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Headmaster's Message

The Casual Cult.

All through the ages respect, courtesy and consideration have been shown by men and boys to women and girls. It would appear that these attributes are no longer fashionable. The following incidents actually happened a few months ago. In no way have I exaggerated.

Shirley was going to the pictures. She was very appropriately dressed and was waiting for her escort. The bell rang and there he was — in jeans, a multi-coloured, open-neck shirt out over the jeans, no shoes or socks, a 'flat-top' hair-cut and a confident smirk on his face. Her feelings of joyful anticipation changed to annoyance and bewilderment. She closed the door. Oh yes, she went to the pictures that night — with her parents.

Joan was persuaded to go to a dance. Inwardly she boiled as she suffered the calculating glances of the bodgie pack which clustered around the doorway. One detached himself from the group and strolled over. "Have a dance," he said, reaching for her hand. She drew back. "I will," she replied, "if you put your shirt in and take the gum out of your mouth." He started to bluster, but she gathered her belongings together and disappeared.

What is happening to the modern girl and boy? Many girls have not the strength of character of Shirley and Joan and "go along" rather than be left out of things. Many boys are not "playing the game". Undoubtedly, there is not the same parent supervision of conduct and clothes as there was a few years back. But this does not explain everything. To-day much publicity is given to 'teen-agers' — their whims and their problems, their likes and dislikes, their desires and their frustrations. Unfortunately, some clever but unscrupulous journalists and certain media of entertainment which emphasise sex, violence and the sordid side of life implant ideas in the minds of girls and boys — ideas which

sometimes find expression in undesirable ways. Whichever way we look at it, adults are mainly responsible for much of the poor conduct that is evident to-day. Adolescents themselves, however, are not facing their responsibilities. We are told that unless they are allowed to express themselves they will become frustrated. I'm tired of the word "frustration". Or perhaps it would be truer to say that I'm tired of the way the word is being used. Carelessness, selfishness, surliness, lack of appreciation of parents' efforts, failure to do well at school — all must be tolerated or the child becomes "frustrated".

I agree that casual clothes are ideal for casual occasions and it is good for people to relax and feel free and easy at such times. It is neither wise nor good for development of character, however, to adopt the casual attitude all the time. When young people go out together, a girl has every right to expect her escort to be neatly and appropriately dressed and a boy shows his respect for her and her sex by dressing and behaving in a manner which will neither disappoint nor embarrass her. To-day many young people must be jolted into a realisation of their responsibilities. Too much is taken for granted by them — too much casual conduct and nonsense is tolerated from them.

Girls and boys, I am very pleased with the way you have responded to our request for the wearing of appropriate clothes for the right occasion. Beware of a 'casual' mind which treats all issues in a careless, "what's it matter" manner. In professional life, in commerce and industry, there is no room for the casual thinker. I believe that a person's true nature and his philosophy of life are revealed, more often than not, in his personal appearance, the clothes he wears and the way he wears them

J. E. LENEHAN,
Headmaster.

School News

1959 began well with pleasing L.C. Results (How our much-maligned 5th Year of 1958 "crowded" with delight!) and the arrival of Mrs. Penrose as P.E. Mistress to replace Mrs. Johnson, who had been transferred in May, 1958. However, difficulties began when the increased numbers in 4th and 5th Years made an additional Science Teacher necessary. All were pleased when "Mr. X" was at last found. To add to this difficulty were added the First Term absences of Mr. Randall and Mr. Devine, through illness.

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Despite a difficult First Term all school activities were carried out successfully: The Induction of Prefects; celebration of Anzac Day and Commonwealth Day; Market Day; School Socials and School Ball; Debating and Choir activities; Education Week; The Mannequin Parade; visits to "Barber of Seville"; Symphony Orchestra and the Young Elizabethan players; and a very full and successful participation in all sporting activities, and our students are looking forward to Play Day at the end of 3rd Term. In addition to these activities our students have not failed to realise that this is an academic High School, as can be seen by the average exam. marks gained at the half-yearly examinations.

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Our P. and C. Association has been active during the year. The Grounds Committee has been keeping an eye on developments in regard to the new road which is being built alongside the school. One big task was the cleaning up of much of the rubbish in the area near the old house, and the top-dressing of the oval. The House Soccer teams found the oval very convenient during the winter season.

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Mr. Bingham and his capable assistants, S. Johnston, D. Marks, G. Dowd, J. Fielding, C. Shaw, D. Wakeford and B. Leo, have kept up steady activity in ground

improvements and the school takes on a more pleasing aspect each week.

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The Ladies' Auxiliary's big project for the year has been the purchase of a new piano. This will be appreciated by our many talented young musicians.

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One pleasing feature of the year's activities has been the introduction of a typing class, run during the lunch hour, for senior girls. The girls of this class are very grateful to Mrs. Lenehan for instructing them.

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Mr. Lenehan's "Headmaster's Message" in the 1958 "Gleam" was a timely one, for it was on a topic that was set later in the L.C. English paper. Let us hope that Mr. Lenehan is as helpful this year.

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We congratulate Wollongong Secondary Technical School on its new status as a High School and wish it every success. What a change has taken place since one could say "High" without any ambiguity. Now that title is shared by seven schools — with more to come. With three High Schools to draw, perhaps, from the same area, and the Wyndham Report before Parliament, we wonder what further changes the future will bring.

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The monthly issues of "High Notes" have been very helpful in keeping parents in touch with school activities.

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Amongst visitors to the school this year were: Mr. A. W. Stephens, Director of Secondary Education; Mr. Inspectors C. W. McLaren and G. Bondiotti and Mrs. Gillies, Inspector of Schools, an ex-student of the school and the daughter of a former Headmaster. Mrs. Gillies complimented the school on the general appearance of its uniforms.

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During the year we had three groups of students present for teacher-training: Miss L. Wunderlich, Miss A. Parker, Messrs. R. Meredith, B. Finlayson, B. Walters and R. J. Parkinson (Sydney); Misses Humphreys, J. Cane and J. Blue (Newcastle); Miss L. McLinden and Messrs. B. Breen and J. Carbeck (Melbourne). In connection with the latter, the school received a warm letter of thanks from Professor W. V. Aughterson of the School of Education, University of Melbourne.

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Amongst good reports of the activities of our ex-students of the school, none was more pleasing than that of former School Captain, Pat Bright, who carried off several prizes for topping English I at the Sydney University.

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Ex-students will be pleased to hear that former Headmaster, Mr. J. Collins, is hale and hearty.

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One of the year's most pleasing ceremonies was the induction of Alan Mackey as an Honorary Prefect for services to the school. This is the first time such an honour has been granted.

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The much-needed protective entrance to the Gymnasium has been built but our brick front fence, Hall and new Science Laboratory are still to come.

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We were so pleased with the success of our First Grade Rugby team that their photograph now hangs in the Entrance Hall. The winning of the 7.7 title in 1957, 9st. in 1958 and the Open and 7.7 State titles this year makes our school a real force in Rugby League.

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The achievements of our girls in competitive activities often pass unnoticed because of the greater "glamour" of boys' activities. I would, therefore, like to remind readers that the girls won their

section of the local Swimming Carnival, the Rotary Debating Shield and the Senior and Junior Divisions of the Softball Competition; and performed creditably in the Hockey, Basketball and Athletics. In addition, the Choir is mostly theirs.

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During the year 20 paintings were added to our already worthy collection.

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An appeal for funds, made by the P. and C. Association, through the school, met with an excellent response and over £300 was raised.

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A recent visitor to the school was Mr. Graham Rabey, School Captain for 1950, who is now a dentist, and is returning to England for further study. In England he met Mr. Alan Davis, a former High student, who gained a Rhodes Scholarship.

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Professor Bullen set such a high standard at the 1958 Speech Night that he was asked to recommend a speaker to give this year's Occasional Address. He unhesitatingly recommended Professor Donald Peart, Professor of Music, Sydney University, who has accepted the invitation. We take this opportunity to issue an early invitation to parents to be present at Speech Night. Thursday, December 10, is the date.

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The school has been so pleased with the faithful service of Diana Polley and Coral Valentine in connection with the Morning Service that they were the recipients of a small token of appreciation.

In the recent "B.H.P. Review" Essay Competition Dianne McIlwraith (4A) won the prize for the best District Entry and Jennifer Smith (1A) was 3rd in the Intermediate Section.

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The school's enrolment at 31st July was: First Year, 172; Second Year, 156; Third Year, 169; Fourth Year, 152; Fifth Year, 116; total, 765.



MORNING SERVICE

"Their religion so well with their learning did suit ... That it showed them better how to live." Matthew Prior.

This is the aim of our Morning Service.

Each morning before school commences, a quarter of an hour is spent in devotion. Representatives of various Churches take turns in conducting a short service. For their assistance we owe a debt to members of the Council of Churches: Ven. Archdeacon H. G. Begbie, Revs. R. J. Anderson, J. W. Brookes, R. Gray, C. Knibb, C. M. Drury, N. Flint, C. J. Wells, G. Hudson, J. E. Emery, A. R. Hildebrand, R. Batey, E. Potter, M. de Graf, G. J. Johannson, E. V. Drummond, J. W. Bosanquet, Major F. W. Paren and Captain J. K. Hallieston.

Religious instruction to 1st and 2nd Year Classes, on Tuesday afternoons, is closely allied with the Morning Service and in addition to the above we are grateful to Mesdames R. Snedden, D. Hay and M. C. Mow, Miss J. Bewley, Archdeaconess Anderson and Father Kenna.

The School is very grateful to Diana Polley, accompaniste, and Corel Valentine, who is responsible for the playing of classi-

cal records before the service starts, and to those First Year students who prepare the seating for the service.

Jacqueline Hall and Roberta Giles, 40.



STAFF CHANGES

January, 1959, saw the School without the services of the following: Miss J. Moore (Bulli H.S.); Miss K. Mills (Smith's Hill Girls' High); Mrs. T. Horner (Berkeley H.S.); Miss P. A. Thompson (England); Mr. J. Giles (Maths. Lecturer, Newcastle University College); Mr. J. Bell (England).

In their stead we welcomed: Miss L. T. Kavanaugh (Sydney Univ.); Mrs. J. Quinlan (Bulli H.S.); Mrs. E. E. Penrose (Forbes H.S.); Mr. A. J. Day (Wollongong Sec. Tech.); Mr. C. R. Gadd (after 6 years in England); Mr. L. Ingersole (Syd. Univ.); Mr. A. O. Hunt (Syd. Univ.); Mr. N. T. Trotter (Head Office).

In second term we lost Mr. Ingersole to Bulli H.S. and in his place welcomed Mr. J. R. Hodgson from Bega H.S.

INDUCTION OF PREFECTS

- *"The requirements for Prefectship are scholastic ability, sportsmanship, service and moral courage."*

Thus spoke the Headmaster on the occasion of the School's Fifth Induction of Prefects' Ceremony, as he introduced the Captains and Prefects-Elect. The prefects then pledged themselves to service by solemnly repeating the Prefects' Pledge. Following this, Rev. C. T. Knibb offered a prayer for divine guidance.

After the Captain and Prefects had been presented with their badges and had signed the Register of Prefects, the Deputy-Headmaster, Mr. F. Buckley, explained to the assembly the duties of the prefects within the school.

The student representatives from each year were then called upon to congratulate the Prefects. The representatives were: Peter Dennison (Fifth Year), Diana Polley (Fourth Year), Gemette Reid (Third Year), Anne Douglas (Second Year) and Neil Preston (First Year).

Civic congratulations were given by Mr. W. H. Mitchell; congratulations from the Department of Education by Mr. S. Wauchop, Inspector of Schools; and Mr. H. Peedom conveyed congratulations on behalf of the P. and C. Association.

Our new Captains then addressed the assembly.

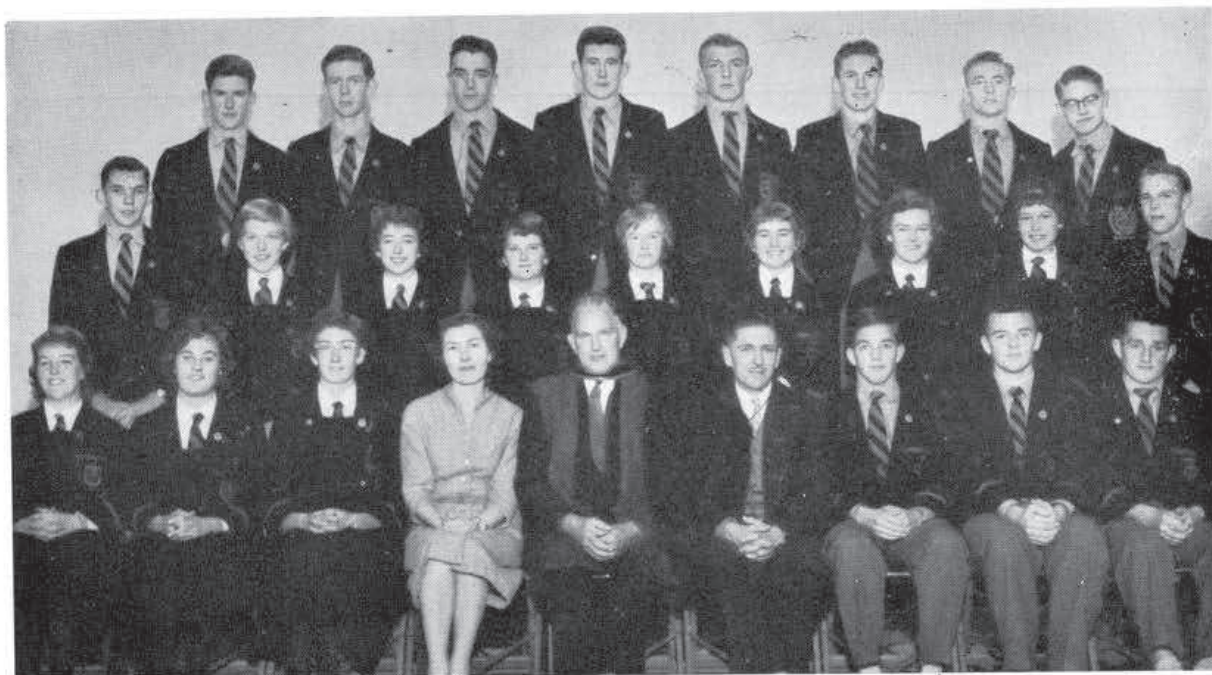
During the ceremony the Choir sang 'She Walks in Beauty', a Negro Spiritual and 'Glory to Thee, My God'.

SPECIAL INDUCTION.

In July another name was added to the Roll of Prefects when, in a special ceremony, Allan Mackey, for loyal service to the school, was made an honorary Prefect. This is the first occasion on which such an honour has been granted.

Lorraine Weine, 4A.

PREFECTS, 1959



BACK: Murray Shell, Geoff Corner, James Stuart, Brian Denley, Lindsay Laird, Richard Stuckey, Peter Clark, Lionel King.

MIDDLE: Stan Blakemore, Juliana Koops, Robyn Barrington, Judy Brown, Gerda Hendriksen, Wendy Howitt, Caroline Spearing, Annette Mayhew, David Martin.

FRONT: Penny Wedlock, Petra Rodenburg (Vice-Captain), Elaine Etherington (Girls' Captain), Mrs. H. Brissenden (Supervisor of Girls), Mr. J. E. Lenehan (Headmaster), Mr. J. Webster (Master-in-Charge of Prefects), John Peedom (Boys' Captain), Jim Atkinson (Vice-Captain), Allan Mackey.

OCCASIONAL ADDRESS

Speech Night, 4th December, 1958.

We feel that the Occasional Address given on Speech Night by Professor K. E. Bullen, Professor of Applied Mathematics, Sydney University, was of so much interest to students, parents and teachers, that as much of it as possible should be printed for the benefit of those unfortunate enough to miss hearing the address.

"The present world is a world beset with exciting and dangerous possibilities, a world in which the advances of science have reached the point of threatening man's very existence, a world in which radical new political systems have risen to almost frightening dimensions, and a world in which troublous problems of race and population are looming large. That is the world — a world changing faster than ever in past history — in which you will soon have to take up your responsibilities, and shape things for better or for worse.

Bearing this in mind, I thought it would be suitable if I gave you some of the impressions I have gathered as a scientist in visits I have made lately to a number of overseas countries."

Professor Bullen then spoke of his experiences at an International Geophysical Year conference on artificial satellites — during which conference the first Russian sputnik went into orbit. He said: "The hysteria has, of course, now died down, and with the lapse of a year or so since that first Sputnik went up, it is now well recognised that there remain many directions in which American science is yet well ahead of the Russian.

But what of the future? The Russians have risen to their present scientific status from a very backward state, and they will undoubtedly rise much further. And one thing that stands out is that a principal cause of their rise is the great thoroughness of their primary and secondary school training — following a policy which they started 24 years ago."

Professor Bullen spoke of three visits to Russia, one a recent one to lecture to a group of seismologists and of the conclusion to which he came.

"This and much other evidence that came my way made it pretty clear that the Russians place much emphasis in their schools on what we call the 3 R's. Where America has indulged in what is called the 'play-way' in education, and where, in Australia, there is so much of 'Near enough is good enough', Russia has spent the last 25 years getting down to brass-tacks. I came away from Russia feeling that, whether we like it or not, we must take notice of this fact."

He then spoke of a journey to Communist China at the invitation of the Chinese Academy of Science and of the impressions of China that he received.

"The scientists I met also told me something of China's plans for schools. They were very proud of the artistic heights reached in the old Chinese education. But they also told me that for China to take her proper place in this modern world, there now has to be a big shift to new emphasis on Science. And they told me that the first steps being taken are to put a new thoroughness into all school work. Like Russia, they are placing great emphasis on exact and accurate basic knowledge.

It will, of course, be some time before the real results of the new Chinese education begin to show. But I think we must be prepared for the fact that, in the not so distant future, we shall be facing a China of formidable intellectual standards.

The writing is already on the wall of the sort of world into which you are heading. It is a world which need not frighten us if we act with wisdom. But it is a world which we will need to understand and which we must not underestimate.

At present Australia is a prosperous country in which the lot of the lowliest workmen would be envied in many other lands. Soon it will be your task to see that we do not fall behind.

Our school syllabuses nowadays teach what are called social studies but this does not always mean that they teach social sense. Many of our young men and women fail to learn at school the virtues of hard work and dependable knowledge. My impression after visiting some 30 countries is that we shall fall behind unless our education system

Occasional Address (Contd.)

gets down to a new thoroughness, especially in the early years when habits are formed. And you can all play your part in bringing about an improved state of affairs in the community.

In saying this, I am not suggesting that those of you who really do a fair day's work should work any harder. I know that many of you in this and all schools, especially those of you in your last two School Leaving years, work very hard; sometimes the pace is perhaps too hard. I also know that students' capacity to work hard genuinely varies over a wide range. And I do not suggest a return to the harsher methods of last century.

But I do suggest to those who do not pull their weight, that they try to realise that they are standing full square against Australia's continuing capacity to face the increasing competition from overseas.

My observations abroad have also convinced me that our schooling system will have to do more to adapt itself to the rising prominence of Science in the world of to-day.

In the past, a man was called cultured when he knew something of the arts, music, language or history. In this modern world, science has become an equally important part of man's culture.

I am not suggesting, as some scientists do, that Science is the only thing that matters. It is not an easy thing to decide, in fact what should now be the correct balance between Science and what are called the Humanities. But what is clear is that scientific training in Australia is at present seriously inadequate for our national needs.

Australia needs many more specialist scientists and also needs more understanding of science among those who are not scientists. In both these needs, a basic requirement is that arithmetic be soundly taught in primary schools. Ten years ago a Sydney educationist said to me: "In ten years' time, arithmetic will be out of date. It will all be done by calculating machines." It is this sort of nonsense that contributes to Australia's acute shortage of trained scientists.

Arithmetic, followed by algebra, calculus and other things, is basic to any real understanding of scientific creation. And even the average citizen must have this basic drill if he is to get any real glimmer of the character of science.

There is no royal road to this understanding. The jargon of technologists glibly quoted in newspapers and popular articles, is no substitute for clear disciplined thinking, which alone can reveal what goes on behind the surface and the show in scientific research.

Of course I know that many of you have talents which lie well away from mathematics and science. And I would not like to think that I am suggesting that all of you should interest yourselves in Science. It takes many types to make a world, or a great nation. At the bottom the problem is, of course, wider than mathematics and science, although there is special urgent need to-day for laying better foundations in these subjects. At bottom our problem is to see that sufficient attention is given to the deeper educational trend overseas; and that, above all, each of us does what he has to do, thoroughly, conscientiously and well.

Near-enough is no longer good enough in the competitive world of to-day. And since, as free Australians, we hope to avoid the ruthless discipline imposed from above in Communist rule, we must as a nation become more self-disciplined.

