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School Officers, 1959

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R. J. STEWART.

Prefects :

R. C. MORETON (Deputy Head), R. L. BERNSTONE, K. L. BORLAND, C. W. CHILDS, M. R. B. DEAKER, P. T. EDWARDS, A. T. RACKLEY, C. J. RICHARDS, W. F. SIMPSON, T. D. THOMAS, P. B. TRUSCOTT.

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D. B. WHELAN (Head), C. N. GILMORE, N. M. SIMPSON, C. R. C. WYNDHAM.

Captains of Games :

Rugby—1st XV: R. C. MORETON. 2nd XV: R. J. STEWART. 3rd XV: G. R. NOBBS.
4th XV: S. W. BROWN. 5th XV: A. R. PETERSON. 6th XV: J. F. HENDERSON.
7th XV: I. R. DUNWOODIE. 8th XV: D. GEDDES. 9th XV: L. SANGSTER.

Cricket—1st XI: R. C. MORETON. 2nd XI: L. J. EVERETT. 3rd XI: D. R. SMYTHE.
4th XI: M. W. MORLAND. 5th XI: I. A. FOLSTER.

Soccer—1st XI: A. T. RACKLEY. 2nd XI: A. WOODFIELD. 3rd XI: M. G. WILLS.
4th XI: G. SHARFE.

Indoor Basketball—1st V: D. C. SHARP, 2nd V: D. R. SMYTHE. 3rd V: R. D. THOMSON.
4th V: R. A. J. SMITH. 5th V: G. F. DEIMEL. 6th V: K. NICHOLSON.

Hockey—1st XI: P. T. EDWARDS. 2nd XI: O. T. GILBERTSON.

Tennis—W. F. SIMPSON.

Boxing—B. C. BOYES.

Fives—R. C. MORETON.

Harriers—W. D. HENSTOCK.

Swimming—D. A. FOSTER.

Shooting—M. R. B. DEAKER.

Life-Saving—T. D. THOMAS.

Softball—A. T. RACKLEY.

Magazine :

C. W. CHILDS and M. R. B. DEAKER (Co-Editors).

Committee—I. R. DUNWOODIE, P. T. EDWARDS, A. T. RACKLEY, R. J. STEWART,
T. D. THOMAS.

Library :

R. J. FAULKNER.

Pound :

C. J. RICHARDS and W. F. SIMPSON.

Book-binding :

D. A. FOSTER.

Chess :

J. S. MILNE.

Tramping Club :

R. J. STEWART.

Crusaders :

K. E. ROUT.

Singing :

D. W. WOOD.

Dramatics :

B. W. BAILEY.

Photographic Club :

L. K. MOYLE.

Benevolent Fund :

P. T. EDWARDS.

Science Club :

I. R. KELLY.

Cadets :

W.O.1. W. F. SIMPSON, R.S.M.

PRIZE LIST 1958

SPECIAL PRIZES, 1958.

Athletics—Under 14 champion (cup): J. W. ROBB. Junior champion (cup and miniature): N. A. JAMES and T. W. CLARKE. Intermediate champion (cup and miniature): R. C. MORETON, J. W. LOUDON and A. RINGENBERG. Senior champion (Len Hanan memorial cup and Sports Trust miniature): P. R. ALLISON. 880yds Senior (Sutherland Cup): W. D. HENSTOCK. Inter-House Relay (Auckland Old Boys' Cup): Blue House (O. C. THWAITES).

Swimming—Junior champion: R. W. JENKINS. Senior champion: D. A. FOSTER.

Round-the-Park Races—Under 14: J. F. HENDERSON. Junior: A. F. MCRAE. Intermediate: J. BERRAGAN. Senior: W. D. HENSTOCK. Inter-Form Challenge Shield: Form IVA—N. COLLIE.

Southland Inter-school Cross Country Championships: Intermediate: D. B. PATTON. Senior: R. J. STEWART.

Cricket—Most Improved Cricketer (1955 Prefects' Cup): T. J. FRASER. Southland Cricket Association 3rd Grade Cup: S.B.H.S. 3rd Grade A: K. L. BORLAND (capt.).

Rugby Football—S.R.F.U. Third Grade Cup: E. R. CURRIE. S.R.F.U. Fourth Grade Cup: P. MILNE (capt.). S.R.F.U. Fifth Grade Cup: C. J. RICHARDS. S.R.F.U. Sixth Grade Cup: T. J. FRASER (capt.).

Cadet Awards—Best Platoon (cup): Band No. 1, Sgt. P. T. EDWARDS. Best N.C.O. (cup): Sgt. P. S. BEACHMAN.

Shooting—Junior Champion (cup): No award. Senior Champion (shield): K. E. SQUIRES. .303 (shell case): J. R. BLUE. Inter-Form Shield: Not awarded.

Gymnastics—Inter 3rd Form Cup (John Page Memorial Cup): IIIB D. C. COX. Junior Champion (cup and Y.M.C.A. Scholarship): W. W. BATES. Intermediate Champion (Nicholson cup and Y.M.C.A. Scholarship): W. W. WHITLEY. Senior Champion (Mabson Cup and Y.M.C.A. Scholarship): A. G. WATERS.

Tennis—(Book Prizes): Junior Singles: N. C. CANTRICK. Junior Doubles: J. R. HURRING and B. C. THOMAS. Senior Singles: J. E. S. JENKINSON. Senior Doubles: R. J. GOODALL and D. A. HOLDEN.

Fives—(Book Prizes): Junior Singles: J. F. HENDERSON. Junior Doubles: C. McMILLAN and J. F. HENDERSON. Senior Singles: R. C. MORETON. Senior Doubles: A. J. GLENNIE and J. LITTLE-JOHN.

Boxing—Senior Champion: M. B. HOFFMAN. Most Scientific Senior Boxer (Frost Cup): B. A. McNAUGHTON. Most Scientific Junior Boxer (Black Cup): W. J. KITSON.

Badminton—Singles Champion: D. A. HOLDEN.

Hockey—Lewis Shield: Intermediate Grade, D. HAY.

Basketball—Junior League S.B.H.S.: R. Peterson.

Band Prizes—Junior Drummer: R. J. WHITCHURCH. Senior Drummer: B. S. DAWSON. Junior Bugler: R. A. J. SMITH. Senior Bugler: A. C. RUSSELL.

Jules Tapper Memorial Prize—(Best all-round sporting record): E. R. CURRIE, R. C. MORETON, M. B. HOFFMAN.

Royal Life Saving Society (Southland Branch)—Most Improved Junior Boy: A. D. KITSON. Most Improved Senior Boy: B. C. COCHRAN.

Singing—Unbroken Voices (Mr H. W. Farley's prize): A. B. BLACKMORE. Broken Voices (Mr Ritchie Fraser's prize): P. S. A. HURD.

Chess Club Champion (cup)—J. S. MILNE.

Public Speaking—Junior (Professor John Collie's prize): S. BROWN. Senior (T. D. Pearce Memorial prize): W. N. REID.

1958 Prefects' Cup (Essay Competition)—C. W. CHILDS.

Library Prizes—R. J. FAULKNER, D. F. GRAY.

French—French Legation Prize: J. A. McDIARMID.

Best All Round IVth Former—(1950 Prefects' Cup): J. F. HENDERSON IVA.

Deschler Cup—(Physical and Scholastic Improvement): A. T. RACKLEY.

Uttley Cup—(Inter House Competition in Athletics, Swimming, Games, Shooting and Gymnastics): SCHOOL HOUSE, P. S. BEACHMAN.

Head Prefect—(Award on basis of character and leadership): J. P. McMECHAN.

FORM PRIZES, 1958.

FORM III.D

Certificates of Merit: K. A. MAXWELL—1st Woodwork. D. E. LITTLE—1st Science. D. E. SKERRITT—1st equal English. T. A. SMITH—1st equal English.

Prizes for Merit: R. N. COLYER—3rd Aggregate. N. J. SCARLET—1st Mathematics, 2nd Aggregate. B. C. THOMAS—3rd Woodwork, 2nd Mathematics, 2nd Science, 1st Social Studies, 1st Aggregate.

FORM III.C

Certificates of Merit: G. G. EXCELL—1st Mathematics. L. J. MONK—1st English. J. L. ANGLEM—3rd English, 2nd III Art. A. D. COOK—2nd Woodwork, 2nd Book-keeping. E. D. MILLER—3rd Woodwork, 1st Science.

Prizes for Merit: B. E. CAMPBELL—For Effort. A. D. COLLIE—3rd III.B French, 3rd Aggregate. N. C. CANTRICK—1st Social Studies, 2nd Aggregate. P. J. McNEILL—2nd Science, 1st III Agriculture, 1st Woodwork, 1st Aggregate.

FORM III.B

Certificates of Merit: G. ALLAN—1st Woodwork. A. D. KITSON—1st French. H. P. CLARK—1st English, 3rd Social Studies.

Prizes for Merit: B. S. ALEXANDER—1st Science, 3rd Aggregate. T. J. THOMAS—1st equal Mathematics, 2nd III.A Commercial. K. D. SAMPSON—1st Social Studies, 2nd Science. D. J. FALLOW—1st equal Mathematics, 2nd Aggregate. W. W. BATES—2nd English, 2nd Social Studies, 1st Aggregate.

FORM III.A

Certificates of Merit: L. M. HOFFMAN—1st III Art. M. W. MORELAND—3rd equal Woodwork, 3rd Commercial. J. D. DICKSON—2nd Woodwork, 2nd equal Social Studies.

Prizes for Merit: J. A. McDIARMID—2nd Social Studies, 1st English, 1st French. J. A. SMILLIE—3rd equal Science, 1st Social Studies, 3rd Aggregate. S. A. CATHCART—2nd Science, 2nd Mathematics, 1st Woodwork, 1st Commercial, 2nd Aggregate. H. J. KITTO—3rd English, 2nd French, 1st Mathematics, 1st Science, 1st Aggregate.

FORM IV.E

Certificates of Merit: A. D. MOUAT—1st Agriculture. A. M. PETRIE—1st Science. L. W. INSALL—3rd Mathematics, 2nd Social Studies.

Prizes for Merit: W. T. BRASH—3rd Woodwork, 3rd English, 2nd Agriculture, 2nd Science, 3rd Aggregate. K. J. BAKER—3rd Social Studies, 3rd equal Mathematics, 1st English, 2nd Aggregate. M. K. FRASER—3rd Science, 2nd Mathematics, 1st Social Studies, 1st Aggregate.

FORM IV.D

Certificates of Merit: M. C. de CLIFFORD—1st Wood-work.

Prizes for Merit: R. B. ROBERTSON—2nd Science, 1st IV Art. B. J. COLLINS—3rd Agriculture, 3rd Mathematics, 3rd Aggregate. D. J. SINCLAIR—3rd English, 3rd IV.B Book-keeping, Prize for Effort. T. E. WILSON—1st English, 1st Social Studies, 1st Mathematics, 2nd Aggregate. A. E. ADMORE—2nd Mathematics, 1st Science, 1st Aggregate.

FORM IV.C

Certificates of Merit: R. M. SINCLAIR—1st equal Social Studies. J. D. ROBERTSON—3rd Wood-work, 3rd IV Art. I. D. MCKENZIE—2nd Mathematics, 1st Science.

Prizes for Merit: H. H. CLARK—1st Woodwork, 1st English. M. G. S. EARL—3rd Social Studies, 2nd English, 3rd Aggregate. L. F. STRANG—3rd Science, 2nd equal English, 1st Mathematics, 2nd Aggregate. A. G. WILSON—1st IV.B Book-keeping, 1st equal Social Studies, 1st Science, 1st Aggregate.

FORM IV.B

Certificates of Merit: R. A. BAIRD—1st Social Studies. R. W. BICKLEY—1st French. H. D. SIMMERS—1st English. L. J. HAY—2nd Woodwork, 1st Mathematics.

Prizes for Merit: D. A. HARRINGTON—1st Wood-work, Best IVth Former Special Prize. W. E. DOLAN—3rd Mathematics, 2nd French, 3rd Aggregate. A. C. RUSSELL—1st Science, 1st equal Aggregate. M. P. GRANT—3rd Science, 2nd Social Studies, 1st equal Aggregate.

FORM IV.A

Certificates of Merit: C. J. CUTLER—1st Woodwork. R. J. WALKER—3rd Book-keeping, 2nd Commerical Practice.

Prizes for Merit: R. F. BARNES—1st IV Agriculture—McKinnon Prize. D. F. GRAY—2nd English, 1st Science. I. A. FOLSTER—1st Book-keeping, 1st Commercial Practice. R. A. J. SMITH—3rd French, 3rd Mathematics, 3rd Social Studies, 2nd

Science, 3rd Aggregate. J. F. HENDERSON—3rd Science, 3rd English, 2nd French, 2nd Mathematics, 1st Latin, 1st Social Studies, 2nd Aggregate. D. M. STEWART—3rd Woodwork, 2nd Social Studies, 1st Mathematics, 1st French, 1st English, 1st Aggregate.

FORM V.D

Certificates of Merit: R. J. MUNYARD—1st English. B. A. CHISHOLM—3rd Science, 1st Geography.

Prizes for Merit: C. D. LINDSAY—3rd English, 2nd Geography, 2nd History. D. B. PATTON—3rd equal Geography, 2nd English, 1st Science.

FORM V.C

Certificates of Merit: R. HUGHES—1st Geography. D. J. ROSS—1st V.D. History.

Prizes for Merit: D. R. WINTER—Prize for Effort. A. B. BLACKMORE—2nd V.A. Bookkeeping, 1st Mathematics. M. C. DRYDEN—2nd Science, 1st English. D. J. DARBY—2nd Geography, 1st V.B. French. W. R. HARRINGTON—2nd V. Agriculture, 1st Science.

FORM V.B

Certificates of Merit: K. L. ROUT—1st equal English. G. H. STEWART—1st equal English. A. R. HEMMINGSEN—1st Geography. C. H. CHIN—1st V.B. Bookkeeping. A. G. WATERS—1st V. Art. J. S. HOWSON—3rd French, 3rd equal Science. K. L. BORLAND—3rd equal Science.

Prizes for Merit: C. N. GILMOUR—2nd Science, 1st Commercial Practice, 1st Mathematics. A. A. MILLAR—3rd Vup Mathematics, 2nd Commercial Practice, 1st Bookkeeping, 1st Science.

FORM V.A

Certificates of Merit: J. W. S. LITTLEJOHN—1st History. W. F. SIMPSON—3rd History, 1st Geography.

Prizes for Merit: M. L. WENSLEY—1st V Agriculture, McKinnon Prize. I. R. DUNWOODIE—3rd French, 2nd History, 1st equal English. T. C. PETERS—3rd Geography, 1st Science, 1st Chemistry. C. R. WYNDHAM—3rd English, 3rd Chemistry, 2nd Geography, 2nd Mathematics, 2nd French, 1st Latin. R. J. WOOD—2nd Chemistry, 2nd Science, 1st Mathematics, 1st French, 1st equal English.

FORM V UPPER

Certificates of Merit: D. R. SMYTHE—3rd VB Geography, 2nd Mathematics. W. N. KINGSLAND—2nd VB Bookkeeping, 1st Mathematics.

Prizes for Merit: L. D. KING—1st History, 1st Geography. E. B. GILLER—1st English, 1st Science. B. A. BEDWELL—3rd VB Bookkeeping, 2nd VB Geography, 2nd History.

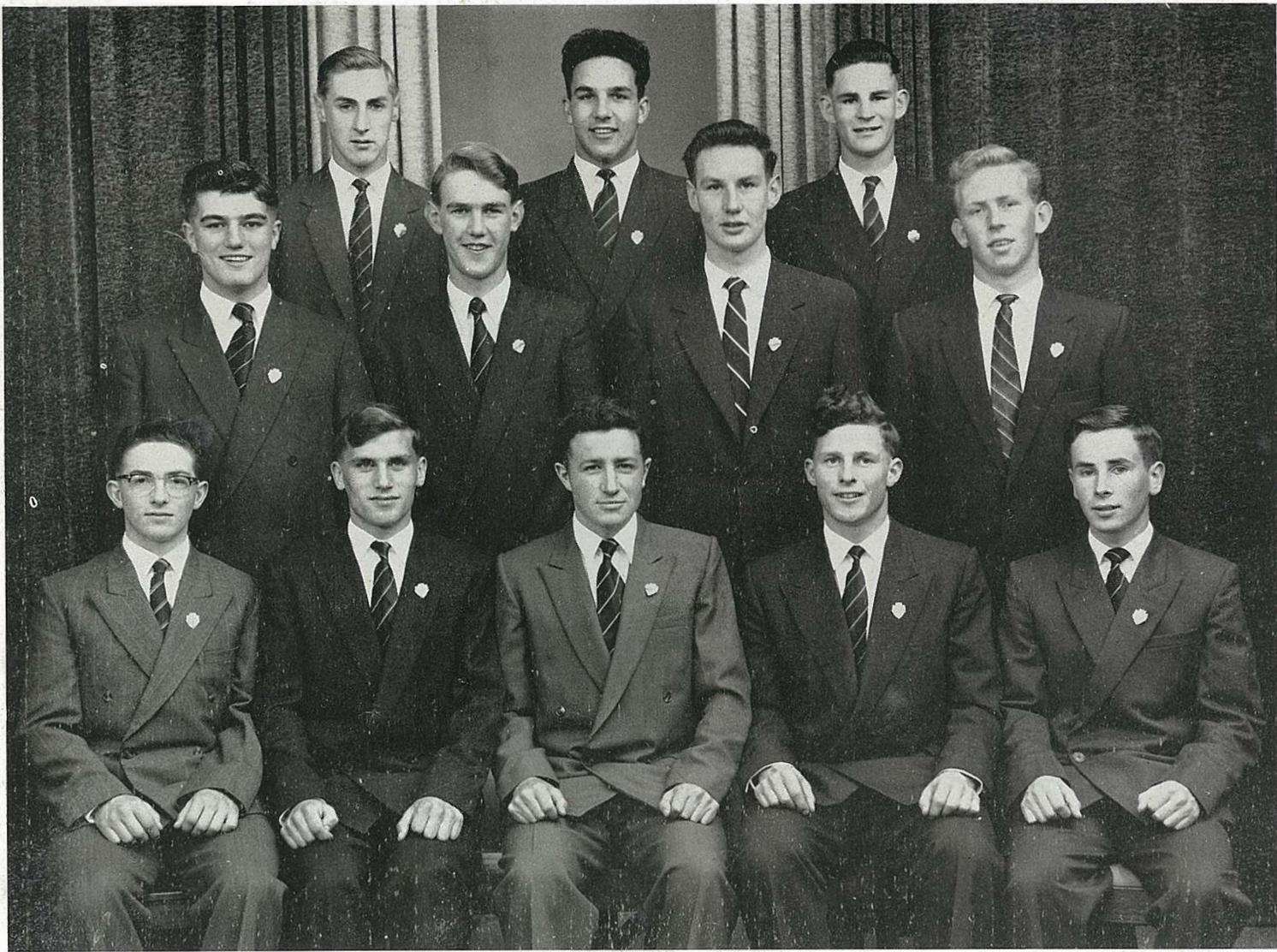
FORM LOWER VI.C

Certificates of Merit: D. B. WHELAN—1st English. D. B. WILLIAMS—1st Physics, B Group. J. G. BEACHMAN—3rd English, 2nd Geography.

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Certificates of Merit: R. L. BERNSTONE—1st Geography. T. D. THOMAS—3rd Physics, 2nd English. R. C. MORETON—2nd Bookkeeping, 2nd Mathematics.

Prize for Merit: G. E. PARRIS—1st Bookkeeping, 1st Mathematics.



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SCHOOL ROLL, 1959

FORM VIA

Bailey, B. W.
Bailey, C. D.
Bernstone, R. L.
Binnie, A. C.
Bonisch, N. J.
Childs, C. W.

Chisholm, A. R.
Deaker, M. R. B.
Faulkner, R. J.
Ferguson, D. M.
Galloway, D. J.
Graham, I. D.

Grant, A. B.
Greet, A. M.
Holden, D. A.
Kitto, S. G.
McMillan, G. T.

Milne, J. S.
Moreton, R. C.
Reid, J. J.
Sharp, D. C.
Smith, J. C.

Stewart, R. J.
Tattersfield, J. L.
Thomas, T. D.
Walker, G. L.
Young, D. R.

Anderson, A. G. N.
Blee, A. J.
Burt, T. J.
Dunwoodie, I. R.
Everett, L. J.
Greene, P. M.

Harrington, J. A.
Holloway, R. J.
Kelly, I. K.
Lane, M. J.
Littlejohn, J. W. F.

MacLean, D. S.
McKinnon, A. W.
McMillan, B. W.
Milburn, A. B.
Morton, R. D.

Nobbs, G. R. J.
Peters, T. C.
Richards, C. J.
Richards, N. W.
Simpson, W. F.

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Walker, D. A.
Weavers, W. J.
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Allott, R. M.
Armstrong, S. N.
Blakie, D. J.
Broomhall, B. S. C.

Dunlop, J. H.
Edwards, P. T.
George, G. W.
Henstock, W. D.

Knuckey, E. D.
McEwan, J. H.
McMillan, J. S.

Morris, D. W.
Rackley, A. T.
Scott, N. G.

Truscott, P. B.
*Whelan, D. B.
Wood, D. W.

Alexander, R. P.
Allison, M. J. R.
Bedwell, B. A.
Blackmore, A. B.
Booth, M. J.

Borland, K. L.
Boyer, B. C.
Canning, L. J. B.
Chin, C. H.
Clayton, M. M.

Dryden, M. C.
Finkle, D. M.
Foster, D. A.
*Gilmour, C. N.
Henderson, R. W.

Howson, J. S.
Jennings, A. M.
Lyver, I. J.
Matheson, J. C.
Millar, A. A.

Millard, K. H.
Mitchell, D. R.
Moyle, L. K.
Smythe, D. R.

Allott, A. D.
Beer, R. W.
Berragan, J. E.
Butson, C. R.
Cahill, T. J.
Chisholm, B. A.
Croad, R. N.

Darby, D. J.
Davidson, G. R.
Findlater, R. B.
Finnie, G.
Genge, G. L.
Henry, W. F.
Lamond, J. A.

Lindsay, C. D.
Lloyd, D. G.
Loudon, J. W.
McEwan, N. A.
McIlroy, J. L.
*McLean, M. A.
Mortimer, J. E.

Munyard, R. J.
Orbell, G. M.
Oughton, G. E.
Rosendahl, E. J.
Pollok, R. D. F.
Ross, J. D.
Rowland, E. J.

Rout, K. E.
Scott, D. M.
*Simpson, N. M.
Stewart, G. H.
Thomas, P. C.
Watson, J. W.

Barnes, R. F.
Bowie, I. S.
Bragg, L. M.
Brown, S. W.
Cutler, C. J.
Cutt, J. A.
*Collie, N.

Duval-Smith, P.
Elder, R. J.
Folster, I. A.
*Fraser, T. J.
Grant, R. K.
Gray, D. F.
Grey, N. S.

Henderson, J. F.
*James, N. A.
Little, P. S.
*Low, J. D.
McDonald, G. D.
McNeil, T. D.
Meldrum, J. D.

Mitchell, A. L.
Osborne, N. G.
O'Toole, J. C.
Peterson, A. R.
Rodda, N.
Smith, R. A. J.

Somerville, W. P.
Stewart, D. M.
Strang, N. R.
Walker, R. J.
Whitley, W. W.
Woodfield, A. E.

Anderson, H. J.
Baird, C. G.
Baird, R. A.
Bickley, R. W.
Chirnside, M. A.
Dolan, W. E.
Edgar, J. D.

