a cricketer, he was an excellent bat, a fair bowler and threw well from the outfield. I think his best batting performance was against St. Joseph's who had compiled a large total against us. His score of 170 enabled us to win the game. At football Jack played as a centre three-quarter as a rule. A memory I have of his school football was in a game against Sydney Grammar School on the Sydney Cricket Ground. This competition game was used as a "curtain-raiser" to a Rugby Union International fixture. The Grammar full-back had kicked the ball up-field and followed after it. Riverview indulged in some quick passing and at half-way, Jack burst through and had a clear run to the line. He was surprised to find himself so much alone and slowed-up near the "25" to have a look round ! Then he hurried on, to score between the posts, making victory secure for his team.

Leaving School, he played first grade cricket and football for Manly and he was in the surf crew of the Collaroy Life Saving Club. He did a course of Wireless Telegraphy and when the last war broke out he joined the Navy. He was at Broome when it was raided, receiving bullet wounds in his forearm and wrist. When undergoing treatment for these wounds, he met his future wife. They were married about a year later.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was said at the Church of the Holy Family, Maroubra, by Rev. Fr. Hudson, P.P., after which prayers were said by Rev. Fr. J. Casey, S.J., Rector of St. Aloysius College. Fr. Casey also said the final prayers at the graveside in the Northern Suburbs Cemetery where Jack was laid to rest.

He was a quiet, sincere type of man and was a credit to his family, his School and his Church. Jack was well known, as were his brothers, to a very large circle of Riverview boys, all of whom will deeply regret his untimely death. To his wife and family, relatives, we extend our very sincere sympathy.

(J. P. Sullivan.)

PHIL SHERIDAN
1924-1928.

Riverview lost one of its most loyal Old Boys by the death of Phil Sheridan on the 27th July this year.

He came to us in 1924, being the eldest son of William Sheridan, one of Riverview's pioneers of 1884, when the College was but four years old. Phil took an active part in all the activities of College life and was a member of First Division Sodality in 1927 and 1928. He was also a very prominent sportsman, in 1927 playing in the 1st Eleven and the second fifteen. In 1928 he was in the first for both cricket and football. In the football team he was a very astute and efficient five-eighth, in which position by a remarkable coincidence his only son Paul was to represent his school twenty-nine years later.

After leaving school Phil embarked upon the profession of the law, and settled in Kempsey, for a good many years in partnership with his brother Dick, where he soon established a reputation as an extremely thorough and good Solicitor.

He also established a thriving family of one son and five daughters, his only regret which he often expressed, being that he had only one son to send to his Alma Mater. Fortunately he was spared in time to see Paul follow in his own foot-steps and develop into one more Sheridan of whom his old school can be proud.

Always very loyal to his old school Phil was a Life Member of the Old Boys Union and took a keen interest in all its activities in spite of

(owing to his domicile) being prevented from attending many city functions.

During the last two years of his life he developed a sickness which must have caused him continual anxiety but this suffering was borne by him without a word of complaint.

Requiem Mass for the repose of his soul was said by Monsignor T. Morris, assisted by Rev. Father Daley at All Saints Church, and he was laid to rest at West Kempsey Cemetery. The attendance at his funeral was one of the largest and most representative seen in Kempsey for many years.

To Mrs. Sheridan, to his son Paul, to his daughters Miriam, Patricia, Judith, Joan, Philomena and his brothers Dick, John and Tom (all old Ignatians) we offer our deepest sympathy. His name is an honoured one at Riverview and he will not be forgotten.

R.I.P.

M.G. (26-31).

ANTHONY STRAIN
1940-1946

It is difficult to realise that that cheerful, indeed lovable boy Tony Strain has been taken from us at such a very early age. Though he spent seven years at Riverview, he never really seemed to grow up but every time we met him after he left school he had the same bright boyish manner we always knew. His death came to us as a great shock.

Of a rather nervous disposition, he led a quiet, unobtrusive life, especially after leaving Riverview. He spent a year as book-keeper on Pinkilla Station, Quilpie, with Mr. Paul Tully (43-48) and then returned to Singleton where he assisted his father in the conduct of the Caledonian Hotel.

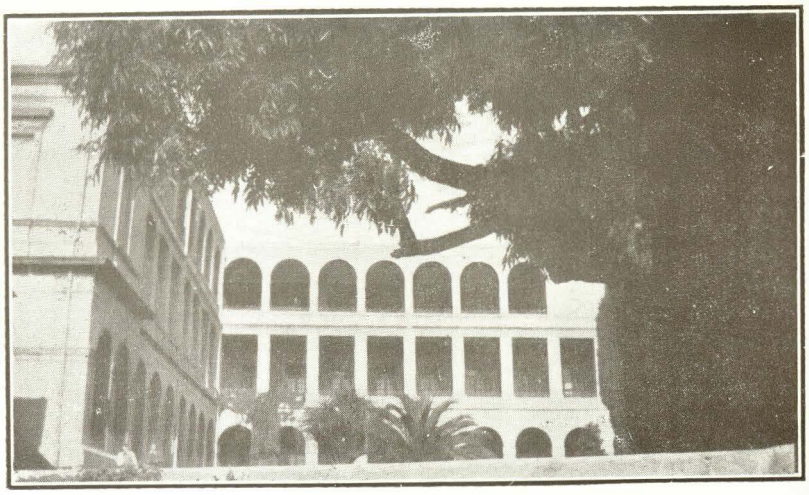
Very early in February he came to Sydney for a thorough examination in the Clinical Research Ward at Sydney Hospital. Taking a turn for the worse his father and mother came to Sydney to be near him, but found him unconscious—a state in which he remained for a fortnight. Everything possible was done for him, without avail and he died calmly and peacefully, leaving to mourn him beside his parents and his brother Clem, a host of warm friends. To know Tony was to like him.

His remains were brought back to Singleton and met at the train by his father, brother and three close friends including Mr. Bernard Drinan (whose family has been closely associated with the Strains for about 60 years). The procession to St. Patrick's Church, Singleton, was led by Rev. Fr. T. M. Purcell, Parish Priest, who recited the appropriate prayers before the High Altar. Fr. Purcell had offered a special Requiem Mass for Tony's soul at St. Augustine's Church, South Singleton, the previous day.

On the morning of the funeral, Fr. Purcell again said the Requiem Mass and later officiated at the church and graveside. The Legion of Mary, of which Tony was a member, recited the Legion Prayer and the St. Vincent de Paul Society led the Rosary in the cemetery. The Legion of which Tony had been previously the Secretary was well represented at the funeral.

Our deepest sympathy goes to Mr. and Mrs. Strain, as well as to Tony's brother Clem and sister, Barbara.

May his good, cheerful soul rest in peace. His death we fell as a big personal loss.



A FAMILIAR CORNER.

Sodalities

THE SODALITY OF OUR LADY

First Division)

Office-bearers:

Director: Rev. A. D. Roset, S.J.

Prefect: Anthony Herbert.

Secretary: Anthony Whealy.

First Assistant: Brian Walker.

The Spirit of the Sodality this year has been particularly good. Fr. Roset, who took over from Fr. Smith as Director, has successfully interwoven into the Spiritual Foundation of the Sodality, a practical programme which has interested and profited all members and aspirants. Our Spiritual duties this year have included talks from Fr. Director ranging from "self-denial" to a "Catholic's part in the World"; reading of the little office of Our Lady; two very helpful days of Recollection held by Fr. Dalton, S.J. at "Canisius" College, Pymble; and culminating in a membership of fourteen permanently consecrated Sodalists, an increase of eleven over the whole year, and ten temporary members.

Fr. Director has also organised a far-reaching programme for our business meetings. We had talks from Fr. Dalton, S.J., and Martin Davey, the former telling us of the ideals of the Sodality, the latter explaining to us the Newman Society. Occasionally we had discussions on topical subjects, e.g., "books" and "parties", which helped members gain confidence in expressing their own views, as well as strengthening their principles on important matters.

The groups this years are to be congratulated on running the C.T.S. Room, running a Film Night, and of course, successfully and profitably aiding the work of the "Indian Bazaar."

Fr. Roset has always kept before our minds, the seriousness and permanency of the Sodality and has constantly urged us to remember our devotion to Our Lady in the Sodality as the time draws near for us to leave Riverview.

—A. Whealy, Secretary.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Spiritual Director: Rev. A. D. Roset, S.J.

President: Peter McCarron.

Secretary. Charles Hayes.

Treasurer, Richard Roberts.

Vice-President, Mark Williams.

A record number of fifty-four members attended the Monday night Meetings regularly this year. Five members visited the Mater Hospital about four times each Term. Brother Roger Fagan gave a very interesting lecture on the Life and Works of Frederic Ozanam in July, and a small Group were present at the Annual Festival Meeting at Ashfield. They reported back to our Conference at the next Meeting, and spoke most enthusiastically about the efficiency of the Festival Meeting. At the Indian Bazaar in September, our Junior Conference ran the concert and make £57. The secret collection was improved, but the Poor box is still our main source of income. Brother David Ell was most successful in selling second-hand books, and a group of Brothers collected and sold many empty bottles. Another section sold buttons for the Spastic Centre.

In the Third Term, we were honoured with a visit from the President of the Superior Council of Australia; Brother H. B. Boland gave us a most stirring account of the Society overseas.

The Annual Dinner and Concert to the men of the Matt. Talbot Hostel were held on November 11th. We provided and served Dinner, and then put on a friendly Concert.

Sums of money were sent during the year to the following Charities:—

St. Edmund's School for Blind Boys, St. Catherine's Orphanage, Brooklyn, Foundling Home, Waitara, St. Joseph's Girls' Home, Lane Cove, St. Gabriel's, Castle Hill, N.S.W. Aged Pensioners, North Sydney, Civilian Maimed & Limbless Association, Franciscan Missionaries of Mary, The Children's Medical Research Foundation, and The Daughters of Charity.

We are very pleased to hear that Brother Austin Quilty is President of the Northern Suburbs Conferences and we are hoping that he will visit us at his old School in the near future.

—Charles Hayes, Secretary.

SACRED HEART SODALITY

(Second Division)

Director: Father J. Drury, S.J.

Prefect: Thomas O'Sullivan.

Secretary: Ross Quinlan.

Treasurer: Bruce Duhigg.

Council: J. Winn, S. Walsh, G. Greisser, D. Dempsey.

At the close of another year, the Second Division Sodality has again been crowned with success, both spiritual and temporal. With Father Drury at our head we have moved one



FIRST DIVISION SODALITY.
Back L.-R.: J. McDermott, D. D'Arcy, D. Johnson, V. Edwards, A. Quain, W. Nevill.
2nd Row: M. Conrick, D. Foley, E. Murphy, C. Wilson, G. Meagher, J. Taylor, M. Raper.
Seated: R. Stack, T. Carver, B. Walker, A. Herbert, T. A. Whealy, S. Mitchell, J. Flynn.
In Front: J. Walsh.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

more step towards our goal:—"May I ever be a victim consecrated to Thy glory, ever burning with the flames of Thy Divine Love and entirely penetrated with it for all eternity."

A high standard has been required of candidates and only fourteen were received into the Sodality at a Reception on the Feast of the Visitation. A few more are to be received in October.

Due to our numbers, four groups were formed at the beginning of the year. These were: The Mission Group, The Sacred Heart Group, Our Lady's Group and a new one, the Blessed Sacrament Group.

The Mission Group led by T. Winn, has had a very satisfactory year, especially financially. Altogether it has profited by over twenty pounds, through its many raffles and its "Money Hoopla" at the Bazaar. However, it has not been at all spiritually dormant. Second Division has been kept very up-to-date by the Mission Notice Board.

The Sacred Heart Group with the encouragement of G. Greisser, has also been keen on its work. There have been many talks of high standard on subjects ranging from Evolution to the Rosary, delivered both by the group leader and the members.

Our Lady's Group has a time-honoured reputation for intense internal activity — a reputation not denied by this year's Group. Under the wing of Sean Walsh, this branch of the Sodality has held several debates and all members have given talks.

The Blessed Sacrament Group has been quite noticeably active around the Division. It launched a crusade, under the supervision of Ross Quinlan, to have the sign of the Cross made more correctly — teaching more by good example. It has had formal discussion on diverse subjects, applying mainly to life after school, and has

planned a stage production which (we hope), will appear in December.

The Sodality has met in the First Division Library once a week as far as possible. Our Director, Father Drury, has delivered many interesting lectures on all aspects of life. He has striven especially to train us in the practice of daily mental prayer for at least five minutes, in charity and self-denial and in addition, of course, to the regular worthy reception of the Sacraments. He has constantly encouraged, taught and advised us, tending to all our spiritual needs.

This record cannot be estimated as complete, as, apart from all the smaller activities in which the members have co-operated, we have a full two months to look to the future before we close the minutes of the year. Until that time, we confidently anticipate the continuity of this Sodality work, under our motto "Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam".

—Ross Quinlan.

JUNIOR SODALITY OF OUR LADY

(Second Division)

Secondary Title: The Sacred Heart.
Director: Fr. K. J. Carroll, S.J.
Prefect: D. Garnsey.
Secretary: M. O'Connell.
First Assistant: D. Giugni.
Second Assistant: D. O'Connor.

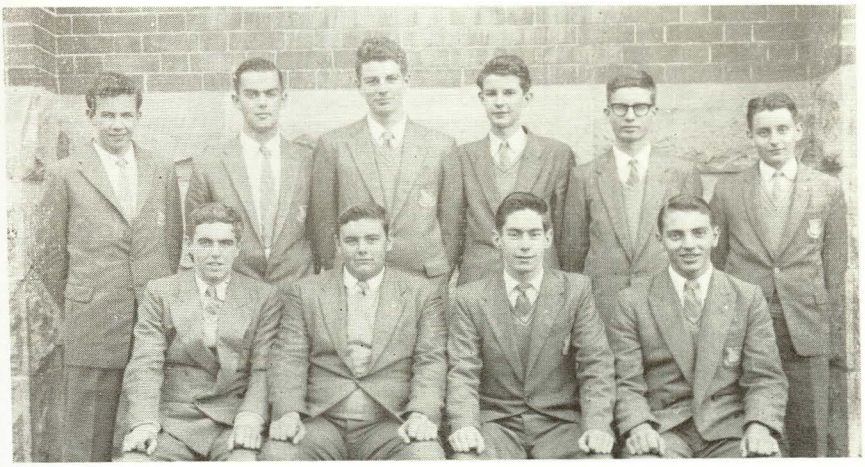
When it was decided to establish a special Junior Sodality for the Second Division dayboys, the Director addressed all Second Division dayboys in the Chapel on the nature and duties of the Junior Sodality and the response for membership was excellent. By second term the sodality was well under way and attendances at the meetings, held each Wednesday, during the Lunch Break, were excellent. A great enthusiasm marked the early meetings and it is hoped to establish various sections. Participation in the Indian Bazaar was well supported. A reception of members was held in October. Officials are to be thanked for their zeal and co-operation and the Sodality promises to be a great recruiting ground for the Senior Sodality.

THE HOLY ANGELS SODALITY

(Third Division)

Director: Father C. Fraser, S.J.
Prefect: T. O'Neill.
First Assistant: R. Harpham.
Second Assistant: P. Coates.

This year has been a very busy one for the Third Division Sodality of the Holy Angels.



FIRST DIVISION DAY BOYS' SODALITY.
Back L.-R.: P. Curtis, R. Curtin, T. Collingridge, I. Joyce, B. Clark, P. La Fontaine.
Seated: P. Finn, J. Collins, M. Collins, R. Moses.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Once again, Father Fraser was our Director and at the first meeting of the Sodality, T. O'Neill was elected Prefect, R. Harpham First Assistant and P. Coates, second Assistant.

As there were only eight members at the beginning of the year, Father Fraser called for aspirants from the boys who were in the Division last year.

We had an election on the 15th of June and twenty-two new members were elected. They were received into the Sodality on June 21st.

Late in the second term, Father Fraser called for new aspirants from the other boys in the Division. Thirty-two new boys applied and will be received on the Feast of the Holy Angels.

