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- Jan 10 School re-opened after the Christmas holidays.
- 11 The Rev^d S. Blackall gave the 1st class a lesson in Spelling.
- 12 Average for the week 50.
- 17 The Rev^d S. Blackall gave the 1st class a lesson in Scripture.
- 21 The upper standards commenced their daily repetition in day lessons for the week.
- 25 Conversion of St Paul. Registers marked & closed at 9.5. Took the boys to church at 11.45.
- 26 The Rev^d S. Blackall took the upper classes in Scripture.
- 28 Gave the upper standards paper work. Results very fair. Average for the week 50.
- Feb: 4 Nothing of importance to record this week. Average
- 11 The Rev^d S. Blackall has this week given Joe Bailey some papers in Arith. Grammar & Geography. Examined the 2nd & 3rd Standards in Writing & Arith. Results very fair. Average 65.
- X Feb: 18 M^{rs} Carwardine visited the school & examined the 1st class boys in spelling Geography &c.
- " Some deviations have been made from the Time Table this week in consequence of the approach of the Examination. This remark will apply to the time intervening between now & then. Average for week. 64.

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- Feb: 24 S. Matthias. Registers marked & closed at 3 o'clock
Took the boys to church at 11 + 5.
- 25 Gave the upper standards paper work. Results very fair.
Tested the 1st & 2nd st in Dictation & Arithmetic.
Average for the week 82.
- March 2 The Rev^d R. Twyne visited the school & heard the
3rd standard read.
- 3 The Rev^d S. Blackall took the upper division in Scripture
Average for the week. 74
- 8 The Rev^d S. Blackall visited the school & tested the
2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th stand^s in Arithmetic.
- 10 Weekly average 66. Night school Examination.
- 14 Gave the upper standards paper work. Results good.
The boys work diligently both at their home lessons
and school work. Average. 83
- 20 Tested the 1st standard thoroughly. Results good
- 21 Tested the 2nd standard work throughout. Results very fair.
- 22 The same with the 3rd standard. Results very good
- 23 At home ill
- 24 Tested the upper standards. Generally satisfactory Average.
- April 31 Gave the upper standards paper work Results good.
Several boys away at work. Average for week.
- April 6 The Rev^d S. Blackall tested the 2nd 3rd in Latin work.

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April 7 Registers marked and closed at 10. Took the boys to church at 11. The Rev. R. C. Twyne visited the school in the afternoon and gave sums to the P. class. The average for the week has been very high. Several boys sent out at work and others left early.

12 Examination by S. Bartlett Esq. & M. J.

Present 76. Absent who were qualified for the 'general' exam S. Nicholls & Willocker. From the special exam S. Williamson. Holiday in the afternoon.

13 School closed for the Easter holidays. Average 64.

24 Re-commenced after the above. In consequence of the Religious Hour being devoted to Secular subjects during the past month or more, the Secular Instruction in the afternoon closes now at 4.15 and the remainder of the time is given to Religious Instruction.

26 Night School Supper. 148 boys sat down.

28 Average for the week 70.

May 5 The Rev. R. C. Twyne visited the school & heard the P. class read.

6 Average for the week 76.

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EXAMINATION.
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- May 11 I have been in the School today, & have examined the Registers & found them correct. S. Blackall.
- 12 M^{rs} Curwens & a gentleman visited the school and heard the boys sing and the 1st class read Average for the week 77.
- 16 The Vicar took the upper division in Scripture.
- 18 School closed in the afternoon in consequence of my being unwell.
- 19 School closed all day for the same reason. Average 78.
- 23 The Rev^d S. Blackall & Canon Fraser visited the school.
- 24 The Vicar called with notice of Diocesan Examination for 2nd July. Affixed notice.
- 25 Ascension day. School closed.
- 26 Average 79.
- June 2 The attendance this week has been exceedingly good. The average is the highest yet, being 83. School closed for Whit week.
- 12 School re-opened after Whitsuntide.
- 13 The Vicar took the upper division in Scripture.
- 15 In the afternoon school was closed in consequence of the clown cricketers being here, and it being kept as a general holiday.

SCHOOL REPORT

"SECULAR."

Summary of the inspection report on the school contained in a letter of the Committee of Council bearing date the 1st June 1896.

"This Department is in very satisfactory condition. The Reading in the first and sixth standards is weak and the Grammar in the 5th and 6th. The Geography throughout is fair and the singing and handwriting excellent. The paper work is neatly and accurately done, and the general results do credit to the master, especially as regards the intelligence shown in the meaning of words and allusions." Alfred John Smith, certificated Teacher of the 2nd class.

Dameo Bailey, Deputy Master of the 2nd year.

Dameo Blackett, Manager.

"Day School"

Enrolled 611.

Paceo.

Reading 60
Writing 55
Arithmetic 53
Total Paceo 168

Grant

Average 65 = 19. 10 0
Standards 3 = 1. 14. 0
Standard 105 = 25. 4. 0
Standards 62.0 = 12. 8. 0
Total Grant £ 58. 6. 0

"Night School"

Enrolled 37

Paceo.