Edginton, E. B.
Edlin, R. N.
*Fraser, J. P.
Giller, H. R.
Graham, L. H.
Grant, M. P.
Hamilton, C. A.

*Harrington, D. A.
Hay, L. J.
Hutton, C. L.
Kelaher, P. R.
Kerr, A. V.
*McDonald, G. A.
McEwan, P. J.

McNair, P. A.
*McRae, A. F.
McQueen, R. G.
Marshall, P. T.
*Peek, J. B.
Rillstone, N. C.
Robertson, N. A. I.

Russell, A. C.
Ryan, K. W.
*Simmers, H. D.
Smith, A. N.
Walker, B. F.
Whisker, D. J.
Whitchurch, R. J.

Admore, A. E.
*Baird, P. A.
*Blakely, E. F.
*Clarke, H. H.
*Collins, B. J.
Earl, M. G. S.
*Hamilton, J. A.

Henderson, R. L.
Hewitson, W. P.
Jenkins, R. W.
Lilico, J.
*McKenzie, D. H.
*McKenzie, I. D.
McMillan, C. A. N.

Maclean, S. W.
Mitchell, A. W. L.
Robertson, J. D.
Rumler, D. F.
Shand, J. F.
*Shelton, R. H.

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Smith, B. J.
*Smith, P. R.
Strang, L. F.
Wicks, G. E.
Wilkes, T. J.

Wills, M. G.
Wilson, A. G.
*Wilson, A. H. T.
*Wilson, M. J.
Wilson, T. E.
Young, B. C.

FORM VD

Baker, K. J.	*Dean, A. J.	Kerr, W. A.	*Mouat, I. D.	Robertson, W. A.
Bensley, G. F.	Fraser, M. K.	Mackenzie, I. D.	Officer, J. A.	Staite, E. T.
*Brash, W. T.	Gordon, J. F.	Maguire, B. S.	Petrie, A. M.	Thompson, R. D.
*Burnett, R. B.	*Henderson, E. W.	Milne, D. L.	Remnant, G. H.	Trotter, J. G.
Carrick, D. H.	Holland, R. J.	Mitchell, K. J.	Robertson, B. B.	Welsh, D. F.
Clark G. G.	*Little, R. P.	Munroe, A. J.	Robertson, R. B.	

FORM IVA

Bates, W. W.	*Dumbleton, D. L.	Lamb, B. A. E.	Newey, A. B.	Sharfe, G. R.
*Brisco, C. H.	Evans, L. M.	Leighton, N. D.	Ritchie, R. B.	Shirley, J. C.
Cambridge, A. C.	Fallow, D. J. E.	Lyness, J. S.	Rosendahl, A. B.	Simmers, G. P.
Cathcart, S. A.	Ferguson, I. F.	McDiarmid, J. A.	Seilis, J. P.	Smillie, J. A.
*Cochran, J. C.	Hoffman, L. M.	Mason, P. A.	Semmens, K. D.	Stewart, B. J.
Deimel, G. F.	Kitson, A. D.	Meredith, A. D.	*Shand, W. F.	Webster, J. D. S.
Dickson, J. D.	Kitto, H. J.	Morland, M. W.		

FORM IVB

Alexander, B. S.	Conner, B. A.	Henderson, R. F.	Manson, D. J.	Simes, G. R.
Anderson, A. D.	Cox, D. C.	Longman, F. A.	Manson, S. B.	Simon, R. B.
Beattie, C.	Dennis, A. G.	Mackie, A. L.	Morrison, W. R.	*Simpson, A. G.
Burgess, T. W.	Denton, B. H.	McSkimming, N. S.	Murray, S. R.	Stenton, K. C.
Butkus, G. J.	Gibson, B.	Macdonald, K. A.	*Sampson, K. D.	Thomas, T. J.
Cantrick, N. C.	*Hall, J. A.	McLean, A. H.	Shanks, R. A.	Wallace, R. C.
Clark, H. P.				

FORM IVC

*Allan, G.	Clark, G. B.	*Excell, G. G.	Monk, L. T.	Sutton, J. F. D.
Anglem, J. L.	Collie, A. D.	Hartstone, R. C.	Munro, R. B.	*Watson, B. L.
*Ayton, P. W.	Colyer, R. N.	Henderson, A. L.	Munro, S. G.	Wright, J. W.
Brown, R. M.	*Cook, A. D.	Keiller, W. J.	Proctor, B.	*Wilson, N. J.
Bunn, A. G.	Edginton, A. L.	McDonald, D. J.	Rae, W. M.	Young, L. W.
Campbell, B. E.	Elder, J. J.	Miller, E. D.	Skerrett, P. W.	

FORM IVD

Arnott, S. A.	Green, R. M.	Johnston, W. B.	*Maxwell, K. A.	Smith, T. R.
Blaikie, M. J.	*Hamilton, L. K.	Keen, J. W.	Middlemass, O.	Stanley, R. J.
Caird, T. G.	Hayes, M. H.	*King, E. G.	Murdoch, K. J.	Thomas, B. C.
Calder, J. A.	*Hogg, R. W. J.	Little, B. W.	*Scarlett, M. J.	Wheeler, J. L.
Carr, H.	Hurring, J. R.	Little, D. E.	Shieffelbein, W. J.	*Woodd, P. B.
Gilbertson, O. T.	*Jardine, G. A.	Low, W. A.	Skerrett, D. E.	

FORM IIIA

Adam, D. A.	Dakin, S. R.	Hazlemore, R. M.	McKerchar, A. I.	Tattersfield, G. W.
Adams, P. V.	Dunlop, G. L.	Houliston, J. A.	McQueen, G. F.	Treweek, I. S.
Allott, K. N. A.	Dynes, P. J.	Hughes, B. J.	Millard, I. R.	von Tunzelman,
Anderson, M. R.	Edlin, J. B.	Kerr, J. C.	Poole, R. G.	A. G.
Beal, A. S.	Elder, D. E.	Littlejohn, A. I.	Pratt, C. H.	Williams, R. G.
Bemrose, B. V. M.	Fitzgerald, A. G.	Livingstone, L. B.	Tapper, R. Y.	Willis, E. G.
Boyd, J. A.	Grant, S. N.	*Low, R. A.		

FORM IIIB

*Collie, O. W.	Hall, R. W.	Lilico, D. F.	Pentecost, W. F.	*Taylor, A. F.
Dean, B. F.	Haywood, D. E.	McCurdy, R. L.	Phillips, S. M.	Tuffrey, J. V.
Driver, G. R.	Henderson, W. J.	McLean, A. J.	*Robertson, K. I. J.	Weeds, B. J.
Ferguson, G. S.	*Hughes, C.	Maclean, R. J.	Rudkin, R. B.	Williams, S. C.
Geddes, D. E.	Johnson, D. C.	Miller, P. A.	*Sterling, N. W. I.	Wilson, B. D.
Grenfell, J. D.	Lawrie, G. C. G.	Munro, R. J. S.	Stringer, E. A.	*Wright, D. H.
Graham, B. E.				

FORM III C

Allan, G. D.	Buckingham, M. L.	Finkle, P. S.	Rutherford, J.	*Stewart, M. G.
Amos, P. A.	*Campbell, A. D.	Henderson, N. J.	Sangster, R. L.	Telfer, L. C.
Armstrong, K. J.	*Carr, R. A.	Kerr, M. L.	Savory, S. J.	Wallace, J. M.
Bailey, A. A.	Carswell, C. C.	McEwan, R. L.	Schonyan, O. R.	*Watts, D. C.
Bishop, J. H.	Coker, J. C.	Monk, R. F.	Sim, G. D	Wood, R. C.
Broomhall, M. N.	Darby, W. D.	Nicholson, K. A.	Skerrett, V. I.	Wright, J. A.
Bryson, G. L.	Duthie, K.	Pratt, N. C.	Stevens, J. C. G.	

FORM III D

Allott, W. S.	Everett, R. L.	Herbert, D. W.	Moreton, I. G.	*Soper, M. J.
*Anderson, N. T.	*Gibson, J. W.	Johnston, K. W. H.	Proctor, J. S.	Sutherland, K.
Buick, A. R.	Gimblett, A. F.	Lawson, R. J.	Pryce, A. M.	Udy, J. R.
Burgess, P. W.	Grant, W. D.	*McDonald, D. L.	Rattray, P. J.	Williams, I. J.
Campbell, B. F.	Guttry, W. T.	McKinnon, D. M.	Riley, P. R.	Wilson, J.
Davis, R. L.	Halpin, M. J.	Melrose, W. D.	Robson, R. B.	Wilson, R. M.
*Due, D. F.				

FORM III E

Bevin, L. J.	Forde, R. F.	McKenzie, N. G.	*Pope, O. J.	Smart, L.
Brown, H. F.	Fraser, D. W.	*McLees, A. H.	Pryde, D. G.	Stuckey, N. R.
Carr, D. M.	Graham, P. J. M.	McLeod, K. J.	Ridell, J. S.	*Sutherland, N. L.
*Clark, W. H.	*Irwin, R. C.	Mortimer, R. E. C.	Riley, K. G.	*Taylor, L. A.
Cook, P. J.	Kelly, J. R.	*Mouat, M. G.	Scott, S. C.	Woon, M. B.
Dronsfeld, A. M.	Kynaston, R. J.	Muir, A. T.	Scott, S. K. J.	*Denotes Coldstream
Elliott, T.	McDougall, J. W.	*Plunkett, J. W.		



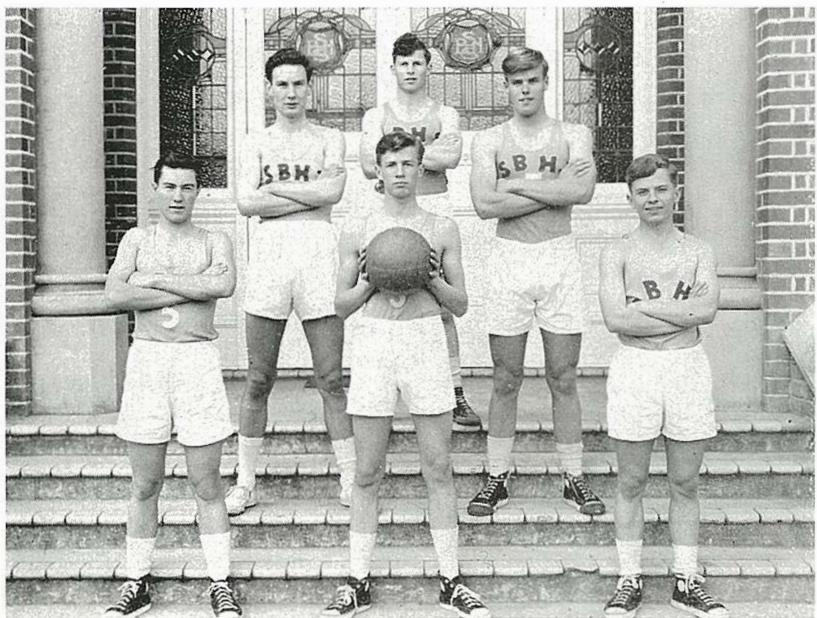
First Cricket Eleven, 1959.

Back: T. J. Fraser, S. W. Brown, J. W. Loudon, P. B. Truscott, D. C. Sharp.
Front: C. W. Childs, D. G. Lloyd, R. C. Moreton (Capt.), A. B. Milburn, K. J. Baker, A. B. Grant.



First Soccer Eleven, 1959.

Back : R. N. Croad, J. S. McMillan, K. E. Rout, R. J. Holloway, C. D. Lindsay,
M. J. Lane.
Front : K. J. Baker, G. Wicks, C. H. Chin, A. T. Rackley (capt.), B. S. Broomhall,
G. R. Davidson, D. J. Darby.



First Basketball Team, 1959.

Back : A. T. Rackley, R. C. Moreton, J. H. Dunlop.
Front : B. S. Broomhall, D. C. Sharp (capt.), G. R. Nobbs.
Absent : D. R. Young.

SCHOOL DIARY, 1959

"One of the best things in the world to be is a schoolboy; it requires no experience, but needs some practice to be a good one."

FIRST TERM FEBRUARY

Mon. 2nd: The usual looking flock of 3rd Formers arrives. "You can lead a boy to school but you cannot make him think!"

Tues. 3rd: The veterans return and it's wet again for the start of barracks week. However, we quickly fall into the run of things and begin to feel, one and all, that: "No man needs a vacation more than the man who has just had one."

Thurs. 5th: These textbooks come to you with the compliments of the Southland Education Board Company Ltd.—free gratis and for nothing.

Fri. 6th. Fifth and Sixth Formers at the Otatara range.

Wed. 11th: Barracks Week is brought to a successful conclusion with a most impressive "Passing-Out" Parade. The salute was taken this year by Colonel D. F. Leckie. "A Jolly Good Show," and all that.

Thurs. 12th: The whole school goes to the Civic Theatre to see the New Zealand Players' production, "The Importance of Being Earnest" by Oscar Wilde. It was most enjoyable but, earlier this morning we heard: "You are here to work." "Work is the greatest thing in the world so we should always save some of it for tomorrow."

Fri. 13th: The Traffic Inspectors lecture at school and tell us how not to drive our fathers' cars. The prefects were appointed this morning; less said the better. "May all their faults be forgiven; and may they be wafted to bliss like little cherub boys, all head and wings and no bottoms to reproach them."

Thurs. and Fri., 19th and 20th: The First Eleven plays O.B.H.S. at Dunedin and is defeated by 8 wickets.

Mon. 23rd: The new style of service is adopted for Assembly.

Wed. 25th: Our faces are captured for posterity in the Form Photographs.

MARCH

Tues. 3rd: School singing recommences in the hall "O Hark Ye Herald Angels Sing?" No.

Wed. 4th: The Athletic Sports are held in beautiful conditions and prove extremely successful. School House won again, of course, and the Girls' High Prefects were there again, of course. (We had a lovely quote here but our respectability got the better of us). Moreton and Henstock won the Senior Championship, James the Intermediate, Bates the Junior, and Riley the under-14.

Thurs. 5th: The miles are run off this morning, together with the house relays for which there was not time yesterday. Blue won the senior relay and School triumphed in the intermediate, junior and under-14.

Tues. 10th: Today it's our turn to be entertained and the upper sixth and prefects nonchalantly rush to Rugby Park to watch the Girls' High sports. We saw and we heard, but mostly we heard—they

were one big scream! However, we gratefully attended an enjoyable dance in the Girls' High School at night.

Tues. and Wed., 17th and 18th: Despite Moreton's fine, undefeated century when he was suffering from appendicitis, the First Eleven drew with Kings on the school grounds in rather unpleasant conditions. A voice in the crowd was heard to say, "I don't play cricket because it requires me to assume such indecent postures." The score-book tells us that this is the first time in 33 years that two centuries have been scored in an inter-school game.

Tues. 24th: Winter is icumen in. The sweat-and-blood boys begin the season's slaughter with gasps and groans that tear at everybody's hearts—except those of their coaches. Survival of the fittest (or the most unscrupulous?)

Easter: Members of the school tramping club visit the Eyre Mountains for four days.

APRIL

Mon. 6th: With a slightly greater number of entries than in past years, the Swimming Sports this year were extremely successful. White house at last achieved the "impossible" in upsetting blue's 8-year-old unbeaten record to win the house competition. The entertaining ribbon-dive received an unexpected entry when Faulkner dropped in, feeling an awful drip.

Wed. 8th: The inspectors drop in too, to see how we're getting on. They stay till Friday 10th.

Sat. 11th and Sun. 12th: The School Tramping Club and the Upper 6th Geography class drag Mr. Ryder up the Remarkables. The party enjoyed a beautifully clear and almost uninterrupted view of the surrounding cloud. "I enjoy long walks, especially when they are taken by people who annoy me."

Fri. 24th: The School Anzac Service is held in the Hall with Mr. Hewat as speaker. This year, Old Boys laid the wreaths.

Mon. 27th: Every boy in the school is overjoyed to receive a magnificent 200 page copy of White's Aviation photographic survey of Southland, worth £3/3/- but given to us free by the Southland Building Society. This was to celebrate the 90th birthday of the Society.

MAY

Mon. 4th: The singing competitions are held in the hall with McMillan winning the senior and Rosendahl the junior. "A song is the licensed medium for bawling in public things too silly or sacred to be uttered in ordinary speech."

Tues. 5th: Officials from the Post Office display, in the hall, the mysterious workings of the automatic telephone exchange.

Thurs. 7th: Mr. Bristow Senior leaves us to take up his position as Headmaster of the Queenstown District High School. At night, the prefects hold their first dance of the year with Corso as the excuse. A few people were seen to enjoy themselves.

Fri. 8th: School breaks up before we break down.

SECOND TERM

Tues. 26th: We return to find our beloved school with a becoming coating of snow. It was announced that snow-balls were not to be thrown inside.

JUNE

Mon. 1st: Queen's Birthday Holiday. "Many happy returns, Queen."

Tues. 2nd: The Drama Club presents three one-act plays to a full house in the hall at night. They were "Queer Street," "The Gold Mime" and "The Ghost of Jerry Bundler" and showed great promise for future productions.

Fri. 6th: The cream of the school aren't. "The denunciation of the young is a necessary part of the hygiene of older people and greatly assists the circulation of the blood." Workmen are seen around the school for the next few weeks. "They also serve who only stand and paint."

Mon. 8th: Haka practices begin. Red-faced and hoarse prefects entertain the juniors with their convulsive antics in the quadrangle.

Wed. 10th: The first inter-school Rugby match of the season is played between the 2nd fifteen and Gore High School 1st Fifteen, on a very muddy ground.

Wed. 24th: The 1st XV overwhelms Otago B.H.S. by 44-0 on Rugby Park in their first inter-school fixture. 44 to nil . . . roll on Waitaki! The second fifteen was also victorious at Tweed Street, winning by 18-3. "There was a sound of revelry by night" in the hall when a very successful dance was held. So that's what they were saving their energy for . . .

Fri. 26: The New Zealand Players Quartette visits the school for the third time in recent years, to present "Comedy Through the Ages." "All tragedies are finished by death; all comedies are ended by marriage."

JULY

Wed. 8th: Waitaki 1st and 2nd Fifteens arrive. The matches have to be played on the school grounds because of the condition of Rugby Park. The 2nd's may have been unlucky to lose by 8-3 but then the 1st XV again showed top form to defeat the visitors 17-0. Better and better . . .

Thurs. 9th: The Rector congratulates Sharp and Nobbs on being selected for the Southland Indoor Basketball Team.

Sat. 18th: A school party of 115 travels by bus to Dunedin for the 1st test versus the British Isles team.

Mon. 20th: This year's Otaki Scholar, Alexander Morrice, visits the school at Assembly and tells us very pleasantly that New Zealanders can't play Rugby. Maybe he's right.

Tues. 21st: Annual Ball held. A smaller number than usual, perhaps, but still very enjoyable. People who should know said the decorations, which were on a Swiss theme, were the best in years. The controversial Guaranteed Partners-Guidance Company operated effectively in the top corridor.

"Love is a conflict between reflexes and reflections."

Wed. 29th: The "indefatigable," "world-beating" "Firstest" XV for years, travels to Dunedin and is defeated by Kings, 11-3.
"Sometime let terrible tragedy come sweeping by, In sceptred pall" . . . but not now!

AUGUST

Mon. 3rd: Examinations begin and continue for a week.

"Examinations are formidable even to the best prepared, for the greatest fool may ask more than the wisest man can answer."

Thurs. 6th: The House Football competitions are held on hard grounds in hot conditions. After gruelling matches, White House run out winners. We all collapse, Deaker harder than most of us, but all manage to survive till the Girls' High Ball. It was most enjoyable but the girls all agree that our decorations were better than theirs . . . ?

Mon. 10th: A School party of 72 goes to hear the Vienna Boys' Choir in the Civic Theatre. "Voonce a cholly svagmon pass by uh beelleep-bong . . . "

Wed. 13th: The first night of the Drama Club's major production for 1959, "Morning Departure." It is acclaimed by one and all as the best school dramatic effort in years. It continues before packed houses until Friday night.

Fri. 15th: Four prefects visit Anderson Park Art Gallery and, after much deliberation, return with their tongues in their cheeks and "Backyard Deluge" by Frank Gross. This is to be the 1959 contribution to the school's well-known and expanding art collection.

Sat. 16th: The First Fifteen leaves for Timaru to play their final inter-school match. It is played on Monday and we defeat Timaru B.H.S., at Timaru, for the first time in 28 years—26-0. Why, oh, why, "Kings?"

Tues. 19th: The Boys play the Staff at Indoor Basketball on the outdoor court. Rough youth triumphs over experience and subtlety.

Wed. 20th: The boys of the School have the audacity to challenge the combined Staff and Prefects to a game of "Rugby." The result, together with Mr Braithwaite's whistle, seemed to get lost in the mud. When interviewed afterwards, several members of the staff seemed to have a feeling similar to that of a certain Peter Jones. "Boys will be boys, and so will a lot of middle-aged men."

Thurs. 21st: D. R. Young of the Upper 6th leaves us to go to the U.S.A. on a Field Service Scholarship.

Boxing Championships held in the Hall at night before the bloodier-minded members of the school and public. One competitor from the senior school was heard to say: "By a sudden and adroit movement I placed my left eye against his fist." Borland won the heavyweight division by sheer brute strength and determination. The performance of the younger competitors seems to indicate that boxing as a sport in the school may soon be stronger than ever. Horrible thought.

THIRD TERM

Tues. 15th: School begins for the final, and to many, the most important term. "Spring has set in with its usual severity."

Tues. 22nd: The Public Speaking Competitions are held in the afternoon before Mr D. Howorth. This year, the whole school was there to enjoy them, together. Simpson won the Senior and Allott the Junior. We have decided that three things matter in a speech: Who says it, how he says it, and what he says; and of the three, the last matters the least.

Wed. 23rd: The Round-the-Park "races" were held this morning. Odds on favourite, Henstock, loped round the course to win the Senior in 12mins. 37secs. The rest of us finished in time to crawl to Rugby Park to say Goodbye to the Ranfurly Shield.

Thurs. 24th: Drill restarts for the Third term. "You'll never have a quiet world till you knock the spirit out of the human race."

Sat. 26th: Our school teams do very well in the Inter-Secondary Schools Cross Country events at the Racecourse—Stewart now has a deep feeling of compassion for racehorses.

Tues. 29th: Shooting begins on our reconstructed range at school. It is no longer safe to bike down the back track and the opossums have begun their mass migration.

OCTOBER

Thurs. 8th: After a week's postponement for bad weather, the sports photographs are taken on the front lawn.

LOOKING BACK

1940: "At the end of the second term, Blaikie with Mr. Robins at the piano, conducted a community sing in aid of the First Fifteen travelling fund. This had its riotous moments which were thoroughly enjoyed by everyone."

"The caretaker and groundsman, Mr. R. Lepper, took leave of absence indefinitely from the outbreak of war, to act as a staff sergeant-major at Army Headquarters."

"It seems to be generally agreed upon that the 1939 dances were "the best yet" so that on each occasion 'a good time was had by all.'"

"It is pleasant to record that after an interval of some years the pavilion and armoury have been painted in cream and green and necessary repairs carried out."

1942: "Messrs Oscar Natzke and Peate, accompanied by Mr. Henri Penn, in return for the choir's best efforts, sang for the school. This was a most enjoyable half-hour."

"The first fifteen showed every promise of being a really first-class side. It had height, weight and speed all leavened with a good deal of experience; unfortunately their season generally was disappointing . . ."

