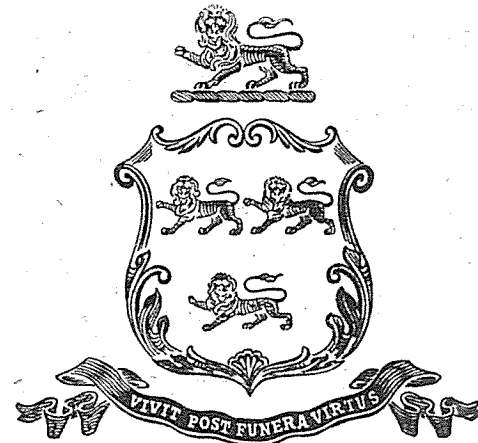
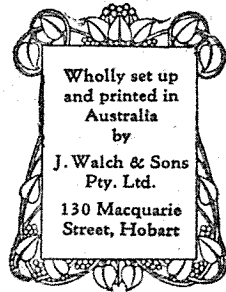


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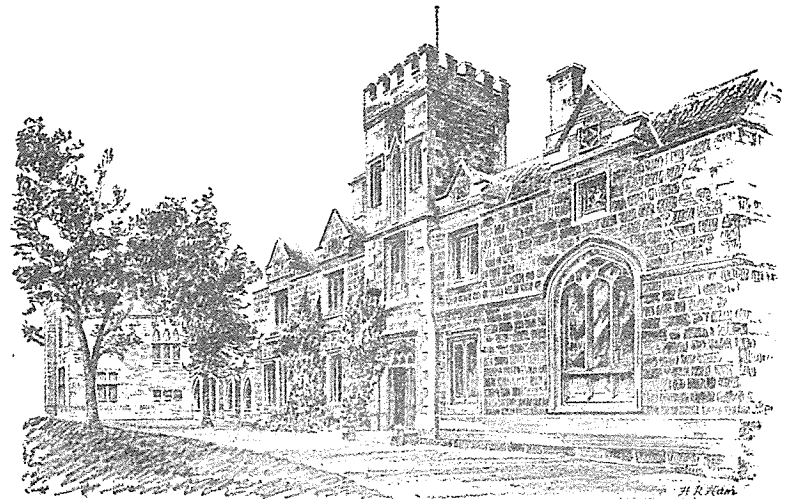


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The Hutchins School Song

Hutchins! Hutchins! grand and fair!
The only School we serve;
For thee till death we'll do and dare,
And nought can make us swerve.

Refrain:

Let your voices ring, lads!
'Tis the old School's due;
Sing her praises, sing, lads—
Hutchins! Hutchins! tried and true.

Thy name adown the ages past
Thy sons salute and cheer;
And so shall we while life doth last,
With lips and lives revere.

We learn thine ivied tower beneath,
To play the game of life,
And know they only win the wreath
Who strive in honour's strife.

May all thy sons prove ever true,
Whate'er their gifts and powers,
That man may yield to thee thy due,
Beloved School of ours.

Words by J. W. Bethune
Music by J. Scott-Power

School Notes

DURING the term the Board of Management purchased from the Church Extension Association a fine property of nearly seven acres between the Rifle Range and Mt. Nelson Road in Sandy Bay. It is hoped to begin the work of levelling the ground during the vacation, and if possible to make some addition to the present building there. If this can be done the Gladwyn School will occupy the new premises; and later the property will be developed to form the Hutchins Junior School.

It is hoped that the ground will be ready for use for games in the New Year.

The Board is to be commended for its foresight and prompt action in securing one of the best of the few remaining extensive tracts of land within easy reach by tram in the Sandy Bay district.

The permanent stop-nets on the Collins Street side of the cricket wickets have been extended and made several feet higher. The whole of the work was carried out by Mr. Johnson and boys of the woodwork classes. The boys are to be complimented on the excellence of the work.

The carrying out of structural work of this kind forms a valuable adjunct to the lessons of the workshop. Moreover, the boys are contributing something to the School by doing work which could not otherwise be undertaken owing to the shortage of skilled labour through the demands of the war. We look forward to the developing of more ambitious projects like those carried out in some other schools.

Various activities assisting the war effort have been continued throughout the year. Several camouflage nets have been completed as a spare-time occupation, whilst a large number of inkstands for the Comforts Fund have been made in the woodwork classes by the boys. Subscriptions to War Savings Certificates for this year now total approximately £300. In addition, the general weekly collections for patriotic and other funds have amounted to over £35 for the year.

Thanks to the wide selection of films available on loan from the Education Department, the junior forms have made good use of the School projector, under

the charge of Messrs. MacGregor and Hobman. The films have been mainly on geography and history and have been supplementary to the lessons given in class.

At the recent Oral French competitions conducted by the Alliance Française our boys acquitted themselves very well. Ian Wood obtained second prize in Senior dictation, and Ross Smith second prize in Intermediate poetry. D. Dargaville was placed third in Junior dictation; G. Colman third in Senior poetry, and P. Seaton third in Junior poetry. There were 150 entries from all the Hobart schools and 12 prizes were given.

It was a great privilege to have the Bishop of New Guinea, Rt. Rev. P. W. Strong, address the School during his brief visit to Tasmania. The Bishop gave a most interesting and inspiring talk on the work of the Church in his diocese, and in particular on the spiritual progress of the natives. He gave many instances of the self-sacrifice and devotion of both his own staff and the natives, and left us with a sense of thankfulness and responsibility.

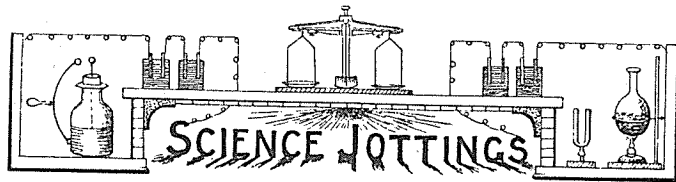
I. H. Wood has been awarded an Ormond Scholarship as the result of a recent examination conducted by Ormond College, University of Melbourne. The subjects for his examination were Physics and Chemistry, and he intends to read Medicine next year in Melbourne. We heartily congratulate him on his success, especially as this scholarship is rarely entered for by a Tasmanian.

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Confirmation

THE following boys were confirmed at the Cathedral on Sunday, 17th October by the Bishop of Gippsland:

Butler, C. C. A.; Butler, W. J. A.; Calvert, A. F.; Cottier, B. A.; Coupe, D. R.; Dargaville, A. D.; Farquhar-Smith, I.; Falkinder, J. R. D.; Hawker, I. N.; Mace, M. D.; Marshall, G. E.; Milles, R. S.; Parkes, E. A.; Smith, J. A.; Swan, H. G.; Swan, E. T.; Tanner, P. T.; Terry, J. M.; Trethewey, A. S. T.; Walch, J. A.; Ward, J. R.



ETNA AND VESUVIUS

IN recent months the armies of Britain and America have been waging war in the immediate vicinity of two of the most famous volcanoes in the world — Etna in Sicily and Vesuvius in Italy.

So absorbed are our people in the progress of our fighting forces and in the momentous issues involved in the struggle that little attention is given to the topographical features of the terrain over which our soldiers are operating. But the origin and history of volcanoes have a fascination for both the scientist and the layman which will long outlive the present conflict and may probably last as long as the earth itself.

Everybody knows that a volcano is an opening in the earth's crust through which heated internal matter is brought to the surface. The scientists believe that the earth and all the other planets at one time formed part of the sun. By some means or other — and two theories have been given to account for what happened — the planets got detached from the parent body and started their separate existences as hot masses of gas. The earth forthwith began to cool and after many years it commenced to liquify and later to solidify. The outermost layers, of course, cooled most rapidly and were the first to become solid. When this solidification had taken place the earth consisted of a solid outer crust enclosing a hot interior mass of gas and liquid. A stage was then reached when the inner layers also began to cool, and, as most bodies decrease in volume when their temperature is lowered, these inner layers also began to shrink. As the shrinkage proceeded, the crust, not having adequate internal support, began to crumple up into wrinkles and folds.

This, very briefly, is the manner in which the mountains and valleys on the earth were formed. The process, however, is not yet completed and the earth's surface is still moving slightly, falling in at some places and moving up at others. Occasionally a sudden slip may result in

an earthquake. At other times the steady pressure of the falling crust may squeeze the hot material up through the cracks and crevices until it emerges on the surface of the earth. Thus we have volcanoes, oil wells and hot springs.

Of all the volcanoes in the world none have cast such a glamour over men as Etna and Vesuvius. Etna has many points of interest. Its higher regions are covered with perpetual snow. Half-way down there is an abundant growth of birch trees, pines and chestnuts. Near the bottom the climate is not unlike that of certain parts of Australia, and olives, vines and all kinds of vegetables flourish in profusion. This volcano has as many as two hundred craters, and there have been repeated eruptions. Some of these eruptions have caused serious loss of life. In A.D. 1169 the whole town of Catania was overwhelmed, and about the middle of the seventeenth century there was a violent explosion which opened an abyss, twelve miles long, in the side of the mountain and caused terrible destruction.

Vesuvius, like Etna, has very productive slopes. Here are grown grapes from which some of the finest wines in the world are manufactured. The amazing fertility of the soil, caused by the overflow of lava from the crater, explains why Vesuvius, in spite of its constant menace, is the heart of a densely populated region. This volcano is never really quiescent. From the city of Naples steam can be seen continually issuing from an opening about 1,000 feet from the top, and Australian travellers who visit Naples on their way to Europe generally obtain good photographs of the mountain with its white misty cap.

Vesuvius has had many disastrous eruptions. The one in the year A.D. 79 which completely wiped out the Roman city of Pompeii remains the most famous holocaust of its kind in all history. In 1631 it had another violent upheaval. On this occasion particles of dust were projected as far as Istanbul, 800 miles distant, and its fiery overflow caught men unprepared and took 20,000 lives.

THREE STORIES

A biography of the late Sir Joseph John Thomson, the eminent Cambridge physicist, has recently appeared from the pen of Lord Rayleigh. The British Isles has produced so many scientists of the name of Thomson or Thompson that, in order to distinguish Sir Joseph from the others, he was familiarly known in the scientific world as "J.J."

Many anecdotes of the great man are told by his biographer and other writers who knew him intimately, and some of them are worth reproducing.

Towards the end of J.J.'s period as Master of Trinity College, Cambridge, a party of Americans were visiting the College. On entering the gate they saw coming towards them across the lawn a venerable, rather shabbily dressed, white-haired figure. One of them accosted him and made an inquiry about some architectural features. Thomson gave an explanation and the sightseers adopted the old man as a sort of guide to the beauties of the Great Court. They were much impressed by his erudition and, on leaving, one of them, assuming him to be perhaps a retired college butler, presented him with half-a-crown. This J.J. calmly pocketed, and he remarked afterwards, as he related the incident with great glee, that to have refused would only have caused embarrassment.

Thomson had a keen sense of humour and told the story of a paragraph depreciating the value of book learning that appeared in the "Manchester Guardian," the contributor being a local draper. "There was," said the business man, "a clever boy at school with me, little Joey Thomson, who took all the prizes. But what good has all his book learning done him? Whoever hears of little Joey Thomson now?"

Charles Darwin, the naturalist, is another scientist of whom some good stories have been told. Darwin, who was one of the most famous scientists of all time, performed researches in zoology and botany that made his name immortal. He was the author of the epoch-making works "The Origin of Species" and "The Descent of Man."

It is said that on one occasion, towards the end of his life, he was spending a holiday with a friend in the country. His friend went to business in the city every morning, returning to his home in the

evening. Darwin was consequently left to his own devices during the day, and, of course, being Charles Darwin, he spent his time studying the different forms of the flowers and the habits of the insects and earthworms which he found in the garden.

His friend, who was a bachelor, employed a housekeeper. One evening on her master's return the good lady seemed rather distressed. "Oh," she said, "that poor old fellow is very lonely. He does nothing but dig in the garden and look at worms and grubs. You should teach him to play patience." "That gentleman," replied her master, "is the celebrated Charles Darwin."

Stories such as these are told of all the great scientists, and indeed of all famous men, but, no doubt, some of them are apocryphal.

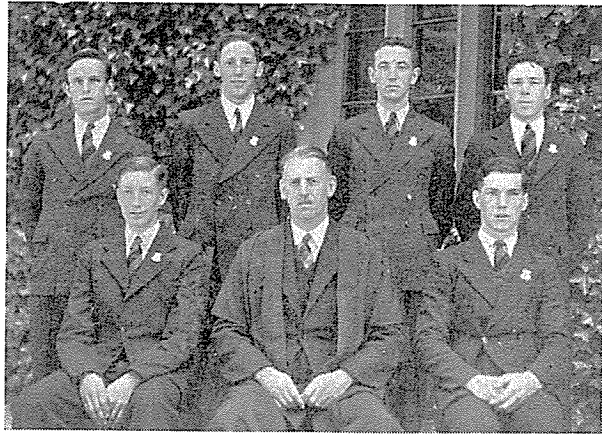
SCIENCE AS A HUMANITY

At a conference held recently by the British Association for the Advancement of Science, the subject of "Science as a Humanity" was discussed.

One of the principal speakers, Dr. R. V. Southwell, said that the cultural value of science lay not in its story of material achievement, but in the development of a special kind of thinking. It was not the only right kind, for outside the laboratory scientific thinking was not enough. Science could, however, give the realization that hard problems demanded hard thinking, and teachers should have more recourse to the history of science and the lives of the great pioneers.

Another speaker declared that all knowledge is humanistic because of what it does in liberating human intelligence and sympathy. He said that an improvement could be made in scientific education by making the pupil consciously aware of the relation that existed between scientific knowledge and method and the practical problems that face mankind. Absence of incentive, he thought, was the main fault in our school curricula, and he advocated the introduction of the biological sciences into the work of secondary schools. These would help in the solution of many of our social problems, by destroying the inertia due to ignorance.

H. D. E.



PREFECTS, 1943

Back row: P. J. Lethlean, N. J. Ruddock, R. H. Ikin, E. A. Creese.
Front row: G. W. Colman (senior prefect), The Headmaster, R. S. Hay.

Death of Mrs. Lindon

WE regret to record the death of Annie, wife of Mr. Leonard H. Lindon, a former Headmaster of the School. Mrs. Lindon arrived in Tasmania with her husband about thirty-two years ago and ever since that date they have resided in Hobart.