Discipline and the cultivation of our intellectual talent, whatever form that talent take, are, as I see it, the great needs of Australia for the immediate future. If you young citizens can contrive that, you will have done something great for Australia and yourselves.

Finally, to those of you who have won prizes, I should like to extend my warm congratulations. Some among you will rise to heights in the years to come. And I know that some of those among you who have not won prizes will also rise to heights. To all of you who will be going next year into the great world, may I wish you well. And to those of you who will be staying on here, may I give you my best wishes for all success in your excellent School?"

P. & C. NOTES

OFFICE-BEARERS, 1959

PRESIDENT: MR. H. PEEDOM.

HON. SEC.: MR. F. O. WEINE.

HON. TREASURER: MR. R. DAVIES.

While attendances at meetings towards the end of the year were disappointing, it might fairly be said that on all occasions on which the School sought help from parent organisations, this help was always available and on those occasions assisted to maintain the high level which one is accustomed to associate with Wollongong High School functions.

Some of the functions at which the Association was represented were the School's Market Day, Induction of Prefects' Ceremony, Cadets' A.H. & I. Shield Day, Empire Day, Farewell to Fifth Year and Speech Night.

As in previous years, the main Social Function conducted by the Association was the School Ball. While this Ball does not give a financial return in any way commensurate with the efforts of parents, it is felt that the Ball plays a most important part in the Social education of the students.

The success of the Ball as a social function is largely due to the magnificent efforts of the ladies. This may, in fact, be said of most efforts of the P. & C. Association. Space does not permit a full recital of their efforts in this report and a separate report on their activities may be found elsewhere in this journal.

The work of the Grounds Committee has continued to be somewhat hampered by lack of data being available from Government Departments. Further work has been done on the oval and growth this summer should enable it to be fully used by the School next year. Seats are in course of construction and should shortly be installed in the grounds. The removal of the old cottage between the School and the Highway has made a large additional area available as an addition to the School grounds for some years until the area is required for

road purposes. The area has been cleared and already a considerable amount of filling and top-dressing has taken place.

It is felt that the efforts of Mr. John Thompson, the energetic Chairman of the Grounds Committee, have not been fully supported by parents, particularly those not otherwise actively supporting the Association. Bearing in mind the number of students and teachers who have attended working bees organised by the Committee the proportion of parents attending and working was often poor.

The various other sub-committees have continued to function successfully. Much of the success of the Ball was due to the efforts of the Ball and Social Committee. The Welfare Committee has been able to arrange lecture and film nights and the Publicity Sub-Committee has met our publicity requirements. Our thanks are extended to the Chairman and individual members of these Committees.

As the financial requirements of the School are always before us, the Welfare Committee considered means whereby certain immediate financial requirements could be met. It was originally considered that the position might be met by calling a meeting of parents but this idea was dropped in favour of a direct approach by an open letter to parents. The more than satisfactory financial response to this letter has indicated that parents are very conscious of the School's requirements.

Our Association members are delighted that the scholastic and sporting achievements of the School have reached such a high level. We congratulate the School on its successes and acknowledge the part that Mr. Lenehan and the Staff have played in these successes.

LADIES' AUXILIARY

PRESIDENT: Mrs. W. Bright.

HON. SEC.: Mrs. R. Gole.

HON. TREASURER: Mrs. P. Brown.

This year the P. & C. Ladies' Auxiliary has again been very active for the benefit of the school.

Two Jumble Sales have been held to raise funds and the ladies have also catered as usual for various school functions. Most important have been the Annual Athletic Carnival and the School Ball.

Once again the Auxiliary worked hard to ensure that these important events were successful. The Auxiliary also assisted Fourth Year students in preparing for the Farewell to Fifth Year students.

The aim for this year was to provide a

piano for the school, as the old one badly needed replacement. With the assistance from a school appeal we were able to purchase an excellent instrument, and we were very proud on the night of the recent successful Musicales to be able to present the school with a very fine piano.

We hope that the school will continue to benefit in future years from our many activities.

There is still much to be done and all mothers are invited to support the hard work done by the Auxiliary.

Mrs. W. Bright.

EDUCATION WEEK

At the Musical Evening held on Thursday, 6th August, Mrs. W. Bright, on behalf of the Ladies' Auxiliary, presented the school with a beautiful Lipp piano.

The evening commenced with a bracket of numbers by the choir. A piano solo by Diana Polley was followed by "Who Is Sylvia" sung by Gwynne Johnston, a Recorder Trio, Robyn Lightfoot, Vivienne Reed and David Chambers, and a violin solo by Allan Weir.

Jennifer Farmer, Roslyn Newell, Kirsten Ommer, Ingrid Korgitta, Birgit Grust, Carole Crooks, Maureen Kennedy and Renate Schreiber, accompanied by Carole Smith, sang three German songs. The girls were all dressed in national costume.

Graeme Wunderlich's cornet solo was followed by a piano duet by Bronwen Amer and Julie Hartnett. A boys' vocal group: M. Wager, D. Patterson, S. Blakemore, M. Penrose, B. Balgowan, K. Ward, R. Johnson, G. Ross, W. Koppe, G. Ferguson and D. Owen sang two spirituals. Mr. Lenehan later said that he was pleased to see that these boys had enough courage to sing by themselves and expressed the hope that we would some day have an all-boys' choir.

A trio for recorder, violin and piano (D. Chambers, A. Weir and A. Mayhew) was

heard next. A most unusual item, "The Ritual Fire Dance," was performed by R. Weine, V. Reed, R. Harrod, J. Hay, A. Byrne and M. Szabo.

The evening concluded with two items from the choir.

OPEN DAY.

Many parents came to the school for Open Day. A feature of the afternoon was the Final of the Sanders' Cup Public Speaking Contest. There were seven speakers and after hearing them, Mr. Peedom announced Jim Lewis as the winner with 84 points. Jim gave an excellent performance but was closely followed by July Wingate (last year's winner) and Geoff Brookes with 81 points, Annette Mayhew 77 and Jeff Jones, Leonie Farmer and Eric Hudson with 71.

John Peedom was an excellent Chairman and thanked the parents for being present to hear the Finals.

ROTARY SHIELD DEBATING FINAL.

A large crowd was present on the Friday night to hear the final debate in this contest, between Nowra High and Wollongong High, with Elaine Etherington acting as Chairwoman.

Ruth Dallimore.



Doug Meredith, Roger Standley and Jill Robertson handle thousands.

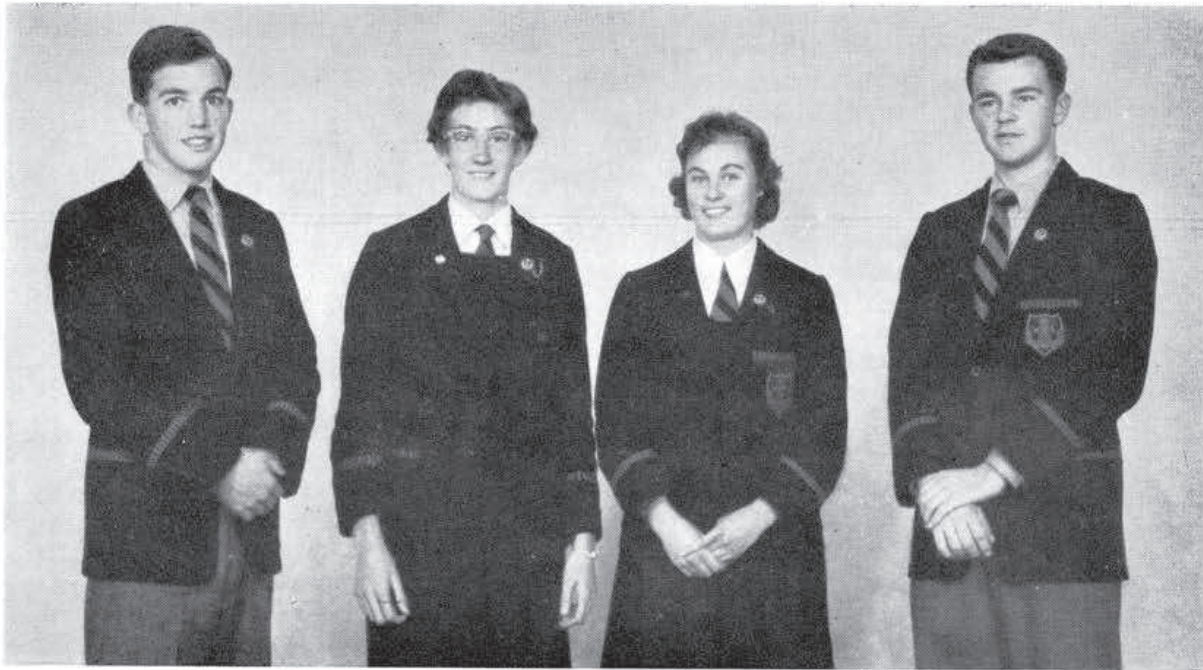
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CAPTAINS AND VICE-CAPTAINS

JOHN PEEDOM (Boys' Captain):

John came to the school from West Wollongong Primary. He played Rugby with the 2nd Grade side in the winter and Basketball in the summer. He is a member of Keira House. John's calm and assured manner inspires confidence and should help to develop a charming 'bedside manner' in his chosen profession, Medicine. John's 9th in Half-Yearly shows that he has the ability to tackle this course.

ELAINE ETHERINGTON (Girls' Capt.):

Elaine, from Fairy Meadow Public School, Captain of Kembla House and first baseman with the School Softball "A" team, has been a leader and a good student since her first entry to the school. She was 2nd in the half-yearly examinations for Fifth Year. The daughter of teachers,

Elaine hopes to gain entry to Wagga Teachers' College and to become a Primary School teacher.

JIM ATKINSON (Boys' Vice-Capt.):

Jim hails from Wollongong Public School and has plans for becoming an Engineer. Jim was 6th in his examination, and is, in addition, a fine sportsman, playing front row in the First Grade R.L. side, playing Basketball, and representing Kembla House at swimming.

PETRA RODENBURG (Girls' Vice-Capt.):

Petra gained her early education at Gwynneville Primary School. Like John, she is a member of Keira House, of which she is captain. Her ambition is to become a Phys. Ed. teacher and her all-round sporting prowess and powers of leadership make her eminently suited for this career.

EDUCATION WEEK BANK VISIT

To many pupils a pound note is now virtually nothing compared to the bundles of crisp five and ten pound notes that they held during Education Week. The pupils were among the privileged of 2C, 3C and 4th Year Economics, who, during Education Week, visited the Wollongong Branch of the Commonwealth Bank.

The visit began with an inspection of the main part of the bank where clerks attended to customers. Here, we were amazed by the important part that machines play in banking procedure.

Then we were led downstairs to where the night safe and vaults were inspected. We watched thousands of pounds in notes destroyed and waited patiently (with backs turned) while the huge vault was opened by the manager. Bundles of five and ten-pound notes were then passed round.

After this very interesting morning, drinks and biscuits were enjoyed by the students.

Our thanks go to the manager, Mr. Lavan, and to Mr. Deane, for arranging the visit.
Margaret Luscombe, 4B.

MARKET DAY

This year's Market Day was once again a success and a total of £415 was raised. Much effort and preparation was put into it by the pupils, staff and parents.

Bass House was first in the Popular House Competition, but Kembla won the prize for the best decorated stall and its stall and other money-raisers were the most successful so that Kembla was the Champion House on the day. Points scored were: Kembla 143, Bass 119, Flinders 91, Keira 82.

Mr. H. Peedom opened the Market Day at 2 p.m. and visitors poured into the Hall

where the stalls were a riot of colour with Kembla's "Inn of the Sixth Happiness", Bass's "Record Bar", Flinders' "Swiss Chalet" and Keira's "St. Trinians'."

Throughout the school and the grounds activities of all kinds added to the fun and gaiety.

Julie Hartnett, 4A.

LIBRARY NOTES

"A good book is the precious life-blood of a master spirit."

The fact that our students believe in our library's motto is shown clearly by the many of them who spend their lunch-time recess in the library. To keep the library in working order, a group of students help in the back room. The leader of this group is Ross Johnson, and his helpers are Glen Morthorpe, Glen Delaney, Roger Bowden, Renate Schreiber, Maureen Kennedy, Janet Thew, Anne Rose, Margaret Upcroft, Margaret Bradbury, Maureen McGoldrick, Barbara Green, Joyce Epps.

Two of the students' mothers, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Weekes, are helping with the typing, with the result that the catalogue is growing rapidly and now is in use in the library itself. This task was made easier because the library now has its own typewriter.

Two new sets of Encyclopaedias, "Universal World Reference" and "International

Illustrated', have been acquired for the library and students have been doing exercises from them in library lessons.

A large polished table has been acquired for the library for display purposes and has been used in Book Week.

Book Week was a great success, and there was an attractive display of all the Australian books, and books about Australia which are in the library. The trellis was brought into the library and on it were placed charts and pictures of Australia, done by our more artistic students.

The winners of the Book Week Illustrations Competition were: 1st, Murray Weir, 1B; 2nd, Andrew Christofides, 1B; 3rd, Jennifer Smith, 1A.

Renate Schreiber (3B) wrote a very attractive book about Germany.

Joyce Epps (Lib. Prefect), 3A.

ACTIVITIES SOCIAL

• SOCIAL COMMITTEE: Jill Kemp, Pauline Henderson, Dianne McIlwraith, Adele Weatherall, Peter Reid, Brett Gole, Geoff Applegate, Geoff Cleary.

On the social side of school life, 1959 has been a year, which in future years, will bring back many happy memories of our annual School Ball and also of two very enjoyable term dances.

The School Ball, which was held on the 12th June, in the Soldiers' Memorial Hall, was arranged by the P. and C. Association and the Ladies' Auxiliary. To the latter we owed a delicious supper.

The Ball was officially opened by Alderman A. Nock, representing Greater Wollongong Council. The official party included Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lenehan, Alderman and Mrs. Nock, Mr. and Mrs. H. Peedom, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bright, Mrs. R. F. Connor, Mr. and Mrs. W. Etherington, Mr. and Mrs. Weine, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gole, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Champion and Mr. and Mrs. R. Davies.

Not to be forgotten is our Fourth Year Social Committee, which has been very active this year in connection with such assignments as the decoration of the hall for the School Ball with the school crest and colours of black and green, and the decorations for our socials and for Education Week.

We thank Mr. Smith once again for having acted as M.C. This year we were, as usual, very fortunate in being able to obtain a fine hard-working orchestra, which with its popular tunes and many old favourites, added to the enjoyment of our Ball.

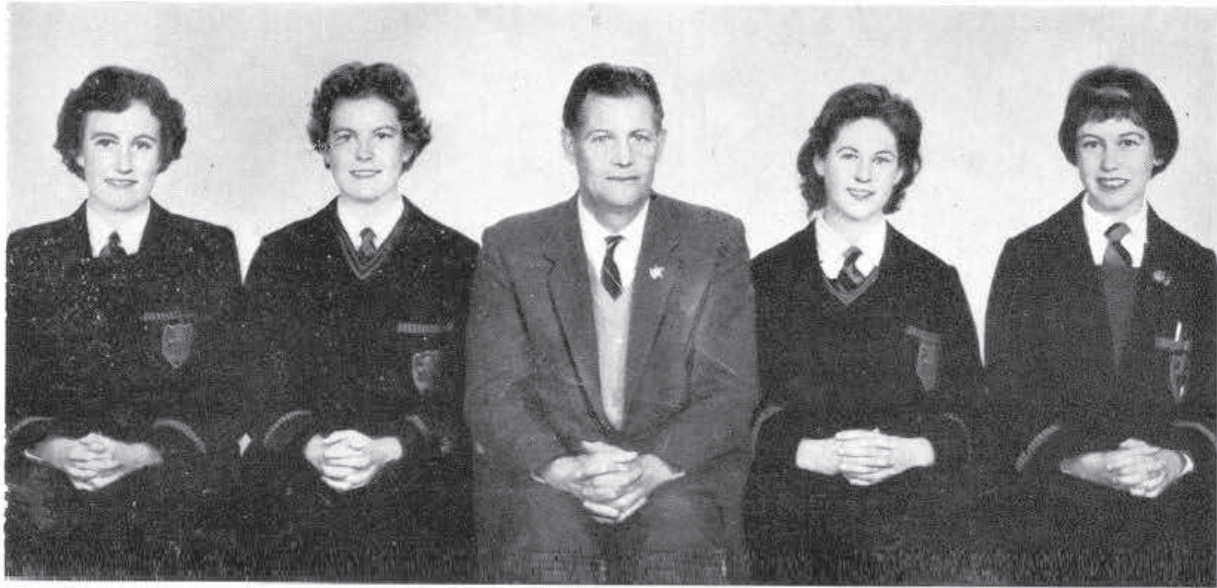
In conclusion, we state again that this has been a very successful year socially, and we are now looking forward eagerly to our Christmas Social.

Vivienne Suttor, 4A.

DEBATING — 1959

Girls' Debating Team - 1959

Rotary Shield Winners



Lorraine Weine, Jacqueline Paterson, Mr. N. Pound (Coach), Julie Wingate, Annette Mayhew.

Debating Report.

The necessity to compete in the Metropolitan Zone prevented our boys from competing in the Hume-Barbour Competition, but the School entered a girls' team in the Rotary Shield Competition. The team, consisting of Lorraine Weine, Annette Mayhew, Julie Wingate and Jacqueline Paterson, suffered several defeats in the Qualifying Rounds in which Nowra High School particularly distinguished itself.

However, intensive coaching and a series of practice debates so improved the team that it narrowly defeated Nowra in the final Debate and retained the Rotary Shield for 1959. The team is grateful to Jan Saunders, Pam Meharg and Leonie Farmer for giving the team valuable practice.

The final debate, held during Education Week, attracted a large audience, including

a bus-load of Nowra supporters. Such interest in School Debating is most gratifying.

For their services in a difficult task, adjudication at Rotary Shield Debates, we are grateful to Messrs. L. Evans, R. Babb, J. Brown, D. Murray, A. Langlands, T. Pollock (Nowra), A. Pollard, R. Jackson and Rev. C. T. Knibb.

Inter-House Debating.

In a competition held Inter-House within each class, Bass became the Champion House for 1959. Points gained were: Bass 40, Kembla 33, Flinders and Keira 21 each.

Inter-Class Debates.

At the time of writing a series of Inter-Class Debates is in progress.

DEFINITIONS.

- P.E.: The training of some muscles and the straining of others.
- German: Scientists take note — The language of the germs.
- Latin: Post mortem on a dead language.
- English: The universal language which most countries (especially Australia and America) discarded years ago.
- French: An explanation of why "singes sauvages" does not mean singed sausages but wild monkeys.
- History: Learning how to follow the example of the Ancients, so that we may make the same mistakes.
- Geography: The study of the primitive races and their primitive way of life in a primitive environment.
- Chemistry: Junior Chemistry — Learning how to make things wet.
Senior Chemistry — Learning how to make things hard.
- Physics: A complex study of why a seesaw goes down at one end and up at the other.
- Maths: An explanation of how simple arithmetic can be applied to an algebraic expression, and the result a geometric diagram.
- Economics: How not to go bankrupt.
- Biology: A study of what makes us sick.
Jacqueline Hall & Linda Parsons, 4A.



DAME MARY GILMORE.

Leslie Adie and Robert Walsh of 3D wrote to Dame Mary Gilmore to ask her about the identity of "The Man From Snowy River". Hereunder is her reply to Leslie.

King's Cross,
Sydney,
6-7-1959.

Dear Leslie,

I am afraid I know no more about "The Man From Snowy River" than anyone else! The general idea now is that he was an imaginary representative of his kind of rider, and of what such a man could do. I think that Banjo Paterson would have left, or given, or told, his name somewhere, if he had had any sort of identity.

When I met Banjo Paterson I found him a strong character with a good all-round mind. As to his "Waltzing Matilda", the name "Waltzing Matilda" came from the U.S.A. It was used first (as far as I know) by the writer of the 'Hans Breittman

JEANNE D'ARC, MAID OF ORLEANS.

Picture yourself as one of a holiday crowd thronging the narrow, twisted streets of Rouen, France. It is early morning, cool in the soft winds of Spring, and the sun which has nearly risen gives promise that the day will be fair. It is a good day to witness the burning of a "witch"!

All streets lead to the market square. Cries of vendors selling sweetmeats are blended with excited shouts of "Death to the witch! Everyone hurries along, for it is known that the first to arrive will be permitted nearest to the witch's pyre.

You find yourself in company with a baker and a tailor. Each has closed his shop for the day. "They say she claims to talk with God," said the tailor.

"Talks with Satan, she means," said the baker scornfully.

The mob grows and grows, and it seems hours before a hoarse grumbling announces that the witch is coming. You wonder what shape or form the witch will assume. It is commonly known that a witch may appear in any form. That is proof of her bargain with the Devil.