The following boys were received into the Sodality on October 4th:—

R. Braham, P. Cameron, R. Campbell-Jones,



SECOND DIVISION SODALITY.
Back L.-R.: G. Darmody, R. Chisholm, M. Beston, S. de Sousa, R. Hoeben, T. Kelly, B. Roche, I. O'Rourke, M. McGrath, P. Beaumont, J. O'Brien, C. Fisher, J. A. Dalton.
2nd Row: M. Pirola, J. Drury, N. Harpham, P. Hayes, J. Willis, G. Mackintosh, J. Loneragan, P. Adams, J. Carver, K. Reddan, C. O'Neil, M. McInerney, J. Holley.
Seated: J. R. Dalton, M. Moore, T. Meagher, T. Winn, G. Griesser, P. Meagher, T. O'Sullivan, R. Quinlan, S. Walsh, M. Coyle, D. Dempsey, A. Chan, P. Fitzgerald.
In Front: G. Windsor, J. Flanery, M. Talty, W. Hedger,, F. McInerney, P. Flynn, A. Parker, M. Scott, C. McCarron. (Photo — Melba Studios).

R. Clifton, J. Dalton, C. Davidson, A. Dick, C. Enright, J. Graham, A. Hamilton, G. Harrigan, P. Kearney, N. Larkins, T. Lefevre, P. McCarthy, M. McGlynn, G. McGrath, K. Mitchell, R. Nolan, J. Oxenham, C. Price, L Richardson, N. Shannon, V. Tang, I. Tonking, C. Williams, P. Witts.

—R. Harpham (Secretary).

JUNIOR SODALITY OF OUR LADY

(Third Division)

Secondary Title: The Holy Angels.

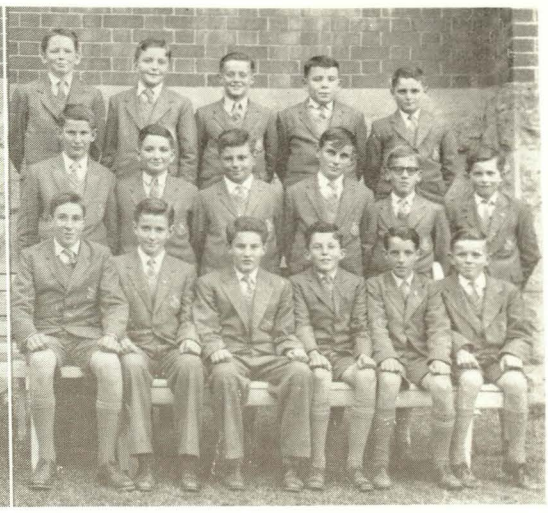
Director: Fr. K. J. Carroll, S.J.
Prefect: Paul Keighery.
Secretary: Denis Bergin.
1st Assistant: C. Rogers.

To launch the Junior Sodality for Third Division dayboys, the Director addressed all the Third Division dayboys in the chapel on the ideals and membership of the Sodality. The response was excellent and it was decided to hold the meeting every Monday during the lunch break.



THIRD DIVISION SODALITY.
Back L.-R.: P. Mackintosh, M. Bull, F. Fletcher, W. Edwards, P. Carroll, A. Kirby, G. Atkin.
2nd Row: W. Moulder, R. Williams, D. P. O'Brien, B. Ferguson, G. Ward, T. Mann, M. Montgomery, P. Dwyer, J. Jones, P. Johnson.
Seated: A. Enright, P. Ward, M. Mayor, R. Harpham, P. Coates, T. O'Neill, M. Lyons, B. Fagan, M. Emery, G. Hepworth, D. Giblin. (Photo — Melba Studios).





DAY-BOY SODALITIES.

Second Division:
Back: R. Letters, G. Hoy, E. Rushton, F. Ferrari.
Seated: R. Raper, D. Giugni, P. Garnsey, J. Baggett, P. Sheridan.

Third Division.
Back: P. Parbury, T. Bathurst, C. Rogers, D. Hayes, S. Nogrady.
2nd Row: M. Leonard, N. Greiner, G. Palmer, J. Tancred, D. Sutherland, G. Bagot.
Seated: D. Buckingham, D. Bergin, J. Kelly, J. Flynn, P. Keighery,, M. d'Apice.

(Photos — Melba Studios).

Elections were held and more detailed instructions were given on the rules, etc., of the Sodality. The main activities this year were, participation actively in the Indian Mission Bazaar and formation of an Eucharistic Section for training all members as regards serving at Mass and Benediction. It is hoped to further the "Crusaders" with an instruction from Father Roset and to let the Sodality run the Junior Section of the Pioneers.

DAY BOYS' SODALITIES

In General.

With the growth of the number of dayboys in the School, it was decided this year to set up Sodalities for all Three Divisions. Two Junior Sodalities of Our Lady were erected in Second and Third Division respectively.

THE SODALITY OF OUR LADY

(First Division)

Director: Fr. K. J. Carroll, S.J.
Prefect: John Collins.
Secretary: Matthew Collins.
Treasurer, 1st Assistant: R. Moses.

Early in the year the Director gave an instruction to all Dayboys in First Division, on the ideals and nature and rules of the Sodality.

A great help to members this year was the one-day Retreats given at Canisius College, Pymble and these retreats were a great help in fostering the spirit of the Sodality and especially helpful as regards the daily duty of Mental Prayer. The First Division Sodality found an outlet for their zeal in helping the Annual Indian Mission Bazaar held at the College. New members were received in October. Fr. Wilkins, S.J., the National Director addressed the sodalists on his return from a Sodality Convention in U.S.A. It is hoped to have a talk from Father Dalton, S.J. again this year when he will invite those members leaving School to transfer to the Past Pupils Sodality.

THE PIONEERS

(Pioneer Total Abstinence Association of the Sacred Heart)

Director: Fr. K. J. Carroll, S.J.
President: M. Dureau.
Secretary: Geoffrey Meagher.
Treasurer: T. O'Sullivan.
Council: B. Johnson, A. Quain, P. White.

Addresses were given by the Director to the Boarders and Dayboys separately on the nature of the Association, its ideals and obligations. The response was satisfactory during the year and the Association continues to grow steadily. It is hoped to organise the Junior Section through the Junior Sodality of Third Division, and the success will promise much for the senior "Heroic Offering" section in years to come.

A word of congratulations to the members for their zeal and especially for their understanding of the motives of the devotion to the Sacred Heart as practised by the Association. Receptions were held during October and the Council and officers of the Association are to be congratulated.

Swimming

Interest was centred this year on the Swimming Carnival held at the Olympic Pool, North Sydney on February 25th. The programme lasted from 7.30 p.m. to 10.30 p.m., the School going to the Pool by Ferry.

The racing — and diving — were very interesting and kept the attention of a large number of parents and Old Boys, many of whom could not have attended had the Carnival been held in the morning.

Events and results were as follow:—

1. 50 Metres Freestyle — Open:

A Grade: G. McCormack, 1; R. O'Malley-Jones, 2; F. Johnston, 3; B. Walker, 4; R. Pfafflin, 5; M. Raper, 6. Time: 35-1/10 secs.

B Grade: K. Corcoran, 1; G. Hepworth and M. Dureau, 2; P. McCarron, 4; R. Rowe, 5; A. Herbert, 6.

C Grade: P. Roland, 1; A. McCormack, 2; R. Roberts, 4; P. Kirby, 5; R. Marr, 6. Time: 40 secs.

3. 50 Metres Freestyle—Under 15:

A Grade: W. Morley, 1; T. Kelly, 2; S. Smith, 3; P. Hughes, 4; S. Rankin, 5. Time: 34.7 secs.

Grade B: J. Cassidy, 1; C. O'Neil, 2; J. Holley, 3; M. Garling, 4; J. A. Burke, 5. Time: 35.6 secs.

C Grade: C. Dureau, 1; P. Ryan, 2; W. Fanning, 3; P. Clifton, 4; P. Fitzgerald, 5. Time: 38.9 secs.

D Grade: T. Beckett, 1; G. Darmody, 2; W. Williams, 3; C. Kayser, 4; J. Baggett, 5. Time: 43.8 secs.

4. 50 Metres Freestyle—Under 14:

A Grade: W. Moulder, 1; T. Kelly, 2; R. Connolly, 3; F. Quirk, 4; D. Eastman, 5. Time: 34.5 secs.

B Grade: R. Clark, 1; A. Ozoux, 2; C. Thompson, 3; M. Lyons, 4; B. Kinsella, 5. Time: 44.1 secs.

C Grade: S. Lusher, 1; McDonald, 2; J. Dalton, 3; T. O'Brien, 4; R. White, 5. Time: 46.5 secs.

D Grade: R. Corcoran, 1; R. Harpham, 2; C. Fisher, 3; J. Parker, 4; T. Cunich, 5; R. d'Apice, 6. Time: 38.9 secs.



AT THE SWIMMING CARNIVAL.
Recorders. At the Finish. Spectators.

2. 50 Metres Freestyle—Under 16:

A Grade: G. Mackintosh, 1; S. Rankin, 2; G. Meagher, 3; P. Renshaw, 4; P. Meagher, 5; J. McDermott, 6. Time: 31.8 secs.

B Grade: T. Meagher, 1; J. Kemp, 2; D. Foley, 3; B. Boardman, 4; J. Krivanek, 5; Q. Leeder, 6. Time: 33.7 secs.

C Grade: A. Shanny, 1; J. Wansey, 2; D. Glasheen, 3; P. Flynn, 4; T. O'Sullivan, 5; J. Willis, 6. Time: 37.9 secs.

D Grade: C. O'Hanlon, 1; R. Stack, 2; M. Coyle, 3; D. Bruce, 4; N. Harpham, 5; B. Coughlan, 6. Time: 36.4 secs.

5. 50 Metres Freestyle—Under 13:

A Grade: M. McCormack, 1; R. Williams, 2; T. Oxenham, 3; J. Rixon, 4; A. Kaldor, 5. Time: 36.9 secs.

B Grade: D. Bergin, 1; M. Montgomery, 2; J. Lynch, 3; I. Brennan, 4; P. Bamford, 5. Time: 41.4 secs.

6. 25 Metres Freestyle—Under 12:

A Grade: L. Clark, 1; J. Hughes, 2; P. Loneragan, 3; R. O'Brien, 4; J. Tancred, 5. Time: 17.8 secs.

B Grade: R. Preiss, 1; K. Morton, 2; K. Lynch, 3; P. Glasheen, 4; A. Kirby, 5. Time: 20.3 secs.

7. 50 Metres Backstroke—(2nd Division): G. Mackintosh, 1; S. Smith, 2; A. Shanny, 3; P. Hughes, 4; F. Quirk, 5. Time 43 secs.

8. 50 Metres Backstroke—(1st Division): F. Johnston, 1; B. Walker, 2; K. Corcoran, 3; G. McCormack, 4; M. Dureau, 5; M. Raper, 6. Time: 40.4 secs.

9. Diving—(Third Division): W. Moulder, 1; J. Oxenham, 2; R. Clark, 3; L. Clark, 4; M. McCormack, 5.

10 50 Metres Breaststroke—(Third Division): M. McCormack, 1; W. Moulder, 2; P. Hughes, 3; J. Rixon, 4; P. Ward, 5. Time: 52.6 secs.

11. 50 Metres Breaststroke—(Second Division): G. Mackintosh, 1; C. O'Neil, 2; P. Meagher, 3; P. Hughes, 4; P. Renshaw, 5. Time; 45.6 secs.

12. 50 Metres Breaststroke—(1st Division): G. McCormack, 1; M. Dureau and A. McCormack, 2; F. Johnston, 4; P. Roland, 5; R. O'Malley-Jones, 6. Time: 42.6 secs.

13 Club Relay Race—Third Division—4 x 50 M. Blue, 1; Black, 2; White, 3; Blue, 4.

14. Diving—Second Division: D. Glasheen, 1; A. Mann, 2; P. Flynn and S. Smith, 3; W. Morley and G. K. Meagher, 5.

15. 100 Metres Freestyle—Open:

A Grade: G. McCormack, 1; F. Johnston, 2; R. O'Malley-Jones, 3; A. McCormack, 4; P. Kirby, 5. Time: 1 min. 14.9 secs.

B Grade: M. Dureau, 1; K. Corcoran, 2; G. Hepworth, 3; P. Bookallil, 4; P. Kirby and B. Clark, 5. Time: 1 min. 22.6 secs.

16. 100 Metres Freestyle—Under 16:

A Grade: G. Mackintosh, 1; P. Meagher, 2; G. K. Meagher, 3; Q. Leeder, 4; J. McCormack, 5. Time: 1 min. 17.9 secs.

B Grade: M. Connolly, 1; D. Foley, 2; C. O'Hanlon, 3; M. Azar, 4; K. Reddan and J. Mitchell, 5. Time: 1 min. 22.9 secs.

17. 100 Metres Freestyle—Under 15:

A Grade: T. Kelly, 1; S. Smith, 2; P. Hughes, 3; F. Quirk, 4; W. Morley, 5. Time: 1 min. 19.5 secs.

B Grade: J. Cassidy, 1; W. Fanning, 2; P. Ryan, 3; C. O'Neill, 4; J. A. Burke, 5. Time: 1 min. 30 secs.

18. Diving—First Division: A. McCormack and F. Johnston, 1; M. Dureau, 3; R. O'Malley-Jones, 4. D. Foley, 5.

19. Club Relay Race: 4 x 50 M. (2nd Division): White, 1; Red, 2; Black, 3; Blue, 4; Black, 5.

20. Club Relay Race: 4 x 50 M. (1st Division): White, 1; Red, 2; Black, 3; Blue, 4. Time: 2 min. 16.8 secs.

21. 50 Metres Freestyle—Old Ignatians: P. Handran-Smith, 1; P. Sydenham, 2; B. Sydenham, 3; J. Potter, 4; B. Kemp, 5.

22. Diving Exhibition: A brilliant exhibition of high and trick diving was given by Mr. Jack Barnett and two of his pupils. Some of the dives were really breath-taking and were a real highlight of the Carnival. Mr. Barnett is the Professional Diving Champion of Australia.

23. City v. Country Relay Race—3rd Division: Country, 1; City, 2; City, 3; Country, 4. Time: 2 min. 38.2 secs.

24. City v. Country Relay Race—2nd Division: Country, 1; City, 2; Country, 3; City, 4. Time: 2 min. 19.0 secs.

25. City v. Country Relay Race—1st Division: City, 1; Country, 2; Country, 3; City, 4. Time: 2 min. 16.4 secs.

The Life-Saving Races were abandoned to give time for the Diving Exhibitions.

GENERAL RESULTS

Inter-Club Competition

	Black	White	Red	Blue
First Division	34	53	61	4
Second Division ...	91	89	69	48
Third Division	47	23	23	29
Total	172	165	153	81

Swimming Champions

First Division — G. McCormack.
Second Division — G. Mackintosh.
Third Division — M. McCormack.

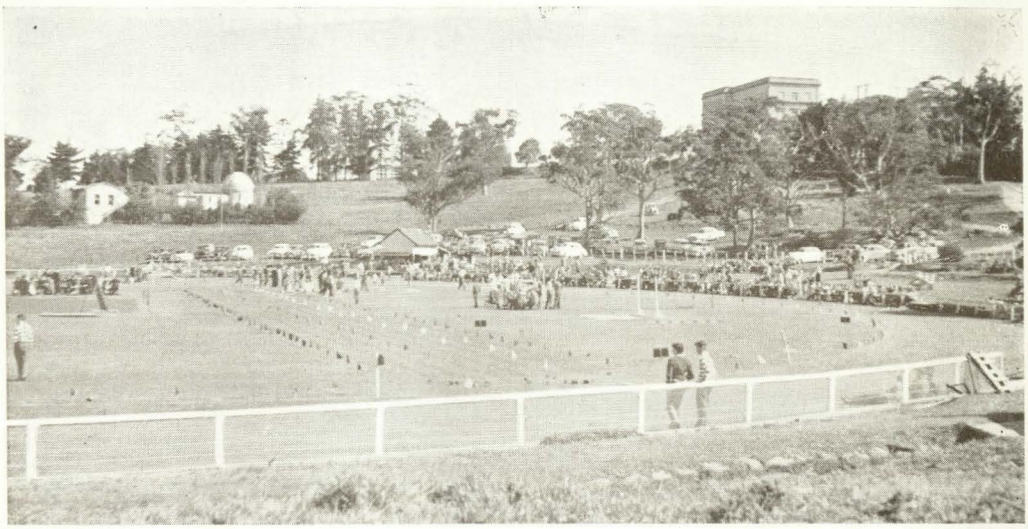
Diving Champions

First Division — F. Johnston and A. McCormack
Second Division: D. Glasheen.
Third Division: W. Moulder.