During the years from 1912 to 1917, when Mr. Lindon was Warden of Christ's College and Headmaster of the Hutchins School, the headmaster's residence was in Park Street, a considerable distance away. Nevertheless, in spite of this handicap, Mrs. Lindon took an active part in the social activities of the School and interested herself in everything that pertained to its success and welfare.

Mrs. Lindon, like her husband, was a native of England and was a woman of education, culture and refinement. She had varied interests. For many years, for instance, she was an enthusiastic gardener and was specially successful in the cultivation of roses. In her younger days she won distinction as an athlete, and was the first woman to climb Mount Cook in New Zealand. Accompanied by her husband she accomplished that feat in 1912. Mount Cook is the highest mountain peak in Australasia, its altitude being well over twelve thousand feet. It is covered with perpetual snow, and, rising in the shape of a pyramid with precipitous sides, it

offers peculiar obstacles to the mountaineer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindon were a most devoted couple. Throughout their whole married life, both in work and play, they were almost inseparable. To Mr. Lindon, therefore, the loss of his wife must be a serious blow, and the School sympathises with him in the grievous loss he has sustained.

H. D. E.

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Hail!

School House: Sprent, J.

Stephens House: Coates, M.

Buckland House: Dalwood, P. G.

Kindergarten: Gurney, M. K.; Harris, L. K.; Jackson, D. M.; Piggott, J.; Sheil, G. G.

and Farewell!

School House: Agnew, M. A. (1935); Geeves, W. D. (1939).

Buckland House: Stephens, R. F. (1943).

Kindergarten: Geeves, P. C. (1943).

The Parents' Association

THE activities of the Association since our last report have been varied and, we hope, useful to the School. Several matters, however, have had to be postponed owing to war conditions, but we shall have them done in due course.

The Party and Dance were successful, and we are sure everyone present had a thoroughly enjoyable time.

Financially, with expenses £12/9/5 and a balance for our funds of £55/16/1, the result was highly satisfactory. We are very grateful to all who donated cakes and other eatables, to the ladies who organised the suppers, and to the teaching staff for their valuable assistance and the domestic staff for their help.

To Mr. Collings, the Bursar, a special word of thanks is due. The writer is quite convinced that Mr. Collings holds the key which means success or otherwise of the Annual Party and Dance, and gladly places on record the sincere appreciation of the Association of his able and willing assistance.

It was with a good deal of satisfaction we learned of the purchase of land by

the Board, and shall await with interest their intention as to its use.

The organisers of the clothing mart are anxious that all Parents should take advantage of this excellent arrangement to dispose of outgrown clothing and to acquire outfits for their boys at small cost. We hope a search of wardrobes for the next mart early in 1944 will yield good results. Will Parents kindly note?

A Fair is programmed for 1944; advice of this will be sent out in ample time to ensure its success.

The last quarterly meeting, on November 11th, brought a fair attendance. At the close of business those present were entertained by Mr. Basil Rait to a very interesting and informative illustrated talk on early Hobart and the Hutchins School. Supper, provided by the ladies, was afterwards served.

These notes are closed with the thanks of the Committee to all who have assisted them, and a reminder to Parents of the Clothing Mart and the Fair. It's not too soon to get ready.

E. W. L.

Library Notes

THE Library has been in constant use during the last half-year. Though it is a bad time for book buying we are beginning to fill some of the serious gaps on our shelves. We are indebted to the Consul-General for Belgium, Professor L. A. Triebel, Dr. T. H. Goddard, Mr. E. Parkes, D. S. Gibson, E. G. A. B. Terry and I. Farquhar-Smith for gifts of books. Thanks to the generosity of the Parents' Association we have recently bought the following books: "The Stars in Their Courses" (Jeans), "Poison Island" (Q.), "Green Mountains" (O'Reilly), "Pilgrims of the Wild" (Grey Owl), "The Riddle of the Sands" (Childers), "The Drum" (Mason), "Biggles Sweeps the Desert" (Johns), "Black Beauty" (Sewell), "Jeremy at Crole" (Walpole), "The Sword in the Stone" (White), "Robbery Under Arms" (Boldrewood), "Dread-

nought of the Darling" and "On the Wool Track" (Bean), "Australian Outline" (Barnard), "St. Ives" (Stevenson), "A Century of Science" (Sherwood Taylor), "Trent's Last Case" (Bentley).

At midwinter the purchase of a number of reference books for French and Geography helped to increase the range of those sections. The additions have since had very good use.

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SOME HOWLERS

Flux is a brown stone that smells like berries.

(Remove A)

Achemedes said that the upthrust of water = so much. He also said that the ball and cylinder method was correct.

(Fifth)

The Literary and Debating Society

THE Debating Society's programme has been rather a full one for the last half of the year. On June 29th the first debate was held against Fahan School at Fahan. The School team, consisting of Colman, Lethlean and Crowther, narrowly defeated their fair opponents, Miss Cane, Miss Nairn and Miss Purves, in a very humorous debate, "That Radio is Destroying Home Life."

The first Junior House debate was held on Friday, 13th August, between Buckland and School. Buckland, with the aid of M. Jennings, defeated School, whose best speaker was J. R. Ward.

The next debate, between Buckland and Stephens, was another victory for Buckland, which thus wins the "B" competition. M. W. Jennings was again the best speaker of the night, thereby being the Junior Orator of the Society for 1943.

The last debate of the House competition, between School and Stephens, resulted in an equal number of marks being gained by both teams, thus making both those Houses equal in the "B" competition.

The Junior debates this year have been of a high standard, and such Juniors as M. Jennings and J. Ward, and other debaters less experienced but just as keen, should figure well in the Senior competition in years to come.

A second debate was held against Fahan at the School on 18th August. The teams were different from those in the first debate. The School consisted of Lethlean, Crowther and Watson, and Miss Lord, Miss Seddon and Miss Campbell composed the Fahan team. The debate was well contested, but again the decision went to the School team.

We wish to thank the Hon. H. S. Baker for adjudicating the two debates with Fahan, and also the Headmaster for adjudicating all three Junior House debates.

In the Hudspeth Essay Competition this year there was a very poor representation by two of the three Houses, School House contributing six of the eight entries in the Junior division, and the only two Senior entries. The essays were not read as in previous years, but the results were: J. L. Seaton won the Senior division and M. Jennings the Junior, with two excellent essays.

The Society's activities this year have been very successful, although, owing to lack of time, the Mock Trial had to be abandoned, together with the debates against Collegiate and the Old Boys.

This year's prizes have gone to the following boys:—

Senior Impromptu Orator: J. Senior and G. W. Colman (equal).

Junior Impromptu Orator: M. Jennings.

Senior Orator: G. W. Colman.

Junior Orator: M. W. Jennings.

The Hudspeth Essay (Senior): J. L. Seaton.

The Hudspeth Essay (Junior): M. W. Jennings.

The Society's Prize (donated by Mr. Erwin): P. J. Lethlean.

The House competition shield for both Senior and Junior divisions combined was this year won by School House, with Buckland second and Stephens third.

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Exchanges

WE have to acknowledge receipt of magazines from the following schools since June, 1943, and apologise if any have been inadvertently omitted.

Tasmania: Church Grammar School, Launceston.

Victoria: Ballarat College; Carey Baptist Grammar School, Kew; Caulfield Grammar School; Melbourne Church of England Grammar School; Geelong College; Scotch College, Hawthorn.

New South Wales: Sydney Church of England Grammar School; Knox Grammar School, Wahroonga; The Armidale School.

Queensland: Southport School (2).

South Australia: Prince Alfred College, Adelaide (2); St. Peter's College, Adelaide (2).

West Australia: Guildford Grammar School; Hale School, Perth.

Scout Notes

THE outstanding event in our Scout activities for the half-year was the winning, by our troop, of the Hobart District Scouts' sports competition for the first time on record. We were fortunate in having in our team a number of Scouts whose performances in school athletics have been outstanding, but there were very few weak spots and the general performance of our team was very satisfactory.

Our signalling work was rather disappointing, but P.L.'s have been working hard to improve it and we hope to do better next year. We are grateful to the Cadet Detachment for the loan of four Lucas lamps for practice.

In other branches of technical work the senior members of the troop are quite good, but juniors need a lot of coaching by their P.L.'s.

Salvage work has been interfered with to some extent by weather conditions, but most members of the troop continue to work quite well at this necessary, if rather uninteresting, job.

Most members of the troop expect to take part in harvesting and fruit-picking work during the Christmas holidays, so here's wishing them all Good Weather, Good Work, Good Scouting!

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Postage Stamps

THE appeal for postage stamps on behalf of the Australian Board of Missions published in our last issue has met with a ready response, and the Editor wishes to thank those who gave not only their duplicate stamps, but, in some cases, entire collections. The sales at the Diocesan Book Depot have been most gratifying, and during the five months in which the scheme has been in progress very nearly £30 has been raised by the sale of these stamps. No expenses whatever have been incurred and the whole amount has been paid over to the Reconstruction and Advance Fund of the A.B.M. (reconstruction of New Guinea stations).

The sales have been so encouraging (about 25/- a week) that the demand

threatens to exceed the supply, and a further appeal is made for stamps for stock. Any used postage stamps whatever, except the more common Australian current issues, will be gratefully accepted. There is a special demand for Dominion and foreign stamps.

Will you therefore go through your collection and send any stamps you can spare to the Editor, either at the School or at the Diocesan Book Depot? A worthier cause could not be found.

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House Points

THE House competition proved a very keen struggle between School and Stephens. In the "A" section Stephens won five of eight sports, and School three, whilst in the "B" series School won five and Stephens two. Stephens won the Rowing Cup and Nicholas Shield for Cricket, School the Centenary Football Shield and the Chas. Davis Tennis Cup. Results:

	"A"		
	Stephens	School	Bucks
Swimming ..	18	10	2
Rowing	18	10	2
Cricket	18	10	2
Football	10	18	2
Cross-Country	18	10	2
Std. Athletics	10	18	2
Athletics	18	10	2
Tennis	10	18	2
Totals	120	104	16

	"B"		
	School	Stephens	Buckland
Swimming ..	1	12	6
Cricket	6	1	12
Rowing	6	12	1
Football	12	6	1
Cross-Country	12	6	1
Std. Athletics	12	6	1
Athletics	12	1	6
Tennis	12	6	1
Totals	73	50	29

Grand Totals

School	177 points
Stephens	170 points
Buckland	45 points



CADET NOTES

SENIOR & JUNIOR

O.C. Detachment: Lieut. R. J. Harris
C.S.M.: W.O. ii P. J. Lethlean
Q.M.: C.Q.M.S. R. S. Hay

O.C. No. 1 Platoon: Cdt.-Lieut. R. H. Ikin
Platoon Sergeant: Sgt. J. H. Brettingham-Moore
O.C. No. 2 Platoon: Cdt.-Lieut. G. W. Colman
Platoon Sergeant: Sgt. E. A. Creese
O.C. No. 3 Platoon: Cdt.-Lieut. J. W. B. Walch
Platoon Sergeant: Sgt. N. J. Ruddock

Discharges: Sgt. Bennetto, Sgt. Agnew, Cadet Lacey.

Enrolment: Cadet Donovan.

Promotions: Sgt. Colman to be Cdt.-Lieut.; Sgt. Walch to be Cdt.-Lieut.; Cpl. Agnew to be Sgt.; Cpl. Ruddock to be Sgt.; L/Cpl. Martyn to be Cpl.; L/Cpl. Payne to be Cpl.; L/Cpl. Baker to be Cpl.; L/Cpl. Hawker to be Cpl.; Cdt. Terry, T. G., to be L/Cpl.

Home Training.—Parades of 1½ hours duration have been held each Friday afternoon during which cadets received drill, weapon training and general section work. Miniature range practices have been held during the third term and very few cadets failed to qualify.

Training Course.—A course of instruction has been held at the School for 20 cadets and lance-corporals, preference being given to boys who will be attending school next year. So far the results of the examinations are not yet to hand.

Home Inspection.—During the third term the Corps was inspected at home training by Major V. H. Profit, and also during the fourth term by the Military Commander, Colonel J. A. Chapman. Both were impressed by the standard and efficiency of cadets.

Annual Camp.—The Senior Cadet Detachment entered Milford Camp on October 1st, in company with the detachments of St. Virgil's College, St. Patrick's College and Cleme College. The Camp Commandant, Capt. W. T. Crosby, was unfortunately absent for the first two days, but for this short period the camp was under the command of Capt. N. G. Dineen.

On October 7th the Director of Cadet Services for Australia, Colonel F. J. Alderson, accompanied by his Staff Officer, Capt. A. N. Mackenzie, inspected the camp and expressed satisfaction at the type of work being done, and also at the general appearance of the cadets themselves.

Owing to the excellent facilities for cadet training at Milford Camp, the cadets were able to do field exercises which they have no opportunity of doing at their home parades. This particular training was therefore very valuable.

The instructors attached to the camp were W.O. i H. M. Coleman, W.O. ii A. Robinson, W.O. ii A. T. Ward, W.O. ii J. S. Holbrook, Sgt. D. G. Quinn, Cpl. R. P. Welch and Sgt. R. Christian.

Camp was struck on October 8th and the cadets arrived in Hobart at 6.45 p.m.

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Staff Notes

WE regret to announce the resignation of Miss Phyllis Wright, who for the past three years has been in charge of the Kindergarten and Sub-Primary department of the School. She has accepted a similar appointment at Haileybury College, Melbourne, and we wish her every success in her new work.

Her place at the School is to be taken by Mrs. Grace Burton, to whom we extend a warm welcome. Mrs. Burton has had wide experience in the Tasmanian Education Department, where she taught for several years. She was also stationed in Fiji for two years, teaching in a Mission School at Suva.

Our deep sympathy is offered to Mr. T. C. Brammall in his recent serious illness. He has been actively associated with the School for over thirty years, both as a full-time teacher, and, of late years, in coaching our boys in an official capacity at his home. We are glad to learn of an improvement in his health and wish him a speedy recovery.

House Notes

SCHOOL HOUSE

Colours: Light Blue and Dark Blue

House Master: Mr. C. MacGregor

House Captain: G. W. Colman

Vice-Captain: R. H. Ikin

Captain of Athletics, Football and Swimming:
R. H. Ikin

Captain of Cricket, Tennis and Debating:
G. W. Colman

Captain of Cross-Country: R. S. Hodgson

THE House competitions this year have provided some thrilling contests, especially between Stephens House and School House. In the "A" grade events School House won the tennis, football and standard athletics, while in swimming, cricket, rowing, cross-country and team athletics we were second to Stephens House. In the "B" grade events we won the tennis, football, cross-country, team athletics and standard athletics, having been beaten by Stephens in rowing, by Stephens and Buckland in swimming, and by Buckland in cricket.