The first to mount the stone platform is the soldier with the lighted torch. A young girl follows him up the steps. Her hands are bound. Her face is peaceful and unafraid. You regard your neighbour. His eyes show the same frightening doubt that assails you. You turn again to the platform. The girl has spoken to the Inquisitor's servants. He holds a crucifix to her lips and she kisses it. The mob stirs uneasily.

On the platform there is a trace of a smile on the girl's peaceful countenance. The Inquisitor's servants speak harshly to the officer in command. The girl is seized roughly and quickly bound to the stake. She directs her gaze Heavenwards as they place a wooden cross in her hands.

The soldier ignites the faggots and you turn away, shamefully — slightly sickened. It is a day to remember, May 30, 1431.

You pause and ask an acquaintance: "Who was she?" "Jeanne d'Arc," he tells you.

Rudolf Roodenrys, 3D.

Ballads". When Paterson wrote his poem, Henry Lawson, after reading it, told me: "It is good. It will live."

So even if I have not given you "The Man From Snowy River" I have given you something as good.

Mary Gilmore.

THE SHIRALEE.

The swagman plods the weary road,
From morning until night.
Beside him is his shiralee —
A youngster small and bright.

Along the way his daughter finds
A caterpillar small,
She keeps it as her only toy —
She has no doll, no ball.

They met good Sammy on the way —
He is a turkey old.
They pass the time o' day with him,
Then start again, we're told.

One day she loses her dear pet
While she is in the wood.
She is given then a toy,
And straightway calls it Goob.

They spend a night out in a storm
And Buster catches cold.
But when they come into the town,
They meet a cobber old.

At his abode they stay one night,
But at the dawn of day,
When Buster's father has a fight,
They once more go their way.

He tries to go to work at last,
But Buster's cold sets worse;
He cannot stay — his job is cast
Away — he must move fast.

Coll'renebri is next his aim,
He gets a ride that far,
For Wigley sends along to him
A worker in a car.

From thence to Walgett next he walks,
For there lives Luke, his friend,
With Belle, his wife, who always talks.
There Buster makes her mend.

He leaves Belle's home and goes to work,
For Buster's ill no more;
But troubles round the corner lurk,
With Marge he has a war.

His wife, Marge, takes the child from him,
But 'Cauley fights anew.
"This child of mine!" he cries with vim,
"She'll never go with you!"

When he decides to move along
He buys a horse and cart.
One night poor Buster's luck goes wrong;
Macauley loses heart.

A big black car knocks Buster down,
Although her state is mild.
She soon gets well — Marge, with a frown,
Lets 'Cauley keep the child.

Joyce Epps, 3A.

WE ENVIABLE 'TEENS

We, the 'teens of to-day, have things
that no adults have ever had, or, if they
have had them, they have lost them for-
ever.

We have youth, vitality, freedom, no
real cares, and a whole life before us. We
have numerous gay fashions, created and
designed especially for us. We girls love
the beautiful frocks, skirts, blouses, shoes
and all the petty frivolities that comprise
the 'teenager's wardrobe — but when we
wear blue or green nail polish, red stock-
ings and boys' shirts, we are only experi-
menting. Adults envy us this for they no
longer dare experiment. Girls practise ex-
tremity — dresses very full or very tight.
The dresses are bright; they are young;
and they're for us.

Our hairstyles — again we're experi-
menting when we have our unconventional
hairstyles. "Unconventional" — perhaps
that's the word that adults envy. They
know we're carefree, gay, happy, and viva-
cious, but they also know we can be sincere
and serious if the need arises.

We 'teenagers can do things no one
else in the world can do and everyone knows
it. In summer, we surf, we sunbake, we
play sports, and, generally, we have a good
time. In winter we belong to clubs, we play
hockey, tennis, basketball, Rugby; and some
are lucky enough to go ski-ing and skating.
We go hiking, we hold parties and barbe-
cues.

In both seasons we laugh, dance, flirt,
play records, read and, of course, eat. In
fact, one who is unacquainted with an
ordinary 'teenage boy would be surprised
at the amount of food he can store away
in that long, lean form of his.

Sometimes when there is nothing else
to do we sleep. Perhaps you think others
can do this — and perhaps they can —
but no one has as much fun and enjoyment
out of things as 'teenagers do.

We have our own music, our own
singers, our own fashions — and our own
fun. We have milk-bars, coffee lounges
and other 'teens' houses where we can meet.
Altogether, we're a gay, carefree, uncon-
ventional lot and instead of being pitied
we're really to be envied.

Adults can never do what we 'teen-
agers can do and when we grow older we'll
remember our 'teenage days. I hope that
we shall never criticise, but I think that as
long as the 'teens are as they are to-day,
older people will always envy the 'teens
of their times.

Maureen Smith, 4A.

MODERN CLOTHES.

What a whirl in my imagination those two words cause — Trapezes and Sacks, coloured stockings and Bermuda socks, heels resembling inverted miniature church steeples, Oh many more!

Clothes of today are so exciting and different, that one hardly dares buy any for fear tomorrow the whole style may be changed. Who wants to wear greys and blacks and browns, drab colours, when there is a whole rainbow to choose from.

One fashion designer advocates longer skirts; another shorter skirts. One prefers the natural waistline; another a high or low waistline.

And not only the ladies have a choice. Men and boys have coloured socks, striped socks, plain suits, Ivy League suits, Bermuda jackets, suede jackets, and black shoes, brown shoes, red shoes, blue shoes and green shoes.

As you can see from these descriptions I am quite in favour of modern clothes, because I believe sincerely that if anyone wants to be cheered out of a depressed state of mind, let him or her put on a crazy hat or a pair of shoes with spike heels. I am sure that he or she would be cheered up in next to no time, laughing at the sheer incongruity of the situation.

Till now some people might not have realised that they look better without their own hair, wearing instead wigs — red, blue, green, yellow, or purple. In America the latest is floral stockings.

Is it any wonder that I find sheer enjoyment in these excitingly different fashions of today?

Robyn Bando, 4A.



THE TRIAL LEAVING.

Now all around the quadrangle
The Fifth Year victims stand
Awaiting each the dreaded hour
Which is so near at hand.
Such frenzied looks, such fevered brows,
Such muttering in the air,
The nervous wrecks with bitten nails,
Are tottering here and there.
With wondering looks the First Years pass,
Amazement in their eyes.
Can these lost souls be Fifth Years now,
The former butterflies?
The hooter blares, its echoes loud
Are heard around the school;
But louder still, come mournful wails
"Why was I such a fool!"

Jennifer Smith, 1A.

ECHO OF A DREAM.

What is that outside the window? It is only the tree! In its ghostly gown of dew it reminds me of History to-day, and Lady Jane Grey — gory story, but she still walks around without her head — I wonder if that is the tree? She still wanders around . . .

That breeze in the trees reminds me of choir — it was a good song with a pleasant rhythm — but . . . There's another aspect of singing — the cat up on the fence — music lesson to-day singing "Charlie Is My Darlin'" . . . If only that horse would stop whinnying — it makes me think of that pie I had for lunch — mathematical pie correct to ten decimal places has to be learnt for the next maths. lesson.

That owl out there! I couldn't get my French pronunciation right today — something about a hippopotamus and an elephant.

We had a nice piece of poetry in English today; the sound of the creek reminds me of it — about Bell Birds and channels of coolness — Brr! It makes me cold to think of it.

The wind's a lot stronger now — Caesar almost suffered a defeat in Latin today — A Rhodian ship got out of position and the Alexandrians attacked it. It's about time he started being defeated. I get tired of reading: "Hostes a Caesare victi sunt."

I'm tired. Why am I awake? There's Lady Jane Grey and the Mathematical Pie and the Caesar and the Choir and squawking music and the cat and the tree with the dew. The wind's not quite so strong now with the choir and Latin and Alexandria and the horse and the owl and the meat pie and the French hippopotamus with his friend the elephant and the creek's still flowing and . . .

"Wake up!" I heard Mum's usual morning call. "You'll be late for school."

I've already been to school, haven't I? The French reader and the Latin Caesar, and English poetry, and History, and Music, Choir, Maths. . . what did happen to them? Was it a dream?

Joyce Epps, 3A.



The Highlands

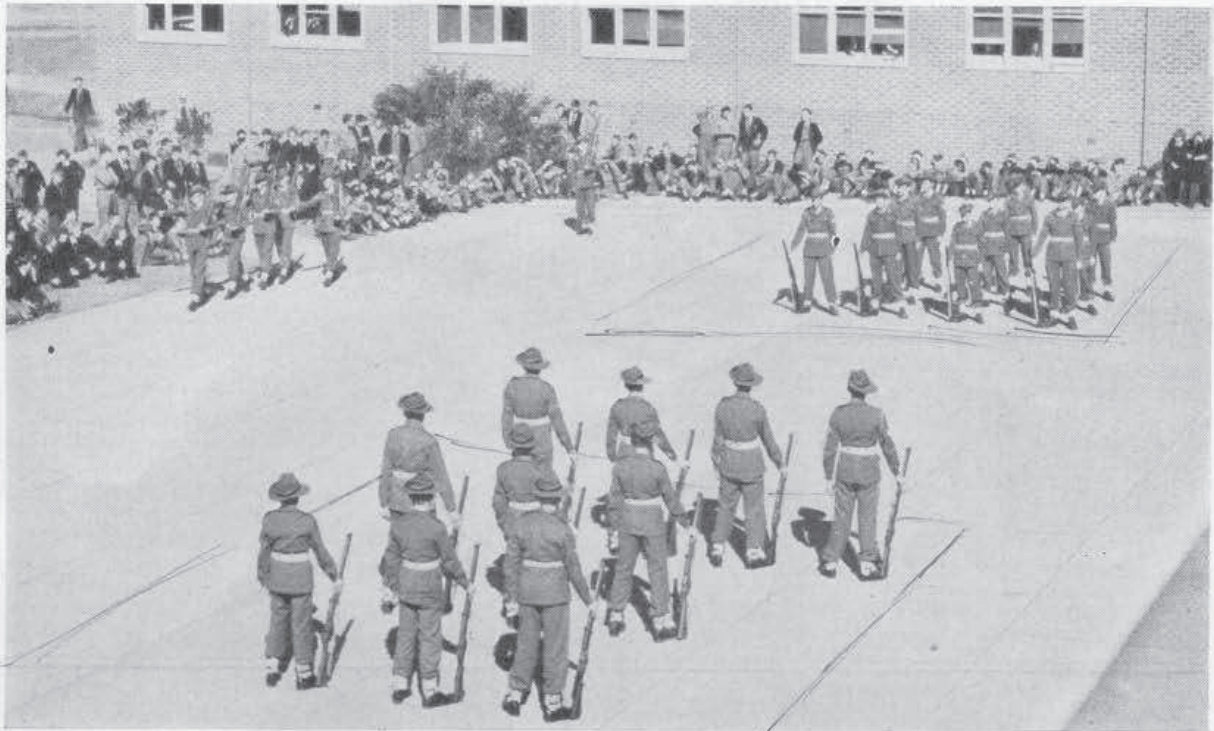
The highlands of Scotland, the country I love,
The highlands of Scotland, with blue skies
above;

There, stream from the mountains fierce torrents of foam,
I still love the Highlands, wherever I roam.

The song of the blackbird, the sparrow, the thrush,

The croft on the mountain, the sly fox's brush,
The castle at Stirling, the Stone at Glencoe —
I still love the Highlands, wherever I go.

L. Hudson, 2A.



The Cadets Change the Guard on Education Week Open Day.



The Tape Recorder at work.

CHOIR NOTES

"In sweet music is such art."

1959 has been a most successful year for W.H.S. Choir.

We began the year by providing choral items at the Induction of Prefects and followed by an important contribution to the success of the Anzac and Commonwealth Day ceremonies.

When the new A.B.C. studio 2WN was opened at Wollongong in March, the choir was honoured by being featured on the first programme presented. On this occasion and at other functions such as the opening of the new wing of Greenacres School and the Education Week Service, the girls' choir was ably supported by the lusty singing of the boys.

The highlight, perhaps, of our efforts was the part that seventeen of our girls played in Bach's Saint Matthew Passion presented by the Illawarra Choral Society during the week preceding Easter. Our girls sang the chorale parts which Bach wrote for boy sopranos. This was the first time this work had been performed outside the capital cities, and we felt privileged in being able to take part in the performance. Its success was due mainly to Mr. H. Brissenden, who was the conductor.

The Musicale held in conjunction with Education Week was an enjoyable evening's entertainment. Both boys and girls showed their musical talent to a large audience.

After much hard work and training, the Choir entered in three sections at the City of Sydney Eisteddfod. In two sections we gained high marks and in the State Choral Championship for Schools our mixed choir gained second prize, being narrowly defeated by Hornsby Girls' High by one point. The standard of singing was very high and as we were competing against some of the best choirs in Sydney, we were happy with our success.

This year a Recorder Group has been formed in the school. The school now has a Consort of Recorders — descant, treble, tenor and bass instruments — and already the players are enjoying playing together and gaining experience. Their item at the Wollongong Combined Schools' Choral Concert was most enjoyable. We are grateful to Mr. A. Chambers, father of our best recorder player, David, for the great help he has given the players.

Our thanks go to Mrs. Brissenden who has given up so much time to guide our musical interests.

Adele Weatherall, 4A.

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FAREWELL TO FIFTH YEAR

The strains of "The Maori's Farewell" and a copy of "The Gleam" reminded each that, although something was being gained, much was being lost.

Speakers for the lower school were:

1st Year: Ross Spence, Suellen Hough.

2nd Year: Gordon Kelso, Gemette Reid.

3rd Year: David Owen, Dianne McIlwraith.

In the evening 108 Fifth Years, 130 Fourth Years and 90 visitors sat down to the Farewell Dinner in a Hall decorated with the School and House Colours and scenes of school activities.

Among the visitors were Mr. D. Sheil, Mr. T. F. Armstrong, Mr. R. F. X. Connor, Mr. and Mrs. H. Peedom, Mr. and Mrs. Bright, Mr. and Mrs. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Mow, Mr. and Mrs. Lenehan, members of the Staff and their wives.

As part of the formal proceedings, Gordon Duff and Pam Mow toasted "The School" and "The Staff" respectively, and presented the School Colours to 4th Year representatives, Richard Stuckey and Petra Rodenburg. Part of their duties also was the making of a presentation on behalf of 5th Year and the cutting of a cake in the form of a model of the school.

John Peedom wished "The Departing

- *A Fifth Year which had earlier seen strange visitations in the sky and a strange four-legged vehicle parked illegally, and had light-heartedly held a Post Mortem over school-days, was a sadder one later in the morning as it filed out of the Hall after representatives of the lower school had wished it Au Revoir and Good Luck.*

Fifth Year" well and George Smith spoke similarly to "The Incoming Fifth Year". Keith Campbell and Elaine Etherington accepted these best wishes on behalf of their Years.

Elaine Wheway proposed a toast to "Past Students" and Mr. R. F. X. Connor replied as an ex-student. Jill Roulston's toast to "Parents Who Have Assisted" was responded to by Mr. Peedom on behalf of the parents.

During the dinner, items were contributed by Leonie Farmer, Annette Mayhew, Norma Phipps, Gai Bishop and Bill Scarlett.

Gordon Duff, Pam Mow, Bryan Thomas, Janice Tilley, Carl Hilder, Judy Booth, Dick Dunstone, Veneda March, Elaine Wheway and Robert Walker had to face the ordeal of reading their place-cards — "As Others See Us".

The dance that followed allowed the girls to display the frocks which lived up to the song, "The Way You Look To-night", which had been sung earlier.

INTER-SCHOOL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP.

I.S.C.F. is a world-wide inter-denominational movement bringing joy and fellowship to its members.

Earlier in the year, our meetings were held in Room 14, where the average attendance of 50 was mainly girls. We are grateful to Dianne Allen for her piano/accordion accompaniment at this time.

The Billy Graham Crusade has had a great influence on students, particularly on our Group. Meetings now have an average attendance of 160, the boys making up for the previous lack. The increase in numbers has made it necessary to move into the school gymnasium. An invitation is extended to all students to attend the meetings, which are held on Monday at 12.40 p.m.

Miss Lea and Miss Day, the Counsellors, have done a great job. Our thanks go also to Tom Halls (President), Ray Wilkie (Vice-President), Peter Dennison (S.U. Secretary) and Janet Thew (Librarian).

A Church Service was held on Monday, 6th July, at the Baptist Church to celebrate National Scripture Union Week. A gathering took place at the Church of England on the 11th.

During the year we have had many guest speakers, but usually the meetings have been led by the seniors.

Impending exams, were responsible for the school's lack of representation at the Annual Leaders' Conference in May. The Annual Hike was a great success. Led by Miss Lea, a small group on June 21, climbed up to Broker's Nose, where we had a short meeting before the descent.

Let us pray for God's blessing and guidance, and hope that future members will remember the I.S.C.F. motto: "To know Christ and to make Him known."

Jacqueline Hall (Secretary).

School Banking Service

This year the student-operated bank continued to function successfully after its introduction to the school last year. Each Tuesday at lunch-time we see a steady flow of girls and boys making their way towards Room 1 — after a battle with the prefects dutifully patrolling the corridor — to deposit sums of money both large (£15) and small (3½d.). Students seem already to be preparing for those University or College days, or the day when they'll end up like their parents.

I would like to thank Jeanette Paul, Julie Hartnett, Margaret Luscombe, Bronwen Amer, Diana Polley, Marjorie Porter, Robyn Bando, Ruth Dallimore, Dianne McIlwraith, Lorraine Lewis, Gail Macintosh, Jackie Paterson, Jill Kemp, Peter Reid, Geoff Brookes, Dave Gray and Alan Wear, who are on the Bank Staff and who helped to run the bank so smoothly.

Adele Weatherall (Supt.).



An Inside Story

Pat met a bear;
The bear met Pat.
The bear grew fat;
The fat was Pat.

Robyn Melton, 1A.



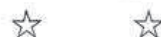
The Curse?

Stephen Drew was fortunate enough to find the entrance to one of the pyramids, about 150 years old.

Despite the conventional curse on the door he entered.

Of course, no one believes in the curse, but considering he has not yet emerged one does begin to wonder.

Barry Johnson, 4B.



My Garden

In the garden of my home
Many shrubs and plants are grown,
Some are tall and some are short;
Some were given; some were bought.

Sharon Lancaster, 1C.

COMMONWEALTH DAY.

Public Speaking was again the feature of our Commonwealth Day Ceremony. There was keen competition among the finalists with the result that a very high standard was attained.

In the junior section the two finalists were:—

Gregory Urwin (1st Year) who spoke on "Children of the Empire"; Anne McCarthy (2nd Year), who discussed "The Commonwealth of Nations — An Association of Free Peoples".

The senior finalists were:—

Chester Meurant (3rd Year), who told of "British Empire Trade"; Geoffrey Jones (4th Year), who gave his views on "The Empire's Wide Open Spaces and Migration Problems"; Julie Wingate (5th Year), who concluded by advocating "A Stable Commonwealth In A Changing World".

The adjudicator, Mr. Peedom, praised the speakers highly and also said he was pleased to see the boys outnumber the girls who, however, proved the better speakers of the day. Congratulations were bestowed on Anne McCarthy, who narrowly defeated G. Irwin and on Julie Wingate who won the senior section.

The ceremony included solos by Gwynne Johnstone (1st Year) and Carole Smith (3rd Year).

Our girl captain, Elaine Etherington, concluded the programme by giving a vote of thanks to the organisers of the function.

Diana Polley, 4A.



Anzac Day

At the ceremony, held in the Hall on 24th April, to commemorate Anzac Day, the address was given by Mr. R. A. N. Douglas, President of the Wollongong Legacy Club. The School Captains, John Peedom and Elaine Etherington, then laid a wreath on the Memorial Table.

Following the wreath-laying, a Catalpa Guard was mounted over the Memorial Table. In the Guard were Sgt.-Major G. Mackreth and Sgts. P. Reid, J. Jones, D. Liddell, P. Jacobs and K. Findlay. Two C.B.C. Cadets, David Eddy and Greg Hindson, were present to sound "The Last Post" and "Reveille".

During the ceremony the school sang "The Recessional" and "Land of Mine". David Martin recited Lawrence Binyon's "For The Fallen".

HIGH SCHOOL CADET UNIT

MAJOR R. V. STEWART, O.C.
C.U.O. G. ROSS (1 Platoon).
C.U.O. M. PENROSE (3 Platoon).

C.U.O., J. STEWART, Adjutant.
C.U.O. I. BANNISTER (2 Platoon).
C.S.M. WO/2 P. REID.

C.Q.M.S. S/SGT. K. MARSHALL.

- *The Unit has undergone a number of changes in the past six or seven months, the main one being the addition of a third platoon in order to facilitate training. The training has been conducted under the supervision of WO/2 Searle and WO/2 Irwin, who have been posted to the Wollongong Units in place of WO/2 Buckley.*

We are now affiliated with the 34th Battalion and we wish to extend our thanks to the 34th for generous co-operation and to the Staff of the 127th Coastal Battery for their assistance in coaching our team on their range.