City — Country

First Division — City.
Second Division — Country.
Third Division — Country.

Athletics



Nineteen fifty nine athletic season was one of unprecedented interest and enthusiasm. In the preliminaries to determine Club Champions in age groups from Under 12 to Open more competitors than ever, especially in the senior groups entered events, and in the Open College Championship eighteen athletes gained points. John Thorpe eventually won by a point from Peter Kirby after every event had been keenly contested. Competition in other age groups was equally keen and results appear below. The College Sports programme has grown so much that two afternoons are now set aside for it, and this year the Sports were followed by two or three afternoons of cross-country running for all age groups.

Third term brought a meeting at St. Joseph's, the Ryde-Hornsby District Championships, the City-Country Meeting, two inter-school meetings at home, and finally the Combined G.P.S. Sports. In addition, Mr. Walsh, S.J., organised a special Pentathlon for Second Division which fired their enthusiasm. Athletes, including quite a number who could compete in other meetings but not in the G.P.S., trained hard, intelligently, and enthusiastically. The result was, of course, plenty of keen enjoyment, the building of good team spirit as well as improved individual performances, and a rewarding amount of success. Owing mainly to the Juniors and to wins in all relays from Under 13 to Open, the Ryde-Hornsby District Championship Shield was retained. The other meetings at St. Joseph's and at home gave plenty of encouragement and plenty of opportunity to athletes to take part — the important thing in this sport.

Second Division tipsters collected and collated results from here and there and by publishing them aroused enthusiasm for the G.P.S. meeting. There the Juniors completed the hat-trick, and the Seniors performed splendidly to compile 55 points, our second highest total. The seniors proved the value of conscientious training by everybody, even by those without much real chance of winning, because all their points came from "places" — a couple of them (John Thorpe's 100 and John Collins 880) very close to first ! In all events Junior and Senior at the G.P.S. Sports places were gained in 35 out of 43 events — an extraordinary performance for us.

Special tribute should be paid to Junior sprinters Peter Fitzgerald and Paddy Jones not only for their successes at all meetings but for their conscientious training, hard work, and willing co-operation. Paddy Jones played a proper Junior Captain's part by his example and enthusiasm. Other Junior runners who performed well and improved were:

Under 13 — Michael Gillan, Franklin Fletcher, Allan Kirby, Paul O'Brien, Ross Finley, John Mitchell.

Under 14 — Michael Montgomery, Denis P. O'Brien, Mark d'Apice (Dexter Giblin and Wally

Edwards did well but did not improve as much as was expected. We hope to see them come on next year !).

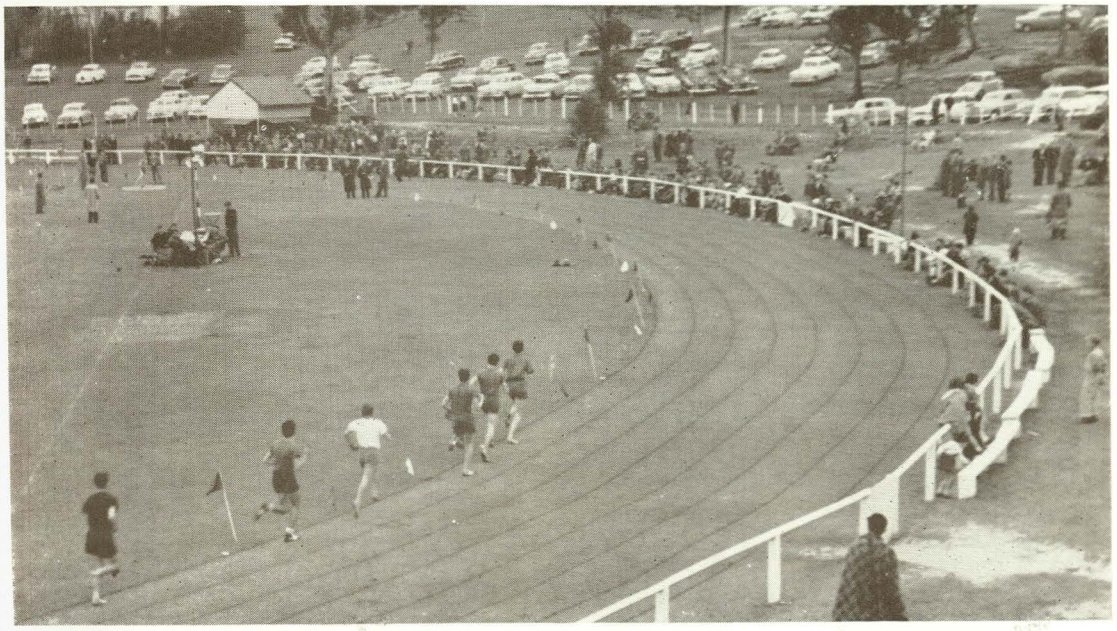
Under 15 — Monty Gildea, Paul Hughes, Antony Larnack, Chris Fisher.

Under 16 — John Willis, Tom Meagher.

Among the Open Sprinters John Thorpe began well with performances at the College Sports, then met with foot and ankle trouble, but finally nearly stole the Open G.P.S. 100 yds., finishing a very close second. Peter Kirby, Terry Carver (Capt.) and Geoff Knight all performed well on different occasions and with John Thorpe finished second in the Open relay. We had good reserves in Richard Roberts, Peter Lubrano, John Drury, Kerry Corcoran, Joseph Krivanek, Mark Maloney, and Ross Quinlan.

Mr. Walsh, S.J., inspired the jumpers to greater heights helping each of them to improve his performances. Peter Quinn improved from not qualifying in Under 15 to second place in Under 16. Robert Lachal, Terry Kelly, Nevill Harpham all showed the benefits of good coaching and proper training. Broad Jumpers, too, of all ages recorded improving performances.

Fr. Sneddon, S.J. continued to coach our hurdlers. Keenest among his squad was Denis P. O'Brien (U. 14) and his disqualification in his final run was as keen a disappointment to us as it was to him. Glen Mackintosh was the



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Victor Edwards, and John Taylor and we offer a special word of praise and thanks to the first two for training so earnestly and hard as reserves.

The distance runners led by Tony Herbert and "Matty" Collins, under the coaching and management of Mr. Healy, S.J. formed an enthusiastic, hard-working, courageous team and deserved every bit of success that came their way. In addition to the six G.P.S. Representatives, Tony Herbert, "Matty" Collins, Nigel Parbury, John Lyons, John McDermott, and John Carver (who ran a memorable race to win the Under 16 Diviison 880), regular distance squad members were Tony Hartcher, Victor O'Toole, outstanding hurdler, amazing all with an 11.6 secs. in the G.P.S. Under 16 to equal the record. Others in the squad to work hard were Gavin Hepworth, Robert Lachal, Paul Ward, Guy Bagot, Alan Kirby.

Shot Putters Geoff Knight, Fraser Johnston, Bill Nevill, Joe Krivanek, Peter Fitzgerald, Mark Pirola, Glen Mackintosh and others were under the care of Mr. Bruce, S.J. and although the only outstanding performer was Peter Fitzgerald (49 ft. 8 ins.) all showed improvement.

A report on the athletics would be incomplete without a word of thanks to our groundsmen Messrs. Kevin Jacobson and Eric Thomas for the improvements in equipment and general

layout. The School can justly feel proud of their work and so can they.

Our special thanks to Fr. Sneddon, S.J., Mr. Walsh, S.J., Mr. Bruce, S.J. and Mr. Healy, S.J. for their valuable coaching. Our thanks, too, to Mr. Pilsyk, S.J. for help with amplification wherever needed, and to all officials, Masters and boys, who have helped to make the various meetings so enjoyable.

—J. D., S.J.

Our Annual Athletic Meeting was held this year on Saturday, August 15th, and Sunday August 16th. Biting wind accompanied by sporadic rain somewhat interfered with the pleasure of each afternoon and also with times recorded. However the various events were keenly contested and the programme was successfully concluded.

The attendance of parents and visitors appeared to be smaller than usual although many of those present sheltered in their cars from the cold conditions.

Patron: Rev. Fr. Rector.

Referee: Rev. J. Drury, S.J.

Judges: Rev. K. Carroll, S.J., C. Haseler, J. O. Maher, D. Johnson, J. Maguire, A. French.

Time-Keepers: Rev. J. Doyle, S.J., Rev. C. Fraser, S.J., H. B. Kelly, Esq.

Starter: Rev. M. Pietzsch, S.J.

Check Starters: Rev. D. P. Walsh, S.J., Rev. R. Bruce, S.J., Rev. J. Healy, S.J.

High Jumps: Rev. D. P. Walsh, S.J., Rev. W. Wootten, S.J.

Broad Jump: Mr. Murphy, Rev. J. Healy, S.J., Mr. McCrossin.



SENIOR ATHLETIC TEAM.
Back, L.-R.: J. Lyons, M. Collins, G. Hepworth, R. Lachal, P. Kirby, A. Herbert.
Seated: G. Knight, T. Carver (Capt.), J. Thorpe, V. Edwards, J. Taylor.
In Front: N. Parbury.

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Shot Put: Mr. Kinnaird, Rev. C. Fraser, S.J.

Announcers: A. Whealy and S. Mitchell.

Recorders: S. Lister, P. McCarron, M. Dureau.

Hurdles and Track Stewards: D. Hall, P. Bookallil, J. Conlon, A. Quain, G. Ferguson, M. Cannon, D. Ireland.

Athletic Committee: T. Carver, P. Kirby, G. Knight, F. Collins.

THE PROGRAMME.

Open.

100 Yards (Championship): J. Thorpe and P. Kirby, 1; T. Carver, 3; J. Collins, 4. Time: 10.5 secs.

(Division): R. Roberts, 1; D. D'Arcy, 2; G. Hepworth, 3; W. Nevill, 4. Time: 11.1 secs.

220 Yards (Championship): J. Thorpe, 1; T. Carver, 2; P. Kirby, 3; J. Collins, 4. Time: 24.0 secs.

(Division): R. Roberts, 1; B. Johnson, 2; J. Plummer, 3; W. Nevill, 4. Time: 26.0 secs.

440 Yards (Championship): T. Carver, 1; J. Collins, 2; C. Rickard, 3; Gf. Meagher, 4. (J. Thorpe was first but was disqualified for changing course).

(Division): Black, 1; Blue, 2; Red, 3; White, 4. Time: 49.3 secs.

Champion Athlete of the College: J. Thorpe.

Division Seconds Champion: B. Johnson.

Inter-Club Champions: P. Kirby (Black), 1; J. Kirby (Blue), 2; J. Thorpe (Red), 3; T. Carver, (White), 4.

Cross-Country (4 miles): A. Herbert, 1; D. Payten, 2; J. Collins, 3; M. Glasheen, 4. Time: 24 min. 26 secs.

Under 17.

100 Yards (Championship): G. Knight, 1; P. Lubrano, 2; V. Edwards, 3; R. O'Malley-Jones, 4. Time: 10.8 secs.

(Division): J. Taylor, 1; J. Lyons, 2; K. Corcoran, 3; R. Hoeben, 4. Time: 11.5 secs.



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(Division): D. D'Arcy, 1; B. Johnson, 2; A. Payten, 3; W. Nevill, 4. Time: 56.9 secs.

880 Yards (Championship): J. Collins, 1; A. Herbert, 2; D. Payten, 3; A. Hartcher, 4. Time: 2 min. 6.9 secs.

(Division): B. Johnson, 1; M. Williams, 2; G. Meagher, 3; M. Glasheen, 4. Time: 17.9 secs.

Mile (Championship): D. Payten, 1; A. Herbert, 2; J. Collins, 3; J. Kirby, 4. Time: 4 min. 52 secs.

(Division): B. Walker, 1; B. Johnson, 2; M. Glasheen, 3. Time: 5 min. 30.4 secs.

Hurdles (Championship): P. Kirby, 1; G. Hepworth, 2; A. McCormack, 3. Time: 19.6 secs.

(Division): M. Conrick, 1; J. Plummer, 2; J. Hardyman, 3. Time: 20.9 secs.

High Jump: R. Lachal, 1; G. Hepworth, 2; P. Kirby, 3; R. Chalmers, 4. Height: 5 ft. 5½ ins.

Broad Jump: J. Thorpe, 1; P. Lubrano, 2; T. Carver, 3, P. Kirby, 4. Distance: 20 ft. 10 ins.

Shot Put: F. Johnston, 1; G. Knight, 2; W. Nevill, 3; P. Kirby. Distance: 38 ft. 9½ ins.

440 Yards Relay (Championship): Red, 1; Black, 2; White, 3; Blue, 4. Time: 46.3 secs.

220 Yards (Championship): G. Knight, 1; V. Edwards, 2; P. Lubrano, 3; R. O'Malley-Jones, 4. Time: 24.4 secs.

(Division): J. Lyons, 1; J. Taylor, 2; K. Corcoran, 3; J. Mitchell, 4. Time: 26.2 secs.

440 Yards (Championship): V. Edwards, 1; P. Lubrano, 2; J. Renshaw, 3; R. O'Malley-Jones, 4. Time: 54 secs.

(Division): J. Lyons, 1; V. O'Toole, 2; K. Corcoran, 3; D. Foley, 4. Time: 56.7 secs.

880 Yards (Championship): N. Parbury, 1; J. Drury, 2; R. O'Malley-Jones, 3; G. Canning, 4. Time: 2 min. 16.1 secs.

(Division): P. Curtis, 1; K. Corcoran, 2; V. O'Toole, 3; J. Burke, 4. Time: 2 min. 21.9 secs.

Mile Championship: N. Parbury, 1; J. Drury, 2; G. Canning, 3; J. Burke, 4. Time: 5 min. 7.9 secs.

Hurdles Championship: J. Lyons, 1; R. Lachal, 2; V. Edwards, 3; R. O'Malley-Jones, 4. Time: 19 secs.



R. LACHAL CLEARS THE BAR
at 5 ft. 7½ ins. (School Record).

High Jump: R. Lachal, 1; V. Edwards, 2; R. O'Malley-Jones, 3; J. Renshaw, 4. Height: 5 ft. 7½ ins. (Record).

Broad Jump: J. Taylor, 1; V. Edwards, 2; J. Renshaw, 3; J. Mitchell, 4. Distance: 20 ft. 10 ins.

Shot Put: G. Knight, 1; D. Foley, 2; J. Taylor, 3; V. Edwards, 4. Distance: 50 ft. 2 ins.

Relay Race (440 Yds.) (Championship): Red, 1; Black, 2; White, 3; Blue, 4. Time: 46.3 secs.

(Division): Black, 1; Blue, 2; Red, 3; White, 4. Time: 49.5 secs.

Club Champions: V. Edwards (Black); R. Lachal (Blue); R. O'Malley-Jones (Red); Q. Leeder (White). Time: 46.3 secs.

Inter-Club Champion: V. Edwards.

Inter-Club Seconds Champion: J. Lyons.

Under 17 Champion Athlete: V. Edwards.

Cross-Country (4 miles): N. Parbury, 1; J. McDermott, 2; J. Drury, 3; E. Murphy, 4. Time: 26 mins.

Under 16:

100 Yards (Championship): P. Jones, 1; J. McDermott, 2; J. Willis, 3; J. Carver, 4. Time: 10.9 secs.

(Division): P. Beaumont, 1; W. Montgomery, 2; G. Darmody, 3; S. de Sousa, 4. Time: 12.5 secs.