A great deal of the success of our teams is definitely due to the enthusiasm and example of our captain and vice-captain, Colman and Ikin respectively, who worked very hard to get the whole House pulling together, and the fact that there have been very few consistent slackers is due very largely to their efforts. We shall miss them very much next year, but we trust that some of the "budding champions" who remain with us will develop into equally keen and successful leaders.

BUCKLAND HOUSE

Colours: Maroon and White

House Master: Mr. A. J. Hobman

House Captain: J. Bennetto

Vice-Captain: J. H. Brettingham-Moore

Captain of Athletics, Football and Rowing:
J. Bennetto

Captain of Swimming: B. L. Bennetto

Captain of Debating: J. H. Brettingham-Moore

Captain of Tennis: L. J. Brooks

Captain of Cricket and Cross-Country:
J. W. B. Walch

WELL, another year of competition has come to a close and we are afraid we must again congratulate another House on winning the Shield.

School House certainly deserves its success, which has been won by consistency and a fine team spirit. We congratulate you!

Bucks could not get going this year. In all sports the opposition was too good. In the "A" division we consistently filled third place. However, we shaped better in the "B," finishing off the year with our only success—a win in the "B" House cricket, beating Steves by 40 runs and School by four after a most exciting match. In this match the true Buckland House spirit came to the fore. Our success was due mainly to the keenness of our team. We hope that this will be a good omen for next year.

Next year a new system of allotting new boys to Houses will be adopted. They will be grouped according to their weight-height-age rating and an attempt will be made to make all the Houses as nearly equal as possible in each division. This system should stimulate interest in the House competition.

Keenness and House spirit will have a greater effect on the Shield than occasional brilliance, which we feel will enable Bucks to be well to the fore next year.

STEPHENS HOUSE

Colours: Blue, Black and Gold

House Master: Mr. F. Shann

House Captain: N. J. Ruddock

Vice-Captain: E. A. Creese

Captain of Swimming, Football, Cross-Country and Athletics: N. J. Ruddock

Captain of Cricket and Tennis: E. A. Creese

Captain of Rowing: P. J. Thompson

Captain of Debating: W. J. M. Senior

SINCE the half-yearly report many things—both expected and unexpected—have occurred with regard to the House. Although we started third term with an unbeaten record we just failed to hold School off, by seven points. We must congratulate the winners on a great year's sport and the other losers, Buckland, on always making it interesting. Above all, however, "Well done, Stephs!" It was no disgrace to be beaten by such a small margin.

Football was the first House competition this half.

"A": With Creese unable to play and School having such a formidable array of First players, we did exceptionally well to be beaten by nine points after leading at three-quarter time.

"B": School were too strong for both other Houses and we defeated Bucks, so the results were the same in both divisions.

Cross-country was a great victory for us in "A," Ruddock being first, Thompson second and Baker third; but, unfortunately, we could only get second to School in "B."

Standard athletics were concluded with School winning, then Stephs; and School in "A" and "B," the first only by one point.

Athletics provided another win for us in "A"—a very convincing one, too, gained mainly by Ruddock, Creese, Baker

and Thompson. However, in the lower division we could only make third to School and Bucks.

In cricket, also, Stephs could do no better, though Bucks replaced School.

In the all-important tennis, Colman, Ikin, Terry and Lethlean were too even for our team of Sheil i, Creese, Ruddock and Butler i. This, plus her win in the "B," gave School the shield in spite of our two seconds.

Therefore, Stephs gained five firsts, three seconds in "A," four seconds and two thirds in "B." This shows that our younger boys—those we will be depending on in a few years, even next year, perhaps—are rather weak; so they will have to try hard to improve. This year we were very close to winning the shield; make sure of it next year. Make 1944 the year for the Blue, Black and Gold to be on top.

"After the War — Then What?"

THE Australian Broadcasting Commission is conducting a series of talks under the above heading during the next few weeks, the various speakers being noted authorities on their respective topics. Owing to the intervention of the Christmas vacation it will be impossible to form listening groups for the School, but it is hoped that as many of our boys as possible will be able to hear the series. The subjects, which are listed below, cover an important field, for all should be prepared to share in the solution of our post-war problems. The talks commence at 8 p.m. on the following Mondays:

December 13th: "Should We Organise Leisure or Leave it to Individual Initiative?" by Ann K. Tasny.

December 20th: "A Listening Group Reviews the Series."

December 27th: "The Future of Motor-ing," by John Campbell.

January 3rd: "The New Town House," by Hal Salvage.

January 10th: "Houses for Country People," by Hedley Carr.

January 17th: "Flats or Private Houses?" by John Oldham.

January 24th: "Town Plan or No Plan?" by Walter Bunning.

January 31st: "Should the Government Provide Houses?" by Ronald Mendelsohn.

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Scholarships

The results of the recent Scholarship Examinations have just been announced and are as follow:—

The McPhee: P. Jeffery (Princes St.).

The Harvey: R. Smith.

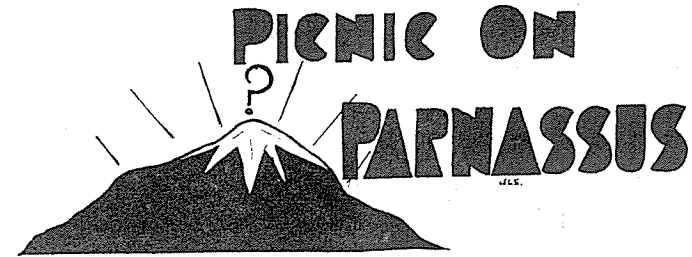
The Junior Newcastle: G. Page-Hanify.

The Crace-Calvert: G. O. Morris.

The Franklin: B. Clark (Huonville Area).

The Senior Newcastle: C. I. Wood.

The Clerical: D. U. Shepherd and P. McCabe (Elizabeth St.).



ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

GO TO SEA!

A LOW mist hung off the beach, and the crackle of the camp-fire seemed our only homely comfort, for we had never experienced such a ghostly night before.

The water was dead calm, the sands still and cold, and the trees stood round like giant sentinels. Our white tent was a ghostly monster with tangled claws. The dancing fire was our only security. We had not spoken to one another for some minutes, maybe we were sensing the same unspoken fears.

Into the stillness of the night came a muffled thud-thud-thud and the rattling of metals together. We waited, then came swirling through the mist not twenty paces away the figure of a one-legged sailor with a lengthy cutlass dangling at his side.

He stopped beside a tree, looked at us with little curiosity, regarded our camp-site, grunted, then, moving through the bushes, disappeared into the mist.

We turned and stared after him in open-eyed dreaminess. He was not the usual type of man seen wandering on a beach of to-day. He was at least a century behind our time.

We looked at one another, petrified. It seemed the same thoughts had struck us both. Sam's eyes were wide with horror, just as I had seen him once before when watching Frankenstein in a thriller.

That night was the worst I have ever spent. Even after a gripping thriller or murder I usually slept, but now I kept hearing that thud-thud-thud, not outside, but stamping through my brain.

We were in the village at daybreak, excitedly pouring out our story to the family. They listened very patiently, and it was only gradually that we realised they were laughing at us. In the light of adult wisdom, we saw the ridiculousness of our

story, and by the end of the day were almost convinced that the one-legged sailor had been just a dream.

That night beside our camp-fire, the same stillness, the same mist and coolness, and our thoughts of the previous night came back. In some gap of my mind that thud-thud-thud came back and I began to think of the sailor we had seen by the tree.

The tree was still there. I looked again, and from behind it the face of a grinning sailor appeared. I saw the toothless mouth, the hollow eyes, the mopy hair and the grimy skin. They seemed real enough. I pinched myself—I wasn't dreaming this time—I looked at the fire, put my hand nearer, and it burnt me. No! I wasn't dreaming. But——. He had gone.

We jumped up, rushed into the bushes—no trace, no sound. The sailor had disappeared just as mysteriously as he came.

We returned to the fire—scared. We talked in terrified whispers about our ghostly visitor. We assured ourselves we were not dreaming—and to-morrow we would tell our tale, and stick to it, no matter how impossible it may seem.

Where did this ghostly figure come from?

Both Sam and I have been fighting a disbelieving world ever since; but the memory of the grinning sailor is still very definite. The daily paper published a curious article a few days later. It concerned the wreckage of a brig, which had been discovered buried beneath the sand at a treacherous point on the coast, not far from our holiday resort. In the hope of finding lost treasure, the villagers dug the hulk clear of sand, to find that the old, heavily lined cabin had acted as a sealed chamber. The water had not seeped through and the airtight room had been

both a death-trap and a coffin, for the bodies of seven men were discovered there, each in different postures of death. On the stairway, crouched in a position that told grimly of a last desperate struggle for life, was the body of a one-legged sailor!

Well, that's the story. Neither Sam nor I can give any satisfactory explanation of it. We just remember the sailor as we last saw him . . . thud-thud-thud . . . away in the mist the clanking had gone—the back of a man was all we had seen, then the mist swirling round him, and so he vanished, and that was the last we saw of the one-legged sailor.

M. W. Jennings, Intermediate

[This story received first prize in the W. H. Hudspeth Essay Competition, Junior Division].

THE COMING OF SPRING

"Chaste dewdrop, venturous harbinger of Spring."

—Wordsworth.

ONE cloudless morning I was startled to see a pair of swallows dipping and curvetting around our poplars. I immediately wished, as they were the first to be seen that season. Upon the hillside running up from the creek, the wheat was already assuming a deep emerald green, while high in the sky one could hear the beautiful song of the skylark.

In the bush the snowdrops and orchids were pushing their dainty heads through the munificent undergrowth, and on our hawthorns buds were beginning to appear. The bright yellow acacias and daffodils lent a colourful aspect to the velvety sheen of the bush gum leaves.

After a bitter winter, Nature seemed to be spreading herself lavishly across the face of the earth, as if to compensate for the bareness of the previous season, whilst even the old superannuated platypus in the creek seemed to be given a new lease of life.

Soon the hawthorn was in full bloom. White and pink patches of blossom, relieved with a background of olive green, lined the roadsides for miles around, while under the stable roof hungry young sparrows clamoured for food, but, when it arrived, argued so violently that the juicy grubs which had been obtained from under the garden hose were forgotten and subsequently not devoured.

Down on the flat, three young rabbits were playing among the clumps of last year's lucerne, while the herd of Jersey cows wended their weary way to their distant home. A party of starlings and a stray mountain thrush were preening themselves under the hose, while Jacky, the half-tamed one-legged plover which patronised our garden, hopped here and there idly pecking for grubs which were very plentiful at the time.

It was, indeed, "Avete Vernalia."

P. C. Brothers, Fifth Form

THE LURE OF THE UNKNOWN

"I cannot rest from travel: I will drink
Life to the lees: all times I have enjoy'd
Greatly, have suffered greatly both with those
That loved me, and alone; on shore and when
Thro' scudding drifts the rainy Hyades
Vent the dim sea: I am become a name
For always roaming with a hungry heart
Much have I seen and known."

—"Ulysses" (Alfred Tennyson)

When that great feeling of unrest fills your frame, when you long to feel the fresh sea breezes blowing strongly in your face; when at night your bed is uncomfortable, and you wish you were out wandering in the dark, seeing earth beneath the light of the stars, quiet and unfathomable. Then the Unknown, the wilds of Nature are calling. Get up and go! It brooks no denial. To those who answer the call will come danger, discomfort, but also a great measure of contentment. The long days slowly passing through a land that brings new discoveries at each step. The warm nights at sea, sailing smoothly over a glassy waste; the days when a warm blue haze hangs over the sea belying the presence of land below the horizon. The storms which sweep both land and sea when the mind is exhilarated by danger and the body responds with every fibre. The chaos after the gale which struck terror into your heart, the beauty of life renewed after the rain. The Unknown calls silently, drawing one from here, another from there; it calls on you to come and seek, it challenges you to come and prove man's ascendancy over all. Some have answered and never returned, others answering from time to time return to taste of civilisation, and, disliking what

they found, have gone back to their mistress away from

"This strange disease of modern life,
With its sick hurry, its divided aims,
Its heads o'ertaxed, its palsied hearts."

—"The Scholar Gipsy" (Mathew Arnold)

That is why you may come across, in odd corners of the world, bronzed, weatherbeaten men with quiet manners, dreamy eyes, and without much wish to talk, for they have learned to wait and listen in silence for the voice of the Unknown. Fools call them mad; those who know understand. This is why the British race can claim so many among the ranks of this world's great explorers. Wherever there is anything undiscovered, unexplored or unknown, men will come to seek; some for personal gain, others for the good of their fellow men, others because they hear the call of the Unknown, and accept the challenge.

In the realms of science there are always those who seek; some to explain, others to create. Always they are probing into the mysteries of their calling, searching far into the mists of ignorance.

"Through the twining mists of Oxus
By the great Alphean well,
O'er the glories of Olympus,
Down through deepest shades of hell,
Shapes that beckon onwards,
Forms to man unknown,
Calling, calling, forward
To the great Unknown."

—"Search for the Unknown" ("Ulysses")

To some come success and contentment, they drink deep in their triumphs. Those not so fortunate seek, and when overcome by discouragement at failure, hear the call again and rise with strength renewed to face the struggle. To those who after many long years of toil, through troublous times and over almost insuperable obstacles, suddenly come upon the object of their research, that formless something which had eluded them for so long, and they stand

"Like stout Cortez when with eagle eyes
He stared at the Pacific—and all his men
Look'd at each other with a wild surmise,
Silent upon a peak in Darien,"

the reaction is tremendous; some react in excess of joy, others in sober thought; but always they remember the lure, the fascination that drew them on ultimately to success.

Philosophers for centuries have sought to solve the problems of the mind. They have constantly explored the lesser known channels of the mind. Spiritualists in their research lay themselves open to dangers beyond the physical. Many dabblers in spiritualism now spend their days

confined in mental institutions; yet the remainder seek ever onwards. Why is it that men will face unimaginable dangers, extreme hardship, to answer the challenge of the Unknown? What is it that drives them on? Some will say personal gain; yet what personal gain could men such as Sir John Franklin have in mind when they risk their lives, and sometimes lose it, as he did in his famous search for the North-West Passage? What made Mallory and Irvine go to their deaths among the snows of Everest?

The Unknown is ever calling, drawing men and women from the comfort of the fireside to the blizzards of the Arctic and Antarctic, to the fevers and heat of the tropics. And while man is still in existence it will call and yearly take its toll, and send back others wiser and ready to respond once again to the lure of the Unknown.