At the Passing Out Parade in October, 1958, Lt. Col. McCammon presented C.U.O. Gordon Duff with a baton in recognition of his services, and those who were leaving school, with Certificates of Service.

Promotions made during the year have been:

C.U.O.: J. Stewart; M. Penrose; I. Bannister; G. Ross.

WO/2: G. Mackreth; P. Reid.

S/Sgt.: K. Marshall.

Sergeant: P. Jacob; D. Liddell; J. Jones; K. Delaney; J. Donnan; G. Mitchell.

Corporal: A. Bright; G. Fergusson; M. Geraghty; R. R. Olson; J. Stanton; H. Tunnicliff; R. Davies.

L/Corporal: R. Bool; P. Buckland; G. Dunn; G. Chapman; R. Lawler; D. Overington; P. Roberts; J. Knight; R. Hendley.

The Officers' Course at the end of last

year was attended by WO/2 Penrose, Sgt. Stewart, Cpls. Ross and Bannister, and the N.C.O. Course by Cpl. Mackreth, L/Cpls. Findlay and Liddell and Cadets Jacob and Donnan.

C.U.O. Penrose was selected to attend a tour of Duntroon R.M.C. in May this year. He reported that the Cadets, from all parts of Australia, lived in luxury during the entire tour.

In the A.H. & I. Shield we were again placed a close second to Wollongong Secondary Tech., despite our having won the Open Range Shoot and our being second in the Miniature Range Competition.

Cpl. Fergusson shot very well under windy conditions to win the trophy for the highest individual score on the Open Range.

During the year we have participated in the "Saluting the Flag" Service. On Anzac Day we supplied a Catafalque Guard for the service inside and a Guard of Honour outside, and on Open Day we performed the Changing of the Guard Ceremony for the benefit of visiting parents.

C.U.O. M. Penrose.





FAREWELL TO FIFTH YEAR DANCE, 1958



FAREWELL TO FIFTH YEAR DINNER, 1958

THE WAVE OF THE SEASON

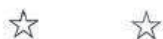
He was about 200 yards from the beach. The sky was cloudless and the water was that liquid green shading off to a darker blue in deeper waters. There was a good surf running. The water was deep and the waves were breaking well out and running right to the sand.

From above the swell, he noticed a huge wave, way out, building up. He expected it to break well out but he still swam instinctively towards it. The next time he saw it, he knew he would be able to get on it. Although it was a few yards away, he began to swim strongly towards the shore and soon he was on it. It was a huge wave, but it broke perfectly, rolling slowly from the top down a gradual slope, with none of the curved "dump", which is disastrous for a surfer. His head and body shot out of the foam and he thrilled as he shot downwards at such a speed. The foam had now reached the base of the wave and he, with arms pressed to his side, shot towards the crowds of people and children playing in the shallow water near the beach.

As the wave, crossing the deep channel in front of the beach, began to lose its force, he plunged his head downward and kicked with powerful strokes to keep with it. He dodged a boy playing in the shallow water and then, with a triumphant toss, the wave "dumped" him onto the dazzling sand.

For a while he lay there, the tide washing against his body. Then he jumped up, dived back in and began to swim out to wait for the next wave.

Ron Bool, 3A.



Eleven Little Hockey Girls

Eleven little hockey girls, manners all forgotten;

Sue became ruthless, then there were ten.

Ten little hockey girls running in a line;

Roberta tripped over, then there were nine.

Nine little hockey girls, playing very late;

Anne heard her father call, then there were eight.

Eight little hockey girls wishing for eleven;

Mary was outnumbered, then there were seven.

Seven little hockey girls, practising their flicks,

Ruth gave a high ball, then there were six.

Six little hockey girls, fighting to survive;

Wendy didn't pass the ball, then there were five.

Five little hockey girls trying for a score;

Carla hit the goalie, then there were four.

Four little hockey girls feeling very free;

Gerda gave "obstructions", then there were three.

Three little hockey girls had umpires very new;

Leonie took advantage, then there were two.

Two little hockey girls, having lots of fun;

Bronwyn dropped her stick, then there was one.

One little hockey girl, her writing almost done;

THE BELL-RINGER

Eight times a day . . . five days a week, a bell rings out throughout the school to end forty minutes of instruction. How does it feel to have such responsibility — to control the destiny of 730 human beings with the turn of a switch? To allow you to form your own opinions, accompany the bell-ringer on an imaginary trip to carry out his duties.

Before we begin, a little background is necessary. A bell-ringer must be reliable, competent and incorruptible. He must also be devoid of all personal feelings as regards the periods he himself is in. (Perhaps I may say that these qualities are not difficult to have — they're impossible!)

Let's start from the Music Room. It's 2.30, and a very "happy" Economics lesson is "joyfully" drawing to an end. The silence is broken by the sound of one person packing his bag — the bell-ringer. He makes his way to the door, noisily knocking over two chairs and receiving a dirty look from the teacher. This dirty look is only the first of many grimaces the bell-ringer receives on his trek.

He passes room 8 safely, because the door is shut! In room 7 a certain French teacher hurriedly corrects the last five sentences he has on the board, and sets the homework (!!). If the bell-ringer is really unfortunate he will pass the Deputy-Headmaster in room 6, who will warn him to "walk slowly" while he finishes his lesson.

If he is lucky enough to pass the 5th year rooms unscathed, he has only one hurdle to overcome. This is the entrance-way. Here, truly, we have a trap for unwary bell-ringers. Apart from having to circumnavigate the innumerable teachers, visitors, inspectors, etc., he also has the added, natural disadvantages of a slippery floor, and flags draped from the ceiling.

You would think that once in the master's room, he would be safe; but, the bell-ringer has only a fifty-fifty chance of ringing the bell. It's the truth! Should he press the wrong switch he will erupt the 'hooter' directly outside room 12, causing pupils to jump feet in the air and nearly giving certain women teachers a stroke.

Add to this the fact that later he finds that he has missed a half page of Economics notes which a certain teacher has kindly given after he has left, and you have a fair idea of the enviable job of a bell-ringer!

G. Applegate, 4B.

(P.S.—All bribes will be accepted in the form of Paddle Pops, money-orders or cheques.)

Of friends in the "A" team, now will have none.

Dianne McIlwraith, 4A.

ANGEL'S BRIDGE.

(Have you ever wondered how "Angel's Bridge," Towradgi, obtained its name? Here is the explanation. Ed.)

Angel's Bridge was called after a Mr. Henrie Angel, who lived in a home where the Ziems family afterwards lived for many years.

Henrie Angel was born in England, and when a young man was arrested for murder, and was deported to Australia as a convict. The strange thing about the affair was that as he was going home from a visit to his girl-friend at 10.30 one night, he was picked up by the Arm of the Law (as it was called in those days) and next morning he was on board a boat for Australia as a convict.

When he arrived in Australia, the people in authority could see that he was a decent man, and he was soon put in charge of road gangs, etc. He was also chosen to go with the Hume and Hovell exploring party when it went overland to Victoria. In fact, when they reached the Murray River, he swam to the other side and was supposed to be the first man to put foot in Victoria.

On his return to New South Wales he was granted land and chose it where Angel's Bridge now stands.

Twenty-six years after he was deported to Australia, a man, dying, confessed to the murder for which Angel was sent to Australia as a convict. Angel was sent a free pardon to go back to England but refused to go back.

He was granted a large tract of land in the Wagga District. He left Corrimal to take up this grant of land where he lived for many years afterwards, rearing a family, who, in turn, helped to populate the Wagga District, and it has been said that Wagga had more "Angels" than any other part of Australia.

Henrie Angel lived to a great old age, and with his death went one of the great old pioneers of this country.

Diane Harrigan, 1A.



THE RIDER.

There's a clatter of hooves on the hard
cobble road,
There's a horseman a-galloping through
the night,
There's a horse a-galloping with his load,
And the hour is late, though the moon is
bright.
The skeleton trees by the white road
winding
Frame the shadowy moon o'er the purple

PAST IN THE PRESENT.

We can't take Astronom.,
So which shall you choose, from
Biology, Phys., History?
We decide on the last
And are lost in the past.
"But what of exams?" We shall see!"

Machievellian
Despots; Rebellion;
Napoleons I, II and III;
'We must be one again!'
Said the Sword, Soul, and Brain.
"How boring can History be!"

Now in the exam. room,
See! Looks of deepest gloom,
These questions all students appal!
But when all's said and done,
And we have had our fun,
It's not quite so bad, after all.

Jacqueline Hall, 4A.



OUR SCHOOL SITE

The land at North Wollongong (then called Fairy Meadow) was an original grant to a man by the name of Martin, from whom it was purchased in 1837 by the grandfather of the late Andrew Lysaght, M.L.A. The grandfather was drowned at sea off Bellambi, a few years later.

The grant consisted of 200 acres. The Lysaght family lived in a home on the site of the present Technical College. The old house on the corner of the highway and Lysaght Street, recently demolished, was originally a Coaching House or Inn for travellers.

The old home with several acres of land, was purchased by the Education Department in 1934, about a year after the death of the late Andrew Lysaght. The remainder of the land was held by the Lysaght family until resumed by the Education Department in 1948, the Main Roads Board having resumed about six acres for the purpose of a By-Pass Road in 1947.

Mrs. M. Lysaght (Campbelltown).

moor.

There's no one awake for the rider's
finding;
The moon is near setting by yonder tor.
But who is this rider, this unknown
horseman,
Who gallops unceasingly on through the
night?
Is he a criminal fleeing from justice?
Or is he just riding to do what is right?

Judith Noske, 4B.

COURSES OF STUDY, 1959

4th and 5th Years: Group 1 — English; Group 2 — Maths. I, General Maths; Group 3 — Maths. II, Economics, German; Group 4 — Chemistry, Geography, Latin;

In the recent "B.H.P. Review" Essay Competition Dianne McIlwraith (4A) won the prize for the best District entry and Jennifer Smith (1A) was 3rd in the Intermediate Section.

Group 5 — Physics, Biology, History; Group 6 — French, History, Tech. Drawing, Needlework. One subject from each Group is taken.

1A, 2A, 3A: English, History, French, Latin, Science, Maths. I, Maths. II (Woodwork for boys and Needlework for girls in 1st Year).

1B, 2B, 3B: English, History, French, German, Science, Maths. I, Maths. II. (Woodwork for boys and Needlework for girls in 1st Year).

1C & 1D: English, French, Science, Maths. I, Maths. II, Geography, Woodwork, Tech. Drawing, Needlework.

2C: English, French, Science or Biology, Maths. I, Maths. II, Geography, Bus. Principles and Bookkeeping.

2D: English, French, Science or Biology, Maths. I, Maths. II, Geography, Bus. Principles and Bookkeeping or Needlework, Tech. Drawing.

3C: English, French, Science or Biology, Maths. I, Maths. II, Geography, Bus. Principles and Bookkeeping.

3D: English, French, Science or Biology, Maths. I, Maths. II, Geography, Tech. Drawing or Needlework.

3E: English, French, Science, Maths. I, Maths. II, Geography, Tech. Drawing.

In addition all classes take Phys. Ed. and Library and Music (up to 3rd Year), Spelling and Speech are school subjects and marks gained are counted in the examination totals.

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Visit by Mr. Justice Richardson

Mr. Justice Richardson and his Associate, Mr. Wright, accompanied by Mr. H. Peedom, attended the Morning Service, on Friday, 2nd October.

In a short but vigorous and stimulating address, His Honour emphasised the essen-

PARDON MY SHAKESPEARE

"You blocks, you stones, you worse than senseless things." (Our Maths teacher.)

"Art thou some god, some angel, or some devil,

That mak'st my blood cold, and my hair to stare?" (First Year's first look at a Prefect.)

"Hence! home, you idle creatures, get you home." (Pupils loitering in the street.)

"He foamed at mouth, and was speechless." (A teacher after receiving a ridiculous answer.)

"All the interim is like a phantasma or a hideous dream." (Fifth Year waiting for exam. results.)

"I urged you further, then you scratch'd your head." (English teacher has asked a question.)

"Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your ears." (Teacher trying to gain Fifth Year's attention.)

"You are not wood, you are not stones, but men." (Pep talk to First Grade football team.)

"Urge me no more, I shall forget myself." (Teacher stirred to desperation.)

"Let's away
To part the glories of this happy day." (Football Carnival trophies).

G. Mitchell, 5C.

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A GOOD BOOK.

"What's a good book? a friend may ask.

"Is it one that sets you a task?

Or is it one that make you cry,

And from your daily duties fly?

Is't one that makes you gay and bright,

That gives your interests much delight?

Is it one that tells of figures and facts,

Or one that deals with deeds and acts?

It might be one of foreign parts,

Or one from which to learn the arts;

Or one which tells of someone's life,

E'en one that talks of war and strife.

As you can see good books there are

Which teach us things from near and far,

But the best of books, my worthy friend,

Are the ones that grip from start to end."

Gemette Reid, 3A.

tial dignity of labour and the worth of useful work and the opportunity that a complex community gave every citizen to make his contribution.

The School appreciated Mr. Justice Richardson's interest in its activities.

ACADEMIC RESULTS

1A: Robyn Lightfoot, 88.8; Pabela Scoble, 87.7; Clyde Houghton, 85.1.

1B: Vivienne Reed, 82.2; Joan Haebich, 79.1; Gerhard Seidemann, 77.3.

1C: Jennifer Spearing, 77.8; Leonie Findlay, 75.9; Rhonda Smiles, 72.8.

1D: Jeanette Pepper, 67.6; Geoff Walters, 66.6; Paul Jackson, 66.1.

2A: Anne McCarthy, 89.0; Ross Spence, 86.1; Angelo Genero, 85.4.

2B: Marina Seidemann, 85.5; Jan Grierson, 84.9; Monica Lahey, 82.1.

2C: Ian Fevre, 78.2; Ray Boniface, 76.6; Magda Szabo, 74.4.

2D: David Chambers, 70.6; Robert Hannam, 70.6 aeq.; Ian Wilson, 70.3.

3A: Jan Hurley, 91.8; Anne Rose, 89.1; Joyce Epps, 86.0.

3B: Renate Schreiber, 79.3; Jeanette Eddy, 75.9; John Ellison, 74.6.

3C: Gail Corbett, 86.9; Faith McClelland, 78.4; Kay Smith, 77.1.

3D: David Donnelly, 70.5; Ian Carter, 67.1; Robert Walsh, 67.0.

3E: Robert Montgomery, 74.1; Paul Gluvchinsky, 69.8; Harry Tunnicliffe, 66.5.

4A: Dianne McIlwraith, 85.1; Lorraine Weine, 84.0; Graham Thompson, 83.1.

4B: Lorraine Lewis, 84.1; Marie Moyes, 81.0; John Corderoy, 77.4.

4C: Roger Bean, 77.1; Michael Parker, 74.8; Freda Mason, 74.5.

4D: Reg Sherlock, 75.0; Ross McLeod, 72.7; Greg Scheul, 72.5.

4E: Roland Knabe, 70.9; Geoff Cleary, 66.9; Barry Heiler, 65.5.

5A: Geoff Corner, 86.0; Elaine Etherington and Richard Stuckey aeq. 82.4.

5B: Ian McPherson, 77.0; Rory McGuire, 76.6; Ray Wilkie, 76.0.

5C: Ken Brown, 80.1; Paul Jacob, 72.9; Ian Ward, 72.3.

5D: David Barker, 76.3; Ron Delavere, 67.6; Peter Whitelaw, 67.4.

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT, 1959.

As a result of the Half-Yearly examinations, Certificates of Merit were presented to those students who came First in Class in First, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Years, to the first 10 in Fifth Year, and to those who showed outstanding improvement in position or average. A pass in all subjects is essential to the winning of a certificate.

5TH YEAR: 1, Geoffrey Corner, 86.0, 1/117; 2, Elaine Etherington, Richard Stuckey, 82.4, aeq.; 4, Stuart Johnson, 80.7; 5, Ken Brown, 80.1; 6, James Atkinson, 79.4; 7, Murray Sheil, 79.0; 8, James Stewart, 78.7; 9, John Peedom, 78.3; 10, Max Harvey, 77.3.

• Half-Yearly Examinations, 1959.

Improvement Certificates: David Barker, 5D, 65.2 to 76.3, 46th to 13th; Joyce Epps, 3A, 84.3 to 86.0, 6th to 3rd; Kevin Wheway, 3A, 77.7 to 85.3, 8th to 5th; Gemette Reid, 3A, 78.7 to 80.8, 11th to 8th; Jeanette Eddy, 3B, 72.7 to 75.9, 3rd to 2nd; Faith McClelland, 3C, 76.7 to 78.4, 4th to 2nd; Kirsten Ommer, 48.5 to 70.3, 34th to 7th; Kay Nevison, 3B, 56.5 to 67.9, 23rd to 11th; Janet Thew, 54.7 to 68.4, 20th to 10th; Carol Wells, 2A, 72.2 to 79.8, 20th to 8th; Carolyn Webb, 76.7 to 81.5, 14th to 7th; Kay Tripet, 2B, 68 to 71.9, 19th to 9th; Monica Lahey, 79.4 to 82.1, 4th to 3rd; Magda Szabo, 67.6 to 74.4, 10th to 3rd; John Lough, 65.3 to 71.4, 16th to 7th.



TRIAL LEAVING RESULTS

Dux: Richard Stuckey, 84.3%.

2. Geoffrey Corner, 83.6%.

3. James Stewart, 83.4%.

4. John Booker, 81.6%.

5. Kenneth Brown, 81.1%.

6. James Atkinson, 80.0%.

7. John Peedom, Rory McGuire, 79.7%.

9. Ian McPherson, 79.4%.

10. Murray Sheil, 79.3%.

IMPROVEMENT CERTIFICATES:

Patrick Kidd 65% to 78%, 44th to 13th.

Paul Jacob, 72.9 to 77.6, 20th to 14th.

Jacqueline Chamberlain, 69.2 to 72.1,

32nd to 25th.

Peter Whitelaw, 67.4 to 72.3, 39th to

24th.

Gerda Hendriksen, 64.7 to 70.4, 45th to

30th.

Graeme Ross, 59.9 to 68.3, 69th to 36th.

Brian Balgowan, 61 to 68.3, 64th to 36th.

Allan Mackey, 57.6 to 67.3, 80th to 39th.

Brian Waddell, 62 to 67.3, 57th to 39th.

Lindsay Laird, 62.9 to 67.1, 53rd to 41st.

Alan Pickett, 59.1 to 67.1, 73rd to 41st.

John Christie, 54.9 to 66, 86th to 45th.

Colin Dunn, 51 to 64, 96th to 61st.

Lilybeth Preston, 60.4 to 65.4, 65th to

51st.



"Whether"

Whether the weather is fine,
Or weather the sun doesn't shine,
"Whether", my wether,
Will live on a tether,
Whether the weather is fine.

David Reeks, 1A.

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TOP OF THE CLASS — HALF-YEARLY, 1959



BACK: Ian Fevre (2C), David Chambers (aeq. 2D), Robert Montgomery (3E), Reg Sherlock (4D), Roland Knabe (4E), Roger Bean (4C).
 MIDDLE: David Donnelly (3D), Jeanette Pepper (1D), Jennifer Spearing (1C), Renate Schreiber (3B), Dianne McIlwraith (4A), Vivienne Reed (1B), Robert Hannam (aeq. 2D).
 FRONT: Marina Seidemann (2B), Anne McCarthy (2A), Lorraine Lewis (4B), Gail Corbett (3C), Jan Hurley (3A), Robyn Lightfoot (1A).

FIRST TEN IN FIFTH YEAR — HALF-YEARLY, 1959



BACK: Max Harvey, John Peedom, James Stewart, Murray Sheil, Jim Atkinson.
 FRONT: Geoff Corner, Richard Stuckey, Elaine Etherington, Stuart Johnson, Ken Brown.

NEWS OF OUR EX-STUDENTS

• *In order to show the range of opportunities for L.C. students of this present age we are publishing (with apologies for any errors or omissions) news of 1958's Fifth Year.*

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY

Arts: Andrew Brown; Bill Scarlett; Margaret Newman; Veronica Swiney; John Ramsay; Jock Barclay.

Science: Paul Wood; Peter Dombroski; John Heiler.

Engineering: Jeff Stacey; Melvyn Ritchie.

Medicine: John Woudsma; Grant Miller.

Law: Robert Walker; Hura Herman.

Economics: Brian Harvey.

UNIVERSITY OF N.S.W.

Surveying: Kurt Lambeck.

Elec. Engineering: Barry Ross (Lys.).

Metallurgy: Doug Slater (E.R.S.).

Engineering: Hugh Knight.

Manual Arts: Trevor Holt.