220 Yards (Championship): P. Jones, 1; J. McDermott, 2; J. Willis, 3; J. Carver, 4. Time: 24.1 secs.

(Division): N. Harpham, 1; J. Kemp, 2; W. Hedger, 3; G. Oxenham, 4. Time: 27.3 secs.

440 Yards (Championship): J. McDermott, 1; P. Jones, 2; J. Carver, 3; J. Kemp, 4. Time: 54.6 secs.

(Division): J. Cassidy, 1; W. Hedger, 2; J. Winn, 3; G. Darmody, 4. Time: 59.2 secs.

880 Yards (Championship): J. McDermott, 1; J. Willis, 2; J. Kemp, 3; S. Smith, 4. Time: 2 min. 19.4 secs.

(Division): J. Daley, 1; A. Parbury, 2; M. Garling, 3; T. Beckett, 4. Time: 2 min. 34-5 secs.

Mile: (Championship): J. McDermott, 1; J. Daley, 2; S. Smith, 3; A. Parbury, 4. (Time not taken).

(Division): R. Quinlan, 1; T. Beckett, 2; M. Garling, 3; F. McInerney, 4. (Time not taken).

Hurdles (Championship): G. Mackintosh, 1; J. McDermott, 2; F. Kelly and N. Harpham, 3. Time: 14.0 secs.

(Division): P. Quinn, 1; W. Hedger, 2; S. de Sousa, 3; G. O'Brien, 4. Time: 15.4 secs.

High Jump: N. Harpham, 1; P. Quinn, 2; J. McDermott, 3; F. Kelly, 4. Height: 5 ft. 4½ ins.

Broad Jump: P. Quinn, 1; J. McDermott, 2; N. Harpham, 3; J. Willis, 4. Distance: 18 ft. 8 ins.

Shot Put: P. Fitzgerald, 1; J. Krivanek, 2; A. Mann, 3; M. Garling, 4. Distance: 44 ft. 8 ins.

Inter-Club Relay Race (Championship): Black, 1; Red, 2; Blue, 3; White, 4.

(Division): Black, 1; White, 2; Red, 3; Blue, 4.

Club Champions: J. McDermott (Black); J.



PETER FITZGERALD WINS THE UNDER 16 SHOT PUT.

Willis (Blue); N. Harpham (Red); G. Mackintosh (White).

Inter-Club Champion: J. McDermott.

(Seconds): W. Hedger.

Cross-Country (3 laps): S. Smith, 1; T. Beckett, 2; G. Oxenham, 3; J. Daley, 4.

Under 16 Champion Athlete: J. McDermott.

Under 15

100 Yards (Championship): P. Fitzgerald, 1; M. Gildea, 2; P. Hughes, 3; A. Larnach, 4. Time: 11.6 secs.

(Division): T. Kelly, 1; J. Meagher, 2; G. Riley, 3; T. O'Brien, 4. Time: 12.4 secs.

(Division): J. Meagher, 1; M. McGovern, 2; P. Donelan, 3; D. Wood, 4. (Time not taken).

880 Yards (Championship): C. Fisher, 1; P. Hughes, 2; F. Kelly, 3. Time: 2 min. 22.9 secs.

(Division): W. Graham, 1; D. Wood, 2; G. Hepworth, 3; M. Talty, 4. Time: 2 min. 31.2 secs.

High Jump: T. Kelly, 1; M. Gildea, 2; P. Fitzgerald, 3; J. O'Brien, 4. Height: 5 ft. 0½ ins. (Record).

Broad Jump: P. Fitzgerald, 1; P. Hughes, 2; T. Kelly, 3; C. Fisher, 4. Distance: 18 ft. 7½ ins.

Hurdles (Championship): P. Fitzgerald, 1;



JUNIOR ATHLETIC TEAM.
(Winners of the Junior Championship for the third successive year.)
Back, L.-R.: R. Finley, D. P. O'Brien, M. J. Montgomery, D. Giblin, W. Edwards, F. Fletcher.
2nd Row: M. Gillan, J. Carver, G. F. Mackintosh, T. Kelly, P. Quinn, P. Ward, A. Larnach.
Seated: T. Meagher, J. E. McDermott, P. Fitzgerald, P. Jones, M. Gildea, P. Hughes, J. Willis.
In Front: A. Kirby.
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220 Yards (Championship): P. Fitzgerald, 1; M. Gildea, 2; P. Hughes, 3; A. Larnach, 4. Time: 26.2 secs.

(Division): J. Meagher, 1; P. Perry, 2; T. O'Brien, 3; J. Dowd, 4. Time: 28.0 secs.

440 Yards (Championship): P. Fitzgerald, 1; P. Hughes, 2; C. Fisher, 3; M. Gildea, 4. Time: 59.0 secs.

T. Kelly, 2; M. Gildea, 3; P. Hughes, 4. Time: 13.5 secs.

(Division): A. Larnach, 1; C. Fisher, 2; M. Mason, 3.

Shot Put: P. Fitzgerald, 1; B. Hughes, 2; J. Dowd, 3, D. Eastman, 4. Distance: 47 ft. 6 ins.

Inter-Club Relay Race (Championship): Red, 1; White, 2; Blue, 3; Black, 4. Time: 53.0 secs.

(Division): Blue, 1; White, 2; Red, 3; Black, 4. Time: 57.3 secs.

Club Champions: P. Hughes (Black); C. Fisher (Blue); P. Fitzgerald (Red); M. Gildea (White).

Inter-Club Champion: P. Fitzgerald.

(Seconds): J. Meagher.

Second Division and Under 15 Champion Athlete: P. Fitzgerald.

Seconds Champion: W. Hedger.

Cross-Country (1 lap): C. Fisher, 1; P. Hughes, 2; D. Wood, 3; D. Buckingham, 4.

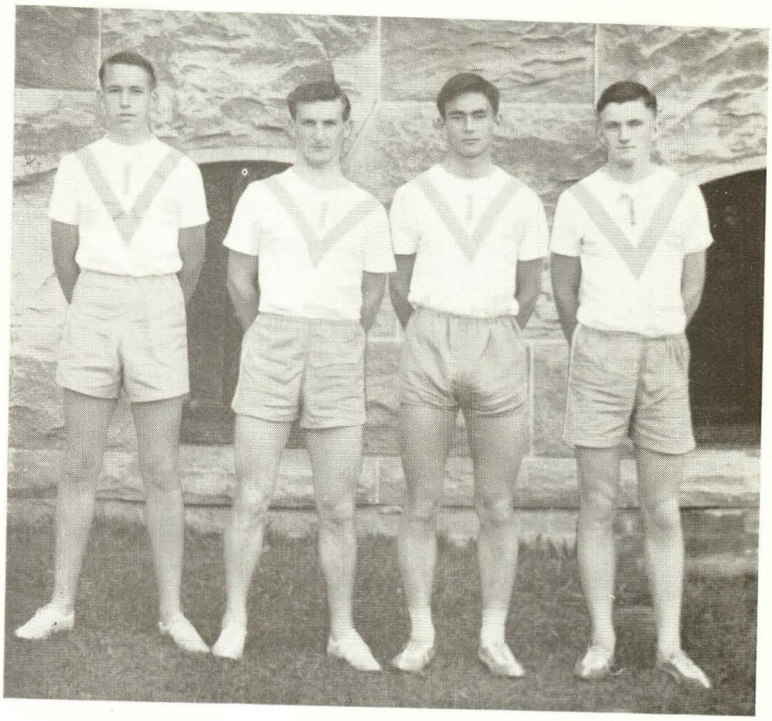
Sullivan, 3; P. Carter, 4. Time: 64.8 secs.

880 Yards (Championship): D. P. O'Brien, 1; D. Giblin, 2; D. Buckingham, 3; R. Alagna, 4. Time: 2 min. 29.4 secs.

Hurdles (60 Yards) (Championship): P. Ward, 1; D. P. O'Brien, 2; M. Montgomery, 3. Time: 10.0 secs.

(Division): A. McCormack, 1; V. Tang, 2. (Time not taken).

High Jump: D. P. O'Brien, 1; P. Ward, 2; M. Clark, 3; V. Tang, 4. Height: 4 ft. 6 ins.



L.-R.: J. McDermott (Under 16 Champion); J. Thorpe (College Champion Athlete); V. Edwards (Under 17 Champion); P. Fitzgerald (Under 15 Champion and 2nd Division Champion Athlete).

Under 14.

100 Yards (Championship): W. Edwards, 1; R. d'Apice, 2; D. P. O'Brien, 3; M. Montgomery, 4. Time: 12.4 secs.

(Division): S. Lusher, 1; D. Buckingham, 2; A. McCormack, 3; V. Tang, 4. Time: 12.8 secs.

220 Yards (Championship): W. Edwards, 1; D. P. O'Brien, 2; R. d'Apice, 3; M. Montgomery, 4. Time: 28.5 secs.

(Division): S. Lusher, 1; D. Buckingham, 2; P. Carter, 3; T. Hawcroft, 4. Time: 24.5 secs.

440 Yards (Championship): D. P. O'Brien, 1; D. Giblin, 2; M. Montgomery, 3; P. Ward, 4. Time: 61.8 secs.

(Division): S. Lusher, 1; P. Delaney, 2; L.

Broad Jump: W. Edwards, 1; D. P. O'Brien, 2; M. Montgomery, 3; V. Kurrle, 4. Distance: 16 ft. 4½ ins.

Shot Put: M. Montgomery, 1; D. P. O'Brien, 2; V. Kurrle, 3; D. Bergin and L. Walsh, 4. Distance: 32 ft. 11 ins.

Inter-Club Relay Race (440 Yds.)—

(Championship): Red, 1; Black, 2; Blue, 3. Time: 55.3 secs.

(Division): Red, 1; Blue, 2; White, 3. Time: 56.9 secs.

Club Champions: D. Giblin (Black), M. Montgomery (Blue); D. P. O'Brien (Red); P. Ward (White).

Inter-Club Champion: D. P. O'Brien.

(Seconds): S. Lusher.

Champion Athlete of Third Division and Under 14 Champion: D. P. O'Brien.

Seconds Champion: S. Lusher.

Cross-Country (1 lap): D. Buckingham, 1; P. Keighery, 2; R. Alagna, 3; P. Ward, 4.

Under 13.

100 Yards (Championship): P. O'Brien, 1; M. Gillan, 2; R. Finley, 3; D. M. O'Brien, 4. Time: 30.2 secs.

(Division): J. Mitchell, 1; T. Du Val, 2; J. Hughes, 3; L. Clarke, 4. Time: 13.1 secs.

220 Yards (Championship): P. O'Brien, 1; A. Kirby, 2; R. Finley, 3; W. Bye, 4. Time: 30.8 secs.

(Division): M. Gillan, 1; J. Mitchell, 2; J. Hughes, 3; J. Brady, 4. Time: 31.4 secs.

Hurdles — 60 Yards (Championship): G. Bagot, 1; R. Finley, 2; L. Clark, 3; T. Bergin, 4. Time: 11.3 secs.

(Division): A. Kirby, 1; S. Sharah, 2; C. Waterford, 3. Time: 12.0 secs.

High Jump: P. Loneragan, 1; A. Kirby, 2; R. Shelton, 3; J. Mitchell, 4. Height: 4 ft. 2 ins.

Broad Jump: A. Kirby and R. Nolan, 1; M. Gillan, 3; J. Brady, 4. Distance: 14 ft. 10½ ins.

Relay Race — 440 Yds. — (Championship), Inter-Club: Black, 1; Red, 2; White, 3; Blue, 4. Time: 58.6 secs.

(Division): Black, 1; White, 2; Red, 3. Time: 63.3 secs.

Club Champions: A. Kirby (Black); R. Finley (Blue); L. Clark (Red); M. Fitzgerald (White).

Inter-Club Champion: A. Kirby.

(Seconds): J. Mitchell.

Cross-Country: G. Keighery (Blue), 1; J. Timbes (White), 2; C. Waterford (Blue), 3; R. Nolan (White), 4.

Under 13 Champion Athlete: A. Kirby.

Under 12.

100 yards (Championship): J. Tancred, 1; D. Herlihy, 2; P. Cahill, 3; C. Price, 4. Time: 14.4 secs.

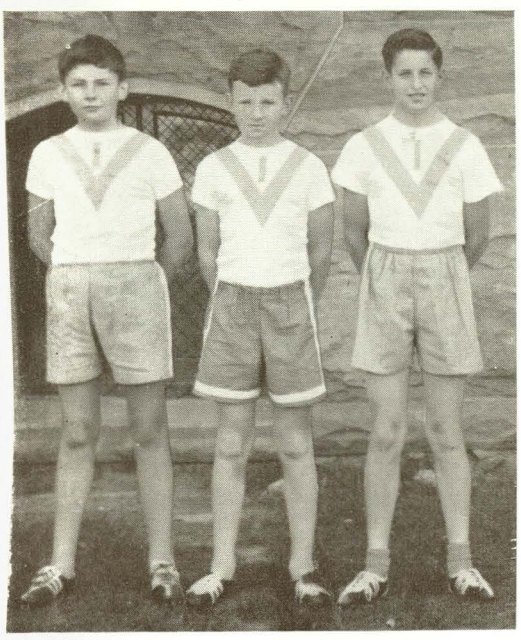
150 Yards: D. Herlihy, 1; J. Tancred, 2; P. Cahill, 3. Time: 19.6 secs.

Club Champions: D. Herlihy (Black); J. Tancred (Blue); F. Knight (Red); S. Garrett (White).

Inter-Club Champion: D. Herlihy.

(Seconds): J. Tancred.

Under 12 Champion Athlete: D. Herlihy.



Back L.-R.: D. Herlihy (Under 12 Champion); A. Kirby (Under 13 Champion); D. P. O'Brien (Under 14 Champion and 3rd Division Champion Athlete).

ATHLETICS

COLOUR POINTS — TRACK AND FIELD EVENTS

	Black	Blue	Red	White
Open	71	72	122	53
U. 17	53	109	49	29
U. 16	134	62	86	37
U. 15	41	75	105	42
U. 14	38	64	119	51
U. 13	78	38	36	22
U. 12	18	26	6	8
TOTAL	433	446	523	242

CROSS-COUNTRY POINTS

Open	45	62	50	65
U. 17	55	62	69	46
U. 16	84	24	65	59
U. 15	50	107½	31	43½
U. 14 & U. 13	86	159	74	152
2nd Div. Relay	20	12	7	4
TOTAL	773	872½	819	611½

RYDE-HORNSBY ATHLETIC MEETING

This meeting was held on Saturday, September 19th. We entered a full team of Senior and Juniors for the various events and again we were successful in winning the Secondary Schools' Shield for the second time. The meeting was a very useful preparation for the coming G.P.S. Athletic Meeting due to take place on October 10th.

In the Open Championships we won the **Mile** (A. Herbert); the **Broad Jump** (V. Edwards);

and the 4 x 110 Yards **Relay Race** (G. Knight, R. Roberts, P. Lubrano and J. Thorpe).

In the Under 16 our wins were: the **100 and 220 Yards** (both won by P. Jones; the **440 Yards** (J. McDermott) (Record); the **High Jump** (P. Quinn) and the 4 x 110 Yards **Relay Race** (P. Jones, J. Willis, T. Meagher and J. McDermott).

Wins in the Junior age-groups included:— (Under 16): The **100 Yards, 220 Yards** and **Shot Put,** all won by P. Fitzgerald and T. Kelly won the **High Jump.** The Relay Race (4 x 110) was won by A Larnach, M. Gildea, P. Hughes and P. Fitzgerald.

The Under 14 **Broad Jump** was won by W. Edwards. The two Under 14 Relay races were won by our teams: **A Team** was composed of M. Montgomery, W. Edwards, D. Giblin and D. P. O'Brien. The **B Team:** V. Kurrle, R. d'Apice, J. Hayes and S. Lusher.