J. L. Seaton, Upper Sixth

[This essay received first prize in the W. H. Hudspeth Essay Competition, Senior Division].

A SNOW STORM

THE day was one of the most beautiful that I have ever seen. The sky was a vivid blue colour, and one or two patches of fleecy-white clouds added a touch of colour to this delightful spectacle.

The birds, chirping and singing, were of every imaginable colour—red, blue, green, yellow, pink, orange—and of every imaginable kind—skylarks, robin redbreasts, wrens, goldfinches, swallows and summer birds.

The sun, shining on the snow-capped peaks, presented a dazzling white appearance which strained one's eyes when one looked at it. Indeed, the day made one feel glad to be alive!

The snow was several feet deep, but the tops of the green and yellow shrubs just showed above the surface, and these added more beauty to the panorama.

But, suddenly, the whole appearance changed . . . the birds ceased their singing and disappeared from view; a dark cloud passed over the sun, and more followed until the entire sky was black. The snow no longer looked dazzling, and the tops of the shrubs now looked much duller. Everything changed . . . a dark shadow seemed to pass over the entire mountain side.

Then, very suddenly, white snowflakes began to float earthwards. As time passed

on the snow storm grew in intensity — the flakes came down more thickly than ever and one could not see more than ten yards ahead. All the time the depth of the snow on the ground kept steadily increasing; the original depth had been three feet — it was now well over four feet. Everything became dark and still, and one was nearly driven out of one's mind by the eerie silence. Then, when the storm had been raging for one-and-a-half hours the flakes ceased to fall almost as suddenly as they had commenced. For some time the darkness remained, but very gradually it became light again.

A little while later the sky cleared and the sun began to cast its rays over the mountain side once more. But the ghostly silence still remained, as is the case after every snow storm. As far as the eye could see the ground was covered with snow — not very deep in the foothills, but about six feet deep on and around the peaks. Soon the birds began to emerge from their hiding-places and started to sing again. All the clouds disappeared from the sky, and one hour after the finish of the snow storm the whole mountain was back to normal once again.

I. G. Inglis, Intermediate

COCONUT AND THE COCONUT PALM

THE coconut is the large nut of the coco-palm, which grows in almost all parts of the tropics near the sea. Although the tree grows wild, millions of acres are planted with the coco-palm in Ceylon and other warm, moist regions for commercial purposes.

The coconut palm is one of the most useful trees in the world, for practically every part of it is of service to the natives, or for export. The kernel of the young nut is an important native food, and the "milk" is nourishing. The fibrous husk of some varieties of nut is made into coir, which is spun into matting and ropes and used for stuffing upholstery, etc. The dried kernel is exported as copra, the oil of which is now used chiefly in margarine, also for the manufacture of soap and candles. The kernel is also used as desiccated coconut in confectionery. An intoxicating drink called toddy is extracted by the natives from the sap of the flower-head, and from toddy a potent spirit called arrack is distilled. The leaves and wood of the tree are of great use to the

natives for house-building. British supplies of coir are mainly imported from Ceylon and India.

F. G. Ashworth, Remove A

GOOD OR BAD?

LATELY I have been intrigued with the idea expressed by Professor Murdoch in one of his essays, that man can create with ease and admirable effect the ugly things in nature. The beautiful things, however, seem to be elusive to the creative minds and fingers of even the greatest artists.

To my mind, the whole solution lies in the word creation. We have found in the world that even every smile seems counted for or against our characters in this strange social scheme. I mean to point out — and this bluntly — that we can get nothing for nothing, and that every little reward requires some effort. Thus, in reviewing the word "creation," I think that we must impart a little of ourselves with each creation, be it good or bad.

Wordsworth thought men were essentially good. I juggle with the idea that men are essentially bad and that goodness lies in repression of evils in instinct.

See which impresses you the more of these two verses; which really is resonant of yourself?

"FAIRIES' PLEA"

"Let's build a nest where the swallows home,
Where the birds and midges love to come,
I'll find a bough in the oldest tree
That Nature's left for you and me.
Too bright the sea with its white and gold,
Too dark the forest's gloom and cold.
Let's build where the woodland daintily
Gives way to the meadow and where the sea
Just tempts the eye with its azure show,
Where distant wavelets come and go,
Kissing the sand then run before
The gentle push of the sleeping shore."

"WITCHES' CRY"

"Let's snatch a charm from the gaudy day
And out away, away, away,
Far out on the back of a flying swine,
Bring thou potions, bring thou wine,
We shall meet in the Bacchus' dell;
Curse your mother, curse her well.
Drink from the gall of venom'd snake,
Dreadful signs to the heavens make.
Writhe within and writhe without,
Curse your father, give a shout
And away, away! Out! Out!
Fly with me to the Bacchanal."

Which of these verses can you say is nearer the bottom of your thought? Can I create good thoughts better than evil ones, or have I, as I fear, created nothing?

P. J. Lethlean, Upper Sixth

Athletics

HOUSE COMPETITION

"A"		
Stephens	---	45 points
School	---	33 points
Buckland	---	28 points

"B"		
School	---	71 points
Buckland	---	51 points
Stephens	---	41 points

The outstanding performances were J. Shelton's 100 yards under 13 run of 11 3-5 secs., which was 3-5 sec. better than the previous record, and Ruddock's mile in 4 min. 45 4-5 secs.

The individual champions were:

Open: J. Bennetto (23 pts.), 1; N. J. Ruddock (22 pts.), 2.

Under 16: D. K. Dargaville (16 pts.), 1; J. R. Ward (15 pts.), 2.

Under 15: A. D. Dargaville (10 pts.), 1.

Under 14: J. Shelton and R. Wilson-Haffenden (8 pts.), tie.

Under 13: J. Shelton (10 pts.), 1; R. A. Hallam (6 pts.), 2.

Under 12: A. G. R. Sheil (10 pts.), 1.

The race results were as follows:—

Open Mile: N. J. Ruddock (St.), 1; R. J. Baker (St.), 2; K. S. Kile (Sc.) and P. J. Thompson (St.), dead-heat, 3. Time, 4.45 4-5.

100yds.: R. H. Ikin (Sc.) and J. Bennetto (B.), dead-heat, 1; P. J. Lethlean (Sc.), 3. Time, 11 secs.

220yds.: J. Bennetto (B.), 1; R. H. Ikin (Sc.), 2; P. J. Lethlean (Sc.), 3. Time, 23 3-5 secs.

440yds.: J. Bennetto and N. Ruddock, dead-heat, 1; E. A. Creese (St.), 3. Time, 55 secs.

880yds.: N. Ruddock (St.), 1; E. A. Creese (St.), 2; P. J. Thompson (St.), 3. Time, 2.9 2-5.

High Jump: L. Shea (Sc.), 1; N. Ruddock (St.), 2; C. C. Butler (St.), 3. Height, 5ft. 3ins.

Weight Putt: J. Bennetto (B.), 1; P. Lethlean (Sc.), 2; E. A. Creese (St.), 3. Distance, 32ft. 1in.

120yds. Hudles: J. Bennetto (B.), 1; E. A. Creese (St.), 2; P. Lethlean (Sc.), 3. Time, 19 3-5 secs.

Long Jump: N. Ruddock (St.), 1; R. Ikin (Sc.), 2; R. S. Hay (St.), 3. Distance, 19ft. 6ins.

880yds. Relay: School, 1; Buckland, 2; Stephens, 3. Time, 1.40 2-5.

Under 16—100yds.: D. K. Dargaville (Sc.), 1; R. Hornsby (B.), 2; M. Jennings (B.), 3. Time, 11 2-5 secs.

220yds.: D. K. Dargaville (Sc.), 1; A. D. Dargaville (Sc.), 2; R. J. Baker (St.), 3. Time, 25 3-5 secs.

High Jump: J. Ward (Sc.), 1; D. K. Dargaville (Sc.), 2; G. Sheil (St.), 3. Height, 5ft.

Hop, Step and Jump: J. Ward (Sc.), 1; D. K. Dargaville (Sc.), 2; R. J. Baker (St.), 3. Distance, 34ft. 1½ins.

Weight Putt: R. Smith (B.), 1; G. Sansom (Sc.), 2; R. J. Baker (St.), 3. Distance, 29ft. 10ins.

120yds. Hurdles: J. Ward (Sc.), 1; A. D. Dargaville (Sc.), 2; R. Smith (B.), 3. Time, 20 3-5 secs.

660yds. Relay: School, 1; Stephens, 2; Buckland, 3. Time, 1.21 4-5.

Under 15—100yds.: D. K. Dargaville (Sc.), 1; J. Shelton (B.), 2; J. Donovan (St.), 3. Time, 11 3-5 secs.

220yds.: A. D. Dargaville (Sc.), 1; J. Donovan (St.), 2; G. Sheil (St.), 3. Time, 26 3-5 secs.

High Jump: A. D. Dargaville (Sc.), 1; G. Sheil (St.), 2; R. Wilson-Haffenden (B.), 3. Height, 4ft. 11ins.

Under 14—100yds.: J. Shelton (B.), 1; R. Wilson-Haffenden (B.), 2; W. J. Butler (St.), 3. Time, 11 4-5 secs.

High Jump: R. Wilson-Haffenden (B.), 1; J. Shelton (B.), 2; J. Strutt (St.), 3. Height, 4ft. 3ins.

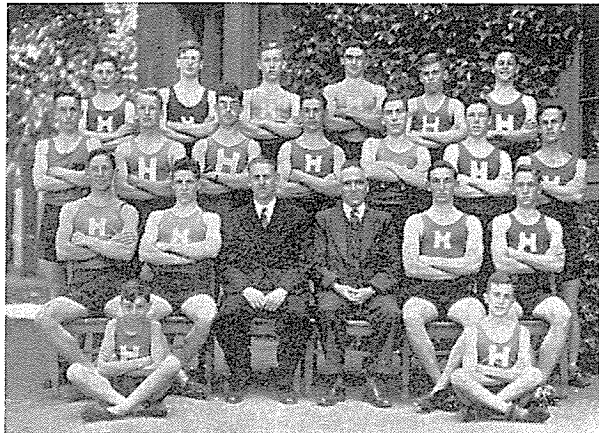
Under 13—100yds.: J. Shelton (B.), 1; R. Hallam (Sc.), 2; J. Heckscher (Sc.), 3. Time, 11 3-5 secs. (record).

High Jump: J. Shelton (B.), 1; R. Hallam (Sc.), 2; J. Strutt (St.), 3. Height, 4ft. 2ins.

Under 12—100yds.: R. Sheil (St.), 1; J. McCreary (B.), 2; G. Page-Hanify (St.), 3. Time, 14 3-5 secs.

High Jump: R. Sheil (St.), 1; P. Mitchell (B.), 2; J. McCreary (B.), 3. Height, 4ft.

Mile Handicap: R. Johnson, 1; R. Lord, 2; R. Wright, 3.



ATHLETICS TEAM, PREMIERS, 1943

Back row: R. A. Hallam, J. T. Shelton, A. D. Dargaville, P. J. Thompson, R. Wilson, J. Donovan. Third row: J. R. Ward, M. W. Jennings, R. J. Baker, L. L. Shea, R. J. Hornsby, E. A. Creese, P. J. Lethlean. Second row: N. J. Ruddock, J. Bennetto, The Headmaster, Mr. W. J. Gerlach, R. H. Ikin, D. K. Dargaville. In front: G. R. Sheil, J. C. McCreary.

INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS

By winning twelve of the twenty-two events and gaining a place in each of the others the School athletic team gained a comfortable win in the inter-school competition held on the North Hobart oval on November 6th. Scores:

Hutchins	----	94 points
Friends' School	----	62 points
St. Virgil's College	----	61 points
Clemes College	----	15 points

There were some fine individual performances by members of the School team. In the open 880yds. N. J. Ruddock clipped 1 sec. off the record, setting the new figure 2 mins. 5 secs. J. Shelton also broke a record, his time for the 100yds. under 13 being 11 4-5 secs. as against the previous best time of 12 1-5 secs. D. K. Dargaville equalled the 220yds. under 15 record of 24 4-5 secs. The School's open relay team also broke the previous record of 1 min. 39 1-5 secs. for the 880yds. when running the distance in 1 min. 38 3-5 secs.

Considering the track was slightly on the slow side the above performances were all the more meritorious. For the School J. Bennetto won three events, Ruddock and Shelton each two, whilst four others won one event. Details:

100yds.—Open: J. Bennetto (H.S.), 1; A. Shirley (S.V.C.), 2; L. Rooney (S.V.C.), 3. Time, 11 secs. Under 16: P. Bryan (S.V.C.), 1; D. K. Dargaville (H.S.), 2; C. Gunn (F.S.), 3. Time, 11 3-5 secs. Under 15: J. Miller (F.S.), 1; D. K. Dargaville (H.S.), 2; C. Fitzgerald (F.S.), 3. Time, 11 3-5 secs. Under 14: J. T. Shelton (H.S.), 1; J. Senior (F.S.), 2; B. Pybus (S.V.C.), 3. Time, 12 secs. Under 13: J. T. Shelton (H.S.), 1; R. A. Hallam (H.S.), 2; W. Fitzgerald (F.S.), 3. Time, 11 4-5 secs. (record). Under 12: I. Keen (C.C.), 1; S. Mather (F.S.), 2; A. G. R. Sheil (H.S.), 3. Time, 13 3-5 secs.

220yds.—Open: A. Shirley (S.V.C.), 1; R. H. Ikin (H.S.), 2; J. Hickman (F.S.), 3. Time, 23 3-5 secs. Under 16: M. Forster (C.C.), 1; C. Gunn (F.S.), 2; A. D. Dargaville (H.S.), 3. Time, 24 3-5 secs. Under 15: D. K. Dargaville (H.S.), 1; J. Miller (F.S.), 2; R. Wright (S.V.C.), 3. Time, 24 4-5 secs. (equals record).

440yds. Open: J. Bennetto (H.S.), 1; L. Rooney (S.V.C.), 2; A. McCormick (F.S.), 3. Time, 55 2-5 secs.

880yds. Open: N. J. Ruddock (H.S.), 1; M. McRae (F.S.), 2; N. Taylor (S.V.C.), 3. Time, 2,5 (record).

Mile, Open: N. J. Ruddock (H.S.), 1; M. McRae (F.S.), 2; N. Taylor (S.V.C.), 3. Time, 4.48 3-5.