Mech. Engineering: Dallas Young.

CANBERRA UNIVERSITY

Arts: Keith Campbell; Robert Smith; Lionel Woodward.

Law: Gwilym Davies.

NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Commerce: Michael O'Neill (Lys.).

NEW ENGLAND UNIVERSITY

Science: Brian Hall.

SYDNEY TEACHERS' COLLEGE

Elaine Wheway; Claire Millar; Nellie Bolin; Anne Todman; Janice Tilley (P.E.); Bryan Thomas (P.E.); Janette Crabbe.

NEWCASTLE TEACHERS' COLLEGE

Christine Harries; Judith Lawrence.

BATHURST TEACHERS' COLLEGE

Jill Roulston.

BALMAIN TEACHERS' COLLEGE

Megan David.

WAGGA TEACHERS' COLLEGE

Judith Noble; Anne Jallard; Margaret Johnson; Laurel Pearson; Zelma Rush; Pam Mow; Jennifer Dudley; Pat Webster; Albert Hockey; Philip Johnston; Helen Fitcher; Judy Price.

ALEXANDER MACKIE TEACHERS' COLLEGE

Margaret Frame.

WOLONGONG TECHNICAL COLLEGE

The following students are attending the Technical College on scholarships granted by various local firms.

Metallurgy: Dick Dunstone (M.M.); Arthur Tubby (E.R.S.); Don Baker (E.R.S.); David Lindsay (E.R.S.); Brian Dobbins (M.M.); Brian Walsh (Lys.).

Chemistry: John Montgomery (A.I.S.); Michael Sweeney (A.I.S.).

Mechanical Engineering: Allan Ryan (A.I.S.); Keith Idle (A.I.S.); Stephen Grainger (Lys.); Alan Gilroy (A.I.S.); Ron Young (A.I.S.); John Spence (Aus. Fert.); Bill Burgess (M.W.S. & D.B.); Sid Webb (A.I.S.).

Electrical Engineering: Ron Lammers (A.I.S.); Silvano Ziviani (A.I.S.); Kevin Schroder (A.I.S.).

Commerce: George Smith (Lys.); John Duley (A.I.S.); Carl Hilder (Insurance); George Palmer (A.I.S.).

OTHER OCCUPATIONS

Gordon Duff (Law, with Mr. Peedom); Heather Thorp, Carolyn Suttie, Anne Young, Marcelle Walker, Marcia Wilson (Pharmacy); Loraine Richardson, Margaret Steele (Library); Evelyn Booth, Judy Booth, Gwen Hingley (Wolongong Council); Ian Kreuter, Ann Gray, Harold Smithson, Ivan Ransom (Bank); Judith Jephcott (Wolongong); Rowena Suttor (P.A.) Nursing; Veneda March (Sales Asst.); Janice Fairs (Commercial); Roy Powell (Coles' Cadet); Margaret Baker (Secretarial Course); Vivienne Benjamin (Business); Helen Townsend (Davis & Penney); David Hill (Clerical); Brian Burns (Joinery).

IMPROVING PASSES OR TOO YOUNG FOR UNIVERSITY COURSES

Ken Brown; Kathryn Marks; Ian Dugan; Rory McGuire; Tony Skillen (Nth. Sydney High); Tim Heap (Wellington High).

OBITUARY

All students and teachers mourned the passing away of MALCOM POPE, after a tragic surf accident.



STILL WATERS.

Calm and placid, the waters of the sea extended like a sheet of azure to the distant horizon. Little frothing ripples continually broke the smooth surface, smiting with all their strength against the jagged black rocks, which dotted the shoreline. They would fall back, gurgling merrily, and feigning weariness, but in reality summoning strength for another onslaught.

High above, wheeling in circles and gracefully fluttering their white wings, the sea-gulls would utter their raucous cries. With one accord they swooped to land on the golden expanse of sand. Then a bickering would ensue over a juicy morsel of worm. Their antics proved highly amusing until the worm disappeared down an eager throat, and they all flew away.

Some small fishing trawlers were visible on the horizon, lying lazily at anchor, and seeming to serve no other purpose than to make the scene even more picturesque.

Sunbeams danced and frolicked on the glazed surface of the water, flecking and dappling it with gold. The clear azure sky above was reflected as in a mirror by the sea below.

Anne McCarthy, 2A

Examination Results - 1958

- At the L.C. in 1958, 102 out of 108 candidates, 94.4% gained passes.

1958's Fifth Year gained 102 passes, among which were 8 First-Class Honours and 25 Second-Class Honours. Particularly pleasing were the 54 A's in English from 108 students. Three students Elaine Wheway, Hugh Knight and Grant Miller, were placed in the first 100 best passes.

34 Commonwealth Scholarship and 46 Teachers' College Scholarships were awarded. Commonwealth Scholarships were offered to: Barclay, J.; Burgess, W. J.; Campbell, K. R.; Davies, G. J.; Dombroski, P. J.; Dunstone, R. H.; Fitcher, H. K.; Harvey, B. D.; Heap, T. R.; Heiler, J. D. R.; Idle, K.; Knight, H.B.; Lambeck, K.; Lammers, J. G. H.; Millar, C. E.; Miller, G. W.; Newman, M.; O'Neill, M. J.; Ramsay, L. H. J.; Ritchie, M. L.; Ross, B. L.; Scarlett, W. E.; Skilken, A. J.; Smith, R. W.; Stacey, J. R.; Suttie, C.; Sweeney, M. J.; Thorp, H. J.; Webb, S. R.; Wheway, E. S. I.; Wood, A. P. M.; Woodward, L. B.; Young, D. J.; Ziviani, S.

LEAVING CERTIFICATE

1. English.
 2. Latin.
 3. French.
 4. German.
 5. Maths I.
 6. Maths II.
 7. General Maths.
 9. Modern History.
 12. Physics.
 13. Chemistry.
 15. Biology.
 16. Geography.
 17. Economics.
 21. Needlecraft and Garment Construction.
 36. Descrip. Geometry and Drawing.
- Baker, Margaret L.: 1B, 16B, 17B, 21B.
 Bolin, Nellie F.: 1A, 3A(o), 5A, 6B, 9A, 16B.
 Booth, Evelyn M.: 1A, 3A, 5B, 6A, 9B, 13B.
 Booth, Judith G.: 1B, 7B, 9B, 17B.
 Crabbe, Janette D.: 1A, 3B, 9B, 15B, 16B, 17B.
 David, Megan J.: 1A, 3B(o), 4B, 17B.
 Dudley, Jennifer O.: 1A, 3A(o), 7A, 9B, 16B, 17B.
 Fairs, Janice: 1A, 3B, 9B, 17B.
 Frame, Margaret S.: 1A, 4B, 9B, 17B.
 Fitcher, Helen K.: 1A, 3B, 7A, 9A, 13B, 17A.
 Gray, Ann S.: 1B, 3B, 7B, 15B, 16B, 17B.
 Harries, Christine I.: 1A, 7B, 16B, 17B.
 Hingley, Gwennyth P.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12B, 13B.
 Jallard, Ann M.: 1A, 3A(o), 7A, 9B, 13B, 17B.
 Jephcott, Judith: 1B, 6B, 16B, 21B.
 Johnson, Thelma M.: 1A, 3B(o), 9B, 17B.
 Lawrence, Judy N.: 1A, 9B, 16B, 17B.
 Millar, Claire E.: 1A, 3A(o), 7B, 15A, 16B, 17H(1).
 Mow, Pamela M.: 1A, 9B, 17B, 21B.
 Newman, Margaret, 1A, 2B, 3A(o), 7B, 15B, 17B.
 Noble, Judith A.: 1A, 3B, 9B, 13B, 15B, 17B.
 Pearson, Laurel A.: 1A, 3B(o), 9B, 15B, 16B, 17B.
 Price, Judith M.: 1B, 15B, 16B, 17B.
 Richardson, Lorraine M.: 1A, 9B, 15B, 16B, 17H(2).
 Roulston, Jill E.: 1A, 3B, 5A, 6B, 13B, 15B.
 Rush, Zelma M.: 1A, 3B, 9H(2), 15B, 16B, 17B.
 Steele, Margaret N.: 1A, 9B, 15B, 21B.
 Suttie, Carolyn: 1A, 3B(o), 5H(2), 6A, 9B, 13H(2).
 Suttor, Rowena M.: 1A, 7B, 9B, 13B.
 Swiney, Veronica M.: 1A, 7B, 9B, 16B, 17B.
 Thorp, Heather J.: 1A, 3B(o), 7B, 13A, 15A(17B).
 Tilley, Janice A.: 1A, 2A, 3B(o), 5B, 6B, 9B.
 Todman, Winifred A.: 1A, 3B, 15B, 16B.
 Townsend, Helen Ethel: 1B, 15B, 16B, 21B.
 Walker, Marcelle M.: 1B, 5B, 6A, 16B.
 Webster, Patricia R.: 1B, 3B, 4B, 7B, 9B, 17B.
 Wheway, Elaine S.: 1A, 3A(o), 4A, 5H(1), 6A, 12H(1).
 Wilson, Marcia: 1B, 3B, 9B, 13B, 15B, 17B.
 Young, Anne T.: 1B, 3B, 7B, 9B, 13B, 17B.
 Baker, Alwyne D.: 1B, 5A, 6A, 12A, 13A, 36B.
 Barclay, Jock: 1A, 3B(o), 5B, 6B, 12A, 13A.
 Brown, Andrew McG.: 1A, 7B, 12B, 13B, 17B.
 Brown, Kenneth F.: 1B, 3B(o), 5B, 6B, 12B, 13A.
 Burgess, William J.: 1B, 3B, 5A, 6A, 12B, 13B.
 Burns, Brian J.: 5B, 6B, 12B, 36B.
 Campbell, Keith R.: 1A, 3B(o), 7A, 9H(2), 16B, 17A.
 Davies Gwilym J.: 1H(2), 2A, 3B(o), 7B, 9H(1), 17B.
 Dobbins, Brian: 1B, 6B, 12A, 13A, 36A.
 Dombroski, Peter I.: 1B, 5A, 6B, 12A, 13H(2).
 Duff, Gordon R.: 1A, 7B, 9H(2), 16B, 17B.
 Dugan, Ian Bruce, 1B, 5A, 6B, 12B.
 Duley, John H.: 1B, 3B, 6B, 12B, 13B.
 Dunstone, Richard H.: 1B, 5A, 6B, 12A, 13A.
 Fitzgerald, Ronald W.: 1B, 7A, 12B, 13B, 36A.
 Gilroy, Alan R.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12A, 13B, 36B.
 Grainger, Stephen R.: 1B, 7B, 9B, 17B, 36A.
 Hall, Brian K.: 1A, 9B, 15H(2), 16B, 17B.
 Harvey, Brian D.: 1A, 7A, 12B, 16A, 17B, 36A.
 Heap, Timothy R.: 1H(2), 3A(o), 5B, 6A, 12A, 13B.
 Heiler, John D.: 1A, 3B(o), 5A, 6B, 12A, 13B.
 Herman, Hura G.: 1A, 3B, 5B, 6B, 12B, 13B.
 Hilder, Carl L.: 1B, 9B, 15B, 16A, 17B.
 Hill, David: 1B, 7B, 9B, 16B, 17B.
 Hockey, Albert H.: 1A, 3B, 5B, 6B, 12A, 13H(2).
 Holt Trevor J.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12B, 36B.
 Idle Keith: 1B, 5B, 6A, 12A, 13B, 36A.
 Johnston, Phillip A.: 1B, 9B, 15B, 16B, 17B, 36B.
 Knight, Hugh B.: 1A, 3A(o), 5H(2), 6A, 12H(1), 13A.
 Kreuter, Ian F.: 5B, 6B, 12B, 13B.
 Lambeck, Koert: 1B, 5B, 6A, 12B, 13A, 36A.
 Lammers, Gerard J.: 1B, 5A, 6B, 12A, 13A, 36B.
 Lindsay, David A.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12B, 13B.
 McGuire, Rory J.: 1B, 3B, 5B, 6A, 12A, 13B.
 Miller, Grant W.: 1A, 3A(o), 5H(1), 6A, 12H(2), 13A.

Examination Results (Contd.)

Montgomery, Thomas J.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12B, 13A, 36B.
 O'Neill, Michael J.: 1B, 7A, 12B, 16A, 36A.
 Palmer, George.: 1A, 7B, 9B, 13B, 17B, 36B.
 Pope, Malcolm K.: 1B, 5B, 6A, 12B, 36B.
 Ramsay, Lachlan H.: 1A, 7B, 9H(2), 16A, 17B.
 Richmond, Ivan F.: 1H(2), 3B(o), 4A, 9B, 17B.
 Ritchie, Melvyn L.: 1B, 5B, 6A, 12A, 13A, 36A.
 Ross, Barry L.: 1B, 5H(2), 6A, 12A, 16B.
 Ryan, Bernard A.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12B, 13B, 36B.
 Scarlett, William E.: 1A, 2A, 3H(2)(o), 5A, 6A, 12A.
 Schroder, Kevin H.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12A, 13B.
 Skillen, Anthony J.: 1H(2), 3A(o), 7B, 9A, 16A, 17A.
 Slater, Douglas J.: 1A, 3B, 5A, 6A, 12A.
 Smith, George A.: 1A, 3B(o), 5B, 6B, 12B, 16B.
 Smith, Robert W.: 1H(2), 3B(o), 7B, 9H(2), 13B, 17A.
 Spence, John L.: 1B, 5B, 6A, 12A, 13A, 36B.
 Stacey, Jeffrey R.: 1A, 5H(2), 6A, 12A, 16A, 36A.
 Sweeney, Michael: 1B, 7A, 12A, 13H(1), 17B, 36B.
 Thomas, Bryan W.: 1B, 7B, 9B, 16B, 17B, 36B.
 Tubby, Arthur K.: 1B, 3B, 5A, 6B, 12A, 13B.
 Walker, Robert L.: 1A, 7B, 9B, 16B, 17B.
 Walsh, Brian J.: 1B, 5B, 6B, 12A, 13B, 36B.
 Webb, Sydney R.: 1B, 5H(2), 6A, 12H(2), 13A, 36A.
 Wood, Paul A.: 1A, 3B, 5A, 6A, 12A, 13H(1).
 Woodward, Lionel B.: 1A, 3A, 5B, 6B, 15H(2), 16B.
 Woodsma, John: 1B, 3B, 5B, 6B, 12A, 13A.
 Young, Dallas J.: 1B, 5A, 6A, 12A, 13A, 36B.
 Ziviani, Silvano: 1B, 5A, 6A, 12H(2), 13A, 36A.

INTERMEDIATE PASSES, 1958

As a result of the 1958 Intermediate Examination, 167 students were recommended for Certificates. Successful students were.—

Allen, Barry W.; Amer, Bromwen R.; Applegate, Geoffrey D.; Bando, Robyn; Barrett, Lynette; Barwell, Carol H.; Bean, Roger; Bridge, Gene D.; Bright, Allan C.; Bristow, Freda; Brookes, Geoffrey R.; Broomhead, Lesley E.; Brownlee, John T.; Burling, Trevor L.; Byron, Geoff J.

Campbell, Frances A.; Carey, Francis John; Carmody, Marion J.; Catford, Norma J.; Chapman, Keith W.; Cleary, Geoff S.; Cook, Margaret E.; Corderoy Herbert J.; Cramp, Deidre K.; Cubis, Annette G.; Cunningham, Jean; Cupitt, Heather M.

Dallimore, Ruth G.; Davies, Christopher L.; Davies, Raymond G.; Davies, William T.; Davy, Fay C.; Delavere, Janice L.; Dill, Janice Margaret; Dorin, Ronald J.; Doust, Jennifer C.; Downie, Robin C.; Dugan, Brian T.

Elliott, Bruce; English, James; Epps, Kevin G.; Evans, Eirllys.

Farrell, Reginald K.; Faulkner, Janette Anne; Fauntleroy, Averil L.; Felton, Neil A.; Ferguson, Anne P.; Findley, Kevin J.; Fitzpatrick, Helen R.; Flanagan, Claire M.; Frost, Elaine P.; Fyfe, Richard B.

Gibson, Ronda; Giles, Roberta C.; Gole, Brett R.; Grant, Robyn I.; Gray, David J.; Green, Judith M.; Greer, Robyn A.

Hall, Jacqueline; Hall, Pamela; Harris, Geoffrey J.; Harris, Keith W.; Hartnett, Julie E.; Harvey, Kevin W.; Haughton, Janette G.; Hayworth, Philip S.; Heiler, Barry C.; Henderson, Pauline; Hennessy, Robyn M.; Hicks, Clare O.; Hicks, Ronald L.; Holman, Noel G.; Hope, Alan P.; Howe, Murray C.; Hynd, John G.; Isaacs, Dennis B.; Jennings, Pamela D.; Johnson, Barry W.

Kaehler, Richard R.; Kemp, Jill E.; Kench, Victor W.

Lardner, Ronelle R.; Lawson, Gillian; Lewis, Lorraine E.; Liddell, Andrew F.; Lloyd, Elaine E.; Lonergan, Rosemary C.; Longley, James W.; Luscombe, Margaret A.; MacLeod, Ross J.; McIlwraith, Dianne; McIntosh, Gail; McIntosh, Janette M.; March, Janelle; Martin, Dennis C.; Martin, Rhonda J.; Mason, Freda E.; Mews, Jean E.; Milne Alan F.; Moore, Robyn D.; Moyes, Mary E.; Muir, Barry H.; Muir, Pamela C.; Munro John C.

Napthali, Lesley R.; Noske, Judith M. Owen, David C.

Pannell, Mary E.; Parsons, Linda E.; Pater-son, Jacqueline; Paul, Jeanette; Penrose, Michael J.; Perger, Lynette A.; Pinch, Darryl; Polley, Diana; Porter, Marjorie A.; Pouw, William; Priest, Philip D.

Reid, Ian J.; Richmond, Malcolm R.; Robson, David B.; Rogers, John; Rowley, Wendy C.; Scheul, Gregory L.; Scott, Jean R.; Scott, Louise H.; Sherlock, Reginald J.; Sloan, Noelle E.; Smith, Maureen J.; Smith, Phillip L.; Snare, Brian J.; Stainthorpe, Anthony; Standley, Michael B.; Stephenson, Thomas I.; Stephenson, Jeanette; Sutherland, Dianne R.; Suttor, Vivienne M.

Taylor, Pamela M.; Teasdale, John R.; Terry, Peter A.; Thompson, Graham W.; Tindale, Michael B.; Tobin, Brian V.; Tobler, Bruce E.; Todman, Margaret; Trowbridge, Suzanne B.; Tutt, Kathleen M.

Unsworth, Richard W.

Valentine, Corel; Valentine, Narelle J.; Vascon, Gianna; Voller, Margaret A.

Wakeford, Neil A.; Walsh, David H.; Ward, Kevin A.; Watt, Margaret A.; Weatherall, Adele; Webster, Philip J.; Weine, Lorraine R.; Weir, Alan J.; Willak, Estelle; Wingrave, Carole J.; Wood, Gordon C.; Woods, Kerri A.; Wunderlich, Graeme E.

Young, Carol R.



Two Names

"Bow, wow, little dog, have you any name?"
 "Yes, sir, two, but they don't mean the same.
 One from my master — he calls me Champ;
 And one from my neighbours —
 They call me Scamp."

Jan Rolls, 1A.

Special Awards, 1958



DUX OF SCHOOL - - - Hugh Knight

First place Maths II, 1st place Physics (aeq.)

CAPTAINS - Gordon Duff and Pamela Mow.

SERVICE PRIZES - George Smith and Ann Gray.

C.W.A. PRIZE - - - Elaine Etherington

FIFTH YEAR

Second in 5th Year and 1st place in English,
Maths I, German, Physics (eq.), French (eq.)
Elaine Wheway.

Third in 5th Year and 1st place in French
(eq.) - - - Anne Jallard

Fourth in 5th Year and 1st place in General
Maths - - - Gwilym Davies

1st place in History - - Keith Campbell

1st place in Latin - - William Scarlett

1st place in Chemistry - Silvano Ziviani

1st place in Biology - - Heather Thorp

1st place Needlework - Judith Jephcott

1st place Technical Drawing - Brian Harvey

1st place Geography - Laurel Pearson

1st place Economics - - Claire Millar

Improvement in Fifth Year - Gwilym Davies

FOURTH YEAR

1st place in 4th Year - Stuart Johnson

2nd place in Fourth Year - Richard Stuckey

3d place in 4th Year - James Atkinson

4th place in 4th Year—equal: Geoffrey Corner,
Elaine Etherington, John Booker.

Improvement - - - Edward Highley

THIRD YEAR

Best Pass in Internal Intermediate

Graham Thompson

Class 3A - - - Lorraine Weine

3B - - - Deidre Cramp

3C - - - Graham Thompson

3D - - - Rosemary Lonergan

3E - - - Mary Pannell

Improvement in 3rd Year - Corel Valentine

SECOND YEAR

Class 2A - - - Jan Hurley

2B - - - Michael Lawler

2C - - - Gail Corbett

2D - Robert Olsen, Phillip Noble (eq.)