G.P.S. ATHLETIC MEETING

Perfect weather and general conditions favoured the G.P.S. meeting at the Sydney Cricket Ground on October 10th. There was, as usual, a very large attendance of the various Schools' supporters and general public and enthusiasm ran high the whole afternoon.

The **Senior Championship** was shared this year by the Scots' College and Shore with a points score of 93 each. Our congratulations go to both on their excellent performances.

Our own Senior team did well to score 55 points — the result of keen preparation during the season.

Riverview again won the **Junior Championship** — for the third year in succession, and our competitors too deserve congratulations for their fine efforts. They came first with 179 points, heading the Scots' College by 21 points.

The whole meeting was run with faultless precision and, as usual, reflects the greatest credit on the Hon. Convener Mr. Rankine (T.S.C.) and his efficient team of officials:

Our individual placings were:—

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Open.

100 Yards Championship: J. Thorpe, 2nd.
220 Yards Championship: T. Carver, 3rd.
440 Yards Championship: J. Collins, 5th.
880 Yards Championship: J. Collins, 2nd.
Mile Championship: A. Herbert, 3rd.
High Jump: R. Lachal, 4th.
440 Yards Relay Race: S.I.C. 2nd (P. Kirby, G. Knight, J. Thorpe, T. Carver).

Under 17.

100 Yards Championship: G. Knight, 4th.
220 Yards Championship: G. Knight, 5th.
440 Yards Championship: V. Edwards, 5th.
880 Yards Championship: J. Lyons, 5th.
Mile: A. N. Parbury, 5th.

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Under 16.

100 Yards Championship: P. Jones, 1st.
100 Yards (2nd Division): J. Willis, 3rd.
220 Yards Championship — P. Jones, 1st.
440 Yards Relay: S.I.C. 1st (J. McDermott, T. Meagher, J. Willis, P. Jones).
880 Yards (2nd Division): J. Carver, 1st.
880 Yards Championship: J. McDermott, 3rd.
90 Yards Hurdles: G. Mackintosh, 1st (Record equalled, 11.6).
Shot Put: P. Fitzgerald, 3rd.

Under 15.

100 Yards Championship: P. Fitzgerald, 1st (Record equalled, 19.5).
100 Yards (2nd Division): M. Gildea, 2nd.
220 Yards Championship: P. Fitzgerald, 1st.
440 Yards Relay: S.I.C. 2nd (T. Larnach, M. Gildea, P. Hughes, P. Fitzgerald).
90 Yards (Hurdles): P. Fitzgerald, 2nd.
High Jump: T. A. Kelly, 3rd.
Broad Jump: P. Fitzgerald, 1st.

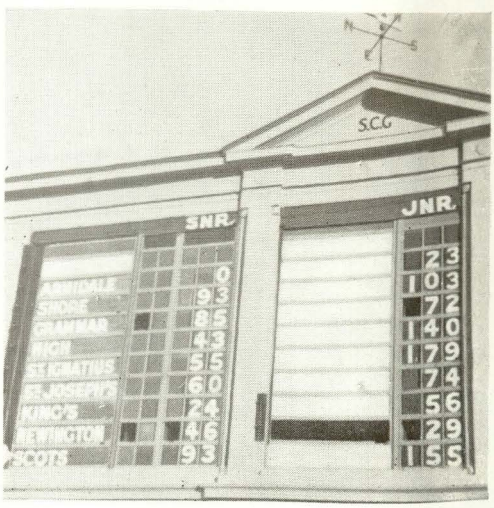
Under 14.

100 Yards Championship: W. Edwards, 4th.
100 Yards (2nd Division): M. Montgomery, 4th.
220 Yards, Championship: W. Edwards, 5th.
440 Yards Relay: S.I.C. 3rd. (D. Giblin, D. P. O'Brien, M. Montgomery, W. Edwards).

Under 13:

100 Yards Championship: F. Fletcher, 5th.
100 Yards (2nd Division): M. Gillan, 2nd.
440 Yards Relay: S.I.C. 4th (A. Kirby, M. Gillan, P. O'Brien, F. Fletcher).

CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS



THE SCORE BOARDS AT THE END OF THE G.P.S. ATHLETIC MEETING.



Prospects at the beginning of the year were encouraging when veterans and semi-veterans in Foley, Conrick, Carver, Nevill, Robert, Vandeleur, Deloughery and Doyle again donned whites and look like the nucleus of a strong team. There were other possibilities in Brian Johnson, David Johnson, John Lyons, Tom Meagher, and especially Fred Kelly. John Thorpe returned after the first two games. Dennis Foley was elected Captain and in spite of his youth proved an exceptionally good one. The keenness he engendered in the fielding side, his prudent use of mediocre bowling (apart from Terry Carver it was mediocre) his ability to assess batsmen, his readiness to adapt his field to bowler, batsman and varying conditions all stamped him as a captain above the ordinary. In addition, he was a sound opening batsman, his 44 against Newington, 42 against Sydney Grammar, 46 against St. Joseph's being particularly meriorious. His only defect was his inability to win the toss; however, he must have practised during the winter because he has so far won at least two in third term !

After his successful third term in 1958 and after playing for G.P.S. 1st XI Michael Conrick seemed set for a feast of runs especially when he scored 45 against Sydney Grammar; but as even the best do, he had a run of outs and only now in third term seems again to be striking form. The burden of stabilising our batting and of getting runs fell on the steady shoulders of Fred Kelly. Fred's first innings for the First XI was in most difficult circumstances and he emerged a potential champion. Chasing 341, we batted on a wet wicket at Centennial Park after waiting from 10.15 until 3.00 p.m. to start play. The position seemed hopeless. Yet mainly owing to Fred's 64 n.o. the match was a draw. He followed this with 30, 42, 21, 38, 32, not big scores but consistent and sound just when they were needed. Terry Vandeleur developed into a useful opener but unfortunately could not play in third term because of a football injury. Michael Deloughery (vice-captain) was a capable 'keeper and contributed some useful scores. Probably the most enjoyable innings of the year was John Thorpe's 72 against Shore. On the whole, batting was very disappointing in spite of much promise and until we find a group of batsmen who combine technical competence with patience and with determination to hit the ball hard and to score off the loose ones we shall not make big scores.

The outstanding feature of the year's cricket has been Terry Carver's bowling. At the time of writing, in competition matches he has taken 41 wickets at an average of 9.8 and he still has a chance to reach the coveted 50 wickets for the year. His best performances have been 7-27 v. N.C., 6-35 v. S.J.C., 8-22 v. S.CE.G.S., and 9-20 v. T.K.S. He has been backed up by steady, accurate bowling by John Doyle, and by some remarkably good fielding and first-class catching, especially close to the wicket, by Dennis Foley, Terry Vandeleur, Fred Kelly, Michael Conrick and others. In fact this year's side has been a particuarly good fielding one, stimulated and inspired no doubt by the fine examples of the skipper, and further encouraged by the handsome offer of a fielding prize by the Catholic Young Men's Cricket Association.

Every match played has been exciting and enjoyable with fortunes fluctuating several times until late into the second day. We have already referred to the match with Sydney High. Newington scored only 87 in reply to our 223, but thanks to their captain, P. Carroll, came back



FIRST ELEVEN.
Back L.-R.: J. Thorpe, W. Nevill, F. Kelly, T. Vandeleur, J. Doyle, T. Meagher.
Seated: R. Roberts, T. Carver, D. Foley (Capt.), M. Deloughery, M. Conrick.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

with 8-221 and forced a tight finish allowing us 90 minutes to score as many runs. Grammar dismissed us on a dampish, well-grassed pitch for 84 and made 192. In our second innings 2-93 looked well for us, but we were all out for 130 and Grammar brilliantly rattled up the necessary 29 for an outright with only ten minutes to spare. Success seemed to be ours by dismissing St. Joseph's for 120 but good bowling by T. Gallagher routed us for 65. St. Joseph's second innings 105 still gave us a chance. Our last wicket fell at 5.15 - total 128 - an outright to St. Joseph's. The Shore match brought its thrills too. S.I.C. led by 169 on the first innings but Shore's Captain, P. Wansey, scored a dashing 154 n.o. to lead a recovery of 8-271. Fading light, 90 minutes, 103 runs — the stage was set for drama. There was plenty until the score at stumps was 7-82 — a win on the first innings for S.I.C. In the current match T.K.S. have been dismissed for 38 (T. Carver 9-20) on a dampish pitch and because of our own unstable batting there could be plenty of excitement in the match.

As usual, Xavier College overwhelmed us with kindness and hospitality during our Easter visit, and in a most enjoyable game, after we had led on the first innings they were untroubled to beat outright on the afternoon of the second day a very weary side !

We hoped that their well-deserved success would be a rehearsal for their winning of the grand-final against Melbourne Grammar the following Saturday. Sincere thanks to Fr. Boylen and his community, to Fr. Keenan, Mr. Joe Plant, and to the Xavier Parents and Friends for a wonderful trip. Not the least pleasant aspect of our visit was to see at the game John Griffith, John Ramsay, Sid Raper, Justin King, Bill Craven — all Old Boy S.J.'s — and some former Sydney Masters Rev. K. Penry S.J., Rev. T. Sullivan S.J., and Rev. T. O'Hara S.J.

In the Second and Third Elevens there were occasional good performances from David Johnson, S. Spence, J. Maguire, T. Meagher, R. Chalmers, M. O'Brien — and a century by J. Sutherland. Both Seconds and Thirds played competent and enjoyable cricket and our only regret is that many of them will be leaving us this year.

Again we record our thanks to Mr. McCrossin for his assistance and this year also to Mr. Murphy who has done valuable work with the Thirds and with Juniors.

Words are inadequate to thank the "Mothers" — Mrs. Sutherland, Mrs. Conrick, Mrs. Foley, Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. Nevill (and Kay), Mrs. Chatfield — for their charming hospitality to cricket guests and for their most enjoyable afternoon teas.

Thanks again to our faithful groundsmen, Kevin Jacobsen and Eric Thomas, for providing us with such ideal conditions for cricket — often at great inconvenience to themselves.

Congratulations to Sydney Grammar on their second Premiership in succession. They were undoubtedly the best team we met.

J. D. M.

First Eleven

We had our first Competition match — against Sydney High School — on February 14th and 21st. Rain delayed play on the second day and the game ended in a draw.

S.I.C. v. S.H.S.: Game drawn.

S.H.S. 341 (9 wickets declared). (K. Owen 139; J. Fuller 65; P. Crooker 42; D. McMurray 17; J. Chegwyn 12; G. Timmins 11 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: D. Foley, 4 wickets for 76 runs; T. Carver, 3 for 70; J. Doyle, 2 for 54.

S.I.C.: 133 (8 wickets). F. Kelly 64 n.o.; M. Deloughery 25; M. Conrick 13).

There was no second innings play.

Feb. 28th and March 7th: **S.I.C. v. S.G.S.** Lost outright.

S.I.C. (1st Innings): 84 (F. Kelly 30; W. Nevill 13; T. Vandeleur 12).

S.G.S. bowling: H. Munro, 5 wickets for 32 runs; R. Grant 3 for 25; J. Scutt, 2 for 12.

S.G.S. (1st Innings): 192 (J. Scutt 51; R. Grant 26; J. Cattlin 26; P. Kelly 17; J. Piggott 24; H. Munro 15).

S.I.C. bowling: T. Carver, 4 wickets for 46 runs; D. Foley, 4 for 55; R. Roberts, 1 for 33; J. Lyons, 1 for 22.

S.I.C. (2nd Innings): 130 (M. Conrick 45; D. Foley 42; T. Vandeleur 12).

S.G.S. bowling: J. Storey, 4 wickets for 12 runs; H. Munro, 3 for 35; K. McConnell, 2 for 24; R. Grant, 1 for 29.

S.G.S. (2nd Innings): 29 (2 wickets). (P. Kelly 14 n.o.; R. Maybury, 9 n.o.).

March 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. N.C.** Won on first innings.

S.I.C. (1st Innings): 223. (D. Foley, 44; T. Vandeleur 40; F. Kelly 42; M. Conrick 27; T. Carver 19 n.o.; T. Meagher 12; J. Thorpe 10).

N.C. bowling: R. Mulready, 8 wickets for 52 runs; G. Naylor, 2 for 69.

N.C. (1st Innings): 87. (B. James 21; T. Wiseman 10; R. Mulready 18).

S.I.C. bowling: T. Carver, 7 wickets for 27 runs; J. Doyle, 1 for 29; T. Vandeleur, 1 for 8.

N.C. (2nd Innings): 221. (8 wickets: **dec.**).

(P. Carroll 107; R. Mulready 48; L. Westcott 13; K. Trollope 10).

S.I.C. (2nd Innings): 44 (1 wicket) (F. Kelly 21 n.o.).

Over the Easter Week-end the Annual S.I.C. v. Xavier match was played in Melbourne and resulted in a decisive win for Xavier, as the following figures show:—

Riverview (1st Innings): 97. (D. Foley 18; F. Kelly 17; R. Roberts 18 n.o.).

Xavier bowling: B. F. Jones, 4 wickets for 21; C. Gleeson, 2 for 13.

Xavier (1st Innings): 82. (A. O.'H. Tehan 24; M. Mulcahy 21).

Riverview bowling: J. Doyle, 4 for 24; T. Carver, 3 for 24, J. Thorpe, 3 for 22.

Riverview (2nd Innings): 103. (D. Foley 18; B. Johnson 16; T. Carver 11; J. Thorpe 21 n.o.).

Xavier bowling: B. F. Jones, 7 for 19; P. Williams, 2 for 26.

Xavier (2nd Innings): 120 (2 wickets). (P. Williams 25; Cotter 56 n.o.; A. O.'H. Tehan 29 n.o.).

Riverview bowling: T. Carver, 1 for 49; J. Doyle, 1 for 23.

Xavier thus won by 8 wickets and 3 runs.

April 4th and 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.** Lost by 32 runs.

S.J.C. (1st Innings): 120 (T. E. Boyd, 64; B. McGettigan 34).

S.I.C. bowling: T. Carver, 6 wickets for 35 runs; R. Roberts, 4 for 12.

S.I.C. (1st Innings): 65 (D. Foley 21, F. Kelly 14; T. Vandeleur 10).

S.J.C. bowling: T. Gallagher, 6 wickets for 22 runs; T. E. Boyd, 1 for 7; P. Horsefield, 1 for 8; S. Boland, 1 for 5; P. Cross, 1 for 0.

S.J.C. (2nd Innings) 105 (McGettigan 28; K. Capelin 27 n.o.; P. Horsefield 21).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Roberts, 3 wickets for 22 runs; T. Carver, 3 for 36.

S.I.C. (2nd Innings): 128 (D. Foley, 46; M. Deloughery 27; R. Roberts 13; J. Doyle 12 n.o.).

S.J.C. bowling: T. Gallagher, 5 wickets for 47 runs; P. Cross, 2 for 11; S. Boland, 2 for 28; T. E. Boyd, 1 for 14.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.**

Won on the first innings. A rather exciting finish.

Shore (1st Innings): 46 (M. Sevier 21 n.o.; J. Scott 10.

S.I.C. bowling: T. Carver, 8 wickets for 22 runs; J. Doyle, 2 wickets for 22 runs.

S.I.C. (1st Innings): 215 (J. Thorpe 72; F. Kelly 38; M. Conrick 26; M. Deloughery 19; D. Foley 10; T. Carver 10; T. Meagher 16).

Shore bowling: M. Alexander, 3 for 35; M. Sevier, 3 for 42; P. Wansey, 1 for 24; D. Farram, 1 for 30; H. McHutchinson, 1 for 71.

Shore (2nd Innings): 271 (8 wickets: declared); P. Wansey 154 n.o.; J. Scott 25; W. Dixon 20; J. Harding 18).

S.I.C. bowling: J. Doyle, 5 wickets for 78 runs; T. Carver, 2 for 75; J. Thorpe, 1 for 32.

S.I.C. (2nd Innings): 82 (7 wickets): (F. Kelly 32; W. Nevill 18; M. Deloughery 15; J. Thorpe 11).