High Jump.—Open: L. Shea (H.S.), 1; B. Lewis (C.C.), 2; B. Murray (S.V.C.), 3. Height, 5ft. 1½ins. Under 16: P. Bryan (S.V.C.), 1; J. R. Ward (H.S.), 2; G. Gourlay (F.S.), 3. Height, 5ft. 1in. Under 14: R. Wilson-Haffenden (H.S.), 1; K. Morey (S.V.C.), 2; M. Lester (F.S.), 3. Height, 4ft. 5ins.

120yds. Hurdles.—Open: J. Bennetto (H.S.), 1; L. Rooney (S.V.C.), 2; H. Wells (F.S.), 3. Time, 18 secs. Under 16: P. Jones (S.V.C.), 1; J. R. Ward (H.S.), 2; J. Miller (F.S.), 3. Time, 18 4-5 secs.

Long Jump, Open: J. Hickman (F.S.), 1; R. H. Ikin (H.S.), 2; A. Shirley (S.V.C.), 3. Distance, 19ft. 5ins.

Under 16 Hop Step and Jump: J. R. Ward (H.S.), 1; A. Goss (S.V.C.), 2; M. Forster (C.C.), 3. Distance, 36ft. 6in.

Shot Putt, Open: J. Wolfhagen (F.S.), 1; M. Maloney (S.V.C.), 2; P. J. Lethlean (H.S.), 3. Distance, 34ft. 3½ins.

Relay.—880yds., Open: Hutchins (Lethlean, J. Bennetto, Creese and Ikin), 1; S.V.C., 2; Friends, 3. Time, 1.38 3-5 (record). 660yds., under 16: Friends, 1; Hutchins and St. Virgil's College, dead-heat, 2. Time, 1.14 1-5.

STANDARD ATHLETICS

Trials for standard athletics were held again at the end of third term, when the competition was concluded. In a special afternoon of sprint relays and races to settle 100 yds. orders many boys had useful competitive experience. The Senior House competition was extremely close, School finally defeating Stephens by one point only. The effect of keen practice or the lack of it was very apparent in some of the individual results. The best athletics quotient, measuring the general standard of performances, was obtained by Dargaville ii (143), followed by Sheil ii (134)

and Shelton (132). The following are the detailed results:

House Competition

	Senior				
	Standards	A.Q.	Relays	Orders	Totals
School	82	85	35	134	336
Stephens	81	87	25	142	335
Buckland	60	42	75	120	297

Junior

School	220	238	200	398	1056
Stephens	191	219	65	335	810
Buckland	154	149	30	286	619

Athletics Quotients

(in order of merit)

Very Good: Dargaville ii, Sheil ii, Shelton, Muller, Lethlean, Dargaville i, Wilson, Sheil i, Samuel.

Good: Hodgson i, Colman, Creese, McCreary ii, Ruddock, Ward, Rowland i, Butler ii, Heckscher, N. Johnson.

Average: Evans, Ikin i, Wood i, Clark, Donovan, Shea, Swan i, A. Smith, Swan ii, Sampson, Hallam, Mitchell, McIntyre, Mace, Seaton i, Chapman, Cottier, Rowland ii, von Bibra, Bloomfield, Abbott, Brothers, Crowther, Chen, Page-Hanify, Hawker ii, Crisp, Jack, Walters, Barnett, Morris ii, Wood ii, Watson, Burn, Sansom, McDermott, Sargison, Shugg, C. Johnson, McCreary i, Rule, Strutt ii, Milles, Hawker i, Kile, McPhee, Falkinder, Benjamin, Hay.

The remainder of the boys tested were below average.

Group Winners

Senior "A": Ikin, 1; Ruddock, 2. Senior "B": Lethlean, 1; Colman, 2.

Junior "A": Dargaville ii, 1; Dargaville i, 2. Junior "B": Muller. Junior "C": Wilson, 1; Shelton, 2. Junior "D": N. Johnson, 1; Butler, 2. Junior "E": Heckscher. Junior "F": Sheil ii, 1; McCreary ii, 2.

FOOTBALL



THE results of the matches played in the second quarter were reported in the June Magazine. The School team had then won all its matches and was looking forward to the next encounter against St. Virgil's.

When August 7th, the date for the fixture, arrived, Hodgson was on the injured list, but Creese, who had been injured early in the season, had rejoined the team.

The first quarter saw the School team playing in its best form—the forwards combined well and made the most of their opportunities, whilst the backs hustled their opponents to minimise the scoring chances.

Hutchins, 5.1 (31 points)
St. Virgil's, 0.5 (5 points)

The second quarter was even, with Hutchins having the better of the first part as the score at one stage stood 8.1 to 1.8, but towards the end St. Virgil's were attacking strongly.

Hutchins, 9.3 (57 points)
St. Virgil's, 4.9 (33 points)

Rain fell during the third quarter and St. Virgil's, handling the greasy ball the better, outplayed the School. It was a complete reversal of the first quarter, the School this time scoring only one point whilst St. Virgil's scored thirty.

Hutchins, 9.4 (58 points)
St. Virgil's, 8.15 (63 points)

The final quarter brought another reversal of form, for the School team, led by Ikin in the ruck, forced home its attacks, whilst Bennetto at half-back frequently foiled St. Virgil's forward moves.

The School added 3.3 and St. Virgil's failed to score, thus giving the School the Southern premiership.

Hutchins, 12.7 (79 points)
St. Virgil's, 8.15 (63 points)

For the School, J. Bennetto played particularly well and gained a trophy donated by Mr. S. V. Shearman for the best player. Ikin and Ruddock shared a second trophy by the same donor, whom we thank for his generosity. The rovers, Colman and Hawker, played useful games, whilst the others contributed to the good victory.

THE STATE PREMIERSHIP MATCH

The match was played at the North Hobart oval against the Launceston Grammar School. Both teams played fast and good football, but the School's superior team work and marking gave it an advantage which became more apparent as the game progressed. The quarter scores were:

Hutchins, 3.4, 6.7, 10.10, 17.12 (114 points)
Grammar, 1.2, 4.2, 5.4, 8.8 (56 points)

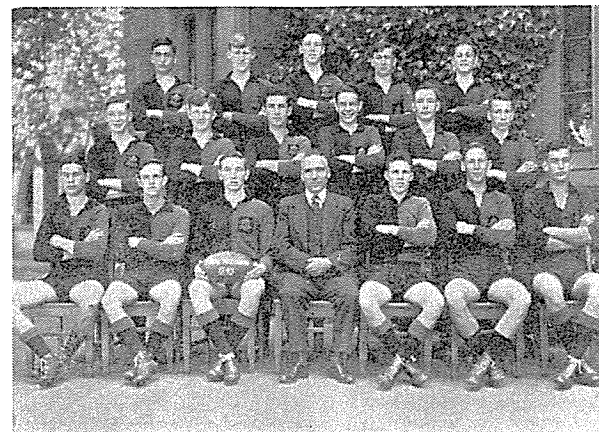
HOUSE FOOTBALL

"A"

Stephens, 8.8, defeated Buckland, 5 pts.
School, 5.7, defeated Stephens, 4.4.
School, 4.15, defeated Buckland, 4 pts.

"B"

Stephens, 19.16, defeated Buckland, 3.6.
School, 15.21, defeated Stephens, 3 pts.
School, 13.10, defeated Buckland, 1.2.



THE FOOTBALL TEAM, STATE PREMIERS, 1943

Back row: R. S. Hodgson, B. L. Bennetto, E. A. Creese, D. N. Hawker, J. Donovan. Middle row: G. W. Colman, C. M. Shugg, R. J. Brown, N. M. Jack, J. L. Seaton, A. B. Smith. Front row: L. L. Shea, P. J. Lethlean, R. H. Ikin (capt.), Mr. W. J. Gerlach, J. Bennetto (vice-capt.), N. J. Ruddock, M. A. Agnew.

Tennis

OWING to the lack of tennis balls, activity in this sport has been very limited. The School team was defeated by St. Virgil's in the inter-school competition after an interesting match. Scores:

Hutchins v. St. Virgil's

Colman and Sheil defeated Murray and Fish, 5—6, 6—5, 6—2.

Brooks and Ikin lost to Gray and Jones, 4—6, 4—6.

Colman defeated Murray, 4—6, 6—0, 6—4.

Sheil defeated Fish, 6—5, 3—6, 7—5.

Brooks lost to Gray, 4—6, 3—6.

Ikin lost to Jones, 0—6, 0—6.

St. Virgil's: 3 rubbers, 9 sets, 75 games.
Hutchins: 3 rubbers, 6 sets, 64 games.

Hutchins v. Friends

Colman and Sheil defeated Thorp and Wolfhagen, 2—6, 6—5, 6—4.

Brooks and Ikin defeated Peacock and Newton, 6—3, 6—2.

Colman defeated Thorp, 6—2, 6—4.

Sheil defeated Wolfhagen, 6—1, 3—6, 7—5.

Brooks lost to Peacock, 6—3, 5—6, 4—6.

Ikin defeated Newton, 6—1, 6—0.

Hutchins: 5 rubbers, 11 sets, 81 games.
Friends: 1 rubber, 4 sets, 54 games.

Hutchins v. Clemes

Colman and Sheil defeated Baily and Howell, 6—1, 6—4.

Brooks and Ikin defeated Lewis and Palfreyman, 6—1, 6—3.

Colman defeated Baily, 6—5, 6—4.

Sheil defeated Howell, 6—2, 3—6, 6—1.

Brooks defeated Lewis, 6—0, 6—0.

Ikin defeated Payfreyman, 6—2, 6—4.

Hutchins: 6 rubbers, 12 sets, 75 games.
Clemes: 1 set, 33 games.

HOUSE MATCHES

School was successful in both "A" and "B" divisions, with Stephens in second place.

SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS

G. Renney easily won the Junior School title.

In the open championship Ruddock, playing very consistently, eliminated two members of the School team—first Brooks, 6—4, 6—0, and then Sheil, 6—3, 6—2. He also played very well in the final against the School's captain, Colman, and gained the first set. Colman, however, improved in his timing and placing to take the next two sets and the 1943 title. Congratulations, Colman.

Cross-Country

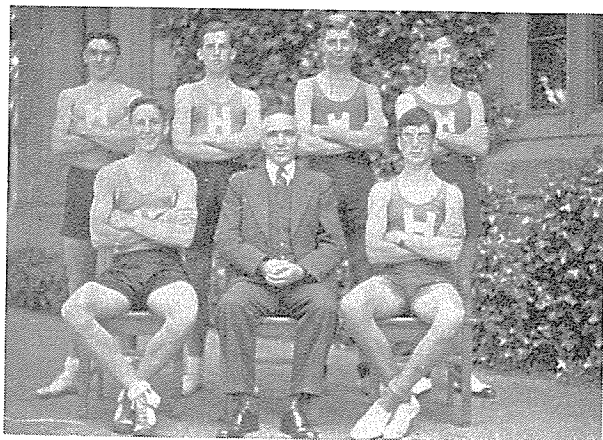
STEPHENS HOUSE, by filling the first three places, had an easy win in the "A" competition from School. Ruddock won the race by about 180 yards, with Thompson and Baker having a great tussle for second place, the verdict going to Thompson by six inches. The time for the race (about 3¼ miles) was 20 min. 3 secs.

In the "B" event, of about 1¼ miles for boys under 15, School House's representatives filled the first, second and fourth places, whilst Stephens' gained third, fifth and sixth. This race had an exciting finish. A. D. Dargaville appeared to have the race won when J. Smith, finishing with a great burst of speed, dashed past him to win by a foot. J. Donovan was third about 30 yards back. The time was 8 min. 14 secs.

INTER-SCHOOL CROSS-COUNTRY

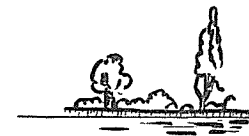
This year each school was limited to six representatives, the first three to count for

the teams' race. Taylor (St.V.C.) set a very fast pace over the first two miles, whilst McRae (Friends) and Ruddock (Hutchins) were close behind him. Then McRae took the lead and, although challenged by Ruddock during the next two miles, he maintained the lead to win in the record time of 28 min. 38 secs., clipping 1 min. 2 secs. off the previous best, which was set by A. Wise (Hutchins) in 1922. Ruddock's time, 28 mins. 45 secs., proves what a great race he ran. Congratulations to McRae on a superb performance. The School secured second (Ruddock), fourth (Baker) and sixth (Thompson) places, thus winning the teams' event and the Clark Shield for the second time. Our other representatives, Kile (seventh), Ransom (eighth) and Ellis (thirteenth) also ran good races.



CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM, PREMIERS, 1943

Back row: P. J. Thompson, G. R. Ellis, E. D. Ransom, K. S. Kile.
Front row: N. J. Ruddock (capt.), Mr. W. J. Gerlach, R. J. Baker.



CRICKET

ONLY one competition match remained to be played this term. Practices indicated that the batting would be sounder than at the beginning of the year, but the final match against Friends' School, apart from the very fine century by Colman and a solid innings by Lethlean, did not confirm this expectation. Steady methodical practice is needed to ensure success against Launceston in the match for the State premiership. Creese again bowled finely and was given able support by the others. The fielding was keen throughout, though there was a tendency to laxness by a few when things were going our way. To Creese go the bowling honours and the award for the best all-rounder, while Colman has the batting average and was the team's outstanding fieldsman.

The Second XI secured a narrow win over St. Virgil's College, but was ignominiously defeated by the Moonah Boys' Club. The batting is far too unsound, and one may have to look to the lower grades to replace men in the First XI.

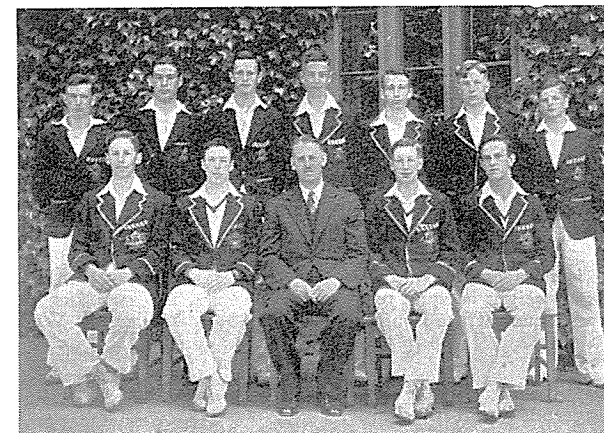
There has been great keenness in the Junior practices, and already fruits of the systematic coaching by Mr. Shann and Mr. MacGregor are evident. Results have been encouraging in these grades.