1942: "Chaplain Captain N. Sansom sings splendidly to the choir."

Fri. 9th: A Friday night dance was attempted for the first time this year. Due to examinations, etc., etc. . . . We would like to thank the 5th forms of S.G.H.S. for turning out so well, anyway.

Sat. 10th: The Interschool Tennis Tournament is held at Surrey Park with school dominating the events at usual.

Mon. 12th: The Fives Championships begin.

Thurs. 22nd: A Vulcan bomber flies over the city and adds its distinctive shape to those of the Deepfreeze planes with which Invercargill has recently been invaded.

Fri. 23rd: The "Southlandian" goes to press . . . at last.

NOVEMBER

Fri. 13th !!: The accrediting list is announced. "We're just going to pray for you, but with no very lively hope of success."

Wed. 18th: The start of the School Certificate examinations. "Three things have we; knowledge, preparation, and hope, but the greatest of these is hope."

? : University Entrance begins.
"Shakespeare was a dramatist of note who lived by writing things to quote."

Mon. 30th: Start of Scholarship examinations.

DECEMBER

Wed. 9th: The school Break-up and Prize-giving ceremony. For those who are leaving, Goodbye; for those who aren't, six whole weeks!

"Slit trenches appear. Shall we ever use them?"

1943: "The laboratory apparatus arrives. Much rejoicing in VIth."

"A stage table, a gift from the board, is a promising addition to the hall furniture."

1944: "On returning in the second term we find that several army huts have been erected near the fives courts."

"For some time now a calf has been enhancing the appearance of the front lawn. He is a very well-mannered, clean sort of calf and is growing very fat from the rich grass. He seems pleasantly oblivious of the fact that meat is rationed."

"This year the Girls' High decided to hold their dance in our hall, and as a special privilege the VI^{ths} and the prefects were allowed to do all the preparations."

1946: "We are informed about the standard sports coat for the School, and we are now going to look like one big family."

"The painting of the pavilion commenced. Boys of VI^B seem to prefer the job to their Science Periods."

"Haagen Holenberg gives a pianoforte recital in the hall and, much to the audiences amusement, retires to wash his hands."

"Genuine Indian conjurer performs before a large audience in the dinner hour."

DEPARTURE OF MR DREES

The retirement of Mr Drees this year, 1959, ends an association with the School which began in 1925. To work in one school for 34 years is to give half a lifetime to it; and that is the kind of service now growing progressively rarer.

Mr Drees won a Junior National Scholarship from the Mornington school in Dunedin, the town where he was born. He followed this in strict logic by winning a Senior Scholarship two years later from the Otago Boys' High School, where he won also the Grey Russell Scholarship to Otago University. There he took his master's degree with Honours and won the Haydon Prize competed for throughout the University of New Zealand. In 1916 he decided to go to the Auckland Grammar School as an assistant master, remaining for two terms only, before returning to Dunedin to teach at the Otago Boys' High School and go through the Training College there. He set out for Dannervirke in 1921 and came south again to this School in 1925.

Mr Drees has carried his share of responsibilities. He spent many years in the cadet battalion, coached both the Cricket and Hockey Elevens, took a keen interest in the activities of the Stamp Club and accepted the complications of the Book Room in 1946.

It is unlikely that many schools enjoyed a greater efficiency in the arrival and distribution of their books and stationery. Always ensuring that he had several months' grace up his sleeve, he landed his books at the School with unfailing precision. Such mistakes as sometimes occurred were rarely of his making.

Mr Drees has been a President of the Southland Men's Hockey Association, the Southland Cricket Association and of the Old Boys' Cricket Club. He was also President of the Umpires' Association in its most palmy days and thus was an umpire of the M.C.C.-Otago match in Dunedin in 1947. He also possessed a tremendously wide knowledge of international cricket which he supplied to newspapers and periodicals.

His work in this School has come at last to an end. His retirement marks another break with the Southland Boys' High School of earlier days. We, too, can thus end this valedictory note where it began. To be a master of a school for half a lifetime is to be part of that permanence so necessary to balance the transient aspect of the scene—so many boys coming and going, rather like a tide. Those of us who remain—masters and boys alike—will gladly wish him a long, enjoyable retirement with good health and happy memories of the long years to keep him company.

AMERICAN FIELD SERVICE NEWS

The following are extracts from letters from Donald Young of the Upper Sixth who is spending a year in Olwein, Iowa, U.S.A., under the American Field Service exchange system.

"I left Auckland on Tuesday, August 25, on the 23,000-ton ship m.s. Johan van Oldenbarneveldt. In the A.F.S. contingent there were 23 Americans, 6 Australians and 22 New Zealanders. It was quite easy to lose track of the date as every day was similar to the next. In between meals we could swim in either of the ship's two swimming pools, or amuse ourselves with any of the other numerous deck sports available.

"On Sunday, August 30, after passing the beautiful island of Morea (called Bali Hai in the film "South Pacific"), we docked at Papeete, Tahiti. We decided to hire bicycles to tour the island but after being led astray by the French-speaking Tahitians, who, when asked where bicycles were for hire, pointed in any suitable direction and said, "Bicyclette 100 metres," we decided to hire a bus, a cutaway station-wagon.

With a pair of goggles which I borrowed from the natives, I swam out to a coral reef in the luke-warm sea. On the bus trip we passed poverty-stricken but picturesque villages of flax-matted homes, numerous hens, waterfalls, and saw a beautiful sunset.

On September 7 we crossed the Equator. The ship did not hold a 'crossing-the-line' ceremony, due to the number of broken arms and legs in the last crossing, but the American A.F.S. kids made sure that all the Aussies and Kiwis were well and truly ducked.

On September 12 we arrived at Balboa, the beginning of the Panama Canal. We went shopping in Panama City and found that everything purchased had to be bargained for. I was asked 4 dollars for a set of beads but finally got them for 1 dollar. On the way back to the ship our taxi was stopped by an American cop. He drove a 1959 Plymouth and wore a revolver and a vicious looking baton on his belt. He copped the taxi-driver for overloading.

"For the actual journey through the Canal the weather was brilliantly sunny and very hot, but as soon as we reached Christobel, on the other side, a tropical thunderstorm broke. Here I had my first American hamburger, watched a baseball game for 60 entralling minutes, saw Krushchev speaking on his arrival and a church service, all on TV.

"On September 17 we arrived at Miami, Florida—America at last! We were driven around by some friends in a 1958 Caddy, along the beach front, past the most fabulous hotels and motels which stretched for miles along the coast, each one at least 5 stories high. After seeing some flamingoes and alligators and a few other exotic plants and animals, we went to Mr. Embree's home for tea. There we again had some hamburgers and watched TV and afterwards we all went for a swim in his fabulous indoor swimming pool.

"We left Miami by a DC7C plane for Chicago, the flight taking 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours. After stopping at Cedar Rapids we went from Chicago to my home, Olwein.

"My American family consists of Joanne, aged 20, Lee aged 23, and Barbara, aged 25. My father runs a bakery and has been in U.S.A. for 30 years now, originally from Germany. All in all, they are really a great family and I think I shall really enjoy myself this coming year.

"Olwein has a population of 9000 and I don't think the A.F.S. could have picked a town with so many teenagers resembling Invercargillites. As soon as I arrived in Olwein, I was whisked off to the local radio station for an interview, and directly after that, interviewed by a reporter from the daily paper.

"On Monday I had my first day at Olwein community High School. I found it very distracting, at first, to be in classes with girls, absolutely reeking of perfume and makeup. I am taking chemistry, speech (a course to help you in the art of public

speaking), American history, and American literature. The last two subjects were recommended by the A.F.S. so as to gain a better insight of America.

"From the first impression, everything in U.S.A. seems to go back to front—cars go down the wrong side of the road; you turn your light switch down to put the light off; you eat with just the fork in the right hand; and believe it or not, the water spins down the sink the other way round.

"On Saturday, October 2, I went with my "Pop" to Iowa City to see the Iowan University play California at football. It was really a terrific game (Iowa lost 10-14) and I'm now becoming quite a football fan. I had my first run at football last night and with all the padding I had on, I felt quite brave and reckless. I don't think it is as rough as Rugby although a little more thought is necessary.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

TRAMPING CLUB

The 1958-59 season opened ominously for the tramping club, at the Howden Huts during Labour Weekend. It was perhaps the biggest turnout of members, there being about seventeen present, and two days were spent in cramped conditions listening to the rain. There was little excitement; a fleeting visit to the Greenstone-Caples watershed at six thousand feet gave many of us our first view of the now notorious Caples Valley, and our patron Mr Hunter, with several boys, was unfortunately caught behind a rising waterfall, spending two miserable hungry days in an old hut.

In late December, two senior members spent a week in the Hooker Valley with an Alpine Club member and were lucky enough to climb the Low and Middle Peaks of Mount Cook, reaching just 150 feet below the summit of the High Peak, before retreating in a snowstorm.

During January, the season reached its peak in glorious weather. A. Anderson and party took full advantage of this spell during their trip up the Greenstone Valley from Wakatipu, and down the Hollyford to Hidden Falls Creek. This area was visited later in January by a party comprising A. Greet, J. Milne and R. Stewart, who spent a fortnight in the Central Darrans enjoying unsurpassable conditions for mountaineering. From two high camps several peaks were climbed, including two virgin summits, all in seven continuously cloudless days.

Soon after the commencement of school in February, the club was reformed under the patronage of Messrs Ryder and Ryan, with the following commit-

tee members: C. W. Childs, R. J. Stewart, J. S. Milne, P. Thomas, J. Matheson, G. MacDonald, A. Lowe. The new committee organized a training trip to Greenhills, and a large group made use of the senior boys' experience during a cloudless Sunday. Soon after this trip, R. Allott and party spent a weekend climbing Rocky Top and Mount Cuthbert, two prominent peaks in the Monowai area.

During Easter, three separate parties were active. C. Wyndham and party spent two days in good weather at Lake Hauroko; P. Thomas in company with the Southland Tramping Club visited the Wilkin Valley, a delightful open bush valley at the head of Lake Wanaka. The largest group, comprising six school members slogged up the Mataura Valley and from there ascended Eyre Peak (6530ft) and several other summits; also visiting the head of the valley.

A fortnight later, the club and the Upper Sixth geography class dragged the unsuspecting Mr Ryder up the Remarkables into a weekend of liquid misery. Apart from a trip to the Routeburn by Anderson, Berragan and Dryden during May, this was the last trip of the season. The new season has so far seen two early ascents of Mount Hamilton, one in fair weather, and one in foul.

It is with regret that we record the termination of Mr S. G. Hunter's unselfish efforts with the club during the past five years, and in doing so we would thank Mr Ryder for his enthusiasm during the present year.

CRUSADERS' NOTES

The Crusader Movement in N.Z. is quickly growing, and this year the S.B.H.S. Union held activities similar to those in 180 other Unions. Only two of last year's badge-holders returned this year (K. E. Rout and D. W. Wood), but four new badges were awarded during the year to D. M. Ferguson, R. J. Faulkner, I. R. Dunwoodie, I. R. Kelly.

Our main meetings were held on Tuesday, when Mr Roxburgh gave us helpful and interesting talks.

During the first term we had two missionary speakers, who told us of their work in Indonesia and Syria-Lebanon. We formed two parties to attend the local Billy Graham Crusade, and at the end of the term a combined "squash" was held with the S.T.C. boys. The annual rally and tea were held in the winter term, followed by films and a service. In the last week of that term "Doc" Martin—the N.Z.

travelling secretary came to school to give an interesting address.

The first camp held this year was at Wanaka, at the end of January, and some of our members enjoyed a typical Crusader Camp. The May Camp was not held, but three were held in the August holidays. A badge-holders' mixed camp was held just out of Palmerston, and was a great success, as well as a boys' camp at Glencoe, and a ski camp at Mt. Cook. Before Christmas a tramping camp will be held in the Mt. Earnslaw area, and this should prove as popular as the Wanaka camp.

This ended a full year, and sincere thanks go to Mr Roxburgh for his support and work, as well as to the Prefects who read our notices.—K.E.R.

YOUNG FARMERS' CLUB

Master in charge: Mr Smith.

Chairman: B. Chisholm.

Vice-Chairman: P. C. Thomas.

Secretary: N. Collie.

Treasurer: J. W. Watson.

Committee: B. Chisholm, P. C. Thomas, N. Collie, J. W. Watson, N. A. James, M. J. Wilson, R. Shelton.

This year the club was well received, having a membership of 27. Eleven meetings have so far been held. Lectures were given on stock health and fertilizers. Mr R. J. McLean, Nuffield Scholar, talked and showed slides on experiences in England. Mr Bennett showed slides on his six months in Nepal, and Mr R. J. Heenan, N.Z. champion ploughman, 1957,

THE LIBRARY, 1959

Senior Librarians: B. W. Bailey, C. D. Bailey, D. M. Ferguson, D. J. Galloway, I. R. Kelly, A. A. Millar, D. A. Walker and K. E. Rout.

Assistants: R. Beer, I. Dunwoodie, E. Rosendahl, I. Folster, J. Gordon, J. Hamilton, P. Little, P. McKewan, G. Remnant, D. Welsh, G. Butkas, A. Cathcart, A. Collie, J. Dickson, L. Evans, M. Hayes, W. Keiller, F. Longman, L. Monk, W. Morrison, G. Rosendahl, K. Sampson, K. Semmens, G. Simes, G. Simmers, G. Allan, N. Anderson, B. Bemrose, B. Campbell, D. Carr, B. Dean, R. Everett, G. Ferguson, W. Grant, W. Henderson, L. Livingstone, A. McLean, W. Melrose and J. Savory.

Displays Section: W. F. Simpson.

Head Librarian: R. J. Faulkner. Deputy Head: D. F. Gray.

This year has seen a return to normal conditions in the library. Over the past two or three years the fiction section has been built up to cater for all tastes and the whole library has been re-catalogued under the expert guidance of Mr D. E. Somers. Although Mr Somers' departure was a great loss we are fortunate in that the library is now under the capable leadership of Mr H. M. Harland as master-in-charge.

It is pleasing to note that a large majority of boys make regular use of the library. Issues over the past two years have remained static at approxi-

showed slides of parts of the U.S.A. Three debating meetings were also held.

The club entered a debating team in the Western Southland Y.F.C. draw, but lost to Technical in the first round.

Club members also took part in a stock judging field day held at the Showground, early in the year. Two members succeeded in getting places.

At the end of the first term Mr Smith arranged a farm safety demonstration at the Drill Hall and a trip to Makarewa Freezing Works.

Mr Waterston, Mr Smith and Mr Partridge are the club's advisory members and our thanks are due to Mr Smith for his valuable help and advice, and to Mr Waterston for the use of Room 17.

mately 12,000 which is double the figure for 1954 and over the same period the issues of books per boy has risen from 18 to 23. Excellent displays placed at strategic positions about the school by Simpson entice boys to the library while borrowers are encouraged to return books on time by an efficient system of charging for overdues operated by Kelly, Rout and Welsh.

During the year over 400 new books were added to the shelves, many of these being expensive additions to the science and social studies sections. As we cannot afford to replace all books which have fallen into a state of disrepair, we are indebted to the book binders under D. Foster who make a neat and serviceable job of repairing old books and binding paper covers and magazines. Our thanks goes to those who have donated books and we trust that the custom of donating a book (or books) to the library on leaving will continue.

In the first term the library was closed for ten days while the librarian's room was enlarged and lined. Now librarians have, at last, a room which provides pleasant working conditions. Finally, the school owes much to its librarians, who in their own time do a worthwhile job well.

elected to take his place. The darkroom was in constant use and a substantial amount of developer has been used throughout the year. With the introduction of a new competition, "Photo of the Week," club interest has grown and quite a number of good quality prints were received. It is hoped that this competition will be continued next year.

The result of this year's competition is:

First, K. Moyle 5 points; second equal Mortimer and J. Faulkner 3 points each.

CAMERA CLUB

This year has been a successful one for the club. Although the membership was small at the beginning of the year, it gradually grew until the club had a total of 25 financial members.

The opening meeting was held in March and drew a poor attendance of about 12 boys. However, a committee of five was elected:

J. J. Reid, K. L. Moyle, D. Little, W. Rae, J. F. Faulkner.

J. J. Reid was elected secretary-treasurer but he left school later in the term and K. L. Moyle was

DRAMA CLUB

Since the formation of the club last year, the drama club has progressed tremendously towards the principles of its constitution, namely "the encouragement of amateur drama among the boys of the school and the provision of facilities for this." One act plays have become very popular, especially among the juniors, as the major production is essentially a senior concern.

The first meeting was held on Tuesday 24th February and officers were elected. The following week, the first programme of one-actors was begun but were delayed until the second week of the middle term when they were produced on the 2nd June before a full house. Almost immediately, rehearsals were begun on the major production and these intensified as the term progressed.

At the commencement of the third term four more one-actors were begun for junior boys.

CHESS CLUB

The Chess Club held meetings throughout the second term in Room One. The change from the Library to Room One proved to be a big advantage as the players were no longer disturbed in their slow deliberations by noisy spectators. The membership is again small, but the number of juniors who belong, augurs well for the future. The meetings were held on Monday and the number of players able to attend was often reduced by sports practices.

SINGING NOTES

We were privileged to have as our judge at this year's school singing competitions, Mrs Lindsay, a singer well known in Invercargill. The competitions were held on the afternoon of Monday, 4th May and were well attended by visitors besides the usual den of critics. Once again there was a large number of entrants — nine in the unbroken voices section and six in the broken voices.

Mrs Lindsay, in summing up, expressed the hope that more boys would be up singing next year, while she realized that some of the singers were inexperienced and were singing solos in public for the first time. She warned them that vocal achievement came only after a long uphill fight. B. W. McMillan, the winning senior competitor was complimented on the quality of his bass voice which could, Mrs Lindsay suggested, become a great help to the city's music in a few years.

Results :

Unbroken Voices :

1. G. Rosendahl—"Danny Boy."

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The organization of the club has been strengthened by several amendments to our constitution, one especially of holding controlled monthly meetings. This has had several advantages as now the club is controlled as a body.

Club officers are:

President: Mr A. R. Dunlop.

Treasurer: Mr L. V. Blaikie.

Chairman: B. W. Bailey.

Secretary: W. F. Simpson.

Committee: I. R. Dunwoodie, B. W. McMillan, J. D. Edgar, M. Collie, W. J. Keiller, B. Deans.

Advisory Committee: R. J. Faulkner, J. C. Matheson, T. C. Peters.

The club, as a whole, is indebted to the careful and beneficial guidance of Mr A. R. Dunlop, and also to Mr Sansom, who spent many hours on the lighting and sets for our productions.

The school championships have not yet begun but they shold prove interesting. Some of the younger boys should be able to challenge the senior players for the cup.

The club's thanks must go to Mr Roxburgh for the interest and encouragement he has given the players.

2. A. Buick—"Piper from over the Way."
3. B. Wilson—"Ti-ti Torea."

Broken Voices :

1. B. McMillan—"When a Maiden Takes your Fancy."
2. A. Blee—"Requiem."
3. T. Peters—"Duna."

The first of a series of evenings planned by Mr McNamara to promote musical appreciation in the school was held on Thursday, 9th July. A disappointingly small number was addressed by Mr Walmsley on opera, showing its beginnings, types and components. He was assisted by the rendering of various excerpts from operas by Mrs June Robinson, Mrs Helen Lindsay and Mrs Mavis Martin. We are much indebted to these people for the work which they did to make the evening a success.

We should also like to express our appreciation for the very fine work done by Mr McNamara, assisted by Mrs V. Le Petit, in fostering music in the school.

SCIENCE CLUB

This year Mr. Martin conceived the idea of forming a Science Club in the School in which boys would have the opportunity of carrying out some scientific investigation and experiments outside the school syllabus. An initial meeting on the 2nd June was attended by 26 boys and the proposition was put forward. A representative committee of five was formed. Those elected were I. Kelly (president), J. O'Toole (vice-pres.), C. Wyndham (secretary), D. Galloway (dep.sec.), and D. Ferguson. These officers drew up a list of suggestions for projects to be conducted by individuals or by groups, and special periods were provided during the week for such activities.

THE BAND

Drum Major: P. T. Edwards.

Drum Sergeant: B. C. Boyes.

Bugle Sergeant: J. C. Matheson.

Drum Corporal: N. A. McEwan.

Bugle Corporal: B. A. Bedwell.

Drum L/Cpl.: B. W. Bailey.

Q.M. Sergeant: S. G. Kitto.

Compared with that of last year this year's band has had a busy time. The full band attended: the procession of international racing cars, the opening of the children's playground at Winton, the Grassmere Ratepayers carnival, Anzac Day ceremony, the dedication of the Memorial Grandstand at Winton, and the Girls' Life Brigade church parade. Groups of two buglers played at Riverton on Anzac Day, the

The club owes its thanks to Messrs Martin, Smith and Roxburgh for their keen interest and the valuable assistance they have given. It is perhaps unfortunate that most of the members to date have not started work on projects, but some good ones have been launched, such as two Van de Graaf generators, analysis of ores and a light-refraction demonstration model.

It is hoped that in years to come this new club will grow in membership and in interest.

Girls' High School play, the Remembrance Cup golf match at Otatara, and at the Battle of Britain ceremony. As far as parades are concerned, the attendance and standard of playing was most satisfactory.

Keeping up their expected high standard of marching and drill, the senior platoon won the Platoon Competitions last year for the second year in succession. The standard of playing amongst the last year boys is very pleasing and most promising at this stage appear to be Miller, Stringer and Kerr in the bugle section while Johnston and McKinnon should serve the drum section well in future years. The purchase of two new drums should also benefit this section of the band.

The band would like to thank Mr. Harland very much for his services during the year.

THE SPEECH COMPETITION

The Annual Public Speaking Contest was held on Tuesday, September 22nd. Once again, the services of Mr. Howarth were obtained, as judge; but this time the boys knew him well, because of his lucky escape from a much publicised aircraft crash earlier this winter. Mr. Dunlop acted as chairman. Perhaps the only disappointing feature was the scarcity of entries, and so, unlike last year's prodigious field, only three boys in the junior section and five in the senior, took the stand.

The judge indicated that the standard was higher than that of last year, but that there was still an alarming tendency for speakers merely to learn a procession of facts, and to recite them without expression.

DRAMA CLUB PRODUCTIONS

The drama club began its year with an evening programme of three one-act plays in the Hall on June 3rd. The first was produced by Brian Bailey with the Junior Drama Group. It was a farcical story of the domestic troubles of a Cockney burglar by J. D. Kelly, entitled "Queer Street." In it the third and fourth formers showed that they had a good grasp of the principles of acting.

The second play was a mime called "The Gold Mine," written and produced by Trevor Peters. It was in four scenes and with only three actors and a good

Juniors:
1st: K. N. A. Allott—"The Preservation of World Peace."

2nd: P. J. Dynes—"Nuclear Weapons."
3rd: H. J. Kitto—"The Hawaiian Islands."

Senior:
1st: W. F. Simpson—"All Blacks or All Whites."
2nd: B. W. Bailey—"Education and Our Modern Standards."

3rd: S. W. Brown—"Floating Bodies—Archimedes and his Principle."

Mention should also be made of I. D. Graham's fine effort in gaining third place in the Southland Provincial section of the Overseas League Annual Public Speaking Contest.

use of scenery, it proved clever and highly entertaining.

The Senior Drama Group under David Mitchell also presented the last one-acter, "The Ghost of Jerry Bundler" by Jacobs and Rock. It was probably the most thrilling play of the evening and an excellent use of lighting, together with some very good acting by Warren Simpson, Bruce McMillan, and Warren George, produced an atmosphere of tension and excitement the equal of much seen in outside productions.