Shore bowling: M. Sevier, 4 for 28; D. Farram, 3 for 25.

Riverview won on the 1st innings by 169 runs. When stumps were drawn S.I.C. was 20 runs short of an outright win.

October 31st and November 7th: **S.I.C. v. T.K.S.:** Played at Riverview. Won on the first innings.

T.K.S. (1st innings): 38 (R. Maurice 11).

S.I.C. bowling: T. Carver, 9 wickets for 20 runs; J. Doyle, 1 wicket for 13 runs.

S.I.C. (1st innings): 132 (D. Foley 59; J. Thorpe 33 n.o.; W. Nevill 11).

T.K.S. bowling: M. Stenning, 3 wickets for 22 runs; J. Rosen, 3 for 35; J. Ditton, 2 for 13.

T.K.S. (2nd innings) 186 (8 wickets: declared) (J. Egan 56; D. Dillon 38; M. Stenning 36; A. Webster 26; R. Maurice 17).

S.I.C. bowling: J. Doyle, 3 wickets for 45 runs; T. Carver, 2 for 64; R. Roberts, 2 for 52.

S.I.C. (2nd innings) 53 (3 wickets) (W. Nevill 16 n.o.; D. Foley 12; M. Conrick 11; F. Kelly 8 n.o.).

Riverview won on the first innings by 94 runs.

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Feb. 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. Sydney High School:** Won on 1st innings.

S.I.C.: 223 (T. Meagher 33; J. Maguire 32; S. Spence 24; R. Chalmers 16; J. Sherwood 15).

S.H.S.: 141 (Naughton 32; Castle 26; Heads 20).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Chalmers, 4 wickets for 18 runs; B. Johnson, 3 for 34; G. Knight, 2 for 35.

S.H.S. (2nd Innings): 77.

Feb. 28th and March 7th: **S.I.C. v. S.G.S.:** Lost on 1st innings.

S.G.S.: 160 and 58 (4 wickets) (Abel 38; Vrachnas 36; Anderson 20; Galland 14; Skiller 12; Ronald 12 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Chalmers, 5 wickets for 23 runs; F. Johnston, 2 for 33; G. Knight, 2 for 36.

S.I.C.: 82 and 74 (6 wickets) (T. Meagher 24 n.o. and 14; G. Knight 12; R. Chalmers 17; J. McDermott 13 n.o.).

March 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. N.C.** Lost.

S.I.C.: 114 and 78 (J. Sherwood 35 and 11; S. Spence 36; M. O'Brien 21; J. Lyons 16).

..**N.C.:** 271 (P. Meggitt 58; M. Joyce 71; R. Yardley 44; T. Kneale 17; J. Edmonds 15; A. Maggs 12 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Roberts, 4 wickets for 72 runs; G. Knight 2 for 11.

April 4th and 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.**

S.I.C.: 126 (W. Nevill 29; J. Lyons 21; G. Hawkins 50; Chandler 18 n.o.; Multon 15; Crossing 15).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Chalmers, 5 wickets for 24 runs; J. Carver 3 for 28; P. White, 2 for 1.

S.I.C.: 204 (W. Montgomery 66; M. O'Brien 42; S. Spence 34; R. Chalmers 30).

Riverview won on the first innings by 130 runs.

Third Eleven

Feb. 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. S.H.S.:** Won on



SECOND ELEVEN.
Back L.R.: S. Spence, G. Knight, J. McDermott, J. Sherwood, J. Maguire, J. Lyons, P. White.
Seated: M. Loneragan, R. Chalmers, D. Johnson (Capt.), B. Johnson, M. O'Brien.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

Knight 15; S. Spence 11; D. Johnson 11).

S.J.C.: 198 (6 wickets) (P. Taperell 60; J. Rouen 25; J. Madden 19; K. McCoy 51 n.o.).

Match not completed.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.** Game drawn.

Shore: 295 (9 wickets) (Canny 110; Calver 58; Alexander 28; Phegan 20).

S.I.C.: 164 (8 wickets): (D. Johnson 55 n.o.; S. Spence 25; J. Carver 22; B. Johnson 15; A. Loneragan 12).

S.I.C. bowling: R. Chalmers, 3 wickets for 25 runs; D. Johnson, 3 for 19.

Oct. 31st and Nov. 7th: **S.I.C. v. T.K.S.**

T.K.S.: 74 and 130 (7 wickets) (Elliott 17; 1st innings.

S.I.C.: 180 (J. Sutherland 101 n.o.; I. Meason 20; P. Roland 18; J. Conlon 11.

S.H.S.: 72 (Eizenberg 30).

S.I.C. bowling: C. M. Carron, 4 wickets for 21 runs.

Feb. 28th and March 7th: **S.I.C. v. S.G.S.** Lost.

S.I.C.: 60 and 84 (P. Lubrano 26 and 20; P. Lenehan 15).

S.G.S.: 91 and 55 (5 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: P. White, 5 wickets for 24 runs; P. McCarron, 2 for 28.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.** Lost by 41 runs.

Shore: 122 and 75 (Marshall 41; Horobin 21 and 22.

S.I.C.: 84 and 72 (A. McCormack 11 and 30; P. Roland 26; Sutherland 15; J. Conlon 12).

S.I.C. bowling: P. McCarron, 3 wickets for 30 runs and 6 for 37; J. Collins, 5 for 15 and 3 for 9.

Oct. 31st: S.I.C. v. T.K.S.

S.I.C.: 101 (M. Collins 26; P. McCarron 23; P: Lubrano 15 n.o.; A. McCormack 13).

T.K.S.: 113 (3 wickets) (Raffin 34; Powell 28; Ragg 22; Downey 20 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: M. Collins, 3 wickets for 17.

Rain reduced the game to one innings.

FOURTH ELEVEN

S.I.C.: 44 (Hartcher 14; F. Cahill 14; R. Staek 10).

T.K.S.: 204 (White 45; Hay 44; Johnston 16; Sanders 15).

Bowling analysis not kept.

S.I.C. v. T.K.S. November 7th

13 A (won) — S.I.C. 124. J. Atkinson 29.

T.K.S. 56. C. Rogers 4/10; R. Shelton 4/4.

13 B (won) — S.I.C. 8/105. R. Honeymoon 32, P. J. Delaney 36.

T.K.S. 9/77. P. McCarthy 4/10; R. Lewis 2/3.

13 C (won) — S.I.C. 6/97. J. Mitchell 27 n.o.; V. Tang 22.

T.K.S. 94. P. Carroll 5/21; J. Jones 4/26.

13 D (won) — T.K.S. 6/52. R. Gerstel 2/0.

S.I.C. 100. G. Ward 59.

13 E (lost) — T.K.S. 78. W. Loneragan 4/21, P. J. McMahon 2/23.

S.I.C. 77. P. J. McMahon 34, A. Dick 23.

13 F (lost) — S.I.C. 17.

T.K.S. 7/67. L. Lang 2/9.

S.I.C. v. S.A.C.

12 A (lost) — v. S.A.C. Prep. 1sts.

S.A.C. 63. R. Preiss 3/6; C. Enright 3/10.

12 B (lost) — S.I.C. 55. J. Flynn 25, J. Brady 19.

S.A.C. 85. R. Nolan 4/5.

SECOND DIVISION CRICKET, 1959

The cricket season this year has been a most enjoyable one. Emphasis has been placed on experimentation and future team building rather than on obtaining spectacular victories. The 15A and 15B teams were under the care of Fr. B. Lowery S.J., whose prowess as a cricket coach is well known at Riverview. As the season progressed they certainly showed the benefit of his experience and guidance. They began the season with a handful of players from last year's 14A team. Assets came from third division in the form of all-rounder J. Carver and C. O'Neill following in the footsteps of his brother, J. Carver, is developing into a very effective and dangerous medium pacer. Others to perform well with the ball were spinners P. Fitzgerald and F. McInerney. P. Meagher did great work as an opening bowler and we will be watching his future career with interest.

Among the batsmen W. Montgomery was always among the runs and his enterprising attitude often inspired the whole team. A. Mann, out of touch early, played some valuable innings as the season progressed. M. Garling proved a shrewd and capable captain who, on occasions, could be a punishing batsman. His 42 n.o. against Shore was one of the highlights of the season. Late in the year J. Carver and W. Montgomery were promoted to First Division cricket and lived up to the expectations we had of them. To replace them F. Cahill, a promising batsmen, came up from the 14A's.

The 15B team was led by T. O'Sullivan and are to be complimented for the spirit in which they played the game. Their demeanour on and off the field was an example to all. M. Searley and C. Bull bore the brunt of the bowling supported by the unpredictable P. Quinn, who, on his day, was one of the most dangerous bowlers in the division. The batting division was led by the neat stroke makers A. Chan, M. Coyle and T. O'Sullivan and the aggressive J. Mitchell and N. Harpham.

The 15C & D teams played the game in that crowd-pleasing, cavalier spirit which won for them many spectators. Hard hitting J. Krivanek, B. Jones and A. Donelan were no respecters of bowlers' reputations and all quite capable of hitting six off the first ball of the match. In case of emergency we always had the safe batsmen like P. Clifton and R. Mackenzie to fall back on. In the bowling department wily spinners G. Griesser and R. Quinlan found the batsmen easy victims after they had been terrified by the pace attack of J. Krivanek, B. Jones and A. Donelan. The fielding of P. Renshaw was one of the main reasons for this teams many successes.

In the 14A & B age group Mr. B. Kinnaird continued the great work which he had begun in the football season. He, perhaps more than any one else, was faced with the task of team-building. Many of last year's 13A team had gone into the 15A team or abandoned cricket for rowing. F. Cahill, M. Shelton and captain J. Flannery were the nucleus about which the batting was rebuilt. D. Willis proved a gallant and most consistent bowler and he was supported by promising spinner J. Loneragan and medium pacer J. Flannery. P. Hughes filled the vacant wicket keeper's role very successfully. We were

very glad to enlist the services of three promising third divisioners in the final term. R. Harpham, A. Enright and R. Harkins really added to the team's all round strength.

The 14B's were captained by R. Kelly and J. A. Dalton. Always ready to supply replacements to the A's, they deserve praise for the way they battled on. W. Beerworth was the most successful bowler while J. Dalton, J. Kelly and R. Kelly were the best performers with the bat.

The 14C and D teams believed in finishing games as quickly as possible and getting on to something else. G. O'Brien was the captain and mainstay of the 14C's. Willow wielders M. Gildea, T. Cunich and P. McMahon played innings that could only be assessed in runs per minute. G. O'Sullivan and B. Tancred showed promise as bowlers and could easily make the B's next year.

Looking back on a very enjoyable and fruitful season we would like to thank, first of all our coaches Fr. Lowery S.J., and Mr. Kinnaird for putting so much of their time at our disposal; our scorers M. McInerney, B. Duhigg and T. O'Halloran for their constant work, and finally to the sports wardens A. Mann, M. Darmody, R. Mackenzie and W. Montgomery for their care and preparation of the various kits.

P. W. S.

Under 15A

Feb. 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. S.H.S.**

S.H.S.: 68.

S.I.C.: 35 (1 wicket): J. Carver 20 n.o.; T. Walker 11 n.o.

S.I.C. bowling: P. Meagher, 3 wickets for 10 runs; J. Carver, 2 for 9; P. Fitzgerald, 2 for 23.

Rain prevented further play.

Feb. 28 & March 7th: **S.I.C. v. S.G.S.** Lost outright.

S.I.C.: 73 and 38 (J. Carver 29; W. Morley 9).

S.G.S.: 77 (4 wickets) and 63 (5 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: S. Mayhew, 1 wicket for 20 runs; C. O'Neil, 2 for 10; P. Fitzpatrick 3 for 29.



UNDER 15 A ELEVEN.
Back L.R.: J. Carver, P. Fitzgerald, P. Merkelbach, P. Chatfield, A. Mann, F. McInerney.
Seated: P. Meagher, W. Montgomery, M. Garling (Capt.), T. Walker, C. O'Neil.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

March 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. N.C.**

S.I.C.: 151 and 43 (2 wickets) (W. Montgomery 26; A. Mann 22; M. Garling 21; J. Carver 22 n.o.).

N.C.: 229 (8 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Fitzgerald, 5 wickets for 79 runs; J. Carver, 1 for 22.

N.C. won on the first innings.

April 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.** Won.

S.I.C.: 77 (M. Garling 24; P. Merkelbach 17).

S.J.C.: 44.

For Riverview, J. Carver took 6 wickets for 9 runs.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.** Match drawn.

Shore: 179 (3 wickets).

S.I.C.: 110 (9 wickets) (M. Garling 42 n.o.; A. Mann 14).

S.I.C. bowling: C. O'Neill, 1 wicket for 18 runs; F. McInerney, 2 for 43.

Under 15 B, C and D

Feb. 14th and 21st: **Under 15 B v. Shore.**

Shore: 132.

S.I.C. bowling: M. Searly, 1 wicket for 9; F. McInerney, 6 for 41.

Rain prevented play by S.I.C.

Under 15 C v. Shore.

Shore: 74.

S.I.C.: 35 (7 wickets) (J. Wansey 14; R. Quinlan 7.

S.I.C. bowling: M. Coyle, 4 wickets for 8; G. Meagher, 3 for 16.

Rain prevented further play.

Under 15 D v. Shore. Won by an innings and 99 runs.

S.I.C.: 220 (9 wickets) (B. Jones 76 n.o.; G Griesser 23; A. Parbury 35).

Shore: 33 and 88.

S.I.C. bowling: J. Krivanek, 5 wickets for 12 and 4 for 20 runs; A. Parbury, 3 for 11.

Under 15 B

Feb. 28th and March 7th: **S.I.C. v. S.G.S.**

S.I.C.: 87 and 59 (4 wickets) (M. Searly 21; G. K. Meagher 13; K. O'Sullivan 20; J. Mitchell 19 n.o.).

S.G.S.: 42 and 41 (8 wickets).

S.I.C. Bowling: P. Quinn, 5 wickets for 15; M. Searly, 3 for 17 and 3 for 11.

S.I.C. won on the first innings.

Under 15 C

Game drawn.

S.I.C.: 76 (J. Wansey 23; J. Krivanek 13).

S.G.S.: 76.

S.I.C. bowling: J. Wansey, 5 wickets for 20; J. Krivanek, 3 for 17; A. Donelan, 2 for 22; C. Bull, 2 for 31.

Under 15 B

March 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. N.C.**

S.I.C.: 137 and 68 (T. O'Sullivan 25; J. Wansey 53; A. Chan 15; W. Williams 11).

N.C.: 158 and 36.

S.I.C. bowling: M. Searly 6 wickets for 52 runs and 4 for 13; F. McInerney 3 for 24 and 4 for 22.

S.I.C. won by 11 runs.

Under 15 C

S.I.C. 157 and 90 (8 wickets) (P. Clifton 40 and 26; M. Glasheen 44 n.o.; F. Quinlan 20).

N.C.: 125.

S.I.C. bowling: A Donelan, 4 wickets for 44 runs; C. Bull, 4 for 12.

S.I.C. won the first innings.

Under 15 D: S.I.C.: 112 (8 wickets, dec.) (J. Drury 29 n.o.; B. Jones 21).

N.C.: 28 and 56.

S.I.C. bowling: B. Jones, 4 wickets for 11 runs; G. Griesser, 2 for 0; M. Maloney, 3 for 18.

S.I.C. won outright by an innings and 38 runs.

April 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.** Won.

Under 15 B. S.I.C.: 99 (A. Chan 41 n.o.; J. Wansey 22.

S.J.C.: 91.

Bowling for View, P. Chatfield took 2 wickets for 26 runs.

Under 15 C. S.I.C.: 112 (5 wickets) (G. Meagher 58; A. Parker 21).

S.J.C.: 110.

For Riverview, C. Bull took 6 wickets for 37 runs. S.I.C. won.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore:** Time match. Won.

Under 15 B. S.I.C.: 66 (9 wickets) (J. Mitchell 25; T. O'Sullivan 17).

Shore: 65 (7 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: M. Searly, 5 wickets for 30 runs; P. Quinn, 1 for 14.