In the House cricket Stephens won the "A" House competition, while Buckland won the "B" division.

Stephens House won the Nicholas Shield for the whole series.

Results

Hutchins v. The Friends' School, played at Queenborough on Wednesday, 17th



CRICKET TEAM, SOUTHERN PREMIERS, 1943

Back row: D. N. Hawker, L. L. Shea, G. A. Benjamin, J. W. B. Walch,
A. B. Smith, T. G. Terry, T. J. Muller. Front row: N. J. Ruddock,
E. A. Creese, The Headmaster, G. W. Colman, P. J. Lethlean.

November, and Saturday, 20th November. Hutchins, 1st innings, 216 (Colman, 118 not out; Lethlean, 30). Friends' School, 1st innings, 29 (Creese, 3 for 12; Benjamin, 3 for 9; Walch, 2 for 6; Smith, 1 for 2); 2nd innings, 168 (Creese, 6 for 34; Benjamin, 2 for 22; Walch, 1 for 50; Hawker, 1 for 20; Colman, 1 for 6). Hutchins won outright.

First XI Averages (excluding State Premiership Match)

Batting

	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Aggregate	Average
Colman	8	5	118*	328	109.3
Terry	4	2	45*	98	49.0
Creese	8	1	85*	241	34.4
Lethlean	8	1	67	171	24.4

*Not Out

Bowling

	Wickets	Runs	Average
Creese	51	243	4.77
Benjamin	23	232	10.10
Colman	6	74	12.33
Walch	13	202	15.54

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SOME MORE HOWLERS

Anseres tamen — Tame geese.
(Fifth)

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Per interpretem — Then he interrupted.
(Fifth)

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When a solid is immersed in a liquid the apparent loss of weight is equal to an equal volume of an equal of the liquid.
(Fifth)

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Solder is a dangerous liquid in a bottle.
(Remove A)

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Iunoni sacros edere nolebant — Geese sacred to Juno were unwilling to be eaten.
(Fifth)

Colours, 1943

Swimming—

I—Ruddock, J. Bennetto, R. H. Ikin, B. Bennetto.

II—Brown, J. Seaton, J. Walch, G. Sheil, Foster, Murphy, Courtney.

Rowing—

I—Agnew, J. Bennetto, Shugg, P. Thompson, Cottier.

II—Hay, Jack, R. H. Ikin, Senior, Tenniswood.

Cross-Country—

I—Ruddock, R. J. Baker, P. Thompson.

II—Kile, Ransom, Ellis.

Tennis—

I—Colman, G. Sheil, Brooks, R. H. Ikin.

Football—

I—R. H. Ikin, J. Bennetto, Ruddock, Colman, Lethlean, Creese, D. Hawker, Shea, Agnew, Shugg, Brown, B. Bennetto, R. S. Hodgson, A. B. Smith, J. L. Seaton, Jack, Donovan.

II—Ellis, P. Thompson, G. Sheil, D. K. Dargaville, Muller, Hay, C. Butler, Duncan, McIntyre, Ward, Kile, Crowther, J. Walch, T. Terry, Abbott, Garlick, Round, Evans.

Athletics—

I—J. Bennetto, R. H. Ikin, Lethlean, Creese, Ruddock, Shea, Ward.

II—P. Thompson, R. J. Baker, D. K. Dargaville, Shelton, Hallam, Wilson-Haffenden, R. Sheil, A. D. Dargaville, Hornsby, Donovan, Jennings.

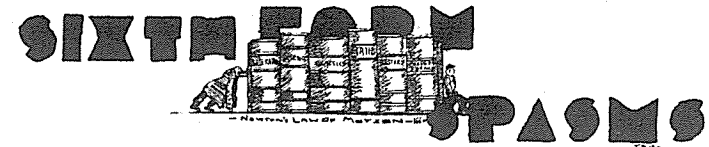
Cricket—

I—Creese, Colman, Ruddock, Lethlean, T. Terry, Benjamin, D. Hawker, Muller, J. Walch, Shea.

II—J. Seaton, Round, Brooks, A. B. Smith, Abbott, Brettingham-Moore, Stopp, D. Rowland, D. K. Dargaville, Chapman, Jennings, D. G. Calvert, H. G. Swan.

HONOUR BADGES

Colman, Ruddock, R. H. Ikin, Lethlean, Creese, J. Bennetto, Shea.



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NUDITORIAL

(Nothing in it)

After a strenuous half-year of work and play our star reporters and super-leuths have collected enough blankness for another issue of the "Spasms" (believe it or not!). Owing to the hard work put in by our beloved masters, some of us feel that we might even get somewhere in the Leaving. [Yes, but where? — Ed.] We regret not having been able to publish any photos taken by our press photographer, but not even a master will wait long enough for him to get one.

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Sixth Form a Hot-House of Conspiracy

Our roving reporter brings to you a remarkable revelation which we are privileged to present to the general public for the first time: There are secret societies at Hutchins School! There are the A.W.A., the P.W.A., the I.W.A., and one or two other "brotherhoods" about which we couldn't obtain any information. In an interview, the president of the A.W.A. said that why the A.W.A. is so popular is that most boys have enough sense to steer clear of "man's enemies." A certain photo which he would not show our reporter is thought to have something to do with it. The president deplored the fact that most boys in the other societies (and in his, also, we are afraid) spend all their time at a certain well-known milk bar. "In fact, they are regular gluttons," he said.

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Sensational New Song Hit

School Cadets Score Success

Our accredited war correspondent at the cadet camp reports that several of our lads made a sensational hit out of their rendering of a certain well-known song at one of the camp concerts. He also

adds that our worthy C.S.M., the Byron Appreciator, was mixed up in the incident, but he forgot to mention which popular song it was.

News-Flashes

It has been reported that two "dishonest babies" were recently caught playing "a game like naughts and crosses."

We have it on reliable authority that O.H.B. recently unearthed a dangerous plot to blow up the School. The explosive used was traced to a noted Sixth Form scientist. (Wouldn't it!).

We have had a similar report to the effect that a waste-paper tin with which he was playing "he-man basket-ball" blew up in his hands.

It appears that the 6B babies have developed an alarming habit of "throwing up their hands in despair." This appears to be due to those "very beautiful" proofs which are "so devastatingly general," and almost led us to write an ode to Ceva and Menelaus. However, we have thought the better of it.

The Editor's Mail Bag

"Interested" wants to know why there is always an odour of ozone near the Wimshurst machine in the Physics lab.

G.R.E. tells us that Smith has occasional need of a dictionary, and wants to know why Smith has trouble in reading certain pieces from Shakespeare.

"Pro Bono Publico" writes an impassioned letter, which we dare not print, suggesting that Robty be forcibly restrained from singing. The only remedy we can suggest is to lock him up in a room with McIntyre and rely upon the laws of the Interference of Sound!

Intermediate Reflections

WE have with us this year three budding poets, "De," "Dah" and "Dit." Although their masterpieces are not for publication, we have below one of their infamous schemes:

De-dah, de-dah, de-dah, de-dah,—
De-dah, de-dah, de-dah,—
De-dah, dit-dit, dit-dah, de-dah—
De-dah, dit-dah, de-dah.

For centuries the question has been asked all over the universe: What is the Hutchins Intermediate really like? Well, at last we have an answer:

Just 33 eggs in one big incubator. All types—good eggs, rotten eggs, boiled eggs, poached eggs, and even "devil'd" eggs. [Yes, and addled eggs.—Ed.]

Fifth Form Frolics

DURING the past half-year the Form has been cudgelling its brains over a query which has been echoed from boy to boy, and in some cases from boy to master (much to the boy's regret). Anyhow, who did burn the cakes?

Our C.D.L. chaps have had a hot time, also. L.W., who, unfortunately sits near the fire, has a passion for flame and smoke. Oft is the time we see smoke rising peacefully to the ceiling.

We are of an enquiring turn of mind and would like to know the origin of the following famous sayings:

"A circle is a line drawn between the degrees."

"Live within your means."

"If your liabilities exceed your assets, then you're bankrupt."

"Every credit has a corresponding debit."

Under the eagle eye of the Intermediate examiners we found it rather hard to keep up our good results! — which, by the way, come out on Christmas Eve, the night before the chook is roasted.

We have many "big men" visit us these days!!! That's what Banty, our prized double-yolker, says, anyway.

One hundred per cent. of the class go to the water every day to see whether they still float (i.e., to see if they are still "bad eggs") or whether they still sink (i.e., to see if they are still "good eggs").

But we expect we shall all end up like the other eggs — on toast!

"Get out your little black — I mean blue — note-books."

"I will drop on you any minute."

"Forty out of forty for verbs."

"Bring your Pendlebury at 4 o'clock."

Random Notes

Prof. E. T. Samuel has invented a new diving-helmet, made of a kero. tin and a hand-pump. It is said to withstand a depth of five feet, telephones and all.

We are unreliably informed that a spelling-bee is mooted for the Fifth, B.C. and K.K. having been named as promoters. Wouldn't it?

It is learned with dismay that puns are to be abolished. This is especially trying in view of the fact that we are becoming quite expert under an able coach.

We have come to learn that straps and blackboard rulers have a dual role. This, we fear, is austerity!

The Voice of Remove A

THIS year we have had one of the biggest classes in the School, numbering thirty-four altogether. We have topped the whole School in the amount subscribed by classes for War Savings, and since the second term have contributed over £60 in stamps and cash. We have three groups in the War Savings class, namely, Army, Navy and Air Force.

This last term we have been using the Tepid Baths three days a week, and most of the beginners are making good progress with their swimming.

Fourth Form Gossip

SINCE our last appearance in the Magazine, picture periods have been very popular, and we were very disappointed when the globe blew out a few weeks ago, as there may be no more pictures until after the war.

The Library has been much appreciated, and we have spent a number of enjoyable reading periods there.

Some of us are very industrious. One boy was recently discovered making an

Our question-box is not so full this time, but here are some which require serious consideration:

"Why does Black like to catch the late bus?"

"Why is Coates called 'Birdie'?"

"What is behind Seaton's hard study?"

"When will Freddie ask a new one?"

—And, talking of D.T.'s, our poet must have his little say:

A sullen crowd of D.T. boys,
They take their seats with hideous noise,
The scratch of pens, a sigh, a sneeze,
And the chosen start the week's D.T.'s.

intensive study of a silkworm in class — doubtless with the idea of becoming a better bookworm.

Three of the things we should like to know are: "When will P—— know why he hasn't finished his work?" "When will T——'s inkwell not want cleaning?" "When will W——'s pen not be missing?"

On Fridays——. Hey! Don't you know the Magazine is smaller this time?

Oh, alright. Just coming. Excuse me.

Junior School Cuttings

WE offer our hearty congratulations to Stephens House, under the able leadership of Graeme Renney, for winning the House Shield. In fact, Stephens won all the events during the year, and the captain, G. Renney, finished off a most successful term by winning the Tennis Championship.

We had some good games of football during the winter terms and some of the boys shaped very well at the game, and even a few of the younger boys showed they were not afraid of taking knocks and bumps.

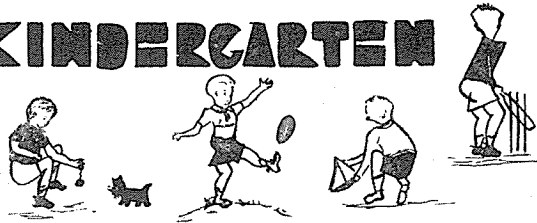
In one of the House cricket matches J. Stopp did the "hat trick," whilst his

cousin, P. Trethewey, not to be outdone, made top score of 23 runs, and by so doing upheld the reputation of Sandy Bay.

We are quite excited about the play we are having at the Kindergarten Break-up. Miss Upchurch has been able to track down some budding actors, so we feel confident of a good evening's entertainment.

We were very sorry one of our members found it necessary to pay rather a lengthy visit to St. John's Hospital. When he came out he was minus his appendix. However, we all hope Nigel Henry will be the better for his operation.

KINDERGARTEN



WE would like to write to you just before the end of our year. At present we are very busy preparing for our Break-up concert. We hope you all enjoy it.

During the term Peter Geeves and Scott McCreary left us, but very soon afterwards two new boys, David Jackson and Bill Shearman, came to school.

On Sports Night two of our boys received prizes. They were Geoffrey Minton Taylor, the champion of Form I, and Dennis Giblin, the champion of Form II.

We have heard that Father Christmas has started his journey, and we hope he will not forget the Hutchins boys.

A Very Happy Christmas to all!

Gladwyn School

AS the season for carol singing again draws near, Gladwyn School finds itself at the close of another happy and successful year.

This term opened sadly with the death of the Rev. Gidley, of St. Peter's, who was always a good friend to the School, and we offer our condolences to Mrs. Gidley.

Also, we mourn the passing of our schoolmate Robin Dixon, who had a cheery smile for all. His was a loving and forgiving nature.

During this term the Parents' Association held a very successful American Tea

in St. Peter's Hall to raise funds for the School's interests. The afternoon's efforts raised about £22.

Work has proceeded as usual and we are now having our yearly examinations. We are all trying to do our best work, and perhaps we may win a prize.

We are looking forward to the visit of Father Christmas soon. We have a special song to sing to him, as well as other items ready for our concert.

We wish everyone a Very Happy Christmas and ever so much fun in the holidays.

Music Notes

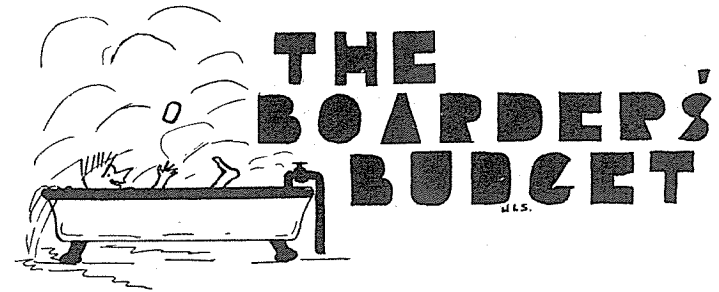
ONCE again our choir has done its little bit at Sports Night, and hopes to help in the same way at Speech Night.

It is a good thing when the boys of the School can help to provide their own programme on such occasions, and we were all glad to hear two boys of the School perform so well on Sports Night. What a splendid thing it would be, if by the end of next year we were able to supply the whole programme from among the boys of the School! I think that is the goal for which we should be aiming, and, after all, it should not be beyond the

capacity of a school such as ours to provide two short programmes from among its members.