A large and very appreciative audience of pupils and the public filled the Hall.

"MORNING DEPARTURE"

As their main production for 1959, the Drama Group chose Kenneth Woppard's naval drama, "Morning Departure," and presented it to three capacity houses in the School Hall on the nights of 11th, 12th, and 13th August. The play, which has an all-male cast, tells the story of a British submarine in World War II which strikes a mine and sinks in the English Channel. The obvious dramatic possibilities of this plot were well exploited by the cast, under the skilful direction of Mr. Bristow.

One of the greatest factors in the merit of the whole production was the ingenious design and thorough construction of the set, in which the confined area of the Hall stage was made to serve as three separate centres of action. Much of the credit for this must go to J. Faulkner, the Stage Manager.

The cast was well headed by Brian Bailey as the Commander of the doomed submarine. He was as calm and authoritative as a British officer should be and lent an air of discipline and dignity to the wardroom. Bruce McMillan was extremely natural in his part of the Scottish engineer, especially in his speech,

while John Matheson gave a convincing and mature performance as the suave First Officer.

Warren George provided an excellent contrast to the tense discipline of the Officers and the over-all tension, in his role as the Cockney Mess Orderly. Trevor Peters had a difficult part to play in portraying a stoker whose nerves got the better of him but he carried it through well.

The On-shore team of Officers involved in groping through the red-tape entangling the salvage operations was well led by Warren Simpson while David Walker, Chris Richards, Ian Graham, and David Edgar gave him ample support. The fact that all their speech was confined to telephoning took nothing from their clarity and they all aided the development of tension.

Other boys taking part were Ian Kelly, Ken Stenton, Wilbur Keiller, Ross Peterson, and Ian Dunwoodie.

It would be hard to find many faults in this production and the whole cast is to be congratulated on their performances. As many people have said, "Morning Departure" was probably the best dramatic production this School has seen.

CADET NOTES

Once again fine weather prevailed during barracks week, and an extensive training programme was completed.

The fieldcraft and weapon training courses were again highly successful and provided welcome diversions from the foot and rifle drill. Altogether the training programmes set down were varied and interesting with a minimum of drill.

Headquarters Company was made more orderly this year by the formation of a new company, "B" Coy, consisting of fourth-formers under the command of Captain McCall.

On February the 6th, the annual 303 shoot was conducted at Otatara. S. M. Armstrong, S.W.O. T. D. Thomas and C.S.M. M. R. Deaker recorded the highest scores.

The battalion parade and march-past was reviewed by Colonel Leckie on the 11th. However, owing to a lack of allotted time for parade practices some of the usual sparkle was absent.

The Battalion:

O.C.: Squadron Leader W. S. Waterston.
R.S.M.: W.O.1 W. F. Simpson.

Headquarters Company:

O.C.: 2nd Lieut. C. R. Robertson.
C.S.M.: W.O.2 M. R. B. Deaker.
Mortar Ptn.: Sgt. R. C. Moreton.
Signals Ptn.: Sgt. B. W. McMillan.

- 1 Ptn.: Sgt. R. J. Stewart.
2 Ptn.: Sgt. H. L. Borland.
3 Ptn.: Sgt. D. C. Sharp.
4 Ptn.: Sgt. G. M. Orbell.
"A" Company:
O.C.: 2nd Lieut. T. T. Ryder, 2nd Lieut. L. R. Macaskill.
C.S.M.: W.O.2 C. J. Richards.
5 Ptn.: Sgt. A. B. Grant.
6 Ptn.: Sgt. D. F. Gray.
7 Ptn.: Sgt. J. H. Dunlop.
8 Ptn.: Sgt. J. H. McEwan.
9 Ptn.: Sgt. D. R. Smythe.
10 Ptn.: Sgt. D. M. Ferguson.
"B" Company:
O.C.: Captain W. J. McCall.
C.S.M.: W.O.2 P. B. Truscott.
11 Ptn.: Sgt. A. T. Rackley.
12 Ptn.: Sgt. C. W. Childs.
13 Ptn.: Sgt. I. D. Graham.
A.T.C.:
O.C.: Flying Officer P. W. Bristow.
Squadron W.O.: W. O. T. D. Thomas.
1 Flight: Flt. Sgt. T. C. Peters.
2 Flight: Sgt. A. M. Greet, Sgt. A. Kerr.
3 Flight: Sgt. A. D. Allott, Sgt. D. W. Wood.
Armoury: S/Sgt. G. L. Walker.

COLDSTREAM NOTES

Now, after its third year, Coldstream has proved itself to be an even more important part of the school. Its members have, this year, partaken, and often excelled, in almost every school activity.

Life settled down to a comfortable routine early in the year, with the addition of Mr. Button and Mr. Lamberth to the house staff. Mrs. Beale, Mrs. Parker and their assistants have truly done a magnificent job in keeping the boys well fed and well cared for. A serious shortage of domestic staff has not marred the efficiency with which affairs were conducted. The house masters and Mr. Roxburgh were assisted in their duties by 4 prefects, D. Whelan (head), C. Gilmour, N. Simpson and C. Wyndham.

The annual inter-Hostel social was extremely successful as were our other social engagements, including the table tennis tournament with school,

which ended in the usual Coldstream victory. A winning basketball team and a swimming class were tried successfully, for the first time this year, and names of Coldstream boys have occurred frequently in the results of the school athletic sports and the Round-the-Park race.

Mr. Button and Mr. Hesselin have from time to time arranged various trips for the boys, notably one to the First Test in Dunedin, a tramp to Lake Hawroko, and a bus trip to Milford Sound, all of which were enjoyed immensely.

This year has seen a marked improvement in the grounds, which are a credit to our able caretaker, Mr. McKenzie, and to the efforts of the Old Boys' Association.

All in all, Coldstream has had a most successful year indeed.

PREFECTS' NOTES

This year the Prefects have organised three informal dances, and the Annual School Ball. The two earlier dances were most successful—there was a good crowd, a good supper, and everybody appeared to enjoy themselves. But when we came to the preparations for the School Ball, enthusiastic support from the School was not forthcoming. At one stage, only a few days from the Ball, there were not enough entries to cover the cost of the orchestra and the supper. However, thanks to the Partner Advisory Committee and a last minute rush from the sixth-formers, we had a reasonable, if not large crowd at our Ball. We might say, without boasting, that the decorations were the best for some years. Set on a Swiss theme, they included skiing and climbing equipment, cuckoo clocks and suitable posters; streamers of the Swiss colours, red and white, were everywhere and the centrepiece was a large log fireplace, the background, for which, was most effectively painted by Mr Pickard.

During the middle term we had a visit from Alexander Morrice, this year's Otaki Scholar. Even

he talked rugby and we spent a most enjoyable evening with him. Two of our number accompanied him on a visit to Bluff.

At the end of the second term the "Combined" team Masters and Prefects) defeated a School fifteen 21-11 in a most entertaining game. The School wondered if the jerseys for the occasion came out of one of the Master's bottom drawer.

All twelve prefects this year have taken an active part in School sport, resulting in three cases of severe concussion, the senior athletic championship, and the heavyweight boxing title.

The prefects' room has been almost entirely refurnished this year and we now possess the height of luxury—a Chesterfield suite.

Overall, this has been a most enjoyable year, beginning with the tinkle of glass, and ending, for all but two, with the frantic application of pen to paper.

improvement in performances was a great one, about 20 possibles being shot in the first fortnight.

The selected teams for the Imperial Challenge Shield and the Press Shield will have their final shoot in late October and from their preliminary scores to date, should do very well once again. Those who at this stage are showing the most promise are: Smythe, Deaker, Rowland, Orbett, Nobbs, Childs, and Sharp, while in the juniors Wright, Edginton, Campbell, Shirley and Watts are also shooting well.

Thanks to Mr. Waterston for his organization and supervision and to the armoury staff for the work they are doing.

SHOOTING NOTES

The 1958 shooting season was a particularly successful one, concluding with the news that the school team had gained the very creditable placing of fifth in New Zealand in the I.C.S. competition. Due to its lack of repair, our own school range was inoperable last year and all the shooting was conducted on the range in the army hall.

However, early this year, the school range was reconstructed and eliminations for the two teams were begun in September, using the school rifles. When the field was narrowed down to about 50, we moved to the better conditions and rifles of the army hall where practising began in earnest. The resultant im-

ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

THE CULTURED MAN

Winner of Prefect's Essay Cup, 1958

To define the cultured man we must first define culture. A culture refers to the way of life, which a society follows; it is the sum of all the patterns of behaviour of a society, which binds individuals as a whole. Culture does not die with the individual. It is primarily of the society as a unit, although individuals may influence the culture of a society. There is a parallel in humanity, H. G. Wells once said: "I think that man is immortal, but not men." Similarly the culture of a society is immortal, though it may change, but individual influences are insignificant and soon forgotten. The term "cultured" implies advanced in the way of life of a society. The cultured man is therefore the man who has adapted and developed his knowledge in the principles of the community.

As societies differ, so does the cultures and individuals of those societies. The cultured man of one society may be totally incongruous in another. He is bounded by his environment and the principles of the way of life that he has been taught. Time is also a factor. Culture, and consequently, the cultured man, is always changing. In one society, the cultured man of one period may be a misfit in the culture of another period. Both these factors are evident if we consider the possibility of a cultured man of our society being transferred to the ancient civilization of the Incas. Thus, the cultured man is only cultured in a remote sphere, bounded by time and space.

There are two ways in which a man may become cultured. He may have a deep knowledge of one or two subjects or his knowledge may be extended to several subjects and be consequently shallower. In the first case the individual's outlook is restricted to one aspect but in the second his knowledge is restricted. In either case however, the cultured man may be a worthy representative of his society.

In reality the term "cultured man" is only an ideal. There is no such thing as the complete cultured man, for no man has the complete knowledge and understanding of all the diverse fields of a society. Most men confine themselves to the study of one or two fields which appeal to their intellect, but even in the period of their lifetimes they are only able to reach a relatively shallow level of the complete knowledge of their chosen field. The cultured man is an imaginary figurehead of society, something for individuals to aim at, but too far off ever to be reached. In reality, what the society terms the "cultured man" is only someone a little nearer the figurehead than others.

In our society there are two branches of culture; the intellectual and the physical. The physical aspect is very often forgotten because it is usually the intellectuals who are lauded to exalt the culture of our society. But culture represents the way of life of the society and the way of life of the majority in our society is predominantly physical. Just as there is a high intellectual plane, there is a high physical plane, and men may become cultured by reaching either of these planes.

Very few men have been able to combine both the physical and intellectual aspects to any marked degree in our society. One of the few is Neville Cardus. In his early years he planned a cultural

scheme of study for himself, embracing serious music, philosophy and economics on the intellectual side and English games in general on the physical side. Today, he is one of the cultured men of our society. His depth of knowledge in separate subjects is not profound, but his knowledge extends over a wide range and is representative of the society. He has also written several books on his chosen fields, in an intelligent lucid style, yet one which appeals to the cross-section of society.

The man who secludes his knowledge from the community, though he be another Einstein, is not cultured; for "cultured" is not a self-given term, but one bestowed by the society only when the individual has given evidence of his knowledge and understanding to the society. Acceptability to the society is a necessary, part of the cultured man. Many men have had the learning to become cultured but have not because they shunned society or were shunned by society.

The man who is virtually an encyclopaedia of facts does not constitute the cultured man; the cultured man is also a thinker. He philosophises and theorizes and gives the community the benefit of his thinking. Men like Newton and Einstein have become cultured men in their time only because they gave the community the knowledge of their discoveries and theories.

The modern conception of the cultured man is the individual who shuts himself in his study with the works of Homer on his lap, the gramophone blaring Bach, and surrounded by the works of Rembrandt and other such notables. This conception has evolved because a knowledge of the arts is typical of many cultured men. But it is not a necessary factor. Men like Shackleton are not remembered as cultured for what little interest they may have had in the arts, but for their qualities of leadership, their worldly understanding and their achievements in their chosen sphere. In our secondary schools and universities today it has become a custom to segregate the science and art subjects. Consequently, in later life, few men are able to combine both these fields in their learning, but some of the few who have, have become the great cultured men of our time. Outstanding among these few in the twentieth century to date are Albert Schweitzer and Bertrand Russell. They both have an acute knowledge and understanding of many subjects, including both sciences and arts, and they have applied their great learning, through philosophy and other means, for the benefit of mankind. It may be truly said that these two are a little nearer the figurehead than others.

Cultured men are the true leaders of society. They have the imagination to evolve new theories and create new machines and they have the influence to put them into practice. Cultured men govern the course of history even more than the infamous warmongers, Hitler and the like, for history depends on how people live, and although war may temporarily alter the material living conditions of the people, it is the cultured men who generate the lasting effects. In our present day world of hydrogen bombs, automation and political unrest it is the cultured men we look to, to preserve our balance of proportions and even the continuance of human life.

C.W.C. VIA.

TO MY FAIR LADY

How often in a day I dream of thee!
Thy permanent abode is in my heart.
My love for you has brought its own decree,
Transmitted by a telepathic dart.
Of how in all the world thou art most fair,
And I unworthy of the love you give,
Express the thought, which is to me so dear,
That without thee, I know I cannot live.
And yet it is a thought so ill-expressed,
I cannot fail to see futility,
But still there lingers in my deepest breast,
The memories of that which could not be.
But should you yet begin to dream the same,
Of me! I would not change my place for fame.

B. W. McM., L.6.A.

THE FROG

It all began one morning in Biology class.

"Today boys, we are going to study a frog. To do this we are going to dissect it," said Mr. Baxter, our biology master. "Jackson, please fetch the frog from the box in my study."

"Yes, sir," replied Jackson, quickly rushing to do the master's bidding. He soon returned with the frog which was handed around so that the class could get a good look at its external appearance. Now began the part of the experiment which the sadistic Mr. Baxter revelled in: although the frog was rather exhausted it was still kicking rather vigorously and of course that meant it would have to be gassed.

"As you boys can see it is necessary to gas the frog," said Mr. Baxter jovially. "As this class has not had the honour of seeing my gas chamber in action, I shall now demonstrate its capabilities."

"He talks about his gas chamber as though it were a pet animal," said Dimitri Makruplos, the young Jewish boy who was sitting beside me. Makruplos rarely spoke to anyone but as he did now, I noticed that his voice was tinged with hate and I wondered why. Mr. Baxter was still eagerly demonstrating the gas chamber.

"As you can see, by my patent air regulator, the air is controlled so that the animal survives for quite a while and thus the effects of the gas on it can be studied." We were all revolted by this but we knew it was no good speaking against Mr. Baxter. We all remembered what the Principal had said only the day before:—

"Masters are older than you and therefore you should show your respect of them in every way. Never answer a master back."

"Would you mind honouring us with your attention," said Mr. Baxter and my mind quickly snapped back to the subject on hand as I realized he was speaking to me. "Now we will carefully place the frog in the box, close the door and regulate the gas and air." We all sat horrified as the frog began to hop around and hit its head against the glass wall of the chamber. Suddenly there was a movement beside me and Makruplos darted out to the front of the class. With a sweeping blow of his hand he knocked the

chamber from the bench onto the floor where it smashed into pieces. The whole class held its breath waiting for the torrent of words. Meanwhile, the frog hopped away, unnoticed.

Mr Baxter evidently did not trust himself for he grasped Makruplos roughly by the collar to the Principal's office.

Later we heard the whole story. Makruplos was questioned by the Principal but he would not speak. Finally he was sent home to his foster-parents. The head made enquiries from the immigration authorities and after this Makruplos returned to school and the incident was forgotten until one day we found out the whole story.

Makruplos had no family at all. No one in the world. They had all been killed in the gas chambers at Belsen.

P.G., L6.A.

A WARNING TO CLIMBERS

The rope sped through the karabiner,
But all was perfect, never finer,
For with some lengthy formulations,
Backed up with solid calculations
Together with some integration
A little differentiation
And tons of reflex angle thetas
Computed with some rooted betas
About the granite's coefficient
Or whether nylon's more efficient
Than hemp with five per cent. extension
There's seven g and little tension,
As, yes, it is a sturdy, safe belay!
Just then the blooming rock gave way.

J.S.M., 6U.

THE MIST

Although no rain has fallen,
The mist has lain upon
The unsuspecting valley
To silver plate each lawn.
Although no rain has fallen
When morning mounts the gloom
The trees are spun with silver threads
Like cobwebs in a loom.
Although no rain has fallen
Each shrub wears fairy lace
And with it iridescent pearls
From night's dark velvet case.

C.H., 3B.

DEAR PAUL

Oh how I long to spend with you my days,
And help your family cut and head the hay;
Oh how I love to talk among the folk,
Or sit beside your dad and have a smoke;
Your farm I find is such a pleasant place,
It has all things exactly to my taste.
I love the ponies which are so sedate,
They trot along at such a gentle gait,
And there is of course the lovely swimming pool,
Which lies below the house so blue and cool,
The girls and boys and all the adults too,
Are all attracted by its brilliant hue,
But what perhaps attracts me most of all,
Is the bright and carefree annual cockies' ball,

The whole barn shakes as everyone schottisches,
And then they have a meal whch is delicious,
How sad I am when in the woods I roam,
Before I make that tearful journey home.

M.A.W., L6A.

WORKING HOLIDAY

I've a wind-proof jacket done up with string
And a hat Boss has had for years,
And a shake and a shiver that jolts up my liver
From the Fordson in front of my knees—
I've an eighteen-inch wrench and a God-awful
stench,
And I've hundreds of acres to plough—
Did I once sit in school, just eight days ago?
I wouldn't mind being there now!
The wind cuts my shirt and my mouth fills with dirt
As I think of the term that has gone,
While I freeze at my toes and my ears and my nose,
And the blue brute roars steadily on.
I could have a job at my ease in a shop
Or—heavenly thought—have tried skiing,
But I drive round and round as I turn up the ground
And with boredom the dominant factor
I'll give you this thought—
And it's purely self-taught—
It's a —— of a life on a tractor.

M.R.D., 6 UPPER.

I. C. B. M.

The blinding stratosphere sun shone brightly on the polished metal skin of the final stage rocket as it sped silently through the high vacuum. Occasionally, a relay, built in a factory on the banks of the Volga, clicked in a detached sort of way. A valve hummed redly. Only the cylindrical bomb, that filled most of the rocket's body, showed no signs of mechanical or electrical life. The Earth spun slowly under it, almost dazzling, with its green and brown land masses, surrounded by the pale blueness of the ocean. The pastel hues of Earth contrasted sharply against the harsh, black, velvet background of Space.

Europe turned slowly past the rocket, the white caps of the Alps could just be seen. England, further to the North, was covered as usual, with a thick blanket of cloud. The the blue Pacific rolled underneath.

Speed seemed very abstract, up in the vast nothingness of Space, and only the slowly changing face of the Earth gave a hint of the projectile's hurtling speed.

A thin, dark line appeared on the approaching horizon, the same thin line that Columbus had seen in 1492, exactly 470 years before. The rocket's equipment was not concerned with the thin line, yet, and it also failed to notice the radar waves bouncing off its metal skin, and returning America-ward.

A green glowing dot appeared on the edge of a radar screen, in a station on the coast of New York State. Two watching eyes noticed it, then a finger jabbed an alarm button. Radio messages flashed to the Central Police Precinct, New York. Within minutes radio and T.V. programs were interrupted, and soon, a steady flow of people were moving to concrete air-raid shelters. No time for evacuation.

In the nose of the now-famous Russian missile, a small rocket suddenly flared. It burned brightly, slowing down the missile's enormous speed. It started to drop to the city far below. Within minutes, the rocket glowed cherry-red from air resistance. The city rushed up toward it, then a relay clicked and the sky exploded.

Ten years later, another battle was started on the American continent, started by the firing of a flint-nosed arrow . . .

I.K., L6A.

Southland Boys' High School can claim another record. Our Rector has had only twelve birthdays, since he was born on the 29th of February, 1908.

VEGETARIAN

There are many many people
In this great wide world of ours
Who have never heard the sizzle
Of New Zealand lambs or cows
Who have never seen a mother
Smiling through an onion tear
At the queerly grotesque shape
Of a Southland Chamois deer
Who have never seen a butcher
With his face all red
Showing his apprentice
How to lop off a head.

E.J.R., 5 SUPP.

ELEGY ON A BANTAM

For Banty is dead, dead ere his prime,
Young Banty, who had not left his bantam-hood.
Who could not crow for Banty? He knew
Himself to crow, and build lofty rhyme.
He must not cook upon the oven shelf
Unwept, and wither in the parching heat
Without the meed of some melodious tear.
O where were ye nymphs, when northern lands
Removed our gleaming Shield, and the remorseless
Axe closed o'er the head of our beloved Banty?

S.A., L6B.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

PROTECTION OF THE YOUNG

Dear Sir, Surely the time has come for our City Fathers to act for the protection of our children. For some time now, our little boys at school have been forced to take part in a terrible sport called, I think, rugby. I have two sweet little grandchildren, both boys, and I have learnt recently that they are taking part in this rugby at school. Although I have not seen rugby I believe it is something between wrestling and boxing, where our little boys run at one another, and kick one another and throw one another down. Surely if this continues many of our little ones will be maimed, or even killed, for life. In my day little boys played snakes and ladders, and there was marbles for the more energetic ones. I would like to see these games reintroduced in our schools.

I am, etc.,

GRANDMOTHER OF TWO.

A RECORD ?

Dear Sir, At home I have a ten inch black disc with a hole in the centre. Surely this is a record?

I am,etc.,
C.A.H., 5B.

(Yes, we feel sure it is a record C.A.H. 5B, but we feel that your record may soon be broken. The new seven-inch unbreakable records are much superior—Co-Eds.)

PENPALS

Dear Mistor Editer, Ma name are Ying Tong Po, and I are a Japanman. I would like know if sum your reeders rite me and becum ma penpals. I are sure they like ma. I has lot of penpals all over earth. I has one in Britain which rites me in British an one in America which rites ma in American, but yet nowun in Noo Zealand to rite ma in Zealandish. The guy in America is the mostest. He send ma gramofones of Elvus and Tweety which are the greatest. I wood like sum gramofones of Devilun from Noo Zealand. But I wood like penpals even if kant send Devilum gramofones. Plesse rite: Ying Tong Po C/o Mantong Saku Fu Lum Ko, 124 Kumsi Lang, Japanland.

I are, etc.,
YING TONG PO.

OUR WATER SUPPLY

Dear Sir, I would, through the columns of your most esteemed and excellent publication, express my feelings . . .

I am, etc.,
DISGUSTED.

(Due to parts of this letter being unprintable or actionable, certain parts have had to be deleted—Co-Eds.)

COUNCIL HOUSING

Dear Sir, Thanks to our wonderful City Council I now reside in a small red house, right next to a bus stop on Dee Street. Although it is rather cramped, I have made it quite tidy and comfortable inside. There are, however, two things which worry me. At all hours of the day, my neighbours, although I do not know any of them, pop in and use my telephone, without first asking me. Surely this is over-extending my hospitality. Also the Council have overlooked installing a light-switch in my house, but the thoughtful Council have arranged to have my light automatically turned on at dusk and turned off at sunrise. Surely more of these delightful little Council houses could be built for people like me.

I am, etc.,
THANKFUL,
C.W.C., 6A.

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SPORTING NOTES

RUGBY

1ST XV, 1959

The first fifteen enjoyed a particularly successful season's Rugby this year, except for a bad lapse against Kings' High School.

The team was unbeaten in 11 club games, scoring 363 points to 45 against.