Under 15 C. (Time match). **S.I.C.:** 75 (7 wickets) (G. Griesser 37; B. Jones 14).

Shore: 54 (7 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: B. Jones, 3 wickets for 12 runs; R. Quinlan, 1 for 7; A. Donelan, 1 for 12.

S.I.C. won.

Under 14 A and C

Feb. 14th and 21st: **Under 14 A v. S.H.S.**

S.H.S.: 92.

S.I.C.: 92 and 69 (M. Skelton 23; F. Cahill 14; D. Willis 13).

The game was drawn on the first innings. Rain prevented further play.

S.I.C. bowling: J. Flanery, 4 wickets for 39 runs. F. Cahill, 3 for 19.

Feb. 28th and March 7th: **S.I.C. v. S.G.S.**

Under 14 A v. S.I.C.: 54 and 112 (T. Mort 15; D. Eastman 22; G. Darmody 24).

S.G.S.: 166.

S.G.S. won on the first innings.

Under 14 C. S.I.C.: 54 and 41 (P. Jacobs 23 n.o.; M. McGrath 13).

S.G.S.: 64 and 18.

S.I.C. bowling: M. Darmody, 4 wickets for 29 runs; W. Beerworth, 3 for 19 and 6 for 4.

S.I.C. won outright.

March 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. N.C.**

Under 14A. S.I.C.: 168 (J. Flanery 25; F. Cahill 74; M. Skelton 41.

N.C.: 172.

S.I.C. bowling: D. Willis, 7 wickets for 57 runs; J. Loneragan, 2 for 19 and 1 for 7.

Under 14 B, C and D.

Feb. 28th and March 7th: **Under 14 B v. S.G.S.**

S.G.S.: 137 (2 wickets: declared).

S.I.C.: 53 and 71 (T. Kelly 10; P. Perry 25; P. Hughes 23 n.o.).

Grammar won outright.

March 14th and 21st: **S.I.C. v. N.C.**

Under 14 B. S.I.C.: 95 and 85 (J. Dalton 23; J. Meagher 12; R. Kelly 31; T. Kelly 16.

N.C.: 114.



UNDER 14 A.
Back L.-R.: G. Darmody, P. Perry, J. Loneragan, T. Kelly, D. Willis, J. Parker, T. Mort.
Seated: R. Chisholm, F. Cahill, J. Flanery (Capt.), P. Hughes, M. Shelton.
(Photo — Melba Studios).

S.I.C. bowling: J. Loneragan, 4 wickets for 59 runs; D. Wills, 3 for 21.

N.C. won on the first innings by 4 runs.

April 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.**

Under 14A. S.J.C.: 124 (5 wickets) (declared).

S.I.C.: 73 (4 wickets) (M. Skelton 27).

J. Flanery took 3 wickets for 28 runs for us. Match drawn.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.** Lost.

Under 14A. (Lost) **S.I.C.:** 78 and 90 (J. Flanery 40 and 16; M. Skelton 15; D. Willis 20).

Shore: 157 and 12 (1 wicket).

S.I.C. bowling: N. Johnson, 5 wickets for 34 runs.

Under 14 C. S.I.C.: 53 and 59 (P. Carter 17; T. Cunich 12).

N.C. 114 (9 wickets: declared).

S.I.C. bowling: P. McMahon, 4 wickets for 23 runs; I. Jacobs, 3 for 24.

N.C. won by an innings and 2 runs.

Under 14 D. S.I.C.: 20 and 32 (J. Rushton 8 n.o.).

N.C.: 178.

S.I.C. bowling: B. Tancred, 4 wickets for 36

N.C. won by an innings and 126 runs.

April 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.**

Under 14B. S.J.C.: 123 (5 wickets: declared).

S.I.C.: 86 (G. Griesser 21; R. Kelly 13).

G. Griesser took 3 wickets for 42 runs.

S.J.C. won.

Under 14 C. S.J.C.: 70.

S.I.C.: 31 (P. Carter 17; T. Cunich 12).

For Riverview J. Green took 5 wickets for 29 runs.

S.J.C. won.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.**

Under 14 B. S.I.C.: 140 and 84 (R. Kelly 40; G. Kelly 24; C. Fisher 21 and 21; J. Dalton 26).

Shore: 134 and 91 (5 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: W. Beerworth, 5 wickets for 32 runs and 3 for 27; P. Flynn, 4 for 29.

Shore won by 5 wickets.

Under 14 C. S.I.C.: 50 and 60 (N. Mason 13; T. O'Brien 41).

Shore: 84 and 54 (3 wickets).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Carter, 4 wickets for 27 runs; B. Tancred, 2 for 22.

Shore won by 28 runs.

Under 14 D. S.I.C.: 41 and 70 (T. Cunich 16; G. Riley 22; P. Sheridan 18).

Shore: 204.

S.I.C. bowling: T. Cunich, 3 wickets for 56 runs.

Shore won by an innings and 93 runs.

3RD DIVISION CRICKET 1959

At the time this goes to print the second day of the match against King's has yet to be played as well as the match against Scots. Our hopes are high. Certainly if we can attain the form in all the teams which we displayed at the end of the First Term we shall register more wins than losses over all the teams.

The 13A's are the top team in the division. Are they a good team ? I think they are. The bowlers are well up to standard and they really look like developing as they grow and gain experience. D. Giblin, when in form is a left-hand medium paced bowler of length and accuracy. D. P. O'Brien from the other end bowls right-arm deliveries, fast and quite an amount of swing. Recently he has developed a splendid change of pace. P. Macintosh has proved himself a useful change bowler whose attack is constantly on a good length and on the stumps. The slow bowlers — C. Rogers, right-arm off spin and R. Shelton, right-arm leg spin complete the attack now that A. Enright has moved up to 14A's. Tony Enright while in the 13A's bowled medium pace right hand: he often flighted his balls beautifully and did not meet with the success he deserved; he had many a batsman groping.

The standard of batting in the team has not been up to the bowling. R. Harpham, the team's captain, was the mainstay of the batting lists. With his departure for the 14A's at the start of the Third Term, the batting looked rather weak. The ability is there, but confidence and judgment are lacking. C. Rogers who assumed captaincy after R. Harpham's departure, and R. Shelton are the main ones who keep the scorer busy. The others have yet to reach their zenith.

The fielding of the team has had more ups and downs than a yo-yo. Unfortunately it has been more often bad than good, so that the good result the team has to show has been due rather to superlative bowling or batting by one or other members of the team. Figures do not always measure value but Giblin's eight wickets for eight runs against Grammar and Rogers' 62 runs against Newington were memorable feats that spring to mind.

The results so far are: one loss on the 1st innings — our first match, two wins, and two draws in which we were in a winning position. Our opponents have not been weak; so all credit to the team; they have done well so far.

The 13B's are as yet undefeated, winning all four of the matches which have been played to date. As with the 13 A's, bowling is their strong point — this together with some lusty hitting seems to leave them victorious. P. Kearney, captain of the 13B's is an amiable leader whose ability behind the stumps is unfortunately curtailed by his excessive eagerness and excitement at tense moments. Let us hope that soon he will be able to master these. He has quickness and courage — no hindrance to any keeper. P. Delaney and B. Fagan are the two bowlers who do most damage to the opposition. D. Russell and R. Lewis appear to have a great future when they gain strength and experience. Among the batsmen, R. Alagna, G. Bagot and A. Kerr show considerable dexterity. M. Bull has the strokes and tries hard; he has had a number of successful innings but slow reflex time impedes the success he deserves.

The 13C team takes the field under the leadership of gay-spirited J. Jones. The C's have lost two and won three matches — a creditable effort for a team that has had so many changes. Among the bowlers, J. Jones has been a consistent wicket-taker, receiving good support from J. Mitchell. A. Coffey too is emerging as a power with either bat or ball.

The 13D's are wilting as all down the line replacements have been needed for those changing

to rowing. Naturally the better players are promoted and that leaves the team on a shaky foundation. P. Carroll is doing a Trojan's work with both bat and ball but especially as a bowler. Many of the others are capable of much better results with more confidence and experience.

The 13E's and F's have only had one match. They are very green and need to come a long way before they can stroke the ball across the green sward in a Hammond-like cover drive. Perhaps though — as the coach fondly hopes — there are some there who with more coaching and practice will turn into competent batsmen, bowlers and fieldsmen.

The 12A's have won three out of four matches, losing one. As luck would have it, in the one which they lost they were within eight runs of winning the game outright when time ran out. Once again the strength of the team lies in its bowlers: R. Preiss and R. Arnold, both fast bowlers for their age, one an in-swinger the other an out-swinger, constitute the opening attack. A. Kirby, also fast, is as good and depending on the captain's whim often supersedes one of the opening pair. The captain, C. Enright, is frequently devastating with his left-arm spinners. C. Price, also, can play his part when the slow bowler is needed. G. Burden and C. Price were the best of the batsmen — the future looks rich in runs for each of them.

The 12B's, C's and D's do not have many chances to display their form against other schools but there are many of them whom practice, coaching and experience will temper into fine cricketers.

Before concluding, I must say a word of thanks, inadequate though it be, to Dr. Rogers. It is with much more than mere politeness that I do so. His help, interest and advice were most valuable and the boys and their coach were charmed and encouraged by his interest and personality.

S.I.C. v. S.H.S., N.C., S.J.C.

S.H.S.: 13A — Lost on 1st; 13C — Shore, Lost Outright; 13D — Shore, Won Outright.

S.G.S.: 13A — Won 1st; 13B — Won Outright; 13C — Lost 1st; 12A — Lost 1st; 12B — Lost Outright; S.A.C., Won.

N.C.: 13A — Won 1st; 13B — Won Outright; 13C — Won Outright; 13D — Won 1st; 12A — Won Outright.

S.J.C. 13A — Drew; 13B — Won; 13C — Won; 13D — Lost; 13E — Won; 13F — Lost; 12A — Won; 12B — Won.

Shore: 13A — Drew; 13B — Won Outright; 13C — Won Outright; 13D — Lost; 12A — Won; 12B — Won; 12C — Lost; 12D — Won.

The coaches, doing such valuable work during the year, must not pass without a mention. Fr. Lowery, Fr. Fraser, Mr. O'Shannessey, Mr. Fanning and Mr. Murphy, all contributed to make the boys better cricketers and better sportsmen. On behalf of the boys I wish to thank them sincerely and warmly. Let us hope that the boys carry what they have learnt from them to the higher teams.

R. B. S.J.

Under 13A, B. C. and D

Feb. 14th and 21st: **Under 13A v. S.H.S.** Lost on 1st Innings.

S.I.C.: 70 and 102 (7 wickets) (Rogers 38; R. Harpham 27; D. O'Brien 19.

S.H.S.: 121.

Under 13 B. Did not play (Rain).

Under 13 C v. Shore. Lost outright.

S.I.C.: 47 and 31 (K. Mitchell 20).

Shore: 107 and 29.

S.I.C. bowling: J. Rixon, 2 wickets for 11 runs; W. Edwards, 4 for 4.

Under 13 D v. Shore. Won outright.

S.I.C.: 70 and 49 (Johnson 22).

Shore: 52 and 26.

S.I.C. bowling: C. Price, 5 wickets for 7 runs; J. Bamford, 4 for 4.

Feb. 28th: **13 C v. S.G.S.** Lost.

S.I.C.: 42.

S.G.S.: 104. For S.I.C. D. Russell took 4 wickets for 20 runs.

March 7th: **13 A v. S.G.S.:** Won on 1st innings.

S.I.C.: 128 and 46 (3 wickets) (R. Harpham 27; D. P. O'Brien 21; C. Rogers 23 n.o.).

S.G.S.: 27.

For **S.I.C.** D. Giblin took 8 wickets for 8 runs off 7 overs; C. Rogers, 7 overs for 2 runs.

13 B v. S.G.S. Won.

S.G.C.: 41 and 54.

S.I.C.: 88 and 45 (P. Delaney 26; P. McCarthy 18; P. Kearney 21).

March 21st and 28th: **S.I.C. v. N.C.**

Under 13 A. S.I.C.: 130 (C. Rogers 62; R. Harpham 35 and 12, no wicket).

N.C.: 58 and 92.

S.I.C. bowling: D. Giblin, 4 wickets for 16 and 5 for 24; J. O'Brien, 2 for 10; Rogers, 3 for 6.

Riverview won on the first innings.

Under 13 B. S.I.C.: 78 and 66 (J. H. Kelly 33; P. J. Delaney 23).

N.C.: 31 and 79.

For S.I.C.: D. Bergin took 5 wickets for 12 runs and 4 wickets in N.C. second innings.

Riverview won outright.

Under 13C. S.I.C.: 67 and 97 (J. B. Dalton 14; R. Kilby 14; P. McCarthy 28).

N.C.: 63 and 59.

S.I.C. bowling: J. B. Dalton took 4 wickets for 2 runs; J. Jones, 6 for 16; R. Alagna, 4 for 4.

S.I.C. won outright.

Under 13 D. S.I.C.: 106 and 121 (M. Graham 34 and 41; T. Hayes 30; D. Lewis 23).

N.C.: 84.

Bowling for Riverview: D. Lewis took 6 wickets.

S.I.C.: 112 (3 wickets) (G. Skuthorp 29; C. Davidson 34; R. McDonell 21).

Riverview won.

April 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.**

Under 13 A. S.I.C.: 145 (7 wickets, declared). (R. Shelton 44; T. O'Neill 21).

S.J.C.: 27 (7 wickets).

For Riverview D. Giblin took 2 wickets for 7 runs off 9 overs; Enright 2 for 3 off 5 overs.

Match drawn.

Under 13 B. S.J.C.: 37.



UNDER 13 A ELEVEN.
Back L.-R.: R. Honeyman, M. Montgomery, D. Giblin, A. Enright, P. P. O'Brien, Shelton, C. Rogers.
Seated: M. McCormack, P. Macintosh, R. Harpham (Capt.), F. Fletcher, T. O'Neill.
In Front: J. Atkinson. (Photo — Melba Studios).

Won on the first innings.

Under 13 E v. St. Aloysius' (Prep. I).

S.A.C.: 66.

S.I.C.: 27 (W. Edwards 17).

S.A.C. won.

Under 13 F v. St. Aloysius' (Prep. 2).

S.A.C.: 52.

S.I.C.: 40.

For 'View, J. L. Kelly took 3 wickets for 12 runs.

S.A.C. won.

Under 13 G v. St. Aloysius' (Prep. 3).

S.A.C.: 43.

S.I.C.: 118 (6 wickets) (P. J. Delaney 45 n.o.; D. Bergin 28; P. Kearney 22.

Riverview won.

Under 13C. S.I.C.: 160 (J. B. Dalton 32 n.o.; J. Jones, 25 n.o.; P. Carroll 27; P. McCarthy 25; R. Lewis 22).

S.J.C.: 74.

For Riverview, J. Jones took 4 wickets for 15 runs.

Under 13 D. S.J.C.: 123.

S.I.C.: 97 (J. L. Kelly 28).

S.I.C. bowling: J. L. Kelly, 2 for 37; R. C. Jones, 2 for 14.

S.J.C. won.

Under 13 E. S.I.C.: 130 (P. Coleman 42).

S.J.C.: 25. For Riverview D. Fitzgerald took 4 wickets. Riverview won.

Under 13 F. S.J.C. 83.

S.I.C. 61 (M. Lyons 17).

For Riverview, A. Kerr took 3 wickets, R. Braham 3 wickets.

S.J.C. won.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.**

13A (Match drawn): **Shore** 170 (8 wickets) declared.

S.I.C. 163 (7 wickets) (T. O'Neill 39 n.o.).

S.I.C. bowling: P. Macintosh, 3 wickets for 32; D. P. O'Brien, 2 for 36.

S.I.C. bowling: P. McCarthy, 4 wickets for 4 runs; J. Mitchell, 3 wickets; J. Jones, 2 wickets.

13 D (Lost): **S.I.C.:** 64 and 75 (A. Coffey 29; P. Carroll 19).

Shore: 139 and 60.