If we can do creditable work in the realms of examinations and sports, we should not be content to be backward in other respects, but should try to lead the way in every branch of school activity. Let us, then, be glad that a start has been made in that direction, and try and see to it that an "All-Hutchins" programme delights our audiences at both Sports Night and Speech Night next year. And don't leave it all to the choir!

J.W.N.



THE unfinancial year draws to a "quiet" close, and with this finis we will lose many of our stalwarts, but we notice some who are rapidly growing under the influence of our "tucker"—"swelling wisely," in fact.

Among the budding geniuses of the House we have found at least five Marconis, and one combine has invented a secret weapon which has been duly tried and discovered most effective, to the discomfort of many.

The House, and particularly the Blue Dorm., suffered a great loss when amiable old Buck decided to become one of the landed gentry. Even so, this well-known face seems to be seen very frequently—maybe the "jug" has some attractions after all.

The prefects lately seem to have taken a great liking to the north side of the School. Are they building something in the skite shop, or is there some other attraction?

Of late our racing auto or travelling junk-heap—whichever you please—has put in a regular appearance. It is a "peculiarity" that she always runs out of petrol at the back gate. In fact, the only serviceable part seems to be the horn.

In the latter part of this term some HUGE guys, headed by the "Water Spaniel," have taken to tying themselves in knots on the bathroom floor. We of the bed-lovers are naturally awfully jealous.

One of the masters seems to have noticed many alterations in the outline of the School badge, to such an extent that he even thought one of them "nice," much to Dumbo's embarrassment.

EXTRACTS FROM "WHO'S WHO?"

Admiral, The: A salty character from the watery wastes.

Hobby: Sailing.

Club: "WAVES."

Theme Song: "Vulgar Boatman."

Agnew, M. A.: Prof. of Rowing, Uni. of Longford. Noted for his length. Late Hutchins.

Club: "Drewery Lane Club."

Theme Song: "Mary."

Brown, Bruin: Bathroom Baritone, B.A.

Club: "The Bass."

Theme Song: "Teddy Bear's Picnic."

Dogie: Famous for his epic, "Last of the Mows."

Club: "Mower."

Theme Song: "Shave it off."

Dr. Leth.: Expert Pugilist and Wonder Skier.

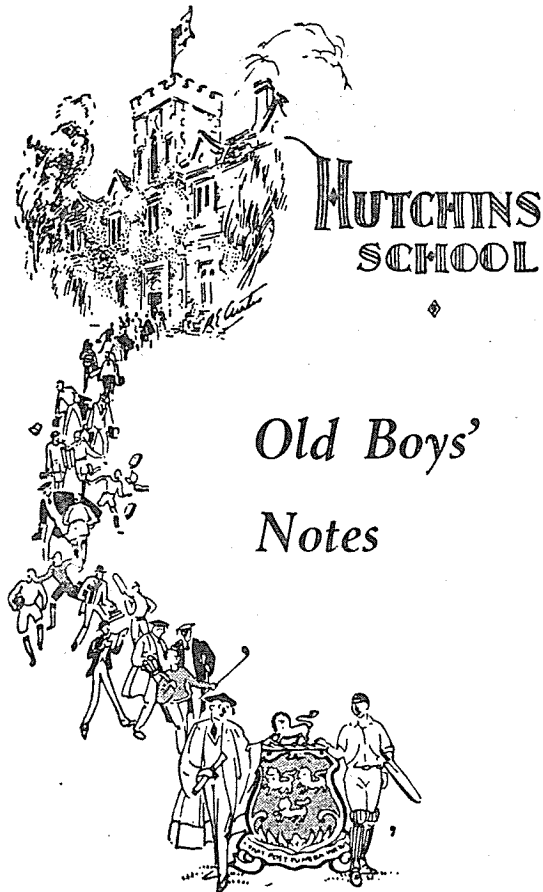
Club: "Wellington She Club."

Theme Song: "There's Snow Knowing."

Seaty: Game Hunter, specialises in wolves.

Club: "Big Hunters Inc."

Theme Song: "The Good Oil."



OBITUARY

It is with regret that we record the deaths of the following:—

Alexander Beaumont Cruickshank, John Mackenzie Oberlin Harris, Eric William Hawson, Edward Hungerford Luttrell, James Bayly Watchorn, David Panton Young, Ernest William Turner (a former master of Queen's College).

BIRTHS

AMOS.—To Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Amos: a daughter.

BLACKWOOD.—To Mr. and Mrs. Don. Blackwood: a son.

CLENNETT.—To Lieut. and Mrs. B. G. Clennett: a daughter.

CRAWFORD.—To Lieut. and Mrs. A. R. Crawford: a son.

CUTTS.—To Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Cutts: a son.

DOBSON.—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobson: a son.

DOWNIE.—To Rev. and Mrs. M. A. F. Downie: a son.

HODGMAN.—To Mr. and Mrs. B. Hodgman: a son.

McCREARY.—To Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McCreary: a daughter.

McLAREN.—To Flight-Sgt. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren: a daughter.

MURDOCH.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Murdoch: a son.

GENERAL

Mr. R. K. Green has been appointed a Police Magistrate and a Coroner for Tasmania.

Rotarian S. R. Crick has been installed as President of the Hobart Rotary Club.

OLD BOYS PRISONERS OF WAR AND MISSING

The Rev. and Mrs. M. J. May, Launceston, have received the following brief letter from their son, Chaplain J. L. May, who is a prisoner of war in Japan:

"Sunday, 29th August, 1943.

"My Dear Family.

"Just a line to say that everything is O.K. Hope all is well with you. Am awaiting letter. Ray Vincent was O.K. in Java. Remembering you at weekly Eucharist.

"JOHNNY."

Mrs. R. W. Vincent has received a short letter from her husband, Lieut. Ray Vincent, written from Java, probably on Trinity Sunday (June 20th). He is very well and in good spirits.

Sgt. J. M. O. Harris, son of Major J. R. O. Harris, formerly Headmaster of the School, is now presumed dead. Previously he was posted missing from an operational flight over the North Sea in September, 1942.

OLD BOYS DECORATED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

We heartily congratulate the following on the awards they have received for gallantry and distinguished service:

Squardon-Leader H. B. Nickolls, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nickolls, of Howley Lodge, Campbell Town, has been awarded the D.F.C. He enlisted from West Australia with the R.A.F. and is now in the Middle East.

Wing-Commander John Howard Player is again in the news. In February last, as reported in the previous issue of this Magazine, he was awarded the D.F.C., and now the news comes that he has in addition received the Distinguished Service Order. Son of the late Dr. C. E. Player, of Bothwell, and Mrs. E. M. Player, who resides now at Trewsbury, near Cirencester, England, he was an

PARSONS.—To Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Parsons: a son.

PHELAN.—To Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. B. Phelan: a son.

TAYLOR.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor: a daughter.

TIMMINS.—To Cpl. and Mrs. C. S. Timmins: a daughter.

WANSBROUGH.—To Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wansbrough: a son.

WINDSOR.—To Lieut. and Mrs. E. E. Windsor: a daughter.

ENGAGEMENTS

ANDREWS, A. F., to Miss O. B. Nottle.

BAYLES, N., to Miss P. Hodges.

BENNETT, H. E., to Miss E. G. Geeves.

CONWAY, Rex, to Miss P. Berry.

COSSUM, K. E., to Miss M. R. Barnes.

FAY, Dr. F. R., to Miss L. Robertson.

NEWTON, C. M., to Miss W. J. Stenton.

NICHOLAS, L. B., to Miss J. V. Stevenson.

NICKOLLS, D. J., to Miss M. L'E. Radcliff.

PAGE, A. F., to Miss L. Jack.

REEVE, W. E., to Miss H. E. Best.

ROBERTSON, G. W., to Miss R. Glen.

THOMSON, A. D. R., to Miss R. M. Luckhurst.

WILLIAMS, L., to Miss N. Simpson.

YOUNG, G. F., to Miss N. J. Blacklow.

MARRIAGES

BURBURY, G. M., to Miss M. Donohue.

DOUGLAS, K. C., to Miss L. A. Goddard.

HAY, F. J. A., to Miss M. L. Carter.

EDWARDS, P. B., to Miss K. Cresswell.

MARRIOTT, J. E., to Miss M. Viney.

MAXWELL, Flying-Off. M. M., to Miss N. L. Wheeler.

MILLER, C. M., to Miss C. L. Page.

SHOOBRIDGE, F. M., to Miss J. P. Smyth.

UPCHER, R. R., to Miss M. J. S. Glasson.

WARNER, F. A., to Miss S. M. Sandwell.

WHITEHOUSE, G. M., to Miss H. J. Hinman.

undergraduate of the University of Tasmania. The exploit that brought the award of D.F.C. to Wing-Commander Player was the shooting down of three enemy planes in one night over Tunisia.

Sgt. Frank Warner, of "Valleyfield," New Norfolk, has been mentioned in despatches in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Middle East.

Capt. C. H. Ivey has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order for gallant conduct and initiative. The citation says that during an advance against an enemy frontier the Company Commander was wounded during the first few minutes of the attack. Ivey immediately took control and pushed forward with such vigour and determination that he advanced approximately four miles into enemy-occupied territory, thus enabling the remainder of the battalion to follow through and consolidate the objective before nightfall. During the advance Ivey cleared three definite areas of enemy resistance and gained his objective with a brilliant bayonet charge through most difficult country, comprising heavy jungle and swamp, necessitating constant fighting over the whole distance in twelve inches of mud while the company was subjected to sniping from the enemy in the trees.

Sgt. Ian M. Hay, an Old Boy of Franklin House School, has been mentioned in despatches in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Middle East. He was also awarded the Military Medal for gallantry, leadership and devotion to duty throughout the whole of the fighting at El Alamein. His commanding officer writes:

"Throughout this period he showed great coolness, courage and determination. At one stage all his gun detachment were wounded by bombing and by shelling, and the ammunition in the gunpit set on fire. He organised a detachment, put out the burning ammunition and kept his gun firing at a time when our infantry were being heavily counter-attacked and it was vital to keep every gun in action.

"He later took over his normal duties as Troop Sergeant-Major, and again, by his courage, disregard of danger, and his strength of character, did much to maintain the morale of his troop despite repeated bombing attacks and hostile shelling. His conduct throughout the operations was a splendid example and an inspiration to all his troop."

97th ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDATION OF THE SCHOOL

3rd August, 1943

The chief features of the Anniversary programme this year were the usual Old Boys' church service held at St. David's Cathedral on Sunday, August 1st, the preacher at Evensong on this occasion being the Dean of Hobart (Very Rev. H. P. Fewtrell), and also the Annual Meeting of the Association at the School, and Luncheon held at Highfield Hotel on August 29th and September 2nd respectively. The President of the Association (Mr. A. J. Miller, Jun.), in the course of an address given by him at the luncheon, which was well attended, said that during the year 100 more Old Boys had enlisted and ten more had given their lives. In all, 450 Old Boys were serving. A guest of honour at the luncheon was Mr. L. H. Lindon, M.A., a former Headmaster of the School.

Unfortunately, this year, as well as the Old Boys' Annual Dinner and Annual Ball having to be omitted from the programme, the tennis and debating fixtures had also to be deleted on account of the lack of teams.

At the Annual Meeting Mr. V. I. Chambers was re-elected unopposed as one of the Old Boys' representatives on the Board of Management of the School, and Mr. A. J. Miller, Jun., was elected President of the Association for the second successive year.

HUTCHINS OLD BOYS' LODGE

In place of the annual picnic given to the children of the Clarendon Home, a party was arranged at the Home by a number of the Brethren. This was the thirteenth annual treat given to the children, and was greatly enjoyed by them.

It is with the deepest regret that we have to record the passing of two of our Brethren—the late Bishop, Wor. Bro. R. S. Hay, and Wor. Bro. Geo. B. Arnold. Both of these Brethren were Foundation Members of the Lodge.

The annual Installation was held in July, when Bro. A. S. McAfee was installed in the Chair of King Solomon by the Most Wor. Grand Master, Wor. Bro. H. U. Wilkinson, assisted by Grand Lodge Officers.

At the October meeting an amendment to the By-Laws was passed whereby Old Boys of the Launceston Church Grammar School and the affiliated Launceston High School (E.A.N.) become eligible for membership of our Lodge. A reciprocal amendment has also been passed by the Old Grammarians' Lodge.

Our membership now stands at 64, of whom 22 are on, or have returned from, active service. This ratio of enlistments to membership is the highest of that of any Lodge in the Jurisdiction.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS

It is regretted that many Old Boys have allowed their 5/- annual subscription to lapse. In view of the necessity for the Association to be kept as live and as strong as possible against the day of the return of hundreds of Old Boys now on

active service, it is hoped that this appeal will meet with a ready response from all those who may read it and who are now in arrears with their subscriptions. Owing to the paper shortage and higher postage rates, etc., the Committee finds it impossible to forward Association notices and School Magazines to those whose subscriptions are more than two years in arrears.

Payments may be made to any of the following:—

- (a) Mr. R. L. Collings, c/o the School;
- (b) The Diocesan Book Depot, Murray Street (opposite Hadley's).
- (c) The undersigned.

W. M. HOOD, Hon. Sec.

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Lower Sandy Bay (Tel. 9290).





In Memoriam



GORDON EDISS BOYES
 JAMES STEPHEN COOGAN
 DAVID NEWELL CORNEY
 FRANKLIN HOLT DICKINSON
 HENRY PARKER FITZGERALD
 JOHN CLARENCE FRANKCOMB
 KEITH RAYMOND GABRIEL
 BROOKE DANIEL GRIFFITHS
 PHILIP FRANCIS HARBOTTLE
 JOHN MACKENZIE OBERLIN HARRIS
 ROSWELL AUBREY HEADLAM
 PATRICK WILMOT HORTON
 ROBERT FORBES IRELAND
 CYRIL RICHARD NEIL LEWIS
 RONALD PARR PEARSON
 MALCOLM JOSEPH PREECE
 PETER KENNETH ROGERS
 ALBERT GEORGE SALIER
 ERIC WILLIAM SWEETNAM
 MAXWELL THOMAS TUTTLE
 STUART CROSBY WALCH
 FRANK DERYCK WARD
 JAMES BAYLY WATCHORN

"Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori"

Roll of Honour

THE following is a list of Old Boys who are serving in the Royal Navy, Royal Australian Navy, Australian Imperial Forces, Royal Air Force and the Royal Australian Air Force. The list includes the names of Old Boys of the Hutchins School together with those of the four affiliated schools, viz., Christ College, Queen's College, King's Grammar School and Franklin House School.