Results of Interschool games:-

- v. Otago B.H.S.—Won 44-0.
 - v. Waitaki B.H.S.—Won 17-0.
 - v. Kings H.S.—Lost 3-11.
 - v. Timaru B.H.S.—Won 26-0
- Total 90 points for, 11 against.

The team possessed heavy mobile forwards and safe, hard-running backs, and the excellent combination was due to the persistent efforts of the coach, Mr. Pickard.

CRITIQUE OF FIRST XV, 1959.

Moreton—Centre—Captain: Led and directed the team admirably. A very experienced and dangerous player with speed and determination. Tackled well and has an accurate boot.

Thomas—Prop—Vice Captain: His experience proved a decided asset. Mobile in the loose for his size he led the forwards by example. Valuable support in lineout and a demon in tight play.

Holden—Fullback: A valuable utility back who could play in any position. As a fullback handled well and was a deadly tackler. Joined successfully in back-line movements when the opportunity arose.

Truscott—Fullback: Handicapped by injury he never really settled down. A strong line kicker.

Dunlop—Wing: Turned on some good games, making a lot of his own play. Failed at times to use his weight and pace to his best advantage. Excelled in cover defence.

London—Wing: Big, strong and elusive. Ran hard, using his weight to full advantage. Safe on defence. Could have linked more often with inside supports.

Chisholm—Second five-eighth: Very elusive, made some smart breaks but failed to use his pace once through the gap. A very reliable player.

James—First five-eighth: A reliable handler and a safe boot. Backs up well. A good team player who was content to act as a link but could have used his own attacking ability more.

Milburn—Half-back: Threw extremely long accurate passes to give the backs a flying start. Kicked well from the base of the scrum. Cover defence was an asset.

Smythe—No. 8: Quick and determined, played energetically throughout the season and covered the backs well. Often on hand to restart play.

Everett—Side-row: Used his height in the lineout and secured an abundant supply of ball for the backs. Fast and bustling off the side of the scrum. Often overeagerness resulted in off-side play.

Alexander—Side-row: Fast off the mark, he continually harassed opposition backs. Defence was an asset to the team, particularly his stopping of forward rushes.

Sinclair: A solid lock. Used his weight intelligently in both scrums and lineouts where his jumping for the ball was also very effective. Very vigorous attacking forward.

Borland: A weighty lock forever in the thick of the play. Driving force in lineouts and through rucks proved devastating. Scored over a hundred points for the season with accurate goal-kicking.

Harrington—Prop: Light and mobile, his play improved vastly throughout the season. Assisted lineout men admirably with fine takes on No. 2.

Walker—Hooker: An experienced player who out-hooked the opposition consistently. A tigerish forward in all phases of play and his work at the front of the lineout was most valuable and extremely effective.

Bedwell: Utility forward who was called on to play hooker and No. 8 in interschool games. A quick mover in the open with a sound defence.

Childs—First five-eighth: Very neat and capable five-eighth. Sound handler and accurate kicker.

Smith: Strong running centre who shows a great deal of promise. Should learn when to pass.

THE OTAGO GAME

The school 1st XV recorded one of its biggest wins ever by defeating Otago Boys' High School by 44-0 at Rugby Park. On a fast ground the Southland backs dominated play right from the beginning of the game, while in the second half, since they encountered a weak defence, they were able to run through the opposition almost at will. The school forwards early gained the upper hand and from set play they often pushed the Otago pack off the ball while their speed to the loose ball and their vigorous rucking gave the backs a feast of opportunities which they did not fail to capitalize on. However, many of these movements were given a bad start by the lack of combination between the base of the scrum and the first five-eighth. Added to this, the fact that many attempts at goaling narrowly missed showed that the score could have been even greater. The teamwork and backing up of the school team augured well for the rest of the season, even if the defence did, once or twice, leave a little to be desired. However, this department of the Southland play was hardly ever put to the test since the Otago team were only twice found in a position to gain points. The star of the game was captain, R. Moreton who scored three tries and converted two. Playing at centre, he directed his team well until he retired injured late in the second half.

Tries were scored by Moreton (three), Borland, Walker, James, Dunlop, Chisholm, Milburn, Sinclair and Loudon. Both Moreton and Borland converted two goals while Borland also kicked an easy penalty. The half-time score was 14-0, but the team raced away to score another thirty points in the second half, to make the final score: Southland 44, Otago 0.

THE WAITAKI GAME

On the school grounds in fine weather, the S.B.H.S. XV defeated Waitaki for the first time for several seasons by 17-0. After dominating play in the first half to lead by 12-0, the Southland team held its own in the second half, only being forced back on to a desperate defence in the last ten minutes of the game. Points were gained by Moreton (two penalties), Loudon, Everett, Walker (tries) and Borland converted one try.

In the first half the Southland forwards paved the way for the school points by gaining a large share of the ball, playing as a pack and backing up well. The backs played intelligently although they encountered a strong Waitaki defence. The second half saw the Waitaki forwards gaining more ball but their efforts were expended by continual kicking by the inside backs. The folly of this was shown when they began to pass and run late in the second half and forced the school team back hard on defence. Southland back movements were given a good start by long, clean passes from the half-back, thrust from the inside backs resulting in plenty of opportunities for the threequarters. The forwards showed good teamwork, too, when Everett scored after a forward rush at the end of the first half.

THE TIMARU GAME

This was perhaps the First Fifteen's best inter-school game. With the forwards dominating in all phases of forward play, especially in the second half, and the backs handling and backing up beautifully, on a greasy ground, School was able to run out the winners by 26-0. The solid Timaru pack toiled hard, and their backs showed speed and initiative at times, but they were unable to penetrate the persistent covering of the School team. All of School's six tries were the result of vigorous forward drives, a quick heel, and swift passing to the threequarters.

Early in the first spell honours were even, but the School team gradually gained superiority by more vigorous forward play and better combination in the backs. Borland kicked two good penalty goals for School to lead at half time 6-0.

It was soon apparent in the second half that the Timaru team was tiring, their forwards were slower and their cover defence was found wanting. With good service from the forwards and the inside backs, the School three-quarters were able to exploit their opportunities to advantage, with the result that six tries were scored, two by Loudon, and one each by Dunlop, Moreton, Chisholm and Holden, one of which was converted by Moreton. It is noteworthy that all these tries were scored by the outside backs; it was the type of play the School team had been aiming at all season.

One can only wonder why the School team displayed little semblance of this form against Kings. The final score: Southland 26, Timaru 0.

KINGS MATCH

After two excellent victories against O.B.H.S. and Waitaki the team suffered a surprising defeat at the hands of Kings. The match was played in Dunedin on a rather greasy surface. The game was only three

minutes old when a lineout infringement gave the King's fullback, Campbell, a 45 yard shot, which he bounced on the crossbar to make the score 3-0. About 15 minutes later Day scored for King's under the post when after a kick over the fullback's head the bounce of the ball beat the defenders. Campbell converted—8-0. The School forwards seemed listless and were allowing the lighter King's pack to dictate the trend of the play. Half time was blown with no change in the score.

During the first part of the second half the heavier Southland pack was getting the majority of the ball but the backs seemed to be able to do little with it. Moreton was well marked by the King's captain, Ingles and the rest of the backline seemed to lack the fitness and initiative to make play. A large amount of kicking was done in the five-eighth which resulted in the King's fullback driving the tiring Southland forwards back down the field with raking touch-finders.

Late in the second half Moreton kicked a penalty for Southland to make the score 8-3. Almost on time Campbell was successful with another shot and the final whistle blew with the score Kings 11, Southland 3.

2ND XV

As with the 1958 season, this season was a definite success, especially from the point of view of the record. In all, eighteen matches were played, with one loss and one draw; 380 points were scored for the team and 96 points against. Of this total, Childs had a personal tally of 109 points and Grant 68 points. The competition was again won, mainly due to a light, mobile pack combined with a fast backline.

The three-quarters, Weavers, Grant and Watson ran with determination, usually linking well with P. Smith, at second five-eighth, who although fast, showed occasional handling lapses. Childs at first five-eighth, though light, used his elusiveness to advantage and was always intelligent on defence; he formed a good partnership with Fraser, who adapted himself to the half-back position well.

Of the loose forwards, Kitto and Bedwell were always fast and dangerous, and Howson was one of the hardest workers in the team. Butson, Young and MacMillan at various stages toiled well in the front-row, while Stewart lead the forwards well, often with surprising verbosity. Milne, Smith and Hamilton used their weight and height in hard, tight work and Bernstone served well at hooker, also using his speed to advantage.

The win against Gore High School was decisive, the play improving considerably in the second half.

On a slippery ground at Tweed Street, the team defeated O.B.H.S. by 18-3. The forwards paved the way to victory winning the great majority of the ball, and the backs handled the greasy ball with more skill than their opponents.

Again on a rather greasy ground at school, Waitaki defeated us by 8-5. The school pack more than held their own with the heavier Waitaki forwards, winning much ball; in fact school can be considered unlucky to have lost the game, for a draw would have been a more satisfactory result.

At the beginning of the third term, a friendly (?) match was played with s.s. "Durham," the school team running out winners.

We must thank Mr Ryder for his enthusiastic coaching.

The team was: L. Graham, I. Lyver, W. Weavers, A. Grant, J. Watson, P. Smith, C. Childs (vice-capt.), D. Holden, T. Fraser, R. Stewart (capt.), R. Bernstein, C. Butson, B. McMillan, B. Young, J. Milne, J. Hamilton, A. Smith, S. Kitto, B. Bedwell, J. Howson, M. Bragg, C. A. Hamilton.

3RD XV

Mortimore, Grant, Cochran, Boyes, McKenzie, Nobbs, Cutt, Matheson, Little, Graham, Robertson, Allison, Henderson, Butson, Blake, McEwan, Morton, Hall comprised the 3rd XV.

The Third XV did not have a very successful season this year, but the members enjoyed the season's sport. As of last year a shortage of backs handicapped the team and it was not unusual to find a forward playing in the backs for the majority of the games.

Mortimore, at full-back, started uncertainly, but improved with every game and by the end of the season was tackling well and had developed into a safe full-back.

The forward pack played fairly well but tended to lose heart towards the end of some games. Robertson proved an able hooker while Little and Hall did some good jumping in the lineouts. For his first season Allison went quite well and with more experience will develop into a useful player. Grant, on the wing, and Cochran, at centre, played well through the season as did McKenzie and Cutt.

The team wishes to thank Mr Alabaster for his helpful coaching and perseverance through the season.

5TH GRADE A

The 1959 season saw the 5th grade A team win the local competition with an unbeaten record.

With a heavy pack of forwards and a fast set of backs, the team was usually able to put the large amount of ball to good use. The backs tried to throw the ball around but poor handling often let them down.

In the backs, Morland was the mainstay and his tackling was deadly. Hutton did all that was required of him while Hoffman, Bailey and later Bates on the wings showed real promise. Bates is a natural winger and was often able to run around his opponents but his handling was not good. Grant at centre was at the right place at the right time but his handling let him down badly. Ritchie had a perfect pair of hands and kicked well. Chisholm, besides forming a valuable combination with Ritchie, notched over one hundred points for the season.

The forwards were the strength of the team but towards the end of the season failed to find real form and became slow at getting to the loose ball. Wilson was outstanding in the loose. Smith, McDonald and O'Toole did valuable work in the tight with Smith and Dolan going up high for the ball in the lineouts. Brown, the captain, was an extremely efficient forward who dominated the front of the lineout and has a very promising future.

The team owes its success to the enthusiastic coaching of Mr Harland.

The team: C. L. Hutton, B. W. Bailey, W. Bates, L. M. Hoffman, R. Grant, M. W. Morland, R. Ritchie, B. A. Chisholm, T. E. Wilson, R. H. Shelton, G. D. McDonald, W. E. Dolan, P. S. Little, J. C. O'Toole, S. W. Brown (capt.), R. A. J. Smith.

5TH GRADE B

The team played good football throughout the year for a record of five wins and five losses. Several players from our team were called on to play for the A team during the season and this interfered with any combination that we developed.

In the forwards, A. Russell stood out for his good lineout play and H. Giller, J. Anglem and M. McSkimming for their loose play. W. Dolan was a very useful tight forward. Among the backs K. Stenton, R. Grant and A. Dennis played well.

The team would like to thank Mr Button for coaching them throughout the season.

The team: B. Collins, R. Macguire, A. Dennis, A. Gimblett, R. Grant, K. Stenton, R. Peterson (capt.), W. Dolan, M. McSkimming, H. Lawrie, A. Russell, J. Anglem, P. McNair, H. Giller, D. Morris, A. McKinnon, P. Hewitson, J. Brown, A. Kitson, R. Walker, J. Henderson, R. Philips.

6TH GRADE A

Repeating the performance of last year's 6th grade A team, this team won the S.R.F.U. Sixth Grade competition, and, although beaten once, was a clear winner. Unfortunately, injuries were prominent this year and it is interesting to note that in no two games was the team the same. Nevertheless, the team had a very impressive record — scoring nearly 200 points.

Due to the choppings and changings in the backs, a good combination was never fully established. The five-eighths, Thomas and Smillie showed real promise, but the wings often wasted their opportunities through lack of pace and purpose. At full-back, Somerville was as competent as any team could wish for, and his very good positional play was one reason why our line was crossed only twice during the season. At centre, Henderson proved that fast, strong and clever running is the substance of first-class back play.

It would be hard to single out any forwards, but Houliston impressed with his lineout play and Walker was a very able pack leader. At most times, the forwards were a very effective unit and provided the backs with plenty of ball from all phases of play, but on many occasions, penalties were given away.

It was a very successful season for the team and we would like to thank Mr Anderson for the many hours he spent in coaching us.

The team was: W. Somerville, J. Shand, P. Mason, J. Henderson (capt.), J. Smillie, B. Thomas, I. Dunwoodie, M. Soper, B. Smith, B. Walker (vice-capt.), G. Dunlop, A. Houliston, D. Stewart, J. Dickson, K. Millard, O. Collie, A. von Tunzelman, J. Shirley, N. Rodda, C. Briscoe.

6TH GRADE B

The 6th Grade B team had a reasonably successful season. Because on many occasions members were required to play for the "A" team, the team never had a satisfactory combination.

Our thanks go to Mr Macaskill for his coaching and encouragement during the season.

Of the eight games played the team won two games, drew one and lost five.

The team: I. Dunwoodie, W. Morrison, B. Hughes, C. Briscoe, A. Bailey, K. Sutherland, W. Rae, L. Telfer, I. Folster, L. Monk, Gibson, J. Shirley, N. Rodda, N. Leighton, G. Tattersfield, D. Manson and N. Cantrick.

7TH GRADE

The seventh grade A team had an enjoyable but not very successful season. Although it finished second in the competition the team did not always perform well. In the backs, McLean showed promise at half-back, proving to be particularly strong on de-

fence. The back-line had plenty of good players such as Moreton, Rudkin, Rattray, Treweek and Nicholson, but they often failed to combine.

The forwards were well led by the captain Geddes and McLees. Rutherford was probably the most improved player in the team, being quite the best loose forward at the end of the season.

The B team, although not having a successful season, never disgraced themselves and were always trying. In one game, they almost defeated the As. Hall, Amos and Sangster were prominent in the backs while Savoury led his forwards well.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

1ST XI

With many key positions in the team left open this season, prospects for a successful year did not look particularly bright. However, those positions were adequately filled with the result that the team had a reasonably successful season, beating every team in the competition, at least once, to finish runner-up to Old Boys in the S.F.A. Second Grade Competition. Chances of winning this were lost early in the season.

Practices on the whole were better attended and for the first time since Bruce Morris was captain, organized training took place, the benefits of which showed themselves.

The team is indebted to Mr Roxburgh for the enthusiasm and perseverance in his coaching of a not-always co-operative squad of footballers. This year was probably one of the School's best representative seasons—nine of the First XI gained such honours.

Rackley was reserve for the Southland Seniors against Otago (twice), Nelson and North Otago, as well as being skipper of the Under-18's against Otago and South Canterbury. Broomhall, Rout and Chin were other members of the Under-18 team.

Lindsay (captain), Croad, Darby and Wicks played for the Under-16 Wembley Cup team against Otago. All four of the above plus Baker, Lane and Davidson were also members of the Senior Schoolboy's team that took part in the South Island Tournament at Christchurch, captain Lindsay, being selected as a wing-half for the South Island team.

CRITIQUE

A. T. Rackley.—(Goalkeeper and captain): Proved to be a very good skipper. Has the build and ability for the position. Played some excellent games, and was always reliable as last line of defence, but has a weakness for the low, straight drives.

R. Davidson.—(Right-back): Proved to be a very reliable full-back for a first-year; inclined to wander out of position at times, but will improve.

B. Broomhall.—(Left-back): Began at centre-half, but shifted to the backs, where he showed a very good understanding with the 'keeper. Extremely reliable, always attempting to switch defence into attack, but perhaps inclined to tackle once too often.

C. D. Lindsay.—Right-half: Made the team as an inside-forward but proved a far better back, especially as a centre-half. Defends well, and occasionally showed brilliance. Switches play at the right time, and not afraid to shoot.

R. Holloway.—(Centre-half): His tall, solid build made up for a slowness, but at the same time was very hard to get past. Has a solid, clearing boot, but lacked initiative to start an attack.

J. McMillan.—(Left-half): Brilliant, when in top form, but not very often. Inclined to hold on to the ball just slightly too long. Lacks ability for the 'long-switching' ball, and with a little more dash could be more steady.

K. Rout.—(Reserve back): A player who has completely lost last season's form. At times lacked enthusiasm, but began to hit form towards the end of the season. Obviously, liked the dryer grounds better.

K. Baker.—(Outside-right): Although, of a small build, proved to be the best forward in the side. Lacked fire in his shooting, but came back on defence at the right time. Was the top scorer in the team.

C. Chin.—(Inside-right and vice-captain): The forward's strategist, but unfortunately, the others didn't always follow his moves. Has improved steadily, but tended to crowd out the half-backs. Has a useful snappy shot.

N. Croad.—(Centre-forward): An inside-forward who has turned into a promising centre-forward. Shoots well but positional play is suspect. Expected to improve with experience.

D. Darby.—(Inside-left): Will play better when he learns to contain himself. Lacked the initiative to pass at the right time and place. Must learn to open up play; proved to be a good reserve goalkeeper.

M. Lane (Outside Left): Was just the man to fill this berth. Has an excellent cross, but did not always use it to the best advantage. Scored a number of good goals, and is expected to improve with experience.

G. Wicks (Reserve Forward): Fast, but shows an obvious lack of ball control. Also impetuous with shots at goal. Inclined to get off-side at the wrong time.

THE OTAGO B.H.S. MATCH

Thanks to K. J. Baker on the right-wing, we drew a hard fought match, in which we scored the first and last goals to share the honours.

The game on the whole was even, for during periods of each half, one side clearly held the superiority, but on each of those occasions failed to finish off chances.

The first half started with a surprise—we were on attack, and were extremely unlucky not to score—and we kept the pressure up for the first fifteen minutes. Then, someone hit the bar and Baker was in the right place to collect the rebound and coolly pick out a spot in the goal. However, a torrid few minutes before the interval saw R. Dick equalise for Otago.

Most of the second half depended upon how well our defence could hold out against a forward line that did everything but make our net bulge. But we did hit back with a spasmodic thrust that was repelled by a just as determined defence. Then someone miskicked in our penalty area, and Dick didn't give Rackley a chance—giving Otago the lead. But we came back, and from a free kick, Baker equalised with another well-placed shot.

THE KING'S MATCH

Here we were beaten by two clear goals—and their star centre-forward, P. Williams played a big part in our defeat, for he somehow, just managed to get the better of R. J. Holloway, who played outstandingly at centre-half. A. Rackley had a torrid time from the harassing King's forwards, but emerged from the game on the credit side. Our forwards had their chances to split up the King's defence, but instead, spoiled it all by thoughtless passing.

King's scored a goal in each half, but their superiority was clear-cut, for the opposing team had only two changes from their 1958 team. Furthermore, they were unbeaten during the season of 1959, scoring more than a century of goals, as well as beating O.B.H.S. in the process.

2ND ELEVEN

The 2nd XI had a rather mixed season, either winning or losing decisively. The team was erratic

and marred frequently by injury. Of the players, Anderson was solid in goals, while Munro played some good games at left-half.

Bowie was the pick of the forwards while Welsh at centre forward was a consistent goal scorer.

Our thanks to Mr Smith for his unfailing support and good advice.

The team was: A. Anderson, A. V. Kerr, I. Kelly, A. F. Munro, A. Greet, R. McQueen, F. Sutton, J. Berragan, J. S. Bowie, A. E. Woodfield (capt.), D. F. Welsh, W. Whitley, N. G. Osborne.

THIRD ELEVEN

This team had a very unsuccessful year, due to its players often being reserves and playing for the 2nd XI. As the team was frequently short, several 5th grade members played for us, they were: Seilis, Munro, Millar, Finkle, Sharfe and Denton.

Our thanks go to Mr Smith for coaching and organizing the teams.

The team was: Wills (capt.), Remnant, Whitley, Smith, Sampson, Maclean, Faulkner, Bailey, McEwan, Green, McQueen, Osbourne.

FIFTH GRADE

This team played many excellent games throughout the season and finished second in the competition.

Of the forwards, Seilis and Millar scored most of the goals, while Wilson and Middlemass were always on hand to back them up. They were well supported by Munro and Armstrong in the halves; Hazelmore and Wood usually played well in the backs although they were inclined to be a little flustered when hard pressed.

The team's thanks go to Mr Bristow for his help.

The team was: G. Sharfe (capt.), S. Munro, K. Armstrong, B. Denton, R. Wood, R. Hazelmore, O. Middlemass, P. Millar, J. Seilis, J. Wilson, G. Butkus.

HARRIERS

This year's round-the-park race was held in fine weather and though conditions were good for fast times, those recorded were not very good compared with previous years.

The results were:—

Under 14: 1st, J. R. Hurring, 4D, 14min. 20sec.; 2nd, P. J. Dynes, 3A; 3rd, J. C. Shirley, 4A.

Junior: 1st, J. F. Henderson, 5A, 13min 34sec; 2nd, R. M. Wilson, 3D; 3rd, P. A. Mason, 4A.

Intermediate: 1st, A. F. McRae, 5B, 12min 38sec; 2nd, J. E. Berragan, 5 up; 3rd, C. L. Hutton, 5B.

Senior: 1st, W. D. Henstock, 6B, 12min 37sec; 2nd, R. J. Stewart, 6A; 3rd, S. G. Kitto, 6A.

Inter Form Results: 1st, 4A, 100 points; 2nd, 6A, 93 points; 3rd, L6.A, 76 points.

Inter House: Blue 250, White 213, School 198, Red 179.

The following teams were picked to represent the school in the Southland Secondary Schools' Cross Country Championships at the Invercargill racecourse on the 26th September.

Junior: R. M. Wilson, C. C. Briscoe, J. R. Hurring, P. J. Dynes, D. T. Watts, R. Y. Tapper.

Intermediate: A. F. McRae, N. Collie, A. B. Kerr, J. F. Henderson, P. A. Mason, A. B. Newey.

Senior: W. D. Henstock, R. J. Stewart, S. G. Kitto, W. J. Blake, C. L. Hutton, N. W. Richards.

Though the conditions on the day of the race were excellent and the school did well in the Intermediate and Senior sections though the Junior runners were not up to standard. In the intermediates, McRae put up an excellent performance, being just beaten by a few yards. The intermediates gained second place in the teams race and the senior team won the Senior Cup though they were equal with Gore.

The results were:—

Intermediate: Time 15min 40 sec.; 2nd A. F. McRae, 15min 41sec; 7th, N. Collie; 8th, J. F. H. Henderson.