2E - - - Robert Montgomery

Improvement in Second Year - Michael Lawler

FIRST YEAR

Class 1A - - - Anne McCarthy

1B - Ian Johnston, Ian Grierson (eq.)

1C - - - Raymond Boniface

1D - - - Ian Fevre

Improvement in First Year - Peter Kell

WALTER LANCE & CO. PRIZE

Jan Hurley and Kevin Wheway

"THE GLEAM" LITERARY PRIZES

Senior Verse - - - Ivan Ransom

Junior Verse - - - Jacqueline Hall

Junior Prose - - - Elizabeth Robinson

BLUES AWARDS:

GIRLS: Gwen Hingley.

BOYS:

Swimming - - - Trevor Holt

Rugby League - - - Gwilym Davies

Cricket - - - David Martin

Athletics - - - Lionel King

Rugby League/Cricket, Gordon Duff (Hon-
ours Blue).

Rugby League/Cricket, Athletics, John Heiler
(Honours Blue).

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HOUSE NOTES

● Bass House won the unofficial Point Score to be Champion House for 1959. However, its hopes of winning the "Big Three" were defeated by Kembla on Market Day and Flinders at the Athletics Carnival.

	Bass	Flinders	Keira	Kembla
SWIMMING				
Boys	206	127	133	70
Girls	205½	77½	64	179½
Total ..	411½	204½	197	249½
ATHLETICS				
Boys	144½	272	77½	137
Girls	215	144	129½	190½
Total ..	359½	416	207	327½
Market Day ..	119	91	82	143
Cross Country	303	377	272	268
Debating	40	21	21	33
Soccer	5	16	13	6
Grand Total	1238	1125½	792	1027

BASS HOUSE

MASTER: Mr. P. NOBLE.
MISTRESS: MISS L. KAVANAUGH.
BOYS' CAPTAIN: JOHN GARRETT.
GIRLS' CAPTAIN: WENDY HOWITT.
House Colour: Blue.

For the second year in succession we are the Champion House, having had an overwhelming win in the Swimming (both boys and girls), a good second on Market Day (when we won the Popular House, earned for the school a record £113, and came second in the Decorated Stall Award), second in the Athletics (the girls won their division), first in House Debating, and second in the Teams' Cross Country Championship, in which we provided the individual winner, Jim Hennessy.

All this success is the result of the splendid enthusiasm and co-operation shown by all members of our House — we all tried.

BOYS

The boys were first in Swimming and second in Athletics. Individual swimming champions were Bill Pouw (U. 16), Alan Wear (U. 15) and Greg Chapman (shared Under 13), while good performances were recorded by Barry Sampson, Peter Reid, Chris Shaw and John Garrett among many others. We won 4 of the 5 Relays.

Our athletes of note were Brian Dugan, Kevin Mathieson, Brian Balgowan, John Cassidy, Robert Olson, Gordon Tuckey, Bill Pouw, John Weekes and Graeme Smith.

Jim Hennessy won the Cross Country Race.

Others to work hard for their House were Ross Spence and Nick Cowdery.

GIRLS

The girls had their best year ever, winning both Swimming and Athletics by comfortable margins. Sacha Pouw is the 12

Years' Swimming Champion, Marion Foye the 14 Years — both breaking records. Other good performers were Carole Smith, Maureen Hynd and Ann Cassidy. We won 2 of the 3 Relays.

Chris Davies is the 14 Years' Athletics Champion and Eileen Moyes the 13 Years'. Sylvia Hockey and Gail Macintosh also did well and both Captain Ball teams came out winners.

Our girls appear to have a monopoly for years to come in both Swimming and Athletics.

FLINDERS HOUSE

HOUSE MASTER: MR. G. KEMPSTER.
HOUSE MISTRESS: MISS J. DUNN.
BOYS' CAPTAIN: LINDSAY LAIRD.
GIRLS' CAPTAIN: ANNETTE MAYHEW.
House Colour: Mauve.

Flinders had convincing wins in the Athletics, the Cross Country Championship and the House Soccer.

BOYS

The boys had a good win in the Athletic Carnival with John Brown, Lindsay Laird and Lionel King champions in their respective Divisions.

Others who did well were D. Cooper, J. Meehan and R. Stuckey.

Flinders boys came third in the Swimming Carnival. The outstanding performers were B. Godden, J. Brown and P. Webster. The first two were champions in their age groups.

Flinders, through the fine play of Jeff Cahill, won the Grand Final of the House Soccer.

GIRLS

This year Flinders was well represented in all fields of activity. Although our fortunes were mixed, Flinders House distinguished itself by winning the Athletic Carnival. The girls came third in their section, with such promising athletes as Jill Bunning, Linda Hutchings, Ingrid Korgitta and our House Captain, Annette Mayhew. Our congratulations go to Ingrid, who won the 16 Years' Championship.

At the Swimming Carnival Flinders was 3rd. Our best performer was Irene Duncan, who won the 16 Years' Division.

KEIRA HOUSE

HOUSE MASTER: MR. N. POUND.
HOUSE MISTRESS: MISS P. ANDREN.
BOYS' CAPTAIN: DAVID MARTIN.
GIRLS' CAPTAIN: PETRA RODENBURG.

Keira offers its congratulations to Keira members, John Peedom and Petra Rodenburg, School Captain and School Vice-Captain.

House Notes (Contd.)

BOYS

Keira boys were second in the Boys' Swimming but were last in Athletics. In the House Soccer Keira were Minor Premiers but were beaten by Flinders in the Grand Final.

At the Swimming Carnival Tim Hennessy, Barry Heaney, Michael Peedom and John Peedom distinguished themselves. Barry Heaney and Peter Buckley won the Senior and Under 12 Championships respectively.

The House raised £82 on Market Day but, in this as in other aspects of school activity, we feel there is room for improvement.

Most of our outstanding athletes and swimmers left last year but a promising crop of youngsters should retrieve House fortunes next year.

GIRLS

This has been a disappointing year for Keira with our girls only third in the Athletics and last in the Swimming. However, this was not for want of trying and several of the girls gained individual distinction in the various sports.

At the Swimming Carnival Margaret George came to the fore as the 13 Years' Champion. In the athletic field Margaret Beattie won the 12 Years' Championship, while one of our best all-round athletes, Joy Darracot, was second in the 15 Years' point score. Other girls whose performances are to be commended are Sandra Perkins, Pauline Dickinson and Adele Byrne.

KEMBLA HOUSE

HOUSE MASTER: MR. P. DEMPSEY.

HOUSE MISTRESS: MISS N. LEA.

BOYS' CAPTAIN: ALLAN MACKEY.

GIRLS' CAPTAIN:

ELAINE ETHERINGTON.

Although Kembra House was not highly successful on the sporting fields, we showed talent in another sphere by winning the Market Day Competition. Our boys and girls also showed their artistic skill in winning the award for the best decorated stall with a colourful 'Inn of the Sixth Happiness'.

BOYS

In Swimming we can only say that we provided competition for the other Houses as we finished a bad fourth. Our athletes gave a slightly better performance — we came third.

However, despite a mediocre team aggregate, some excellent individual performances were recorded. Alan Thommeny and David Champion are to be congratulated for winning the 12 and 13 Years' Championships respectively. Others who performed very creditably were Barry Allen, Geoff Applegate, Graeme Wunderlich and John Booker.

GIRLS

Once again the "Sunshine House" outshone all the Houses on Market Day. The stall was beautifully decorated as "The Inn of the Sixth Happiness".

In the Athletics, Janice Delavere (15 Years' Champion), Lola King, Bronwyn Hargreaves and Penelope Wedlock all helped to gain a well-earned second for us.

At the Swimming Carnival Sue Trowbridge, Wendy Rowley, Nola Saunders and Bronwyn Hargreaves assisted in placing Kembra girls in second place. Sue Trowbridge won the 15 Years' Championship and Bronwyn Hargreaves the 11 Years' Championship.

A note of interest is that the Softball "A" and "B" school teams and the Senior and Junior "A" Basketball teams were all captained by Kembra girls.

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The Punishment

Prefects to right of him,
Prefects to left of him,
Prefects in front of him
Threatened and shouted,
Punished with detention.
Into the entrance hall,
Into the grim office,
Went the wrong-doer.

When shall his detention end?
O, the foolish deed he did!
All the class wondered.
Shame on the thing he did!
Shame on the wrong-doer!
Shame, that foolish boy!

Graeme Dunn, 3A.

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Wollongong

Wollongong is quite new to me.
I come from Newcastle you see.
The town that now is my abode
Has busy street and busy road;
Its beaches, they are lovely, too;
And Keira has a splendid view.
Where lovely mountains meet the sea,
That is the only place for me.
O Wollongong, you really seem,
The answer to my dearest dream!

Toni Roberts, 2A.

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The Sun

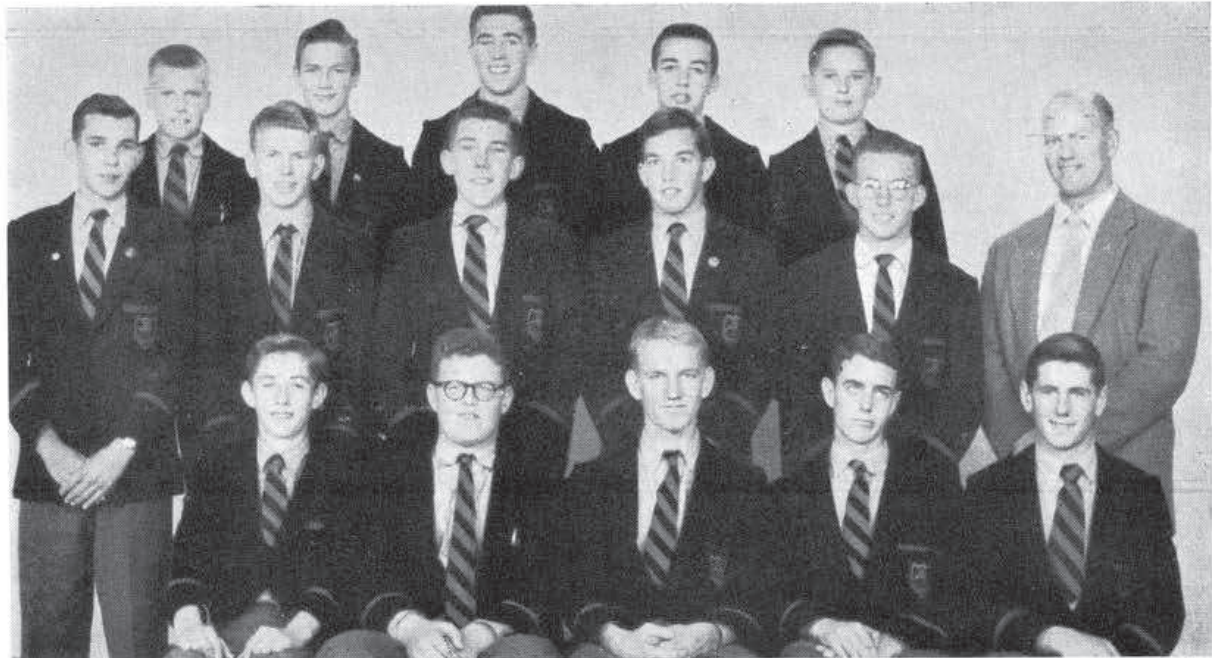
King of The Universe
Glistening in golden dress!
Light, strength and warmth,
All worlds come from thee!
Symbol of power thou,
Yet hast a gentler part,
Offering life to flower and tree.

Leonie Findlay, 1C.

Boys' Sport

Sportsmaster: Mr. B. Downes

C.H.S. & P.S.A.A. SWIMMING TEAM



BACK: Greg Chapman, Philip Roberts, Philip Webster, Phillip Buckley.
MIDDLE: Stan Blakemore, Ian Stephenson, Robert Blakemore, John Peedom, Barry Heaney, Mr. B. Downes.
FRONT: Allan Downes, Chris Shaw, Bill Pouw, John Brown, Alan Wear.

SCHOOL CARNIVAL, 1959

This year's carnival, held at Port Kembla Pool on 25th February, was right up to the standard of past carnivals. 13 records were broken and Bass House emerged as swimming victor for 1959.

The outstanding performer was John Brown, who broke records in the 14 Years' 55 and 110 yards F/style. Others to distinguish themselves were Alan Wear, Bill Pouw and Philip Webster.

DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS:

- UNDER 12: P. BUCKLEY.
- UNDER 13: G. GODDEN & G. CHAPMAN.
- UNDER 14: J. BROWN.
- UNDER 15: A. WEAR.
- UNDER 16: B. POW.
- SENIOR: B. HEANEY.

P.S.A.A. CARNIVAL

Our local swimming superiority held for the last three years ended at this Carnival. Our congratulations go to the new champions, the lads from Bulli High School. The points score was very close all day, but Bulli's depth in strength finally proved too

much for our lads.

For the first time in ten years our seniors were beaten, and the Nowra boys who defeated them, showed just how much they have benefited from their new Olympic Pool.

Outstanding performers for Wollongong High were John Brown, Alan Wear and Bill Pouw.

C.H.S. CARNIVAL

A team of eleven represented High at this year's carnival in Sydney. Our main mission was the Under 16 Relay and our lads won the final in convincing fashion.

Once again our successes were gained by the lads who had trained hard. Bill Pouw, John Brown, Alan Wear and Barry Simpson, who comprised the Under 16 Relay team, were our best swimmers at this carnival. Juniors Philip Buckley, Graham Godden and Alan Downes, showed great improvement in Sydney and will constitute a threat to boys from other schools next year.

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Boys' Sport (Contd.)

Athletics

• *This year's carnival was undoubtedly our biggest and most successful ever.*

Glorious weather, a high standard of physical condition and almost 100% participation, were contributing factors in the orgy of record breaking that featured a day of high-class performances.

Altogether 13 records were broken, some by many seconds' time, and one — a High Jump record of 34 years' standing — was broken by two inches. Details of records broken appear on the Records page of the magazine.

Flinders House, owing to good organisation and splendid participation, were easy winners of the House Championship. The final points score was: Flinders 272, Bass 144½, Kembla 137, Keira 77½.

The outstanding performers were Lionel King and John Brown. Lionel won the Senior Championship and in doing so won first places in the 100, 220, 440, 880 and mile — a really splendid achievement. John Brown won every event in his Division, and in doing so slashed 8.8 seconds off Brian Dugan's 880 record, and added 2 inches to the High Jump record held by J. Wiseman since 1925.

Others to turn in first class performances were Alan Thommeny, David Champion, John Cassidy, Gordon Stuckey, Richard Stuckey, Lindsay Laird, John Meehan, Tony Felton, Peter Clark and Jim Hennessy.

DIVISION CHAMPIONS FOR 1959:

- 12 YEARS: ALAN THOMMENY.
- 13 YEARS: DAVID CHAMPION.
- 14 YEARS: JOHN BROWN.
- 15 YEARS: GORDON TUCKEY.
- 16 YEARS: LINDSAY LAIRD.
- SENIOR: LIONEL KING.

CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Jim Hennessy won this year's Cross Country Run with Bill Koppe, Ian Dugan, John Cassidy and John Brown following in that order. The withdrawal of Stuart Baikie from the race did not detract from Jim's win which was done in a very fast time.

The stamina of Andrew Christofides (6th) and Graeme Akhurst (8th), both First Years, suggests that the school has two more champions on the way. Andrew is the first First Year to be House Champion.

CHAMPIONSHIP:

- 1. JIM HENNESSY
 - 2. BILL KOPPE
 - 3. IAN DUGAN
 - 4. JOHN CASSIDY
- Time: 17 30.5.

HOUSE CHAMPIONS:

- BASS: JIM HENNESSY.
- FLINDERS: BILL KOPPE.
- KEIRA: IAN DUGAN.
- KEMBLA: ANDREW CHRISTOFIDES.

HOUSE CHAMPIONSHIP:

- 1. FLINDERS: 377 Pts.
- 2. BASS: 303 Pts.
- 3. KEIRA: 272 Pts.
- 4. KEMBLA: 268 Pts.

C.H.S. CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Our lads really excelled themselves at this year's C.H.S. Cross Country Championships. Of the five teams' championships held we won three. This performance secured for us second place in the C.H.S. Teams' Championship.

Our congratulations go to Bowral High School lads, who narrowly edged us out of first place.

Results were as follows:

- Under 13 Half-Mile: A. McPhee 11th, N. Preston 37th, G. Akhurst 41st; total, 89 pts.
 - Under 14 ¾ Mile: I. Wilson 16th, G. Chapman 29th, J. Weekes 37th; total, 82 pts.
 - Under 15 Mile: J. Cassidy 2nd, J. Brown 3rd, W. Stuckey 21st; total, 26 pts.
 - Under 16 1½ Miles: S. Baikie 2nd, W. Koppe 3rd, R. Stuckey 8th; total, 13 pts.
 - Senior 2 Miles: J. Hennessy 7th, I. Dugan 9th, L. King 16th; total, 32 pts.
- These points gave us team championships in Under 15, Under 16 and Senior Divisions.

W.P.S.A.A.A. CARNIVAL

W.H.S. boys with 355 points won the Carnival for the tenth successive time by 100 points and for the fourth time by more than 200. The winning margin was 219.

The boys won 5 out of 6 Division Point Scores and 4 out of 6 Individual Championships.

John Brown, who won the 880, 220, High Jump and 100, breaking records in the first three named, was the outstanding performer.

Winners of Individual Age Championships were:

- Under 16: John Meehan.
- Under 15: Gordon Tuckey, aeq.
- Under 15: John Brown.
- Under 12: Roger Dainton.

All our athletes performed splendidly — the result of hard training.

Boys' Sport (Contd.)

C.H.S. & P.S.A.A. ATHLETICS TEAM



BACK: David Gray, Bob Willis, Bill Chalmers, Allan Downes, John Cassidy, John Brown, Kevin Mathieson, Peter Clark, Paul Gluvchinsky, Lionel King (Captain).
MIDDLE: Graham Lane, Noel Watt, David Champion, Barry Heaney, Doug Fletcher, Alister Knibb, John Booker, Brian Dugan, Jim Hennessy, Geoff Applegate.
FRONT: John Armstrong, Gordon Tuckey, Robert Olson, Bill Pouw, Mr. B. Downes, Brian Denley, Lindsay Laird, Richard Stuckey, Bill Koppe.
SEATED: Alan Thommeny, Ian Wilson, Peter Kell, Warren Stuckey, Stuart Baikie, John Hassen, Neil Preston, Roger Dainton.

COMBINED HIGH SCHOOLS ATHLETICS

At the C.H.S. Athletics held in Sydney on 23rd and 24th September, W.H.S. retained its Middle Distance supremacy with four firsts, two seconds, one third and one sixth out of eight Middle Distance Events.

Best performances were:

Lionel King: 2nd in Senior 880 (with same time, 1.59.6, as the winner); 1st Senior Mile 2nd Div., in 4.34.4.

Jim Hennessy: 6th in 1st Div. Mile in fastest time of his career — 4 39.3.

Ian Dugan: 3rd in Senior 880 2nd Div. in 2 5.0.

Brian Dugan: 1st U. 16 880 2nd Div. in 2 5.7.

Richard Stuckey: 2nd U. 16 880 1st Div. in 2 4.8.

John Cassidy: 1st U. 15 880 2nd Div. Broke record by .4 secs. Time, 2 7.2.

John Brown: 1st U. 15 880 1st Div. in

2 4.6, breaking John Cassidy's record; 2nd Broad Jump; 2nd 220; 5th High Jump.

Others to do well were David Champion who won his heats of the Under 14 100 and 220; and Bob Willis who came 3rd in the U. 16 440 2nd Div.



TENNIS NOTES

Tennis competitions are as difficult to organise as Cricket ones, owing to the vagaries of the weather and the demand of other sports. However, we entered four teams in the Winter Tennis Competitions — 2 in the Senior "A" Section, 1 in the Senior "B", and 1 in the Junior.

All teams played well but only one competition, the Junior, was won.

The Senior A, having defeated our "B" team in the semi-final, lost a closely contested Final to Tech. 15-17.

The Senior C won every match in the rounds but went down to Tech. 7-17 in the Final.