The Editor would be grateful for notification of any alterations or additions to this Roll of Honour.

† Died on Active Service.

* Missing.

Abbott, I. D. L.	Bowtell, W. A.	Conway, J. S. ¹
Adams, G. R. L.	Boyes, G. E. †	Conway, R. M.
Alexander, A. E.	Bradley, B. J.	Coogan, J. S. †
Anderson, D. L.	Brain, D. M.	Cook, J. A.
Anderson, G. H.	Brammall, A. G.	Cooper, T. M. V.
Anderson, L. T. R.	Brettingham-Moore, C. G.	Corney, D. N. †
Andrews, A. F.	Broinowski, R. L.	Corney, P. M.
Armstrong, K. B.	Brown, J. R.	Cornock, N. W.
Atkinson, T. A. S.	Bryan, C. J. D.	Corvan, C. G.
Bailey, P. R. B.	Bull, M. S.	Cossum, K. E. N.
Baker, D. G. S.	Burbury, D. J.	Cottrell-Dormer, P. A. U
Balfe, J. D.	Burbury, G. M.	Coupe, J. R. G.
Balfe, N. D.	Burbury, J. V.	Coverdale, S. E.
Balfe, P. D.	Burbury, P. S.	Cox, J. A.
Barwick, J. L.	Burton, J. E.	Cox, J. C.
Bastick, J. E.	Butler, E. G.	Crane, A.
Bastick, T. W.	Butler, I. C. C.	Crawford, A. R.
Bayes, B. H.	Campbell, L. T.	Crawford, D. A.
Bayles, N. J.	Campbell, N. C.	Creese, E. D.
Beck, G. J. G.	Calvert, R. R.	Crisp, A. P.
Beckett, G. A.	Cane, B.	Crisp, G. P.
Bennett, H. S.	Carne, P. B.	Crow, H. J.
Bennison, C. A.	Carr-Lord, J.	Cummins, H. H.
Bennison, T. J.	Carter, G. C.	Darling, A. M.
Bethune, M.	Chambers, D. M.	Darling, H. A.
Bethune, W. H.	Chambers, J. K.	Darling, S.
Binny, D. H.	Chambers, L. G.	Davies, D. L.
Bisdee, M. S. H.	Chambers, T. I.	Davis, J. S.
Blackburn, W. S.	Chandler, T. D. T.	Davy, T. R.
Blacklow, H. R.	Chandler, T. J.	de Bavay, X. A. C.
Blackwood, G. G.	Chapman, G. T. F.	Denny, E. F. K., D.F.C.
Bluck, R. N.	Chesterman, D. R.	Denny, J. O. K., M.C.
Boddam, L. T.	Clark, C. H.	Devereaux, G. R.
Bond, E. E.	Clark, M. J., D.S.C.	Dickinson, F. H. †
Boss-Walker, G.	Clemons, R. C.	Dollery, E. M., O.B.E., M.C.
Bousfield, R. H.	Clennett, B. G.	Douglas, A. M.
Bovill, J. M.	Clennett, G.	Douglas, F. G.
Bowden, J. G.	Clennett, J. R.	Douglas, K. C.
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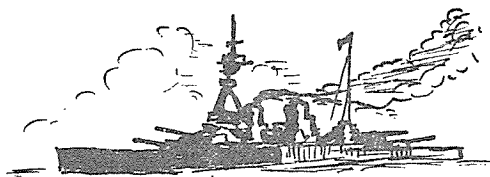
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Eddington, N. E.	Harris, C. I.	Johnstone, C. V.
Edwards, B. A. B.	Harris, F. J.	Jones, A. E.
Edwards, E. R.	Harris, J. M. O. †	Jones, G. A.
Edwards, P. B.	Harrison, S. H.	Jones, J. R.
Elliott, R. A.	Harrison, W. A.	Jones, O. C.
Elliott, R. K.	Harrison, H. M.	Kelly, T. O.
Ellis, H.	Harvey, I. G.	Kennedy, J.
Eltham, R. K.	Hay, I. M., M.M.	Kennedy, R.
English, R. P.	Hay, R. B.	Kennelley, C. P.
Espie, D. B.	Hay, W. W.	Knight, F. C.
Evans, C. W.	Headlam, D. W.	Knight, L.
Fergusson, W. F.	Headlam, R. A. †	Knight, R. A.
Fisher, J. R. L.	Hearn, A. B.	Lade, A. F.
Fisher, W. B.	Heathorn, H. M.	Lade, O. G.
Fitzgerald, H. P. †	Heathorn, T. W.	Lane, B. D.
Foster, N. B.	Henry, A. M.	Langham, A.
Frankcomb, J. C. †	Henry, F. O.	Layton, T.
Freeman, F. H.	Henry, R.	Lewis, A. J.
Fyle, V. A.	Hewer, H. D.	Lewis, C. R. N. †
Fysh, W. L.	Heyward, E.	Lindus, A. C.
Gabriel, G. E.	Hickman, A. N.	Lines, E. W. L.
Gabriel, K. R. †	Hickman, R. J.	Little, G. C.
Gatehouse, C. R. M.	Hildyard, N. G.	Long, B. L.
Geeves, G. D.	Hill, C. G.	Lord, J.
Giblin, C. F.	Hill, D.	Lord, W. D. B.
Giblin, D. V.	Hodgman, B. S.	Lovett, H. F.
Giblin, T.	Hodgman, S. T., O.B.E.	Low, J. R.
Gibson, A. C.	Hodgman, W.	Low, P. M.
Gibson, D. S.	Hodgson, G. E.	Lucas, B. S.
Gibson, G. W.	Hood, B.	Lyons, R. O.
Gilbert, G. R.	Hood, D. V.	McArthur, R. S.
Gilmore, S. C.	Hood, J. A.	McCreary, A. B.
Grant, I. G.	Hopkins, D. M.	McCuaig, G. D. V.
Gray, B.	Hopkins, R. N.	Macdonald, S.
Gray, G. S.	Horton, P. W. †	McDougall, C.
Gray, H. J.	Hudson, G. L.	McDougall, Q.
Gray, J. V.	Hudson, P. R.	McGhie, J. M.
Green, D. M.	Hudson, R. J.	MacGregor, I. M.
Griffiths, B. D. †	Hutchins, P. N.	McKay, J. E.
Gulline, M. J.	Ibbott, J. M.	McKean, D. J.
Gurney, D. A.	Ife, G. L.	McLaren, D. C.
Hadley, H. H.	Ikin, K. W. G.	McLeod, T. R.
Hale, E. M.	Ikin, S. A.	Mace, R. M.
Hale, R. B.	Ireland, J. D. R.	Madden, J. F.
Hamilton, J. B.	Ireland, R. F. †	Marriott, C. D. H.
Hamilton, R. G.	Ivey, C. H., D.S.O.	Marriott, F. A.
Hammond, J. C.	Jackson, R. B.	Marriott, J. E.
Hammond, N. B.	Jackson, W.	Marriott, W. F.
Hancox, P. F. *	Jarvis, S. A. R.	Marsden, J. S.
Harbottle, P. F. G. †	Jillett, C. A.	Marsland, G. H. R.

Masterman, L. C.	Player, J. H., D.F.C., D.S.O.	Sharp, R. C.
Mathias, D. P.	Potter, A. E.	Shoobridge, F. M.
Maxwell, I. M. *	Potter, A. W.	Shoobridge, J. D. L.
Maxwell, J.	Preece, M. J. †	Shoobridge, L. M.
Maxwell, M. M.	Pridmore, J. A.	Shoobridge, R. M.
May, J. L.	Pridmore, W. B.	Simmons, E. D.
Miller, C. M.	Ramsay, A. G.	Simpson, T. D., D.F.M.
Milligan, R. J.	Ramsay, J. M.	Simson, B. A.
Mitty, J. F.	Ramsay, W. M.	Smith, B. P.
Mulligan, W.	Ratten, J. R., D.F.C.	Smith, I. K. *
Murdoch, J. N.	Rayner, C. S. W.	Smith, R. H.
Murdoch, L. G.	Read, P. S.	Solomon, H. J.
Murdoch, R. P.	Reeve, W. E.	Spencer, A. J.
Nettlefold, C. T.	Reid, A. J.	Sprent, J.
Nettlefold, L.	Reid, A. L. M.C.	Stabb, G. I.
Nettlefold, S. R.	Rex, I. P. R.	Stabb, R. H.
Nicholas, C. L.	Rex, J. R.	Staunton-Smith, M. R.
Nicholas, H. G.	Rex, K. E.	Steele, A. J.
Nicholls, H. M.	Reynolds, C. D. R.	Stephens, C.
Nichols, D. L.	Richard, N. E. B.	Stephens, E. W. H.
Nichols, P. J.	Richardson, R. E., M.C.	Stephens, P. A.
Nichols, P. P.	Richardson, S. G.	Stephens, T.
Nichols, R. G.	Roberts, G. L.	Stevens, A. P.
Nichols, S. R.	Roberts, M. F.	Stevens, G. B.
Nickolls, D. J.	Roberts, T. L., M.C.	Strutt, H. W., D.S.O.
Nickolls, H. B., D.F.C.	Robertson, G. W.	Stuttered, D. P.
Norman, G. B.	Robertson, R. C.	Swan, J.
Oliver, S.	Robertson, V. G.	Swan, N. C.
Onslow, T. P.	Robertson, W. R.	Swan, R. G.
Orpwood, R. A.	Robinson, N. E.	Swan, R. M.
Packer, H. E.	Robinson, P. H.	Sweetnam, E. W. †
Page, A. F.	Rodway, F. C.	Taylor, D. R.
Page, C. A. S.	Rodway, R. E.	Templeman, J. H.
Page, J. A.	Rogers, J. S.	Teniswood, F. W.
Page, S. A.	Rogers, P. K. †	Teniswood, W. F.
Parker, G. R.	Ross, T. W.	Thomas, G. M.
Parsons, J.	Ruddock, H. F.	Thomas, N. M.
Payne, P. M.	Rycroft, J. L.	Thompson, B. G.
Pearce, R.	St. Hill, A. R.	Thompson, N. R.
Pearson, R. P. †	St. Hill, C. K.	Thomson, A. D. R.
Perkins, M. W.	Sale, H. T. S.	Thomson, E. R.
Peters, C. W.	Salier, A. G. †	Thorold, J. N.
Peterson, C.	Sansom, J. B.	Thorold, R. R. C.
Phelan, B. K.	Sansom, P. M.	Tibballs, M. C.
Piggott, R. G.	Saunders, B. L.	Timmins, C. S.
Pitt, B. J.	Saunders, P. W. D.	Tolman, J. C.
Pitt, G. E. K.	Scarr, O.	Travers, A. R. *
Pitt, H. C. A.	Scott-Power, J. J. W.	Tudor, E. D.
Pitt, H. R.	Seekamp, G. D.	Turner, H. T.
Pitt, R. A.	Senior, W. J. M.	Turner, T. M.
Pixley, S. E. A.	Sharp, D. G.	Tuttle, M. T. †

Tyson, C. M.	Wall, L. E.	White, D. E.
Tyson, G. M.	Walter, J. H.	White, L. A.
Underhill, A. B.	Ward, E. F.	Whitehouse, G. M.
Upcher, P. R.	Ward, F. D. †	Wiggins, C. S., C.B.E.
Upcher, R. R.	Ward, H. A.	Williams, L. E.
Urquhart, K. M.	Warlow-Davies, H.	Windsor, E. E.
Valentine, E. B.	Warner, D. A.	Wise, T. A., S.S.
Vincent, H. L.	Warner, F. A.	Woolley, B. B.
Vincent, R. W.	Watchorn, A. B.	Wright, R. K.
Viney, C. A. S.	Watchorn, B. B.	Young, D. W.
Vollugi, L. R.	Watchorn, J. B. †	Young, R. F.
Wagner, A. H.	Watchorn, N. E.	
Walch, C. E.	Watson, R. B.	
Walch, D. C.	Webster, G. F.	
Walch, H. C.	Webster, R. J.	
Walch, R. F.	Westbrook, N. O.	
Walch, S. C. †	Wertheimer, A. K.	
Walker, G. B.	Whelan, A. J.	
Walker, J. B.	Whelan, H. J.	
Walker, P. B.	Whitchurch, N. de L.	
Walker, R. B.	White, A. B.	
Wall, J. H.	White, A. J. M.	

Parents and Friends of Old Boys who have enlisted in the fighting forces are invited to forward the following information to the School for inclusion in the Roll of Honour: Name of Old Boy, Initials, Year at School, Service Number, Present Rank, and Unit.

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Hutchins School Scholarships

1. The Donald Cameron McPhee Memorial Scholarship for boys under 10 years. Value £12 per annum, tenable for one year. Open to all boys resident in Tasmania.
2. The D. H. Harvey Scholarship for boys under 11 years, value £12 per annum, tenable for one year. Open to all boys resident in Tasmania.
3. Two Junior Newcastle Scholarships for boys under 12 years, value £12 per annum, tenable for two years. Open to all boys resident in Tasmania; one awarded annually.
4. The Grace-Calvert Memorial Scholarship for boys under 13 years, approximate value £12 per annum, tenable for one year. Open to all boys resident in Tasmania.
5. One Franklin Scholarship for boys under 14 years, approximate value £20 per annum, tenable for two years. Open to the sons of persons resident within a radius of ten miles of the P.O. of the town of Franklin.
6. Two Senior Newcastle Scholarships for boys under 14 years, value £12 per annum, tenable for two years. Open to all boys resident in Tasmania; one awarded annually.
7. The McNaughtan Scholarship for boys under 16 years, approximate value £12 per annum, tenable for two years. Open to all boys who have been pupils of the Hutchins School for at least twelve months.
8. The Magistrates Scholarship, approximate value £12 per annum, tenable for two years, to be awarded in alternate years with the McNaughtan.
9. The Medical Scholarship, approximate value £12 per annum, tenable for two years. Open to the sons of Medical Practitioners resident in Tasmania.
10. The Clerical Scholarship, total value £28 per annum, to be awarded at the discretion of the Board of Management to sons of the clergy of the Church of England in Tasmania.
11. The Nicholas John Brown Scholarship for boys under 16 years, value £12 per annum, tenable for one year. Awarded annually on the results of the Public Schools' Certificate Examination.
12. The Queen's College A. A. Stephens Memorial Scholarship, total value £18 per annum, tenable for two years, for boys under 15½ on December 31. Open to all boys in Tasmania.