Senior: Time 16min 48sec; 1st, W. D. Henstock; 4th, J. Berragan, 17min 38sec; 6th, R. J. Stewart, 18min 6sec.

CRICKET

FIRST XI

This year the First XI again competed in the Senior Competition and is now showing the benefit of several years' play in this grade. As usual form was very unstable but some good team performances were registered. After the Christmas break some key positions were left vacant, as many experienced members left. As a result, inexperience was evident in the inter-school fixtures.

The team was held together by the outstanding playing and coaching ability of Mr Alabaster. We congratulate him for heading the batting averages and taking the most wickets in the Invercargill senior competition. Our thanks are due to him for his support both on and off the field.

During the season, Moreton, R. A. Holloway, Blue, Fraser and Cochrane were included in the Southland Brabin Shield team. Moreton and Holloway were included in the Otago Brabin Shield team and Moreton, Holloway, Cochrane, Truscott and Childs were selected for the Southland senior team.

CRITIQUE

MORETON.—Was an alert and thoughtful captain, who set a fine example. His fielding and bowling were always outstanding and his magnificent century against Kings compensated for his earlier failures with the bat.

CHILDS.—An opening bat who, this year, attacked the bowling more than previously. When in form scored some delightful runs but sometimes gave the impression of a little impatience. His leg-breaks were also most effective. A good fielder.

SHARP.—Played some sound innings and showed the benefit of his experience. Shows greater ability when hitting hard. A sound strokemaker who concentrates well.

LLOYD.—Promoted to opener this year and displayed a sound temperament, although has a weakness outside off-stump. Could develop as an off-spin bowler.

TRUSCOTT.—An acquisition from the North Island. He proved to be a most stylish and experienced batsman as well as a fiery quick bowler.

GRANT.—A hard-hitting middle batsman, whose strong leg shots earned him many runs. Will improve with patience and experience.

BROWN.—Promoted from the Second XI, and, although lacking in confidence, proved to be a tenacious defender.

MILBURN.—A natural strokemaker, who scored many valuable runs when he was able to subdue his inclination to hit every ball hard. Showed surprising ability when tried as a bowler.

FRASER.—A young 'keeper who displays much ability. He had a meteoric rise this year to Brabin Shield honours, and with experience will prove a valuable specialist.

BAKER.—Young and enthusiastic. Displays considerable ability both as a batsman and a leg-break bowler.

LOUDON.—With a little more application and effort, could develop into a very penetrating pace bowler and a sound batsman.

HOLLOWAY.—When he learns to use his natural physique to better advantage will have more success as a medium-pace bowler.

CHRISTCHURCH TRIP

At the end of last season, two extra games were arranged with Christchurch schools thanks to the ingenuity of Mr Alabaster.

The first game was scheduled for the 15th and 16th of December against St. Andrew's College but, unfortunately, rain washed out all chance of play. The second game was scheduled to begin at 10.30 a.m. on the 17th December against Linwood High School, but the persistent rain delayed play until 3.15 p.m.

Play began on an improvised and rather wet wicket, with Linwood, having won the toss, batting first. The wicket was slow and most unresponsive to the bowlers who toiled well under the wet conditions. Rowlands (35), Randle (65) and Millard (40), provided the strongest resistance, and helped take the total to 211.

Bowling for school: Blue 2-41 off 29 overs, Holloway 2-58 off 23 overs, both bowled economically, while Childs bowled very well in taking 2-7 off four overs. Schools' innings started disastrously with seven wickets falling for 100 runs. Bad batting and a few tricks from the drying wicket assisting Linwood bowlers. Childs, who opened, batted most soundly and attractively scoring all round the wicket at a fast pace to score 68 of the first hundred runs. When an absolute rout seemed inevitable, captain R. Currie and J. Blue came together scoring 95 runs for the eighth wicket in a valuable and vital stand, both eventually being out for 57 runs each. School was finally dismissed for 228 a few minutes before stumps on the final day and the game ended in a draw.

SCOREBOARD

	Batting			
Cuff	0
Childs	68
Cochrane	8
Moreton	6
Holloway	3
Sharp	2
Milburn	0
Currie	57
Blue	57
Fraser	8 n.o.
Loudon	4
Extras	16
				228

	Bowling			
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Blue	29	13	41	2
Loudon	14	3	23	1
Currie	17	2	44	0
Holloway	23	6	58	2
Moreton	11	1	24	0
Childs	4.1	-	7	2

This new venture was an outstanding success, despite the weather, thanks to the kind hospitality of the St. Andrew's and Linwood people. It is to be hoped that the association with these schools will be continued in the future.

1st XI v. KING'S B.H.S.

The weather before and during the match with Kings was cold, windy, and often wet. But for this it would have been a really interesting match. The game was highlighted by two outstanding centuries, the first time that two have been scored in an inter-school fixture here for twenty-six years.

Kings batted first on an easy wicket and at lunch had lost their first 4 wickets for 99 runs. However, after lunch, a partnership of 147 between Campbell and Woolford took their total to the much more formidable one of 241 for 7. The side was all out at 4.35 for 267. Of the Southland attack, Milburn with his medium pace out-swingers was the most successful with 4 for 27 while Moreton bowled economically to take 3 for 70 from 22 overs. Truscott and Loudon were both pacy but rather erratic. At stumps, Southland had lost Childs for 13 and were 1 for 29. The weather deteriorated over night and was showery the next morning, delaying the start till 2.15 p.m. Even then there were two stoppages for rain before six o'clock. Truscott continued steadily and was out at 3.10 for 33, well compiled in 73 minutes. Lloyd and Milburn were out before this and the score was 4 for 64, Kings appearing to be well on top at this stage. Sharp came in and batted aggressively for his 13, followed by a very steady knock by Grant who was unlucky to hit his wicket when on 27. Moreton began his fine innings at 3.25 and just when it appeared that he would run out of partners, Brown came in at 5.5 and this partnership held till 6.0. Moreton kept the bowling as much as he could and his innings of 113 not out included 3 sixes and 16 fours. The soft and muddy wicket assisted neither the batsmen nor the bowlers very much.

The match concluded in a draw.

SCOREBOARD:

Batting.

		13
Childs	14
Lloyd	33
Truscott	2
Milburn	13
Sharp	27
Grant	113 (n.o.)
Moreton	1
McMillan	6 (n.o.)
Brown	7
Extras	

Total 229 for 7

Fraser and Loudon did not bat.

Bowling:

Truscott	1 for 39
Loudon	1 for 65
Moreton	3 for 70
Milburn	4 for 27
Childs	0 for 42
Lloyd	0 for 15

S.B.H.S. v. OTAGO B.H.S.

The weather was calm, cool, and overcast for both days of this game which concluded at 5 p.m. on the second day and resulted in an outright win to O.B.H.S.

Moreton won the toss and School batted first on a lively, green wicket. Wickets soon began to fall quickly to the deceptive Billcliffe and the accurate Storer, and it was not until Truscott and Milburn became associated in a bright partnership of 98 that our score approached a respectable total. Truscott played sound and powerful shots for his 69, while

Milburn mixed caution with abandon (in all proportions) for his much needed innings of 57. These were the only batsmen to reach double figures and the side was dismissed for 152.

In O.B.H.S.' first innings, Loudon and Truscott were soon to take advantage of the pitch and at one stage O.B.H.S. were 3 for 6. However, any hopes of a quick dismissal were dissolved by the O.B.H.S. captain, Semple, who compiled a delightful, if not chanceless, century. Of the School bowlers, Moreton was the most effective with 3 for 36, while Loudon finished with 3 for 53, Childs 2 for 46, and Truscott 1 for 36. O.B.H.S. made 205.

School's second innings opened brightly with a run a minute until just before lunch when the two openers were dismissed. After lunch, the School innings collapsed, except for another good knock of 35 from Truscott and some resistance from the tailenders, and it finished at a total of 121, thus leaving O.B.H.S. to make 69 for an outright victory. This they did with an hour to spare.

"More is the honour in losing well than in winning well."—Anon.

SCOREBOARD:

Batting.

		First Innings	Second Innings
Childs	7	19
Lloyd	2	3
Truscott	69	35
Moreton	1	8
Sharp	2	5
Milburn	57	8
Grant	5	0
Brown	3	3
Fraser	1	17
Loudon	4 n.o.	0
Holloway	0	10 n.o.
Extras	1	13
		152	121

Bowling.

	O	M	R	W	O	M	R	W
Loudon	26	9	53	3	3	0	19	0
Truscott	20	7	36	1	5.2	0	17	2
Moreton	16	6	36	3	7	0	32	0
Childs	15	1	46	2	-	-	-	-

2ND XI

The season opened with a strong team available and because of this the 2nd's were promoted to Intermediate grade in the town competition. The team justified its higher grading by winning its first two games outright, drawing the third, and was unfortunate to lose the fourth of the first innings because of lack of time.

Fowler, Lloyd, Loudon, Fraser, Grant and Oliver all made runs at times but unfortunately the batting proved somewhat brittle and several times the tailenders had to get the team out of difficulty. Three young batsmen, Henderson, Brown and Baker showed considerable promise.

The bowling attack, consisting of Loudon and Holloway for speed, Lloyd for spin and Oliver and Everett as change bowlers, was usually consistent and at times devastating, with Lloyd and Loudon taking the most wickets. It was a pity that the bowling did not always receive the full support of the fielding, thus the attack was inclined to go to pieces. Fraser as wicket-keeper was brilliant at times and played in

the Southland Brabin shield team, the only Intermediate grade player to do so. Brown also showed considerable skill as a 'keeper but he had few opportunities in this position. It was unfortunate for the Second Eleven that after the Christmas break, five members were promoted to the 1st XI and three others left school. This weakened the team considerably but when school started again at the beginning of the year, a new and young group of players joined the remaining older ones and with them the team was again moulded into a reasonably efficient one. Such new bowlers as Sinclair, Shelton, Baker and Anderson all took many wickets before the season ended. In the batting, the tail-enders seemed the most consistent and topped the averages. Shelton, Woodfield, Baker, Bragg and McMillan all showed promise and it is hoped that the school may benefit from them in the future.

Mr Anderson's willing advice and experience was of considerable value to the Second Eleven and the team thanks him for his help.

THE GORE MATCHES

The first of these two matches versus the Gore H.S. 1st XI was played at Gore on the 5th December, 1958. S.B.H.S. lost the toss and Gore batted on a near perfect wicket made soft by over-night rain. The bowlers found the ground very slippery and it wasn't till after lunch that the wicket began to dry out and be of any assistance to them. The Gore batsmen were content to defend regardless of the run-making possibilities and after $3\frac{1}{4}$ hours they declared at only 107 for 7. This left S.B.H.S. even time to win on a now fast and tricky wicket.

Due to poor batting while trying to get the runs, the School batsmen failed badly and it was left to Fraser and Sinclair to play out time. Fraser carried his bat for an excellent 28 out of a total of 72 for 9.

The team was: Grant (capt.), Fowler, Fraser, Loudon, Lloyd, Brown, Everett, Henderson, Dunwoodie, Oliver and Sinclair.

The second match with the Gore 1st XI was played at School in February, 1959. On winning the toss, the Seconds began well and after lunch the moderate scoring rate was livened up, to the delight of the spectators, by some big hitting from Borland (27) and Everett (22). However, after these two had gone, the tail-enders crumpled completely and the side was all out for 103. Although they had not made as many runs as they might have, the Seconds went onto the field full of confidence but this was rather dampened when, with only half an hour to go, Gore were 60 for 5 and the position looked hopeless. But with a change of bowlers and a more intensified interest in fielding, the other five batsmen were dismissed just within time with the Gore total at 64.

The team for this game was: Everett (capt.), Bragg, Woodfield, Anderson, Shelton, McMillan, Jennings, Sinclair, Holloway, Henderson, Baker.

ATHLETIC NOTES

This year's sports were held on Wednesday, March 4th on a firm track and under perfect weather conditions. The large number of entries and the very high standard, together with a large crowd of visitors and excellent organization by Mr Ryan, rates this year's sports as one of the most successful meetings in the history of the School. Competition in all events was very keen and performances in championship

3RD XI

This season the Third Eleven did not meet with much success but the team enjoyed its games and had some close matches. Harrington and Nobbs were the most successful bowlers and both finished with good averages. The batting was inconsistent although Borland often provided a whirlwind innings. Harrington, Smith, Cutler and Grant also scored runs at times.

The team is indebted to Mr Ryder for his enthusiastic coaching.

The team: D. Smythe (capt.), K. Borland, G. Nobbs, C. Cutler, J. Mortimer, J. Harrington, P. Smith, J. Milne, M. Grant, F. Blakely, W. Dolan, A. Kitson, D. Pollock.

3RD GRADE A

This team again came through the season successfully and were declared winners of their competition. As the games were played in the morning with very little time, the fast bowlers and big hitters excelled. Players in this category were Cochran, Edginton and Nicholson as bowlers, and Elder, Adam, Mortimer and Nicholson as batsmen. The wicket-keeping problem was looked after by Wilson who should improve with experience.

The highlight of the season was undoubtedly the visit of a John McGlashan eleven. In the match, which was played in cold conditions, the School team came out convincing winners by an innings and 47 runs.

All our thanks go to Mr Hunter who arranged this match. Thanks also to Mr Button who continued our coaching in an enthusiastic manner when Mr Hunter left at the end of 1958.

The team: M. Morland (capt.), J. Elder, C. Cochran, A. Edginton, A. McLean, K. Nicholson, M. Wilson, D. Adam, P. Little, J. Shirley, B. Stewart, R. Ritchie, R. Peterson, C. Briscoe.

3RD GRADE B

The 3rd Grade "B" team had rather a mixed season this year. The batting was never reliable but someone usually stopped a collapse and in one match the team scored 151 for the loss of only 4 wickets.

J. Robertson was the most reliable batsmen, Mason the hardest to dismiss and Collins was aggressive against the weaker bowling. The main bowlers were Robertson, Elder and Folster while Stewart gained 6 wickets for 9 runs during the season with his slow spinners. B. Robertson kept wicket well on most occasions.

Our thanks go to Mr Harland and Mr McCall for their coaching.

The team was: Rodda, Stewart, J. Robertson, B. Robertson, Collins, Folster, Mason, Hall, Dickson, Lyness, McCrostie, Thomas, Houlston, Elder, Jenkins, Geddes, Driver, Hazelmore.

events were often well above usual standards, three records being broken.

One of the most notable efforts of the day was that of J. W. Loudon who hurled the senior javelin 150ft $7\frac{1}{2}$ ins to break the previous record by more than 10 feet. R. C. Moreton showed fine sprinting and jumping form to win the 100 yards and 220 yards, hop, step and jump, and he was unlucky not to break the School record in the high jump. Over the long

distances, W. D. Henstock displayed outstanding stamina but he lacked real competition. He won the 440 yards, 880 yards, and the mile, all in good times. D. J. Galloway recorded an excellent leap of 20ft 3in in the long jump while G. R. Nobbs showed his versatility in winning the 120 yards hurdles in 16.4secs and in providing a keen duel for high jump honours.

N. A. James was the most successful athlete in the Intermediate section winning the 220, 440 and 90 yards hurdles. In the 880 yards and mile, A. F. McRae ran very strongly and recorded first class times in both events. However, D. J. Sinclair highlighted this section with a mighty putt of 37ft 8in which easily broke the recently established record. Other winners recording good performances were J. A. Cutt in the 100 yards, T. C. Peters in the long jump, R. P. Little in the high jump, and A. B. Milburn in the javelin.

It is not often that the School has a junior with the potential of W. W. Bates. He performed extremely well in recording four wins and more will be seen of this athlete in the future. Also showing promise were D. H. Wright, G. F. Deimel and M. W. Morland, all being placed in their events.

The third record to be broken was in the Under 14 high jump where H. J. Riley cleared 4ft 7½in. He also gained several other placings and together with G. D. Sim, B. E. Lamb and R. Y. Tapper will form a strong Junior section next year.

The walking races again drew a large number of entries. E. D. Miller, W. McRae and R. B. Robson were successful, the former giving a very polished performance.

The School is very grateful to Mr Ryan and his officials for training and supervising competitors and preparing the grounds.

This year the House relays were held on the second day and provided their usual excitement. Blue House was successful in the Senior while School won the Intermediate, Junior and Under 14.

Between the time of the School sports and the Inter-school Meeting at Oamaru, Mr Ryan organized, as part of the athletic team's training, an evening meeting in which two town schools and three District High Schools took part. At Oamaru the athletic team performed well against very talented opposition. School won the Arthur Barnett Shield for the Junior section. Here, W. W. Bates was outstanding, winning the 440 yards and gaining second places in the 220 yards and long jump. Among the intermediates R. P. Little gained second place in the high jump and A. F. McRae was second in the 880 yards. D. J. Sinclair, competing in the Senior shot putt, was placed first. G. R. Nobbs gained second place in the hurdles, W. D. Henstock was third in the 880, A. T. Rackley third in the high jump, and D. J. Galloway third in the long jump.

CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Senior.—R. C. Moreton and W. D. Henstock 15, D. J. Galloway 11.

Intermediate.—N. A. James 15, D. J. Sinclair 11, A. F. McRae 10.

Junior.—W. W. Bates 15, D. H. Wright 13, G. F. Deimel and M. W. Morland 7.

Under 14.—K. G. Riley 15, G. D. Sim 8, B. E. Lamb 7.

SENIOR

100yds.—A grade: R. C. Moreton (W.) 1, W. D. Henstock (W) 2, J. H. Dunlop (R) 3. Time, 11sec. B

grade: P. T. Edwards (R) 1, C. J. Richards (S) 2, B. W. McMillan (R) 3. Time, 12sec.

220yds.—A grade: R. C. Moreton (W) 1, D. J. Galloway (B) 2, B. W. Bailey (B) 3. Time, 24.6sec. B grade: C. J. Richards (S) 1, C. W. Childs (B) 2, P. T. Edwards (R) 3. Time, 26.8sec.

440yds.—A grade: W. D. Henstock (W) 1, S. G. Kitto (S) 2, D. J. Galloway (B) 3. Time, 54.5sec. B grade: B. W. Bailey (B) 1, C. J. Richards (S) 2, B. W. McMillan (R) 3. Time, 57sec.

880yds.—A grade: W. D. Henstock (W) 1, S. G. Kitto (S) 2, D. A. Holden (S) 3. Time, 2min 10.2sec. B grade: E. D. Knuckey (R) 1, L. J. Canning (R) 2, D. W. Morris (B) 3. Time, 2min 22.4sec.

Mile.—A grade: W. D. Henstock (W) 1, D. A. Holden (S) 2, B. A. Bedwell (S) 3. Time, 4min 50sec.

120yds hurdles.—G. R. Nobbs (W) 1, J. H. Dunlop (R) 2, L. J. Everett (S) 3. Time, 16.4sec.

Long jump.—A grade: D. J. Galloway (B) 1, D. A. Holden (S) 2, G. R. Nobbs (W) 3. Distance, 20ft 3in. B grade: P. T. Edwards (R) 1, J. S. McMillan (W) 2, J. D. Ross (S) 3. Distance, 17ft 1 1-8in.

High jump.—R. C. Moreton (W) 1, G. R. Nobbs (W) 2, S. G. Kitto (S) 3. Height, 5ft 4½in.

Hop, Step and Jump.—A grade: R. C. Moreton (W) 1, D. J. Galloway (B) 2, G. R. Nobbs (W) 3. Distance 40ft 5in. B grade: M. R. Deaker (S) 1, G. W. George (S) 2, J. D. Ross (S) 3. Distance, 36ft 4in.

Javelin.—J. W. Loudon (B) 1, D. C. Sharp (B) 2, R. W. Henderson (S) 3. Distance, 150ft 7½in. (Record).

Shot putt.—A grade: A. T. Rackley (S) 1, J. W. Loudon (B) 2, T. D. Thomas (R) 3. Distance, 37ft 3½in. B grade: G. M. Orbell (B) 1, J. A. Officer (W) 2, R. W. Henderson (S) 3. Distance, 31ft 4½in.

Discus.—M. J. Allison (R) 1, J. W. Loudon (B) 2, T. D. Thomas (R) 3. Distance, 87ft 1lin.

INTERMEDIATE

100yds.—A grade: J. A. Cutt (S) 1, W. J. Weavers (R) 2, L. M. Hoffman (W) 3. Time, 11.5sec. B grade: G. A. McDonald (R) 1, B. A. Chisholm (B) 2, T. E. Wilson (B) 3. Time, 12.6sec. C grade: I. G. Bowie (S) 1, J. E. Shand (S) 2, S. W. McLean (W) 3. Time, 12.6sec.

220yds.—A grade: N. A. James (S) 1, J. A. Cutt (S) 2, W. J. Weavers (R) 3. Time 25.5sec. B grade: B. S. Macguire (S) 1, T. E. Wilson (B) 2, R. J. Walker (R) 3. Time, 26.6sec.

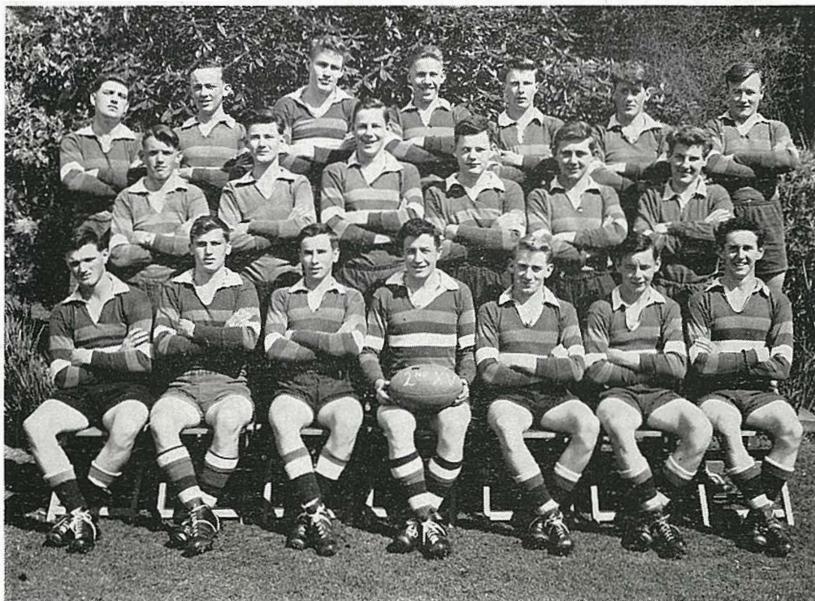
440yds.—A grade: N. A. James (S) 1, W. F. Henry (R) 2, J. E. Berragan (S) 3. Time, 57.2sec. B grade: N. Collie (B) 1, C. G. Baird (R) 2, J. D. Robertson (S) 3. Time, 61sec.

880yds.—A grade: A. F. McRae (R) 1, C. L. Hutton (W) 2, R. K. Grant (W) 3. Time, 2min 16.6sec. B grade: R. J. Munyard (W) 1, L. K. Moyle (R) 2, R. N. Edlin (R) 3. Time, 2min 23.6sec.

Mile.—A grade: A. F. McRae (R) 1, J. E. Berragan (S) 2, T. D. McNeill (B) 3. Time, 5min 1.8sec. B grade: D. J. Darby (S) 1, R. W. Edlin (R) 2, R. J. Munyard (W) 3. Time, 5min 28.2sec.