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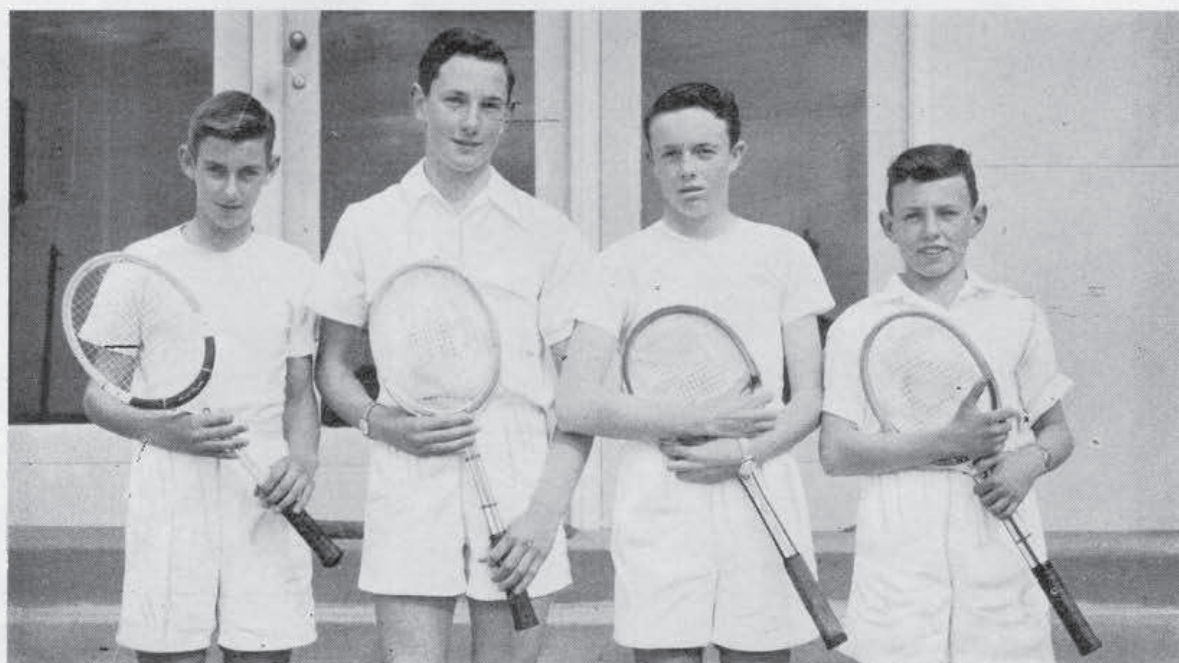
Boys' Sport (Contd.)

FIRST GRADE CRICKET ELEVEN



BACK: Mr. A. Randall (Coach), John Carberry, Warren Rayment, John Garrett, Graham Olive, Rory McGuire.
FRONT: Geoff Corner, Graham Cooper, Dave Martin (Captain), Ron Delavere (Vice-Captain), Allan Mackey, David Gray.

SENIOR "A" TENNIS TEAM



Harry Maynes, Ron Southall, John Ellison, Neville Carr.

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STATE RUGBY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS

W.H.S., the first country team to have won a State Premiership, this year won two — First Grade and 7.7.

Teams in First Grade, 10 Stone, 9 Stone and 7.7, as a result of performances in local Carnivals, were invited to play in the N.S.W. Carnival.

The First Grade capped a glorious season by winning the N.S.W. Rugby League Cup. Having defeated Randwick Marcella Brothers 5-3 and Canterbury High 9-0, the team met Kogarah Marist Brothers in the final and clung desperately to a 3-0 lead to win 3-2 against a much heavier team.

Typical of the team spirit was the action of one of the school's best wingers, Barry Allen, who, although awarded the prize of a pair of boots for the best and fairest player, voluntarily withdrew from the final to allow the 5th Year boys to play their last game with the school.

Our 7.7 team won the Philips Cup for the second time in three years. This team, voted the best of the day, defeated James Cook High 16-0 and Lithgow De La Salle 31-0, to score 47 points to 0. During a State Carnival all boys must play well but Gordon Soldi, Don Banning and Stuart Baikie were outstanding.

The school is also proud of its 9.0 and 10.0 teams, which won their first matches and entered the semi-finals.

The 10.0 team defeated Lithgow High 11-5, but was defeated 3-6 by Drummoyne High. Ian Spence, Bob Willis, Kevin Ward and John Peedom scored tries and David Gray kicked a goal.

The 9.0 team defeated Manly High 5-0, with Bill Davies scoring a try and Ted Reeves kicking a goal and then went down to Marrickville De La Salle 3-6, after decisions in connection with a goal and a try had gone against them.

EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN.

If equal pay for equal work is made law what will happen to the charming influence woman has over man? She will be his rival, each vying for the higher-paid job. Women's instincts and femininity will be lost in the fight for education, business security and success.

The taste for pretty eye-catching frivolities will be lost in a world of figures and £.s.d. signs — maybe only £ signs. Eyes will not turn as a woman walks down the street. Men will not design beautiful clothes, create new colours or write new songs for her. Indeed, men will resent women for they will take away all the self-assurance and superiority men ever had. The age of chivalry will end. In fact, even

Half-Yearly Examinations

With fingers inky and sore,
With pen-nib broken and worn,
A scholar sat in unscholarly daze,
Looking depressed and forlorn.

Think! Think Think!

In misery, sadness and gloom
And still with brain as blank as before,
He thought of the terrible doom.

1C Class.

PEACE.

It is dusk as I walk up the long winding
lanes,
And I peep, as I pass, through the small
window panes
Of a poor, humble cottage; and I see sit-
ting there
An old lady most carefully mending a tear.
In a little girl's dress; and her mother
stands by,
Rocking a cradle, as evening draws night.
And the flame in the candle now flickers
and dies
As I tiptoe away. And I hear the first
sighs.

Of the sea, that is calling me, calling away,
To go back from the cobbled stones, over
the bay,
To my home town, the city, and all the loud
noise
Of the traffic, and cries of the young paper-
boys.
So I leave the old village and all of its
charm,
And the sea in the harbour, so peaceful and
calm;
And go back to the city, far over the bay,
But I know in my heart that I'll come back
some day.

Angela Thexton, 3A.

• Cricket Report

In 1958 our 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Grade teams all won their competitions.

The lazy schoolboy who, when asked to write a story entitled "The Cricket Match", wrote "There was no play owing to rain", was also writing a report on our First Term cricket activities. However, it is hoped that play will be possible in 3rd Term when the competition is resumed.

now it is a race to see who can get a seat on the bus first and who can keep it the longest.

Why must we let these charming old customs and traditions be lost for the sake of woman's vanity? Let us, by discouraging the introduction of equal pay, retain our old status and the admiration of the opposite sex.

Adele Weatherall, 4A

A PAGE OF RECORDS

ATHLETIC RECORDS

1/8/1959

SENIOR

100 yds., M. Mathew, 10.5	1947
220 yds., D. Johnson, 22.4	1948
440 yds., R. Walker, 55.0	1958
880 yds., L. King, 2.4.5	1959
Mile, P. Caladine, 4.41.8	1955
High Jump, D. Johnson, 5'6"	1949
Broad Jump, W. Scarlett, 20'10½"	1948
Shot Put, J. Bloomfield, 40'7½"	1950
Relay, Flinders, 49.0	1959
Javelin, R. Braund, 123'	1959
Discus, A. Mackie, 76'10"	1959

UNDER 16

100 yds. D. Johnson, 10.7	1947
H. Brown, 10.7	1954
220 yds., D. Johnson, 23.7	1947
440 yds., L. King, 55.2	1958
880 yds., L. King, 2.5.1	1958
Mile, J. Mahaffy, 4.50.0	1955
High Jump, W. Scarlett, K. Mathieson, 5'3"	1958
Broad Jump, W. Scarlett, 20'10"	1958
Shot Put, B. Pouw, 42'10"	1959
Relay, Flinders, 49.0	1959
Javelin, C. Dunn, 116'9"	1959
Discus, L. Laird, 80'7"	1959

UNDER 15

100 yds., H. Brown, 10.5	1953
220 yds., L. Laird, 25.5	1958
440 yds., L. Laird, 57.5	1958
880 yds., B. Dugan, 2.11.5	1958
Mile, J. Cassidy, 4.59.9	1959
High Jump, W. Scarlett, 5'2"	1956
Broad Jump, L. Laird, 19'9"	1958
Shot Put, L. Laird, 40'	1958
Relay, Kembla, 51.5	1959
Javelin, B. Allen, 96'	1959

UNDER 14

100 yds., L. Laird, 10.7	1957
220 yds., J. Brown, 25.5	1959
880 yds., J. Brown, 2.9.4	1959
Mile, J. Casidy, 5.22.8	1958
High Jump, J. Brown, 5'4"	1959
Broad Jump, M. Steward, 18'10"	1950
Shot Put, L. Laird, 35'11½"	1957
Relay, Flinders, 52.8	1959

UNDER 13

75 yds., J. Brown, 8.8	1958
100 yds., B. Trollope, 12.4	1953
220 yds., J. Brown, 26.7	1958
880 yds., R. Stuckey, 2.29.5	1956
High Jump, J. Brown, 5'1"	1958
Broad Jump, J. Brown, 17'9"	1958
Relay, Kembla, 56.0	1959
Shot Put, C. Shaw, 29'7½"	1959

UNDER 12

75 yds., D. Cooper, 9.7	1958
100 yds., A. Thommeny, 12.8	1959
880 yds., I. McPhee, 2.33.1	1959
High Jump, A. Thommeny, 4'4"	1959
Broad Jump, D. Cooper, 15'1½"	1958
Relay, Bass, 61.5	1958



SWIMMING RECORDS

27/2/1959.

SENIOR

55 yds. Freestyle, 27.2, J. Rowley	1956
110 yds. Freestyle, 62.8, J. Rowley	1956
220 yds. Freestyle, 2.22.0, J. Rowley	1956
440 yds. Freestyle, 5.6.8, J. Rowley	1956
880 yds. Freestyle, 11.5.2, T. Holt	1958
110 yds. Butterfly, 1.26.0, J. Rowley	1956
110 yds. Breaststroke, 1.31.7, F. Fyfe	1957
55 yds. Backstroke, 35.0, J. Rowley	1956
Relay, 2.1.8, Keira	1953

UNDER 16

55 yds. Freestyle, 28.2, J. Rowley	1955
110 yds. Freestyle, 65.2, J. Rowley	1955
220 yds. Freestyle, 2.30.6, J. Rowley	1955
440 yds. Freestyle, 5.10.2, K. Hannington	1955
55 yds. Butterfly, 36.5, W. Pouw	1959
55 yds. Breaststroke, 42.5, R. Nolan	1955
55 yds. Backstroke, 35.6, K. Hannington	1955
Relay, 2.6.3, Bass	1959

UNDER 15

55 yds. Freestyle, 29.4, A. Wear	1959
110 yds. Freestyle, 67.0, A. Wear	1959
220 yds. Freestyle, 2.35.1, A. Wear	1959
440 yds. Freestyle, 5.38.4, P. Webster	1959
55 yds. Butterfly, 37.2, W. Pouw	1958
55 yds. Breaststroke, 40.4, R. Fyfe	1958
55 yds. Backstroke, 37.3, A. Wear	1959
Relay, 2.20.0, Kembla	1954

UNDER 14

55 yds. Freestyle, 30.1, J. Brown	1959
110 yds. Freestyle, 68.5, J. Brown	1959
220 yds. Freestyle, 2.44.4, P. Webster	1958
55 yds. Butterfly, 38.7, R. Fyfe	1957
55 yds. Breaststroke, 43.2, R. Fyfe	1957
55 yds. Backstroke, 39.1, W. Pouw	1957
Relay, 2.29.2, Bass	1957

UNDER 13

55 yds. Freestyle, 33.5, W. Pouw	1956
110 yds. Freestyle, 75.8, J. Brown	1958
55 yds. Butterfly, 44.5, R. Fyfe	1956
55 yds. Breaststroke, 46.5, R. Fyfe	1956
55 yds. Backstroke, 42.2, W. Pouw	1956
Relay, 2.48.0, Flinders	1953

UNDER 12

55 yds. Freestyle, 37.2, P. Buckley	1959
55 yds. Butterfly, 48.1, P. Buckley	1959
55 yds. Breaststroke, 59.8, G. Chapman	1958
55 yds. Backstroke, 49.0, P. Buckley	1959

RUGBY LEAGUE

FIRST GRADE—STATE CHAMPIONS—5 PREMIERSHIPS



BACK: Peter Clark, Jim Atkinson, Graham Cooper, Brian Denley, Lindsay Laird, Ron Delavere, Kevin Mathieson, John Peedom.
 FRONT: Mr. J. E. Lenehan (Headmaster), Jim Hennessy, Barry Allen, John Carberry, Allan Mackey (Captain), Mr. J. Huxley (Coach), David Martin (Vice-Captain), Colin Dunn, Tony Felton, Mr. B. Downes.

Wollongong High's Best Year

The winning of 4 outright Premierships and 2 Joint Premierships in the Illawarra Competition, 10 Premierships at Carnivals and two State Titles makes this our most successful year.

The boys and coaches of all 10 teams are to be congratulated on the standard of play, with the school's special thanks going to Mr. Huxley for tactical advice and to Mr. Downes for aid in "conditioning". As a result of the efforts of all, the following successes were gained:

1st Grade: Winners Illawarra Competition, Goulburn, Camden and Wollongong Carnivals, State Premiers.

2nd Grade: Runners-up Wollongong Carnival — Open "B".

9.7 "A": Winners Illawarra Competition, Goulburn and Wollongong Carnivals.

8.7 "A": Winners Illawarra Competition, Goulburn and Wollongong Carnivals.

8.7 "B": Winners Illawarra Carnival.

7.7 "A": Joint Premiers Illawarra Competition, winners Camden and Wollongong Carnivals, State Premiers.

6.7 "A": Joint Premiers Illawarra Competition and Wollongong Carnival, runners-up Camden Carnival.

FIRST GRADE

Coach: Mr. J. Huxley.

This year's First Grade side established itself as one of the greatest — if not THE greatest — that the School has known, with its 17 straight wins in which it scored 416 points to 12 and did not have its line crossed. Every player did his part in the teamwork but Captain Allan Mackey must be mentioned for his gaining of the Marcus Clark Cup as "the best and fairest" at the Wollongong Carnival. Its State Premiership win was well deserved.

SECOND GRADE

Coach: Mr. J. Webster.

Although this team played against Open Division teams, it had a very successful season. Draws were registered against Corrimal and Christian Brothers and the team reached the Final in the local Carnival. Forwards I. McPherson, P. Reid (Capt.), M. Harvey and N. Wakeford, were ably supported by backs H. Davies, J. Peedom and A. Wear.



7.7 "A" — STATE CHAMPIONS — 4 PREMIERSHIPS

BACK: Alan Dangerfield, Brian Hudspeth, Brian Digby, Pat Kidd, Alan Hope, Philip Smith, Ken Ba.frett, Philip Roberts, Terry Churchin.
 FRONT: Mr. P. Dempsey, Don Banning, Wayne Felton, Stuart Baikie, Alan Pickett (Captain), Gene Bridge, William Eddy, Tim Hennessy.



9.7 "A" — 3 PREMIERSHIPS

BACK: Mr. J. Dombroski, Brian Dugan, Ian Stephenson, Stan Blakemore, John Meehan, Graham Barrett, Ian Spence.
 FRONT: Graeme Wunderlich, Bob Willis, Graham Thompson, John Fanning (Captain), Phillip Webster, Kevin Ward, Gary Cormick — David Gray (absent).

8.7 "A" — 3 PREMIERSHIPS



BACK: Ted Reeves, Brian Dugan, Martin Geraghty, Geoff Applegate, Bruce Tobler, Malcolm Bennett, Geoff Stanton, Mr. N. Quinlan.
FRONT: Jim Curry, Ross McLeod, Jim Lewis, Bill Davies (Captain), Peter Cook (Vice-Captain), Michael Peedom, Trevor Brownlee, John Garrett.

9.7 "A"

Coach: Mr. J. Dombroski.

This team had a very successful season in which it was undefeated. Owing to excellent defence the team had its line crossed only once. In the forwards, Thompson, Ward and Cormick were outstanding; while in the backs Willis, Gray and Meehan were the main point-scorers.

9.7 "B"

Coach: Mr. R. Stewart.

There was no separate "B" Division in the 9.7 Grade. Our 9.7 "B" competed in the "A" Division with very creditable results. Ross and Brown, in the backs, and Gegenheimer and Montgomery, in the forwards, were the outstanding players.

8.7 "A"

Coach: Mr. N. Quinlan.

The splendid captaincy and the ability and keenness of all players gave this team great combination. The Goulburn Carnival and the Illawarra Competition were won in fine style. At Camden, however, the team went down 0-3 to Campbelltown St. Gregory's. The Wollongong Carnival reversed the result with a 7-0 victory. Congratulations to Geoff Applegate on his 21 tries in the team's 266 points to 20 against.

8.7 "B"

Coach: Mr. R. Devine.

Led in turn by Jeff Stanton and Bill Mackey, this team earned a well-deserved undefeated Premiership. Inspirational full-

back displays by Gus Fergusson spurred Graham Lane and Robert Smith to finish off the fine work of forwards Ian McCall, Barry Heiler and Philip Allan.

7.7 "A"

Coach: Mr. P. Dempsey.

The 7.7 "A's" lost their first match to old rivals Tech. 2-6, but went through the rest of the season undefeated. Co-Premiers with Tech. in the local competition, they won the Camden and Wollongong Carnivals (the latter for the first time). They played 15 matches, won 13, drew 1 and lost 1 — with 159 points for and 27 against. In winning the State Title (scoring 47-0 in two matches), it was judged the best team at the Carnival.

7.7 "B"

Coach: Mr. A. Hunt.

The 7.7 "B" had an enjoyable season despite finishing only 3rd in the competition. Its best performance was at the local carnival when it lost its second match to Dapto, by one "Force".

6.7

Coach: Mr. T. Horner.

After a shaky start, this team improved to become co-premiers with Berkeley. The matches of the semi-finals and finals of the local competition were repeated almost exactly at the Wollongong Carnival and again Berkeley and Wollongong were co-premiers. This was the school's first suc-

OPEN SOCCER—SECONDARY COMPETITION PREMIERS



BACK: Alan Weir, Harry Tunnicliff, Jim Stewart, Robert Jordan, Edwin Barclay, John Jefferson.
FRONT: John Mason, Hardy Papson, Brian Waddell (Captain), Barnett Macready, Graham Olive, Mr. R. V. Stewart.

SOCCER NOTES

7 teams were entered in the Illawarra Competitions. Although our only win was in the Open Division, several teams performed well.

Open Division

The Open "A" team retained the Open Premiership, although the competition was the hardest since its inception. Our team finished only 1 point in front of Corrimal and defeated them only 1-0 in the Final. Our Open "B" team, by defeating Bulli in the second last round, destroyed Bulli's chance of becoming a finalist.

All in the "A" team played well in competition matches and in the social matches against Jervis Bay Naval College, which matches were won 5-0, 3-0 and 3-0.

For the "B" team Dave Robson and Harry Brayshaw did best.

Under 15 Division

Our "A" team failed to finish amongst the top four, but had been defeated only 1-0 by ultimate Premiers Berkeley. Gordon Soldi, Hans Van Der Kooi, Jim English and Paul Gluvchinsky should form the basis of a strong Open team next year.

Our "B" team, capably led by Kevin Harvey, played in the same competition as the "A" and, although always defeated, were never disgraced.

Under 14 Division

With a limited number of players from which to draw the 14 A's played well, gaining a win and a draw in 3 matches with Bulli and close scores in other matches. Captain, Peter Beattie, was the team's star.

Under 13 Division

The 13 "A's" had 5 wins and 2 draws out of 10 matches and finished with 16 goals for and 8 against, to finish second to Premiers Tech. The standard of play shown by Alan Thommeny, Jeff White, Rex Leighton, Trevor Jones (Captain) and Barry Harper augurs well for the future.

The 13 B's managed to win only 2 and draw 1, but were never disgraced, the losing margins being small. Players Jim Grenfell, John Hassan, Ray Newell and Doug Meredith showed promise.

House Soccer

Soccer and Rugby players unselected in competition teams enjoyed an interesting House 'Soccer' Competition in which Flinders gained an early lead, only to have Keira House finish as Minor Premiers. Flinders defeated Keira 3-0 in the Final and 2-0 in the Grand Final, to finish Premiers.

GIRLS' SPORT

Sportsmistress: Mrs. E. E. Penrose.

P.S.A.A.A. SWIMMING PREMIERS



BACK: Anne Douglas, Celia Cracknell, Pat Jaggar, Carole Smith.
MIDDLE: Irene Duncan, Jackie Paterson, Wendy Rowley, Ingrid Korgitta, Sue Trowbridge.
FRONT: Noela Saunders, Sacha Pouw, Maureen Hynd, Anne McCarthy, Margaret George, Barbara Downes — absent Marion Foye, Carla Lambeck.

ANNUAL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

The carnival was held in February under ideal conditions. Bass House romped home as victor with 205½ points. Kembla scored 179½, Flinders 77½ and Keira 64 pts. The day was highlighted by the breaking of fourteen records — M. Foye 4, S. Pouw 5, B. Hargreaves 1, S. Trowbridge 2, I. Korgitta 1 and C. Cracknell 1.