Reading 33
Writing 33
Arithmetic 18
Total 44

Grant

Average 39.0 = 9. 5. 0
Standards 14 = 1. 1. 0
Total Grant £ 10. 6. 0
Net Grant £ 15. 11. 11

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July 19 The Rev^d R. C. Wyome took the 2nd division
in Scripture.

21 Average for the week 42

25 Mr Smith, being disabled by a fall, the School was
closed until after the harvest holidays.

Sept. 11 School could not be opened; Mr. Smith being still ill.
No substitute could be found till the 15th, when Mr
S. Mackenzie, certificated Master (2 Class) from 1 Hope
Place Liverpool, was engaged. Samuel Blackhall Man.

Sept 18th Commenced as before with Mr. S. Smith
but not assisted by the Rev^d Wyome. The boys
are very orderly.

19th The Rev^d S. Blackhall visited the school
& took the 1st class in Scripture.

21st Master & closed the registers at 10 minutes
past 9 A. M & after being 2 hrs. under
secular instruction attended Divine Service
22 Average attn week = 42. Oliver & Chas French
went home by the train on Tuesday because
Scarlet Fever is in the family.

29th Closed registers at 10 minutes past 9 A. M
& attended Divine Service at a 1/2 past 11 o'clock
on said Mon^{day} being St Michael's & All Angels

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Average Attendance for the week - 40.3. Visitors during the week - 11. (Canon Blackhall - 8) & Mr. Smith -

Oct. 2nd. The Rev. Blackhall visited the school & the Wm. & I informed us that Mr. & Albert W. had been strongly admitted & requested that I should dismiss them after returning their debt for this week.

3rd Attendance smaller than usual this afternoon.

6th Av: Att: for week - 41. Attendance very good to day 44.11 + 42 up. C. & C. F. went at 10.00 to New Britain.

9th Visitors Rev. S. Blackhall & R. C. Taylor who informed the Choir that they expected them to attend the Missionary Meets held in the S. S. School room in the even.

12th Choir Clarke, Monitor, absent in the afternoon owing to illness. He appeared himself in the Morn. & unable to do his duty.

13th Av: Att for the week - 42. 5. day terminates any engagement as a temporary Master.

16th Mr. Smith began to keep School in the morning, but was unable from illness to attend in the afternoon.

20th James Bailey, pupil teacher in the 2nd year, has kept School this week. Miss Martin has marked the Register.

Samuel Blackhall, Monitor.

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- Oct^r 23 James Brimmer, and kept school today assisted by the Vicar & one Mr Ford.
- 24 In the morning as yesterday.
- In the afternoon Mr. Brimmer, James Clark, Probationers of the 1st year, began to keep School.
- Oct. 27th Ar. Att. this week 67. Rev. Lyne visited the school Thursday and Friday. The Rev. Canon Blackwell took 1st class in Scripture Wednesday morning.
- Nov 1st Registers marked & closed 10 minutes past 9. Children attended service in Church at 4 past 11 o'clock.
- Nov 2nd The Rev. Canon Blackwell visited the School in the afternoon.
- Nov 3rd The Rev Canon Blackwell visited the School in the afternoon. Nothing of importance occurred during the week. Average atten: 68.
- Nov 6th It has been the custom of the School to have a days holiday for the 5th of Nov but as the boys have had so many holidays lately the usual custom was not observed. The attendance was good all day.

Nov 8. The Rev Canon Blackall visited the School

Nov 10. The Rev Canon Blackall visited the School

During this week I have paid special attention to the lower division of the School which is very backward. A fair amount of improvement has been made. Two new songs have been learnt this week viz:- The "Emigrant Ship" and "Our Sailor Prince" Average attendance much better this week being 72.

Nov 17. Nothing of importance has occurred this week the usual routine of work being observed. The attendance has slightly increased this week the av. for the week being 74. The boys have learnt the "Danish National Anthem".

Nov 24. There has been a slight deviation from the usual routine of work to allow more time to be devoted to "Spelling and Extra Subjects". Av. Atten: this week has reached 76.

Dec 1st. Observed the usual routine of school work. The Rev Canon Blackall visited the School on Wednesday. Attendance not so good this week on account of bad weather etc.

- Dec. 7. The usual routine of School work observed. The Rev. Canon Blackall visited the school on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.
- Dec. 8. The Registers marked at 10 minutes past 9 this morning so as to allow the children to attend Service at church which commenced at 9. The weather has been very bad all the week consequently the attendance has not been good.
- Dec. 14. The usual routine of School work observed. The Rev. Canon Blackall took the 1st Class in Scripture on Monday morning. The Rev Canon Blackall visited the school on Wednesday.
- Dec 15. Registers marked at 10. Boys attended Service at Church at 11. 15. Average this week 69.
- Dec 20. The Rev. Canon Blackall visited the school to-day and also on Monday morning.
- Dec 21. Registers marked at 9. 10. Boys attended Service at Church at 11. 15.
- Dec. 22. Registers marked at 9. 10. Boys attended Service at Church at 11. 15. Mr. Smith the late Master visited the School and gave them a small present wishing