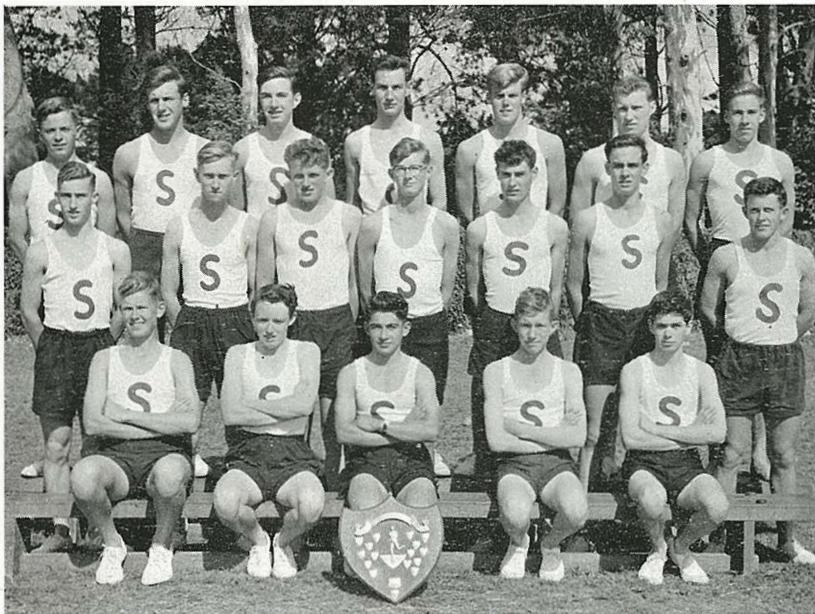
90yds hurdles.—N. A. James (S) 1, E. F. Blakely (R) 2, W. J. Weavers (R) 3. Time, 13.2sec.

Long jump.—A grade: T. C. Peters (R) 1, P. R. Smith (W) 2, J. Harrington (B) and L. M. Hoffman (B) equal 3. Distance, 17ft 11in. B grade: G. A. McDonald (R) 1, D. G. Lloyd (W) 2, C. J. Cutler (B) 3. Distance, 16ft 6in. C grade: H. R. Giller (R) 1, C. D. Lindsay (S) 2, R. N. Croad (B) 3. Distance, 13ft 9in.



Second Fifteen, 1959.

Back : B. C. Young, B. W. McMillan, A. Smith, S. G. Kitto, A. B. Grant, L. M. Bragg,
P. R. Smith.
Middle : J. W. Watson, I. J. Lyver, J. A. Hamilton, J. S. Milne, J. S. Howson,
C. R. Butson.
Front : C. A. Hamilton, R. L. Bernstone, C. W. Childs (v.-capt.), R. J. Stewart (capt.)
B. A. Bedwell, T. J. Fraser, W. J. Weavers.



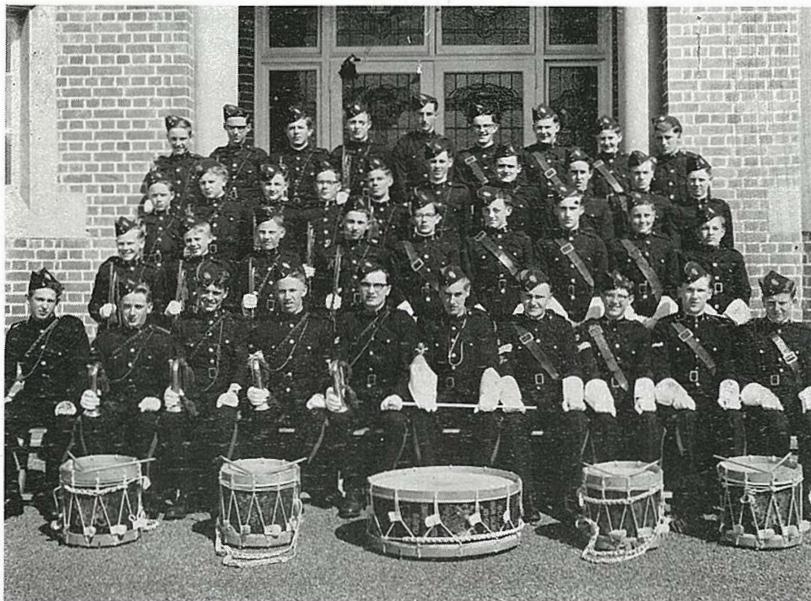
Athletic Team, 1959.

Back : G. R. Nebbs, J. W. Loudon, D. J. Galloway, A. T. Rackley, J. H. Dunlop,
D. J. Sinclair, S. G. Kitto.
Middle : J. E. Berragan, J. A. Cutt, A. F. McRae, T. C. Peters, W. F. Henry,
R. P. Little, N. A. James.
Front : J. C. Cochrane, J. W. Wright, W. W. Bates, A. B. Newey, G. F. Deimel.



1st Hockey XI, 1959.

Back : D. W. Wood, D. M. Scott, R. N. Edlin.
Middle : L. K. Moyle (v. capt.), N. G. Scott, E. F. Blakely, D. A. Foster.
Front : N. C. Pratt, B. B. Robertson, P. T. Edwards (capt.), A. W. Mitchell,
A. I. Littlejohn.
Absent : J. J. Robertson.



The Band, 1959.

High jump.—A grade: R. P. Little (R) 1, D. F. Welsh (R) 2, N. M. Simpson (S) 3. Height, 5ft 1in. B grade: C. A. McMillan (R) 1, S. W. Brown (W) 2, A. G. Dennis (W) 3. Height, 4ft 9in.

Hop, Step and Jump.—A grade: C. L. Hutton (W) 1, N. A. James (S) 2, D. C. Cox (W) 3. Distance, 37ft 8in. B grade: G. A. McDonald (R) 1, R. D. Pollock (B) 2, N. C. Rillstone (S) 3. Distance, 35ft 4in.

Javelin.—A. B. Milburn (W) 1, D. R. Young (S) 2, D. J. Sinclair (S) 3. Distance, 129ft 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Shot putt.—D. J. Sinclair (S) 1, P. R. Smith (W) 2, K. L. Borland (W) 3. Distance, 37ft 8in. (Record).

Discuss.—D. J. Sinclair (S) 1, A. B. Milburn (W) 2, J. S. Howson (R) 3. Distance, 102ft 4in.

JUNIOR

100yds.—A grade: W. W. Bates (S) 1, G. F. Deimel (B) 2, A. B. Newey (S) 3. Time, 11.2sec. B grade: B. Connor (W) 1, P. Mason (S) 2, K. Murdoch (S) 3. Time, 12.4sec. C grade: D. Little (R) 1, B. E. Campbell (R) 2, J. Calder (S) 3. Time, 12.4sec.

220yds.—A grade: W. W. Bates (S) 1, G. F. Deimel (B) 2, D. H. Wright (B) 3. Time, 25.4sec. B grade: K. Murdoch (S) 1, J. Elder (B) 2, B. Connor (W) 3. Time, 28.6sec.

440yds.—A grade: W. W. Bates (S) 1, D. H. Wright (B) 2, G. F. Deimel (B) 3. Time, 62.5sec. B grade: P. A. Mason (S) 1, A. D. Campbell (B) 2, W. P. Hewitson (S) 3. Time, 69.8sec.

880yds.—D. H. Wright (B) 1, M. W. Morland (W) 2, H. F. Brown (R) 3. Time, 2min 25sec.

80yds hurdles.—A grade: D. H. Wright (B) 1, B. Robertson (B) 2, A. D. Kitson (R) 3. Time, 12.8sec. B grade: R. A. Shanks (R) 1, M. G. Wills (B) 2, K. C. Stenton (B) 3. Time, 14.6sec.

Long jump.—A grade: W. W. Bates (S) 1, J. F. Henderson (W) 2, N. W. Morland (W) 3. Distance, 17ft 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. B grade: A. D. Campbell (B) 1, N. L. Sutherland (R) 2, T. Wilkes (R) 3. Distance, 15ft 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. C grade: N. C. Pratt (B) 1, P. W. Ayton (R) 2, L. K. Hamilton (W) 3. Distance, 12ft 9in.

High jump.—A. B. Newey (S) 1, R. W. Hogg (W) 2, K. A. Maxwell (R) 3. Height, 4ft 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Hop, Step and Jump.—A grade: R. B. Ritchie (R) 1, M. W. Morland (W) 2, R. J. Elder (W) 3. Distance, 31ft 8in. B grade: A. A. Bailey (S) 1, G. Allen (R) 2, A. G. Bunn (W) 3. Distance, 30ft 8in.

Shot putt.—M. G. Wills (B) 1, G. R. Sharpe (B) 2, A. H. Wilson (R) 3. Distance, 24ft 11in.

UNDER 14

100yds.—A grade: K. G. Riley (W) 1, B. E. Lamb (W) 2, P. A. Miller (R) 3. Time, 12.4sec. B grade: J. V. Tuffrey (R) 1, A. C. Cambridge (B) 2, J. Rutherford (R) 3. Time, 13sec. C grade: R. G. Williams (W) 1, A. D. Collie (R) 2, K. J. McLeod (B) 3. Time, 14sec.

220yds.—A grade: R. Y. Tapper (S) 1, B. E. Lamb (W) 2, P. J. Dynes (B) 3. Time, 28.8sec. B grade: J. V. Tuffrey (R) 1, A. C. Cambridge (B) 2, J. Rutherford (R) 3. Time, 30sec.

440yds.—A grade: K. G. Riley (W) 1, P. J. Ryner (B) 2, A. G. von Tunzelman (S) 3. Time, 64sec. B Grade: M. R. Anderson (B) 1, D. R. Dumbleton (B) 2, D. L. McDonald (B) 3. Time, 69sec.

80yds hurdles.—A grade: K. G. Riley (W) 1, B. D. Wilson (S) 2, I. G. Moreton (S) 3. Time, 13.4sec. B grade: W. J. Henderson (R) 1, K. J. McLeod (B) 2, A. H. McLees (S) 3. Time, 14.4sec.

High jump.—A grade: K. G. Riley (W) 1, G. D. Sim (S) 2, B. E. Lamb (W) 3. Height, 4ft 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. (Record). B grade: M. G. Stewart (B) 1, D. W. Herbert (R) 2, R. W. Hall (S) 3. Height, 4ft 3in.

Long jump.—A grade: G. D. Sim (S) 1, R. L. McCurdy (B) 2, R. Y. Tapper (S) 3. Distance, 13ft 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. B grade: J. P. Seilis (S) 1, J. R. Kelly (W) 2, C. Hughes (R) and G. C. Lawrie (W) equal 3. Distance, 13ft 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. C grade: M. R. Anderson (B) 1, R. B. Rudkin (W) 2, L. M. Evans (B) 3. Distance, 11ft 8in.

Hop, Step and Jump.—A grade: J. R. Hurring (B) 1, W. T. Guttery (R) 2, D. L. Dumbleton (B) 3. Distance, 31ft 4in. B grade: B. J. Hughes (R) 1, B. V. Bemrose (W) 2, D. F. Lilico (B) 3. Distance, 28ft 8in.

WALKING RACES

880yds.—over 15: E. D. Miller (W) 1, D. J. Sinclair (S) 2, R. J. Stewart (B) 3. Time, 3min 50sec.

880yds—under 15: W. M. Rae (R) 1, A. G. Bunn (W) 2, D. E. Little (R) 3. Time, 4min 30sec.

880yds.—under 14: R. B. Robson (R) 1, J. W. Gibson (B) 2, C. Hughes (R) 3. Time, 4min 44.4sec.

INTERHOUSE RELAYS

Senior.—Blue 1, Red 2, White 3. Time 3min 59.4sec.

Intermediate.—School 1, White 2, Blue 3. Time, 7min 22.5sec.

Junior.—School 1, Blue 2, Red 3. Time, 5min 53sec.

Under 14.—School 1, White 2, Red 3. Time, 6min 16sec.

HOUSE POINTS

School 228 1st, Red 193 2nd, White 182 3rd, Blue 180 4th.

SOFTBALL

With more interest shown in this sport the school was able to field a senior and junior team respectively.

We would like to thank James Hargest and Marist for some pleasant and even encounters. As softball at James Hargest is still developing it was decided to play our third formers against them. From these games we were able to uncover some promising talent in Tattersfield, von Tunzleman and Deans. These boys could if they hold their interest become a solid core for future senior sides.

The seniors played Marist, and although they lost by one or two points easily changed results in the favour of school. Rackley, Butson, Clark and Russell stood out as did Walker but the rest of the team could not sight the ball when batting.

We would like to thank Mr. Ryan and Mr. MacCaskill for their interest in marking out the diamonds and for organising the practices and games.

BADMINTON

This year Badminton coaching was held at Surrey Park Stadium, supervised by Mr Braithwaite, a well known administrator of the game in Southland. In the past Mr Braithwaite has coached such well known players as New Zealand representatives, P. D. and A. T. Skelt, the two Old Boys who are the reigning New Zealand and Southland Doubles champions, and it is hoped that in the future more boys take advantage of Mr Braithwaite's services.

HOCKEY

After a very close competition, the 1st XI won the Intermediate grade and with it the James Lewis Memorial Shield for the second year in succession. The 2nd XI did not have a very successful season but the members of this team should form the nucleus of what promises to be a strong team in future years.

The 1st XI played 13 games, winning 9, losing 3, and drawing 1. It scored 58 goals for and had 24 scored against it. We also played Gore High School, and although beaten 5-0, had a definite territorial advantage, the forwards not being able to finish off the movements.

The School was represented in the representative matches by Edwards, Moyle, B. Robertson, N. Scott,

The school singles championship was played, with Holden beating Simpson in the final. This was a particularly good year for Holden. He performed very creditably at the New Zealand Badminton Championships, being runner-up in the Men's Plate, and at the Southland Championships where he won the Junior Singles, Doubles, and Combined Doubles titles as well as being a semi-finalist in the Open Singles. Holden also played in the Southland First Division team, and our congratulations to him on his recent successes.

Wood, J. Robertson, Edlin, and Foster. Our congratulations go to Edwards who was selected for trials for the Southland Senior team that was to become the leading South Island Minor team.

This year, Mr Norman Poole donated a prize for the most improved player and J. Robertson was a worthy winner of this. Our thanks are due to Mr George Cochrane for his coaching and to Mr McNamara for his supervision. We were sorry to lose a good supporter in Mr Smith early in the season.

The team:—P. T. Edwards (captain), K. J. Moyle, R. Edlin, B. Robertson, A. Mitchell, D. Foster, J. Robertson, F. Blakely, D. Scott, N. Scott, D. Wood, N. C. Pratt, A. I. Littlejohn.

BASKETBALL NOTES, 1959

This year a very successful season was enjoyed by school indoor basketball players and teams. Seven teams were entered in Y.M.C.A. league competitions, indicating that this sport is becoming very popular in the school.

The growth and encouragement of school basketball has been due to Mr. Ryan's efforts and we thank him once again for his enthusiasm and coaching during a very busy season. Our thanks are also due to those boys who helped Mr. Ryan with coaching and other work during the season. The provision of an outdoor court on the tennis courts enabled teams to practice on a full-size playing area instead of the rather small gymnasium.

During the season, several players attained representative honours, Orbell, Thompson, Dunlop, Rackley, Nobbs, Sharp, Lloyd, Moreton, Allison and Broomhall represented Southland schoolboys, Rackley and Allison played for Southland "B" grade and Nobbs and Sharp were selected for the Southland "A" grade side. It is several years since the school had similar representation in provincial teams.

The First's team had a successful season, playing attractive basketball. Unfortunately their performances were somewhat inconsistent against Bluff, the team which ultimately won the Y.M.C.A. "A" grade competitions, School finishing second. Nobbs and Sharp were the main pointscorers during the season; their combination and scoring ability were invaluable to the team on many occasions. Although Nobbs lacks height his speed and ball control netted him well over 100 points for the season. He was well sup-

ported by Sharp who also scored more than 100 points. Young and Dunlop shared the centre position, both improving during the season. Dunlop, who drives in hard and uses his height to advantage, tended to mar his work by unnecessary fouling. Rackley was the outstanding guard in the team; his rebound play and defence saved the team several times and he looks to have an excellent future in this sport. Broomhall and Moreton were in the other guards, both playing well at times but tending to be rather inconsistent. Broomhall jumped well in defence and was Rackley's main support. Moreton was the "utility" man of the side scoring many points when moved to the forward line late in the season. Mr. Ryan, who coached the team, also played several times through the season and always fitted in well on attack and defence.

The team was: D. C. Sharp (Capt.), G. R. Nobbs, R. C. Moreton, A. T. Rackley, B. S. C. Broomhall, D. R. Young, J. H. Dunlop and Mr. Ryan.

The seconds team was rather unfortunate in that they played "D" grade this year and were far too good for their opposition. As a result their basketball did not reach the heights of which they were capable. Allison and Lloyd scored and combined well on most occasions, and were rewarded for their performances by selection in the Southland Schoolboys' team. They were well supported by Smythe, the captain, and Howson. The guards were Orbell, Matheson, Russell and at times Smythe. Owing to the somewhat uneven nature of most of the team's games the guards usually had little work to do. However they linked reasonably well with their forwards on most occasions and used their height to advantage

on rebound play. Altogether this team had an enjoyable season, winning their competition easily and proved they were playing in too low a grade for their ability.

The team was: D. R. Smythe (Capt.), D. G. Lloyd, M. J. Allison, J. S. Howson, G. M. Orbell, J. C. Matheson, A. Russell.

This year four teams were entered from school in the intermediate grade. One of these teams was from Coldstream and this team eventually won the competition without losing a game. Throughout the season competition was very keen in this grade and several very promising players emerged as prospects for next year's senior teams.

The teams were:—

Intermediate A.—Thompson, Kerr, Thomas, Henshaw, Holland, McKenzie, Henderson.

Intermediate B.—Smith R., Young, Moyle, Robertson, Green, Smith B. J., Welsh.

Intermediate C.—Deimel, Clark, Kitson, Miller, Mason, Little, Newey, Munro.

Coldstream.—Sinclair, James, Fraser, Shelton, Little, Simpson, Hamilton, McRae.

One team was entered in the junior grade and was successful in winning their competition. These boys practised hard and they all improved considerably during the season.

The team was: Nicholson, Hall, Dean, Dunlop, McLean, Lamb, Moreton, Littlejohn.

Towards the end of the season a Southland under 16 team was selected to play Otago at Dunedin. Five boys from school, Smith R., Deimel, Clark, Kitson and Nicholson gained places and we congratulate them on their selection.

BOXING NOTES

The boxing tournament was conducted by the Southland Boxing Association in the School Hall on 19th August. The large crowd that attended supported all bouts with great enthusiasm even though orthodox boxing was not evident. This year's tournament was the second since the revival of the sport in 1957.

Due to the large number of entries received it was necessary to divide the bouts into novice and Championship events.

The tournament was very well organised by Mr. MacCaskill and the Southland Boxing Association, and it was due to their efforts that the programme ran smoothly and finished at an early hour.

The members of the class would like to thank Mr. Alex Black and his assistants for the many hours they spent coaching the boys in the school gymnasium. Under such tuition boxing in the school has shown a marked improvement.

Results:—

NOVICE EVENTS

Paperweight: J. Plunkett beat G. Remnant, pts; W. Morrison beat J. Wilson, pts.

Flyweight: J. Tweek beat R. Simes, pts.

Bantamweight: A. Pryce beat S. Manson, t.k.o.

Lightweight: G. Gimblett beat L. Hamilton t.k.o.

Welterweight: O. Kelly beat W. Clarke, pts; R. Mouat beat A. Watts, t.k.o.

Middleweight: A. Deans beat J. Hall, pts.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Paperweight: I. Moreton beat R. Carr, pts.

Flyweight: O. Collie beat J. Gibson, pts.

Bantamweight: B. Smith beat D. Harrington, pts.

Lightweight: D. Morris beat D. McKenzie, t.k.o.

Light-Welterweight: R. Shelton beat P. Little, t.k.o.

Welterweight: L. Hoffman beat R. Robertson, pts.; I. Lyver beat R. Munyard, pts. Final, L. Hoffman beat I. Lyver, pts.

Middleweight: A. Bunn beat H. McEwan, t.k.o.; J. Howson beat C. Boyes, pts. Final, J. Howson beat A. Bunn, t.k.o.

Heavyweight: K. Borland beat I. Graham, pts. Final, K. Borland beat M. McLean, t.k.o.

Most scientific boxer for 1959: I. Moreton.

At the conclusion of the tournament the President of the Southland Boxing Association presented cups to the winners of championship events.

SWIMMING NOTES

Thanks to the support given by the boys and the excellent organization by the Masters, the Annual Swimming Sports was a great success. Although there were no swimmers in the calibre of Thwaites, Flynn or Knight competing as in recent years, the competition was at all times keen and everybody did their best.

Last year's runner-up, A. Kitson, was the winner of the Junior Championship but not before D. Cox, a very promising swimmer, had made a bid for the title by winning both the races he contested. D. Foster was successful in the Senior division with last year's Junior winner, R. Jenkins, runner-up. A newcomer, P. Truscott, swam well to come third.

The usual gallery of spectators, along with the parents present, witnessed many close finishes. Perhaps the most thrilling was the final of the 50 yards Senior Championship in which four swimmers turned together but Jenkins gradually opened up a gap to gain the decision.

Once again, the relays and the Ribbon Dive were exciting and amusing, particularly the latter, which proved to be a rather unfortunate event for R. J. Faulkner of the Upper Sixth.

The results were:

CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

50yds Freestyle.—Senior: Jenkins (S) 1, Truscott (R) 2, Smith (W) 3. Time, 29.6sec. Junior: Cox (W) 1, Anglem (B) 2, Armstrong (W) 3. Time, 30.7secs.

100yds Freestyle.—Senior : Jenkins (S) 1, Truscott (R) 2, Smith (W) 3. Time, 66.1secs. Junior : Cox (W) 1, Kitson (R) 2, Watts (B) 3. Time, 73.8secs.

100yds Medley.—Senior : Foster (R) 1, Truscott (R) 2, Finnie (W) 3. Time, 70.4secs. Junior : Kitson (R) 1, Davis (S) 2, McCurdy (B) 3. Time, 88secs.

50yds Backstroke.—Senior : Foster (R) 1, Jenkins (S) 2, Edwards (R) 3. Time, 42secs. Junior : Kitson (R) 1, Davis (S) 2, Tapper (S) 3. Time, 36.8secs.

50yds Breaststroke.—Senior : Thomas (R) 1, Orbell (B) 2, Simpson (S) 3. Time, 38secs. Junior : Moreton (S) 1, Riley (W) 2, Little (W) 3. Time, 40.2secs.

Dive.—Senior : Deaker (S) and Foster (R) 1, Truscott (R) 3. Junior : Skerrett (B) 1, Hall (S) 2, Davis (S) 3.

JUNIOR HANDICAP EVENTS

33½yds Freestyle.—A grade : Cox (W) 1, Littlejohn (W) 2, Armstrong (W) 3. Time, 18.4secs. B grade : Wilson (B) 1, Shirley (B) 2, Watts (B) 3. Time, 23.4secs. C grade : Kelly (W) 1, Weeds (W) 2, Collie (B) 3. Time, 23secs. D grade : Simon (S) 1, Schonyan (R) 2, Broomhall (R) 3. Time, 25.6secs. E grade : Stenton (B) 1, Caird (B) 2. Time, 20.2secs. F grade : Wallace (S) 1, Tattersfield (W) 2, Fraser (W) 3. Time, 23.2secs. G grade : Fallow (B) 1, Cambridge (B) 2, Brown (R) 3. Time, 19.8secs.