P.S.A.A.A. CARNIVAL

At this carnival, held at Port Kembla Olympic Pool on 11th March, the girls again performed remarkably well. Wollongong High won the carnival with 147 points, and Bulli High was second with 134 points. Our girls managed to break six records.

COMBINED HIGH SCHOOLS' CARNIVAL

Wollongong High School was represented by a team of thirteen girls at the C.H.S. Swimming Carnival held at North Sydney Olympic Pool on 20th March. Marion Foye was once again our outstanding swimmer, taking two titles, and breaking records in both. Marion holds State Titles and swam as a member of the N.S.W. team at the Australian Championships in Hobart. Sacha Pouw swam well in the final of the 12 years' championship, and our open relay team gained fourth place.

Girls' Swimming Records

FREESTYLE

16 yrs., 55 yds.: G. Hingley, 34.1	1958
15 yrs., 55 yds.: G. Hingley, 34.8	1957
14 yrs., 55yds.: M. Foye, 31.4	1959
13 yrs., 55 yds.: M. Foye, 31.4	1958
12 yrs., 55 yds.: S. Pouw, 34.5	1959
11 yrs., 55 yds.: B. Hargreaves	1959
Junior, 110 yds.: S. Pouw, 81.2	1959
Inter., 110 yds.: M. Foye, 75.1	1959
Open, 110 yds.: M. Foye, 74.5	1958
Junior, 220 yds.: S. Pouw, 2.55.0	1959
Inter., 220 yds.: M. Foye, 2.45.1	1959
Senior, 220 yds.: S. Trowbridge, 2.59.2	1959

BREASTSTROKE

Senior, 55 yds.: I. Korgitta, 45.5	1959
Inter., 55 yds.: I. Korgitta, 45.1	1958
Junior, 55 yds.: C. Cracknell, 51.6	1959

BACKSTROKE

Senior, 55 yds.: S. Trowbridge, 41.4	1959
Inter., 55 yds.: S. Trowbridge, 39.0	1958
Junior, 55 yds.: S. Pouw, 47.1	1959

BUTTERFLY

Senior, 55 yds.: G. Hingley, 38.7	1958
Inter., 55 yds.: M. Foye, 34.1	1959
Junior, 55 yds.: S. Pouw, 45.1	1959

RELAYS

Junior: Kembla, 2.31.9	1957
Inter: Bass, 2.33.3	1959
Senior: Kembla, 2.32.4	1959

Annual Swimming Carnival, 1959

55 YDS. FREESTYLE

- 11 YRS.: B. Hargreaves 1, B. Downes 2, A. Davies 3, J. Brickwood 4.
 12 YRS.: S. Pouw 1, M. Hynd 2, N. Saunders 3, A. McCarthy 4; 34.5.
 13 YRS.: M. George 1, J. Eddy 2, C. Cracknell 3, P. Neal 4; 38.5.
 14 YRS.: M. Foye 1, C. Smith 2, A. Douglas 3, H. Jessop 4; 31.4 (R).
 15 YRS.: S. Trowbridge 1, W. Rowley 2, V. Suttor 3; 35.1.
 16 YRS.: I. Duncan 1, Pat Jaggard 2, A. Cassidy 3, G. Hendriksen 4; 38.4.

110 YDS. FREESTYLE

- JUNIOR: S. Pouw 1, M. Hynd 2, M. George 3, N. Saunders 4; 1.21.2 (R).
 INTER.: M. Foye 1, C. Smith 2, H. Jessop 3, C. Lambeck 4; 1.15.1 (R).
 SENIOR: S. Trowbridge 1, W. Rowley 2, J. Paterson 3, I. Duncan 4; 1.20.5.

55 YDS. BREASTROKE

- JUNIOR: C. Cracknell 1, N. Saunders 2, A. McCarthy 3, E. Buckland 4; 51.6.
 INTER.: M. Foye 1, A. Douglas 2, C. Smith 3, E. Evans 4; 49.6.
 SENIOR: I. Korgitta 1, I. Duncan 2, S. Trowbridge 3, W. Rowley 4; 45.5 (R).

55 YDS. BACKSTROKE

- JUNIOR: S. Pouw 1, M. George 2, C. Cracknell 3, N. Saunders 4; 47.2.
 INTER.: M. Foye 1, C. Smith 2, M. Stalker 3, C. Lambeck 4; 42.1.
 SENIOR: S. Trowbridge 1, W. Rowley 2, A. Cassidy 3, I. Duncan 4; 41.4 (R).

220 YDS. FREESTYLE

- JUNIOR: S. Pouw 1, M. Hynd 2, M. George 3, N. Saunders 4; 2.55.0 (R).
 INTER.: M. Foye 1, C. Smith 2, A. Douglas 3, H. Jessop 4; 2.45.1 (R).
 SENIOR: S. Trowbridge 1, W. Rowley 2, I. Duncan 3; 2.59.2 (R).

55 YDS. BUTTERFLY

- JUNIOR: S. Pouw 1, N. Saunders 2, M. Hynd 3, P. Neal 4; 45.1.
 INTER.: M. Foye 1, C. Smith 2, H. Jessop 3, C. Lambeck 4; 34.1 (R).
 SENIOR: S. Trowbridge 1, I. Duncan 2, W. Rowley 3; 45.0.

DIVE

- JUNIOR: S. Pouw 1, A. McCarthy 2, M. Hynd and B. Hargreaves 3.
 INTER.: J. Sutton 1, A. Douglas 2.
 SENIOR: I. Korgitta and P. Jaggard 1, D. Aitkin 3, I. Duncan 4.

RELAY

- JUNIOR: Bass 1, Keira 2, Kembla 3, Flinders 4; 2.42.1.
 INTER.: Bass 1, Flinders 2, Kmbra 3, Keira 4; 2.33.3 (R).
 SENIOR: Kembla 1, Flinders 2, Keira 3, Bass 4; 2.32.4 (R).

AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 11 YRS.: Bronwyn Hargreaves (Kmbra).
 12 YRS.: Sacha Pouw (Bass).
 13 YRS.: Margaret George (Keira).
 14 YRS.: Marion Foye (Bass).

- 15 YRS.: Sue Trowbridge (Kembla).
 16 YRS.: Irene Duncan (Flinders).

P.S.A.A.A. ATHLETIC CARNIVAL

Although Smith's Hill Girls' High again proved too strong for us, the winning margin of 164 to 120 was much less than in previous years.

Our best performer of the day was Margaret Beattie who broke the record in the 12 Years 75 Yds., came 2nd in the 100 Yds. and shared the 12 Years' Championship.

Other athletes to do well were:

- Eileen Moyes — 2nd 75, 3rd 100, 4th Skipping.
 Robyn Harrod — 3rd 75.
 Joy Dararcot — 2nd 75, 4th 100, 3rd 220.
 Ingrid Korgitta — 1st Broad Jump, 3rd 220, 4th 75 and 100.
 Lola King — 2nd 75, 3rd 100, 4th 220.
 Lorraine Weine — 2nd 220.
 Janice Delavere — 3rd Skipping, 3rd High Jump, 4th Broad Jump.
 Jennifer Smith — 3rd Broad Jump.
 Celia Cracknell — 2nd Broad Jump and High Jump.
 Christine Davies — 2nd Broad Jump.
 Ann Douglas — 3rd High Jump.
 Junior Relay (E. Moyes, C. Davies, M. Beattie, C. Cracknell) 2nd; Senior Relay (L. King, I. Korgitta, J. Dararcot, S. Perkins) 2nd.

SOFTBALL

The outstanding features of the four softball teams were the sportsmanship and teamwork shown.

Many of the players, at the moment, lack experience, but nevertheless show promise of becoming reliable players in the future. Our "A" and "B" teams comprised mostly senior girls and showed wonderful spirit, particularly in the help which they willingly gave to the more junior members of teams.

In the "A" team, everyone played extremely well, with quick fielding and catching at all times. The catcher, Judy Harvey, and the pitcher, Irene Duncan, made a good combination. Against Bulli, Corrimall and Dapto, we had three convincing wins, and although we went down to the strong Berkeley side, we were by no means disgraced.

Kay Domsalla and Kirsten Ommer played well for the "B" team, and this team was placed third in the 1st Division.

Although the teams in Division 2 were defeated, a number of times they showed that with regular practices next year they will be able to take the places of strong players in our present Fifth Year.

Wendy Howlett, 4A.

Girls' Sport (Contd.)

C.H.S. & P.S.A.A. ATHLETICS TEAM.



BACK: Linda Hutchings, Gail Macintosh, Ingrid Korgitta, Judith Noske, Chris Davies, Sandra Perkins.
MIDDLE: Jill Bunning, Robyn Harrod, Celia Cracknell, Barbara Downes, Vivienne Reed, Eileen Moyes.
FRONT: Anne Douglas, Kirsten Ommer, Petra Rodenburg, Ronella Snedden, Janice Delavere, Wendy Rowley — absent Marion Foye, Sylvia Hockey.

SCHOOL ATHLETIC CARNIVAL, 1959.

The School Carnival was held in delightful weather and was enjoyed by all. A record number of entries was received from the girls, particularly in the junior events, and the results were very pleasing.

Bass won the final point score with 215 points with Kembla not far behind with 190½. Because of the introduction of new events there were many new records set, but besides this, two previous records were equalled and four broken.

Our most outstanding athlete was Christine Davies who won seven events, both in track and field, and scored 56 points for Bass. Ingrid Korgitta also performed well by scoring 37 points for Flinders and by running the excellent time of 28.3 for the 220.

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

- 12 YRS.: Jill Bunning.
- 13 YRS.: Celia Cracknell.
- 14 YRS.: Christine Davies.

15 YRS.: Janice Delavere.

16 YRS.: Ingrid Korgitta.

C.H.S. CARNIVAL

Twenty-two girls travelled to Sydney to represent the school at the C.H.S. Carnival, held on 14th and 15th July. Our girls were billeted by Strathfield Girls' High.

We reached quite a few semi-finals and managed to compete in six finals. Chris Davies was once again our most successful athlete and was placed 2nd in the Junior Broad Jump with a leap of 16ft. Other finalists were: Ingrid Korgitta (Senior Broad Jump), Anne Douglas (Junior High Jump), Kirsten Ommer (Open Discus); Junior 440 yds. Relay team and the Captainball team.

The girls have trained consistently this year, but are still inexperienced in athletics. However, improvement has been made, and with the great enthusiasm from the girls we feel that in a couple of years we should have more strength in the school athletic team.

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GIRLS' ATHLETIC RECORDS.

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12 YRS. 75 YDS.: M. Beattie, 10.6 - - 1959
 13 YRS. 75 YDS.: E. Moyes, 10.1 - - 1959
 14 YRS. 75 YDS.: C. West & C. Roberts, 9.6 - - - 1957
 15 YRS. 75 YDS.: B. Brown, 9.2 - - - 1954
 SENIOR 75 YDS.: T. King & L. King, 9-2 1954-8
 12 YRS. 100 YDS.: M. Beattie, 13.5 - - 1959
 13 YRS. 100 YDS.: E. Moyes, 13.2 - - 1959
 14 YRS. 100 YDS.: C. Davies, 13.0 - - 1959
 15 YRS. 100 YDS.: J. Darracot, 13.0 - - 1959
 SENIOR 100 YDS.: T. King, 11.8 - - 1954
 14 YRS. 220 YDS.: C. Davies, 28.4 - - 1959
 15 YRS. 220 YDS.: J. Darracot, 29.4 - - 1959
 16 & OVER 220 YDS.: I. Korgitta, 28.3 - 1959
 JUNIOR SKIPPING: E. Moyes, 10.5 - - 1959
 SENIOR SKIPPING: C. Spearing, 9.9 - - 1958
 12 YRS. BROAD JUMP: S. Hockey, 14' 1" 1958
 13 YRS. BROAD JUMP: C. Davies, 15' 0" 1958

14 YRS. BROAD JUMP: C. Davies, 16' 0" 1959
 15 YRS. BROAD JUMP: I. Korgitta, 15' 6" 1958
 SENIOR BROAD JUMP: C. Spearing, 14' 0" 1958
 12 YRS. HIGH JUMP: J. Bunning, 4' 2" - 1959
 13 YRS. HIGH JUMP: C. Davies & C. Cracknell, 4' 5" - - - 1958-9
 14 YRS. HIGH JUMP: J. Delavere & A. Douglas, 4' 6" - - - 1958-9
 15 YRS. HIGH JUMP: J. Birch, 4' 8½" - 1955
 SENIOR HIGH JUMP: J. Birch, 4' 6" - 1956
 JUNIOR SHOT PUTT: C. Davies, 23' 4½" - 1959
 SENIOR SHOT PUTT: J. Hallenan, 29' 5" 1957
 JUNIOR DISCUS: C. Davies, 67' 0½" - - 1959
 SENIOR DISCUS: K. Ommer, 77' 4½" - 1959
 JUNIOR JAVELIN: C. Davies, 47' 5" - - 1959
 SENIOR JAVELIN: E. Vasila, 53' 7" - - 1959
 JUNIOR RELAY: Bass House, 55.5 - - 1959
 SENIOR RELAY: Keira House, 57.0 - - 1958

"A" HOCKEY



BACK: Anne Rose, Susan Duncan, Ruth Dallimore, Wendy Howitt, Bronwen Amer, Dianne McIlwraith.
 FRONT: Carla Lambeck, Roberta Giles, Gerda Hendriksen, Leonie Farmer, Mary Wingrave.

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SENIOR "A" & JUNIOR "C" BASKETBALL PREMIERS



EACK: Penny Wedlock, Juliana Koops, Janice Delavere, Linda Hutchings, Gail Macintosh.
MIDDLE: Eirlys Evans, Estelle Willak, Lorraine Weine, Barbara Wakefore, Maureen Hynd, Jennifer
FRONT: Jeanette Wingrave, Elizabeth Buckland, Roslyn Weine, Jeanette Bissell, Annette Smith.

BASKETBALL

This year basketball was played on an inter-school basis with Bulli High, Berkeley High, Corrimal High, Dapto High and Wollongong High taking part. Eight teams were entered from each school — four in the two senior divisions, and four in the two 1st Year divisions.

Two of our teams, the senior "A" and the junior "C" completed the season undefeated and so won their particular divisions.

Our senior "A" team is one of the strongest to be seen at the school for years, winning every match with ease. Janice Delavere not only proved to be an excellent captain but also to be a brilliant attacking player, and it was mainly through her guidance that outstanding teamwork was attained. Of course teamwork is essential for any game, but so are reliable goal-throws, and we have been very fortunate this year in having in Estelle Willak and Juliana Koops two players capable of sinking shots from any position in the circle.

The senior "B" team also played very well, particularly towards the end of the season, and was placed third in division A. This team also had a very capable leader and player in Jackie Paterson.

The "C" team proved to be the most capable of our 1st Years, and this was due to their keenness and determination right throughout the season. There were some excellent moves played by this team, particularly in the combination of the two goal-throws, Roslyn Weine, who also captained the team, and Jennifer Smith.

Interest in basketball was very high this year, and because of this the all-over results were very pleasing. All girls put their best efforts into the game, particularly those members of teams which were not so successful but which played hard every week and gained enjoyment from the sport.

Janice Delavere, 4A.

Fatigue

The joy of French and Latin,
Of Maths and History,
Of ordered work and Science,
This is not for me.
Great joy of English grammar,
Tests and exercise;
I know but cannot share it;
My joy is otherwise.

Suzanne Smith, 3A.

GIRLS- HOCKEY

This year saw the commencement of an inter-school competition of ten teams, three of which were from Wollongong High.

Wollongong "A" lost only one match, to Corrimal "A", and finished second in the point score. All girls played well during the season and it is impossible to single out any one player.

Wollongong "B" had three wins and 1 draw and finished fifth in the point score. The team was ably captained by Freda Bristow and we were pleased to see so many juniors in the team.

The "C" team had only 1 win and 1 draw, but despite many defeats, showed true team spirit and fought hard all the season.

Wollongong had two teams entered in the Saturday morning Schoolgirls' Competition. At the time of printing, High I was playing well and seemed certain to be in the Final.

Leonie Farmer, Dianne McIlwraith, Gerda Hendriksen, Roslyn Tindal, Bronwen Amer and Ruth Dallimore all profited from a coaching camp held at Narabeen. Bronwyn, Gerda, Dianne and Ruth (Captain) gained selection in Illawarra Firsts, while Leonie Farmer, Wendy Howitt, Julie Hartnett and Frances Horsfall were in Illawarra Seconds.

CAPTAIN BALL

In order to revive interest in Captain Ball, a lunch-hour Class Competition was held for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Year girls.

1B won the First Year Competition, 2D the Second Year and 3C the Third Year. 2D fielded a very strong team and proved themselves superior by winning the Final.

We were all pleased at the success of our School Captain Ball team at the C.H.S. Athletics Carnival in Sydney. The team was one of the twelve finalists chosen from over 60 teams and managed to be placed 4th in this event. This was the reward for the hard practice during lunch hours and after school. Members of this team were: Janice Delavere, Gail Macintosh, Wendy Rowley, Petra Rodenburg, Penny Wedlock, Ronella Snedden, Joy Darracot, Linda Hutchings and Celia Cracknell.

Judy Yates, 2D.

Gerda Hendriksen and Ruth Dallimore this year gained selection in Schoolgirl State teams and we congratulate them.

We would like to thank Miss Giles and Miss Andren for their coaching and guidance throughout the year, and Mrs. Beveridge and Mrs. Spain for being so kind as to give their services in the unenviable job of umpiring.

Ruth Dallimore, 4A.

SOFTBALL "A"



Wendy Rowley, Elaine Etherington, Petra Rodenburg, Ronella Snedden, Helen Walsh, Irene Duncan, Dianne Aitkin, Lola King — absent Judy Harvey.

IN GRATITUDE

A School cannot function merely as an isolated community of pupils and teachers. It needs assistance and encouragement from the outside adult world — assistance with labour, materials, advice and donations, and, often encouragement by the mere presence of interested adults, a bridging of the gap between school life and the outside world.

Wollongong High is proud of the assistance and encouragement it has received and to all those who have helped it in any way at all we give a heartfelt "THANK YOU"!

The P. and C. Association and its allied bodies, the Ladies' Auxiliary, the Grounds Committee, the Welfare Committee, the Social Committee and the Publicity Committee deserve our special thanks for untiring efforts on behalf of the school's welfare. To the many, too numerous to mention by name, we again say "We are grateful".

Mr. H. Peedom deserves our special gratitude not only for his capable leadership of the P. and C. but also for his interest in our Public Contests. Mrs. W. Bright also deserves our thanks for her cheerful leadership of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

For their encouragement of the School by their presence at our School Functions we are grateful to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. X. Connor, Mr. H. Fowles, M.L.A., Mr. C. M. Clayton (Area Director of Education), the Mayor (Alderman Squires), Mr. E. Sheil (Area Secondary Inspector), Mr. Alderman A. Nock and Mrs. Nock, Mr. S. G. Wauchop (Inspector of Schools), Mrs. Whittle (C.W.A.), Mr. and Mrs. Harris (Rotary), Mr. W. Mitchell (former Town Clerk), Mr. R. A. N. Douglas, Lt. Col. McCammon, Mr. A. Devitt (Principal, Tech. College) and many interested parents.

We wish to express our gratitude also to various Guest Speakers throughout the year: Amongst these were Professor Bullen, Commander Clarke, R.A.N., Mr. T. Hamilton, Police Safety Officers and Mr. Justice Richardson.

If the School were to award a medal for "services over and beyond duty" we feel sure that Mrs. Lawrence would be the first recipient.

Our Thanks go also to:

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The Ministers who have assisted at our Morning Service.

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Mr. P. Noble and his group of Fourth Year students, both boys and girls, for their efforts in soliciting donations to make "The Gleam" possible.

Again, we say "Thank You" to those who have helped the School in any way at all.

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Carter, Ian
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Cordingley, Peter
Donnan, John
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Smith, Kay
Upcroft, Margaret
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Brayshaw, Harry
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Green, Barbara
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Tindal, Roslyn
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Webb, Carolyn
Wells, Carol
Whitaker, Jill
Whittaker, Susan

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McDonnell, Barry
Maldon, Michael
McHardie, Raymond
Muir, Ian
Papson, Helmut
Pollock, Terry
Steele, Gavin
Stoddart, Michael
Waugh, Michael
Winter, David

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Kreuter, Bronwyn
Mathes, Jennifer
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Miller, Marilyn
Noske, Kathleen
Rankin, Jill
Sutton, Julie
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Wiseman, Margret

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Owen, Len
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Smith, Phillip
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Cracknell, Celia
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Koops, Francis
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Tuckey, Ken
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Hassen, John
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