S.I.C. bowling: A. Coffey, 2 wickets for 11 runs; S. Sharah, 3 for 14.

12 A, B, C and D

Feb. 28th: **12 C v. St. Aloysius':** One-day match. Won.

S.I.C.: 111 (W. Bye 35, P. Glasheen 20).

S.A.C.: 33 (5 wickets).

For S.I.C. J. Hartigan took 3 wickets.

March 7th: **12 A v. S.G.S.** Lost on 1st Innings.



UNDER 12 A.
Back L.-R.: L. Clark, J. Hughes, R. Stewart, G. Burden, J. Tancred, W. Bye, C. Price.
Seated: J. Flynn, R. Preiss, C. Enright (Capt.), R. Mulcahy, A. Kirby.

13B: (won): **S.I.C.:** 118 and 34 (0 wickets). (M. Bull 50; R. Alagna 32 n.o.; P. Donelan 25; G. Bagot 24 n.o.).

Shore: 87 and 64.

S.I.C. bowling: P. Delaney, 4 wickets for 26; D. Russell, 3 for 23 and 2 for 8; L. Richardson, 2 for 4.

13 C (won): **S.I.C.:** 181 and 68 (5 wickets) (R. Lewis 40 and 28 n.o.; P. Coleman 46 n.o.).

Shore: 55 and 51.

S.I.C.: 57 and 110 (9 wickets: declared). (R. Shelton 68 n.o.; C. Price 26).

S.G.S.: 86 and 55 (8 wickets).

For S.I.C. C Price took 4 wickets for 11 runs.

12B v. S.G.S. Lost.

S.I.C.: 39 and 32.

S.G.S.: 69 and 32 (8 wickets).

For S.I.C.: J. Mitchell took 3 wickets for 10 runs; J. Tancred, 4 for 10.

March 21st and 28th: **Under 12 A v. N.C. (13B).** Won outright.

S.I.C.: 213 (4 wickets: declared). (R. Shelton 154 n.o.).

N.C.: 55 and 13.

For Riverview, M. Priess took 5 wickets.

Under 12 B v. N.C. (13 F): Won on 1st innings.

S.I.C.: 85 (P. Loneragan 30).

N.C.: 84.

For Riverview, P. Loneragan took 3 wickets and J. Tancred 3 wickets.

Under 12 C v. N.C. (13 G).

N.C.: 148 (5 wickets: declared).

S.I.C.: 108 and 75 (4 wickets). (R. Gordon 75).

N.C. won on the first innings.

April 11th: **S.I.C. v. S.J.C.**

Under 12 A. S.I.C.: 67.

S.J.C. 49.

C. Enright took 4 wickets. S.I.C. won.

Under 12 B. S.I.C.: 89 (7 wickets) (J. Tancred 15; R. Nolan 15).

S.J.C.: 17.

For Riverview, P. Loneragan took 7 wickets. S.I.C. won.

October 17th and 24th: **S.I.C. v. Shore.**

12 A (v. 13 E) (Won). **Shore:** 37.

S.I.C.: 154 (R. Preiss 25 n.o.; R. Stewart 22).

S.I.C. bowling: C. Price, 2 wickets for 3 runs; C. Enright, 2 for 6.

12 B (v. 13 F) (Won). **S.I.C.:** 155 (J. Tancred 29; N. Greiner 29 n.o.).

Shore: 30.

S.I.C. bowling: R. Gordon, 4 wickets for 4 runs; P. Loneragan, 3 for 18.

12 C (v. 13 E) (Lost). **S.I.C.:** 39 (K. Lynch 10; J. Hughes 50 n.o.); 79 (5 wickets).

Shore: 58.

S.I.C. bowling: L. Paris, 5 wickets for 28 runs.

12 D (v. 13 F). (Won) **S.I.C.:** 90 (C. Price 52).

Shore: 53.

For S.I.C., P. Sullivan got 4 wickets for 23 runs.

11 A

Feb. 28th: **11 A v. St. Aloysius'.** Won.

S.I.C.: 63.

S.A.C.: 35 (7 wickets).

For S.I.C., S. Mulcahy took 3 wickets.

CRICKET.

Results received after going to Press.

S.I.C. v. T.S.C. Won on the first innings. Rain limited the play to one day. T.S.C. 105 (D. Barrack, 20); S.I.C. Bowling: T. Carver, 6 wickets for 55 runs; R. Roberts, 2 for 16.

S.I.C. 226 (7 wickets): F. Kelly, 41; M. Deloughery, 41; M. Conrick, 33; W. Nevill, 33; D. Johnson, 25; W. Montgomery, 17 n.o.; R. Roberts, 16 n.o.

Riverview secured third place in the 1959 Competition.

Our Seconds were defeated by T.S.C. on the first innings.

T. Carver and F. Kelly gained places in the G.P.S. Combined 1st Eleven v. N.S.W. Cricket Association and S.U.C.; D. Foley was appointed captain of the G.P.S. Second (Combined) Eleven.

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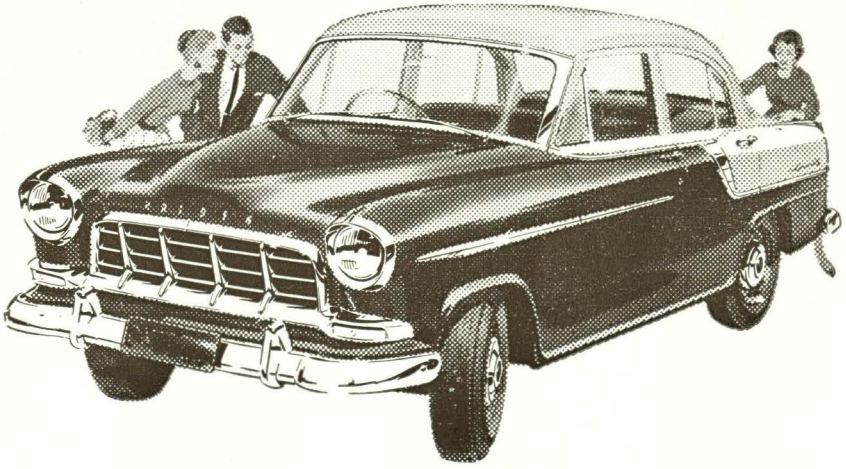
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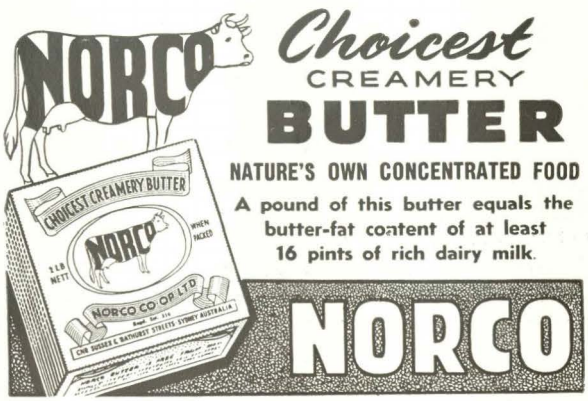
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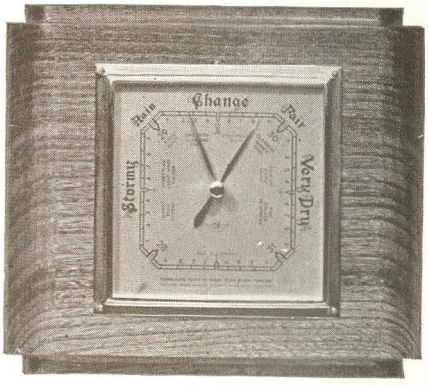
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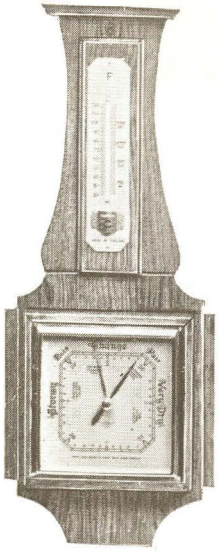
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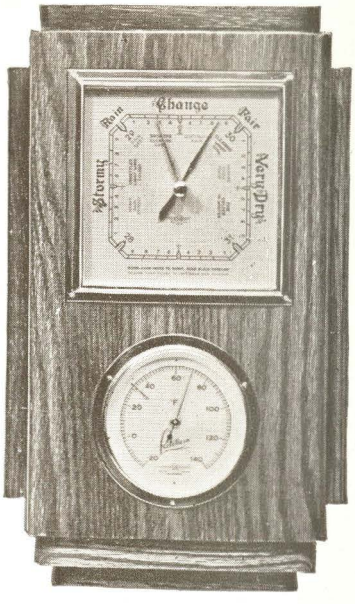
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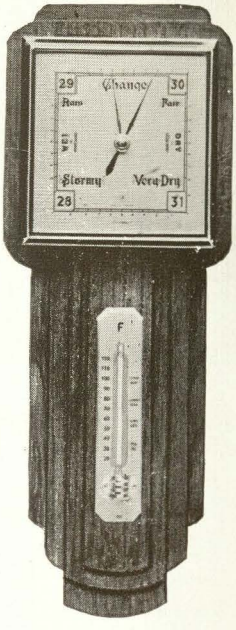
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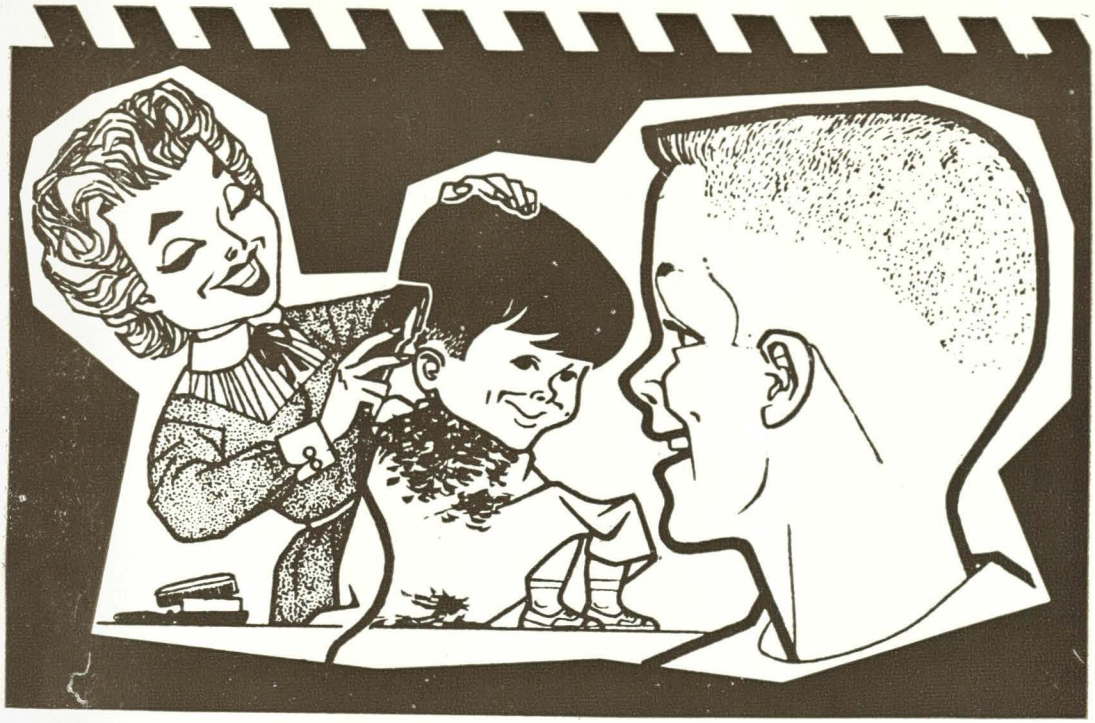






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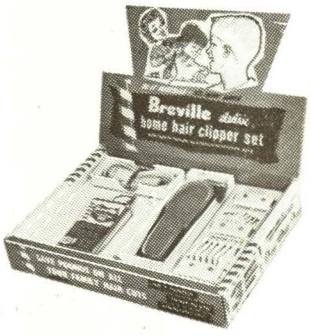
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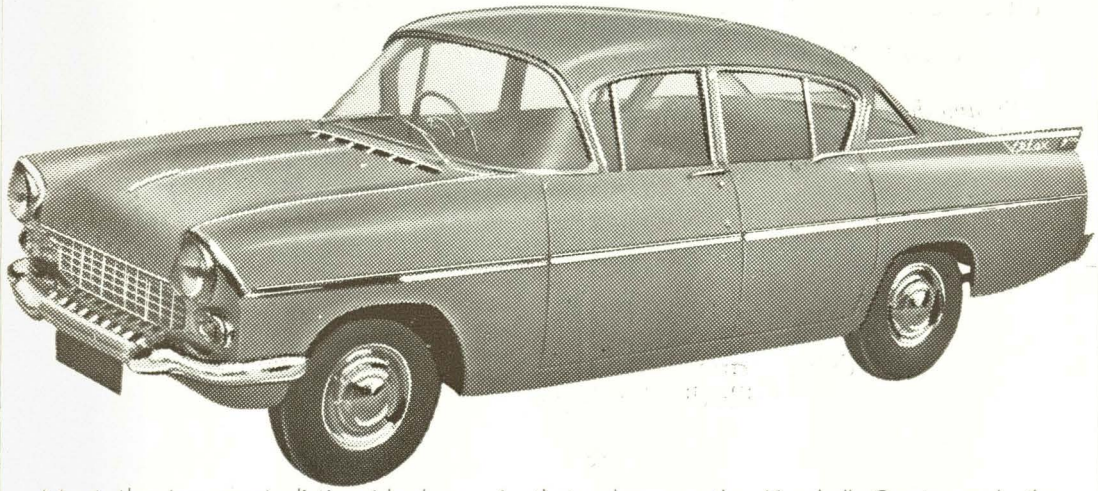
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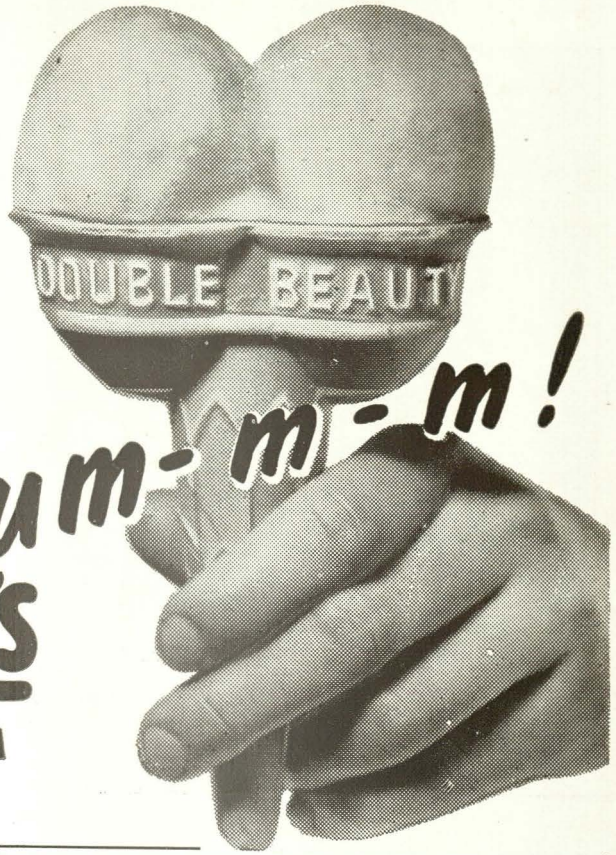
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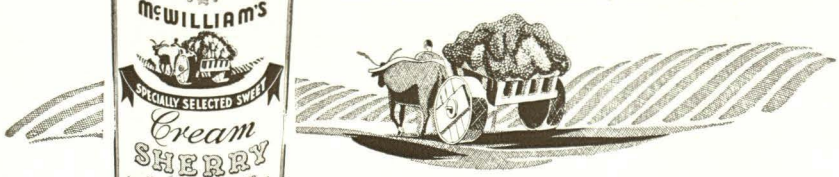
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