33½yds Breaststroke.—A grade : Newey (S) 1, Fraser (W) 2, Stenton (B) 3. Time, 28secs. B grade : Little (W) 1, Moreton (S) 2, McCurdy (B) 3. Time, 29.2secs. C grade : Fallow (B) 1, Wilson (B) 2, Campbell (B) 3. Time, 34.8secs.

33½yds Backstroke.—A grade : Newey (S) 1, Ferguson (W) 2, Cambridge (B) 3. Time, 25secs. B grade : Tapper (S) 1, Cochran (S) 2, Kitto (B) 3. Time, 27.1secs. C grade : Davis (S) 1, Fallow (B) 2, Shirley (R) 3. Time, 25secs.

66½yds Freestyle.—A grade : Cox (W) 1, Watts (B) 2, Simon (S) 3. Time, 45.8secs. B grade : Fallow (W) 1, Cambridge (B) 2, Brown (R) 3. Time, 46.6secs.

TENNIS NOTES

Tennis in the school has definitely increased in popularity over the past few years. Senior and Junior ladders are in operation and in the third term the Secondary School Competition was resumed, the school entering 2 teams in both grades. To date, the school have won all their matches.

The teams were :—

SENIOR A: S. Kitto, D. Holden, W. Simpson, M. Deaker.

SENIOR B: D. Whelan, J. Dunlop, E. Henderson, A. Rackley.

JUNIOR A: Smillie, Treweek, Hall, Wright.

JUNIOR B: Thomas, Allott, Bemrose, Miller.

Although the new courts are always full during intervals and lunchtimes they have not proved the success it was hoped they would be, as owing to excessive glare and the difficulty of seeing lines on the concrete surface and the better players are reluctant to play matches there. However a move has been made to lay a new base to the courts which should greatly improve their quality.

The main attraction during the last term was the Southland Secondary School Championships in which

SENIOR HANDICAP EVENTS

33½yds Freestyle.—A grade : Nobbs (W) 1, Milburn (W) 2, Armstrong (W) 3. Time, 17.8secs. B grade : Dunlop (R) 1, Smith (W) 2, Kerr (R) 3. Time, 18.5secs. C grade : Galloway (B) 1, Wicks (W) 2, Moyle (R) 3. Time, 19.9secs. D grade : Mortimer (W) 1, Mitchell (S) 2, Everett (S) 3. Time, 19secs. E grade : Peterson (W) 1, Young (S) 2, Smith (B) 3. Time, 19.1secs. F grade : Thomson (B) 1, Brown (W) 2, Little (R) 3. Time, 19.3secs.

33½yds Breaststroke.—A grade : Thomas (R) 1, Henstock (W) 2, Smythe (B) 3. Time, 24.6secs. B grade : Henderson (S) 1, Grant (W) 2, Sharp (B) 3. Time, 27.5secs. C grade : Galloway (B) 1, Peterson (W) 2, Cahill (S) 3. Time, 25secs.

33½yds Backstroke.—A grade : Harrington (B) 1, Ferguson (W) 2, Wicks (W) 3. Time, 22.6secs. B grade : Deaker (S) 1, McIlroy (S) 2, Shelton (B) 3. Time, 24secs.

66½yds Freestyle.—A grade : Nobbs (W) 1, Smith (W) 2, Smythe (B) 3. Time, 42secs. B grade : Milburn (W) 1, Dunlop (R) 2, Mortimer (W) 3. Time, 44.6secs.

OTHER EVENTS

220yds Freestyle.—Senior : Foster (R) 1, Jenkins (S) 2, Truscott (R) 3. Time, 2min 35secs. Junior : Kitson (R) 1, Riley (W) 2. Time, 3min 2secs.

Ribbon Dive.—Truscott (R) 1, Deaker (S) 2, Smith (W) 3.

Novice Dive.—Brown (W) 1, Nobbs (W) 2, Davis (S) 3.

Inter-house relays.—Senior : White 1, Red 2, Blue 3. Junior : White 1, Blue 2, School 3.

House Points.—White 154, Blue 128, Red 106, School 100.

Championship Points.—Senior : Foster 15, Jenkins 13. Junior : Kitson 15, Cox 10.

school players were prominent as usual. S. Kitto won the Senior singles and B. Chisholm and C. Hamilton the Senior Doubles. I. Treweek was runner up in the Junior Singles and I. Treweek and Bemrose in the Junior Doubles.

Players are now looking forward to the School Championships which will be played later in the year by which time an accurate ladder will have been compiled in each grade.

It is hoped that our usual match with Gore High School will be played this term and with the help of Mrs Blaikie, we are negotiating for matches with King's High School.

Our sincere thanks are due to Mr Blaikie, the master in charge for his keen interest and helpfulness at all times.

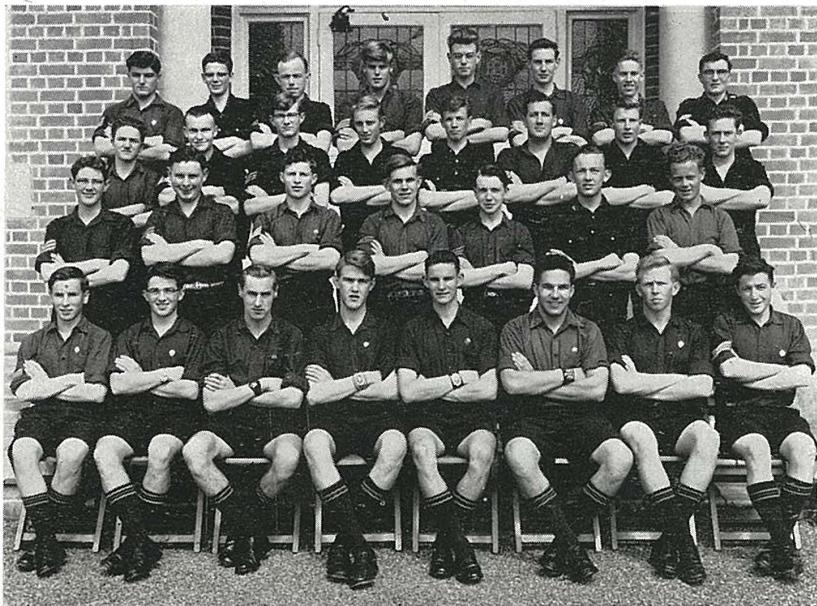
The results of our 1958 School Championships were :—

SENIOR SINGLES: J. E. Jenkinson.

SENIOR DOUBLES: R. Goodall and D. Holden.

JUNIOR SINGLES: N. C. Cantrick.

JUNIOR DOUBLES: D. F. Crane, J. F. Henderson.



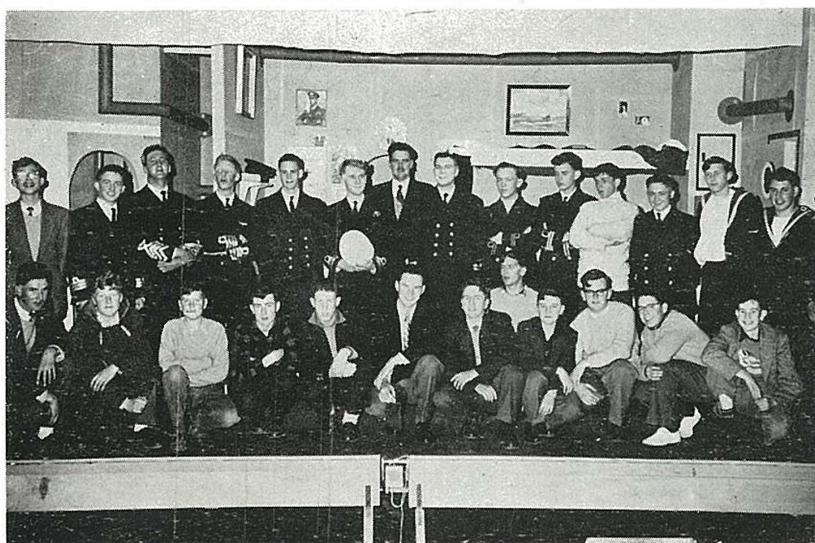
Senior Battalion N.C.O.s.

4th Row : (Sgts) K. L. Borland, D. F. Gray, D. W. Wood, J. H. Dunlop, G. M. Orbell, A. T. Rackley, S. G. Kitto, J. C. Matheson.

3rd Row : (Sgts) A. M. Greet, B. C. Boyes, T. C. Peters, D. R. Smythe, D. C. Sharp, I. D. Graham, A. B. Grant, G. L. Walker.

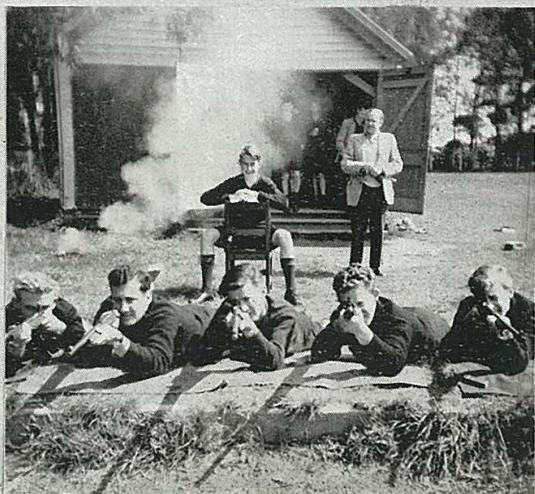
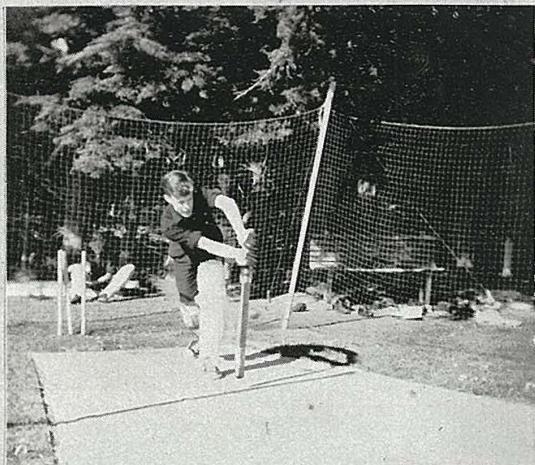
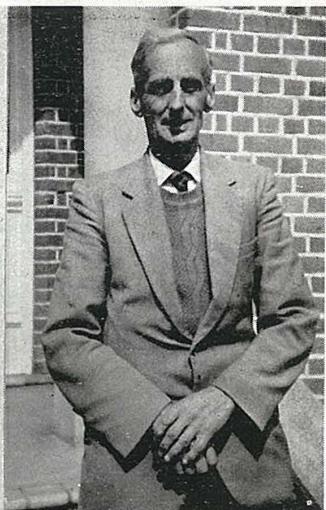
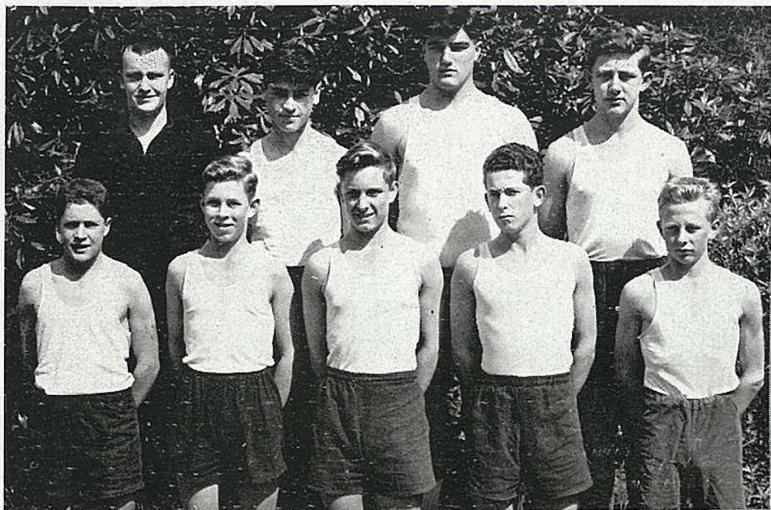
2nd Row : (Sgts) N. A. McEwan, D. M. Ferguson, R. C. Moreton, W. A. Kerr, A. D. Allott, B. W. McMillan, J. H. McEwan.

Front Row : Sgt. C. W. Childs, W.O.II C. J. Richards, W.O.II P. T. Edwards, W.O.II M. R. Deaker, W.O.I W. F. Simpson, W.O.II T. D. Thomas, W.O.II P. R. Truscott, Sgt R. J. Stewart.



Play Production, 1959.

—“Morning Departure”.



Around The School
(Top left : School Boxing Champions)

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The Executive will welcome any item of information regarding Old Boys, in order that this section of the magazine may serve as an up-to-date supplement to the Register.

PERSONAL JOTTINGS

Gair McDonald (1930-33) was elected President of the New Zealand Ophthalmological Society at the 1959 Conference of eye specialists held in Dunedin in November.

G. V. Wild (1912-15) has retired from the position of Assistant Director of Education.

D. M. Greig (1912-15) on his retirement as Director General of Lands, was appointed Chairman of the Commission to investigate the meat industry.

A. W. Broadbent (1928-29), who for the past four years has been head of the trade relations branch of the Dept. of Industries and Commerce, in May took up his appointment as New Zealand trade commissioner in Washington.

A hostel for boys with leprosy now being built at Champa, in India, is to be named after Spencer Jack, (1927-31) who died in 1933, while being educated for leprosy service.

M. J. Stevens, (1951-54) who topped N.Z. Pharmacy examinations last year, is now working in Australia to gain experience.

I. D. Payne (1946-50) who has been teaching at Cambridge, left on the 'Orion' in September for Liverpool, where he is to be married. Expects to return to N.Z. early 1960.

G. F. Rea (1949-53) has been awarded a Rhodes Scholarship—the sixth to come to the school. He was the speaker at the School break-up in 1958, and a guest of honour at the Old Boys' annual Christmas party. He left to take up his scholarship late in 1959. At Oxford, he proposes to study in the Honours School of politics, philosophy and economics.

T. B. Richardson (1942-45) still in journalism, in Montreal.

H. Drees has announced his retirement at the end of the school year, after 35 years at the school. He was the last permanent link with the Old School.

A less personal link is believed to be the school flagpole—the story of its removal is being checked, with a view to having it marked with a suitably inscribed plaque.

C. Snow (1938-41) and F. Ross (1942-44) have been on holiday in Australia—at the close of the football season, of course.

Alistair Tait again represented Southland at Rugby, after making a late start owing to appendicitis.

N. G. Polson (1928-33) was manager of the touring Southland team which won the Ranfurly Shield—and held it briefly.

E. R. McKillop (1909-11), formerly Commissioner of Works, recently toured Southland with the Rivers Control and Soil Conservation Council. He is to be guest speaker at an Old Boys' function in the new year.

J. W. Fraser (1931-36) was again re-elected President of the National Beekeepers Association at the annual conference in Timaru, and was re-appointed the Association's representative on the New Zealand Honey Marketing Authority.

J. G. Mortimer, (1945-50) is serving as Junior Resident Medical Officer, Royal Children's Hospital, Melbourne.

Owen J. Lewis, (1939-43) has been awarded the Symington Memorial Prize of the Anatomical Society of Great Britain and Ireland. This prize is awarded triennially for original work in anatomy, and is a high distinction in the anatomical field. It has not been won previously by a New Zealander. A former member of the staff of the anatomy department of the University of Otago Medical School, Owen was senior lecturer in anatomy at the University of Melbourne at the time of the award, but has since been appointed to a similar post at St. Bartholomew's Hospital medical school in London.

T. W. Swale (1934-38) has been awarded a bursary in Forestry.

D. W. Crowley, (1933-37) is now a professor at Adelaide University.

B. Russell (1944-48) has completed his Ph.D. at Birmingham University, and has taken up the position of senior lecturer in metallurgy at the University of Brisbane.

J. T. Gilkison (1916-20) has been appointed Assistant Commissioner of Works.

C. G. Gray (1933-36) has transferred from Timaru to Invercargill as Manager of the N.Z. Shipping Co.

K. J. W. Hargest (1934-37) is President of the National Party Executive, Awarua electorate.

T. R. Pedlar (1934-38) is now Headmaster, Nightcaps District High School.

C. M. McKenzie (1937-40) is now proprietor of J. F. Dundas & Co., Vesta Battery distributors for Southland.

C. F. Bruce (1929-33) visited Southland during the year, when in N.Z. to receive the award of Doctorate of Science at Otago University. A principal research officer of Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization in Australia, he has been engaged in research studies in optical interferometry—a branch of physics using light waves as a means of accurate measurement.

Sponsored by the Old Boys' Association, J. W. Fraser was successful in gaining a seat on the High Schools Board in the recent election of parents' representatives.

Ted Isaacs came from Dunedin to address the Annual Meeting of the Association. His subject? The place of S.B.H.S. is sport, of course. Now chief of Staff of the Otago Daily Times, his enthusiasm for sport and S.B.H.S. is undiminished.

A. J. Dillon (1920-24) continues to attend annual meetings regularly, and keeps a paternal eye on the balance sheet. This year an item 'Loan to Soccer Club' was questioned. It was, of course, a misprint for 'Soccer,' but gave the meeting a laugh—and the chairman an anxious moment!

H. W. D. Anderson (1948-52) is shifting to Waipukurau, Hawkes Bay, to teach at Central Hawkes Bay College.

SPORTING JOTTINGS

Membership remains at a high level, and an especial effort is made to interest boys leaving school. The Christchurch Branch reports another successful year, and a strong group also operates in Auckland. The tree planting project at Coldstream is now completed, and the results are already pleasing. The Christmas Party was again a most successful function, highlighted by an excellent talk by J. R. HANAN (1923-26) who described his flight to the South Pole. A most successful move was made this year to identify Old Boys more closely with the School Anzac Service. An official party of 30 Old Boys heard a fine address by R. P. H. Hewat (1934-36), laid wreaths on the two memorials, and were entertained to afternoon tea by the Rector and staff. This is a function which will undoubtedly attract larger numbers of Old Boys.

Most strenuous efforts have been made to liquidate the Register debt. After various types of sales promotion have been tried, it has been decided to concentrate on the personal approach.

Cricket: The senior team, captained by D. J. Price, won the Calder Mackay Shield for the third successive year—a notable feat. N. R. THOMPSON was selected for the Otago Plunket Shield Team, and with L. R. THOMPSON, I. G. GILBERTSON, A. W. GILBERTSON, R. R. NICHOLSON, represented Southland.

Hockey: 1959 has been possibly the most successful in the history of the club. The 'A' side ran out easy

winners of the competition. Eight club members gained Southland senior representative honours, with A. JENSEN, R. CALKIN, H. EASTWOOD and P. T. ROBINSON (Capt.) being selected for the South Island Minor Associations team.

Softball: The club entered four teams in the local competition. The Blue Sox team won the Senior grade, and this now gives the club eleven wins in the fourteen years of competition. A. BELL, G. PRICE and G. SINGLETON represented Southland, while A. Bell and W. LANG gained South Island honours.

Soccer: A small band of enthusiasts entered a team in the second grade competition and as a result of their success in this grade have been advised of their promotion to senior reserve. The club has no non-playing members and would extend a warm welcome to any Old Boy interested in taking part in club administration.

Rugby: The senior fifteen was particularly hard hit by injuries—no fewer than thirteen of the original squad were hurt within a short period. The side continued to play attractive Rugby, and with a keen second and fourth grade side coming on the club should continue to make its influence felt. The club spirit is particularly good, and continues to work for the day when the club headquarters will be an accomplished fact.

OBITUARY

R. G. Kitto (1916-19) died suddenly at Invercargill during the year. He had recently been appointed Headmaster of Waikiwi School.

R. E. Fortune (1905-07) died in Invercargill in December, 1958. He came to school from Orepuki, and won the D.C.M. with the 1st N.Z.E.F. in France. On his return from overseas, he took up a farm at Ryal Bush. He was living in retirement in Invercargill at the time of his death. Geoff Fortune (1906-08) is a brother.

J. A. McKenzie (1894-95) died during the year at Irwell, Canterbury. On leaving school he taught at Pukerau, Middle, and Greenhills. Some years before World War 1 he joined the staff of the National Mortgage and Agency Co, and was the agent for that firm at Otautau. He served with the 1st N.Z.F. in Egypt, Gallipoli and France. With rank of Lieutenant-Colonel he commanded the N.Z. Depot at Codford and at the end of the war he established and commanded an embarkation camp for New Zealand troops in England. He was awarded the C.M.G. and was twice mentioned by the British Secretary for War for valuable services in the U.K. On his return to N.Z. in 1919 he resumed teaching, and was in Samoa for a number of years. He later served as headmaster in a number of Canterbury schools and in the last years of his career was a relieving headmaster under the Canterbury Education Board. He retired in 1948.

One of New Zealand's most distinguished obstetricians and gynaecologists, **T. R. Plunkett (1918-19, 1925-26)** died in Auckland on Oct. 2, aged 54.

Dr. Plunkett graduated M.B. Ch.B. from Otago University in 1932, and trained in obstetrics and gynaecology in Samaritan Free and Royal Northern Hospitals in London. In 1940, he became the first qualified obstetrician and gynaecologist to the Auckland Hospital Board's institutions, and was largely responsible for the establishment of the O and G unit at Auckland Hospital and as it now exists at the National Women's Hospital.

He had been Senior Obstetrician and Gynaecologist to the Auckland Hospital Board for a number of years, was chairman of the New Zealand O and G Society, and a Fellow of the Royal College of Obstetricians, serving as chairman of the New Zealand Regional Council.

Two brothers also attended School.

"Flan" passed away in August, in his 70th year. He had been living in retirement at his home in Herbert Street since 1949.

This tribute is paid to him in the Register: "Over many years—from 1917—he devoted himself to his duties in such a way as to endear himself to the boys he taught. Old boys returning to the school almost invariably asked for him and about him before turning to other matters."

"Underlying all his work lay a love of people as human beings and no matter how much temporary circumstances may have suggested otherwise, the boys he taught knew instinctively that that was where the truth lay.

"The rousing reception accorded him at the 75th jubilee confirmed the place he had won without any seeking. He rarely bothered about himself."

In 1912, when a student at the Dublin Training College, Mr. Flannery almost decided to emigrate to Canada. It was necessary for him to go somewhere overseas for health reasons, and Canada at that time was the only place where he could be sure of a job. But his father discouraged the idea and the young Irishman tried to get work in various parts of the British Isles.

He was unsuccessful. Then, apparently just in time, a woman from New Zealand suggested that New Zealand was the place for him. And that was how Jim Flannery found himself in this country.

When he heard that labourers were getting 8/- a day in New Zealand he felt he had, indeed, reached a land of milk and honey, for 8/- was as much as a labourer earned in a week in Ireland at that time.

From Wellington he went to Central Otago where his first job was in the school at Poolburn. He began as a relieving teacher and was later appointed full time.

Two years later he took an appointment at Coal Creek, near Roxburgh, where he remained another two years until a position was advertised at the Southland Boys' High School.

His application was successful and so Jim Flannery began the work which was to be his real mission in life. In his own quiet, unassuming way, he was to grow from strength to strength as part of the great moral structure of the school.

No man could stay at a boys' secondary school as long as "Flan" without absorbing something of those high ideals for which a good school stands, and without imparting something of himself to every boy who passed through his hands, so that in after years when they looked back on their school days they inevitably associate the man they knew best with the school. To many of them indeed, "Flan" was the school.

In 1930, Mr. James Flannery married Miss C. Noonan, of Dunedin. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. B. A. Veltkamp (Patricia), and four sons, James Kelvin (AAP-Reuter correspondent at Jakarta, Indonesia), John (Otago University), Michael (Canterbury College) and Brian.

