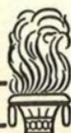


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*** Editorial ***

For us in the West, 1962 is the year of the Commonwealth Games. Unlike former host cities, Perth is confronted with commencing preparations virtually from nothing. The warmth and enthusiasm of the people have been sparked by an intense pride in their State, and wholehearted support for attaining such a formidable goal. Already inspiring venues, many in unrivalled natural settings, hold promise of a memorable season.

In 1862, Britain was Mistress, and her flags flew unchallenged throughout the world. In 1962, Britain is bowed under the weight of the great wars. Her Empire is no longer all powerful. South Africa's secession from the Commonwealth is disheartening in times of stress and apprehension. Added, bitter dissension has flared over Britain's proposed entry into the European Common Market.

Yet, in the midst of trial, the bond of sportsman reduces all to a common brotherhood. Racial discrimination vanishes, prejudice is no more, and flags of nations fly side by side. We, as a whole, are engaged in making the Games and its situations as amiable and appealing as possible — hoping to nourish the tree of unity, and to sow seed for future success.

G.B.C.

Thirty-Ninth

ANNUAL SPEECH NIGHT

THIRTEENTH DECEMBER, 1961

. . . PROGRAMME . . .

Hymn

1. This, this is the God we adore,
Our faithful, unchangeable Friend;
Whose love is as great as His power,
And neither knows measure nor end.
2. 'Tis Jesus, the first and the last,
Whose Spirit shall guide us safe home;
We'll praise Him for all that is past,
And trust Him for all that's to come.
(Joseph Hart, 1712-1768)

The Lord's Prayer

- The Chairman's Remarks** Rev. Ralph Sutton
Chairman of the College Council
- Choral Items** The Preparatory School Choir
Conductor: Mrs. T. Le Souef, B.A., Dip.Ed., A.T.C.L.
"A Little Road to Bethlehem" (Michael Head)
"Australia! Rise to Glory" (Edgar Ford)
- Report on School Activities** A. L. Barr and D. A. Nelson
(Vice-Captains of the School)
- Choral Item** The School Choir
"Be still, my Soul" (Finlandia-Jean Sibelius)
- Report on Sporting Activities** C. J. Broun
Captain of the School
- Recorder Ensemble**
Three Christmas Carols.
"Barcarolle" from "Tales of Hoffman" (Offenbach)
- Pianoforte Trio** J. E. Lucas, C. N. Mills, R. L. Shepherdson
Birthday Gavotte (Francois Behr)
- The Headmaster's Report** N. R. Collins, M.A., Dip.Ed., M.A.C.E.
- Pianoforte Trio** M. J. McDougall, K. L. Poultney, M. J. Vellnagel
"Chirping Sparrow" (Francois Behr)
- Presentation of Prizes and Address to the Boys—**
The Hon. Ross Hutchinson, D.F.C., Chief Secretary (O.W.)
- Acknowledgements** R. Allingham, Esq., C.B.E.
- Benediction** National Anthem

Summary of

Headmaster's Annual Report

1961

The School extends a welcome

The Chairman of the College Council has already offered a cordial welcome to you all and I speak for the School in assuring you that we are glad to have you with us on another important occasion in the history of the School.

In particular, I wish to express appreciation of the attendance this evening of a distinguished Old Boy as our Official Visitor. The Honourable Ross Hutchinson, D.F.C., M.L.A., Chief Secretary, has had a long association with this School and with the Old Wesley Collegians' Association. Since his school days he has reflected credit on the School in his teaching career, in the sporting sphere, in his R.A.A.F. service and, for some years now, in his parliamentary duties and responsibilities. To him and to Mrs. Hutchinson, ours is a warm welcome.

Enrolment

We have accommodated 148 boarders and 410 day boys this year.

Council

To the ranks of the Council, we have welcomed Mr. J. H. Main, who is already giving good service to other educational and community activities of the Methodist Church in this State.

The Wesley College Old Boys' Memorial Chapel

Of all the developments of 1961, it is not at all difficult to single out the most significant. The completion of the Memorial Chapel, the dedication of the building by the Reverend Ralph Sutton (then President of Conference) on Sunday, 19th February, 1961, and the regular use of the Chapel throughout the School year have left impressions on the minds of all of us which time will not erase. Within the School it has been gratifying to note the feelings of pride which so many boys have evinced in this latest and best addition to our School property and the joy with which many have entered into the richer fellowship which the Chapel has made possible.

Other Property Improvements.

As was foreshadowed at this time last year, the College Council has carried out extensive renovations in the School kitchen. The installation of modern equipment has done much to improve the efficiency of this vital centre in the Boarding School.

A new maintenance workshop similarly has made possible not only more efficient attention to necessary repair works but also a wider range of work which can be done on the spot.

On the sports grounds, the main activity has been directed towards the provision of more Cricket practice areas. Happily we shall be much better equipped in 1962 to cater for the young cricketers.

Staff

We welcomed Mr. B. S. Abrahams, B.Sc., to the Staff in February last. Mr. Abrahams has entered freely into the life and work of the School and we regret that the opportunity to do some further post-graduate work is enticing him to return to his home-state for 1962.

The Staff, as a whole, has again made a very generous offering of time and talents in the class-work and in the many extra-curricular activities of the School. Most boys are quietly appreciative of what is done for them by Staff members throughout the year. Any misgivings I entertain are not based on the willingness of Staff members to help but rather on the unwillingness of some boys to be helped. There is an awareness on our part of the need to provide for the many sided development of young men. Speaking for the Staff members, I can say to the boys that your enthusiastic participation is our greatest reward; and, speaking for myself and many boys, I would pay a well-earned tribute of thanks to the Staff.

Public Examinations

The results gained in the 1960 Public Examinations provided confirmation of the sound work done during the year. 42 Leaving Certificates were secured—a 75 per cent. result—with 55 passes at Distinction level.

On results in these examinations, F. J. Jeffreys was awarded the University Exhibition in Economics, H. N. Collins was awarded a Shell University Scholarship (Arts), and the following qualified for a Commonwealth University Scholarship: J. W. F. Arriens, R. S. U. Baker, A. L. Barr, J. B. Campbell, H. N. Collins, G. C. de Chaneet, J. J. G. Doepel, F. J. Jeffreys, S. W. K. Joynt, J. A. Krygsman, I. D. Mercer, D. E. Ross, C. B. Ryan, G. R. Stein, P. D. Stevens.

In the Junior Certificate examinations, the result was an amazing 104 certificates out of a possible 118.

In examinations conducted during 1961 under the auspices of the Australian Music Examinations Board, our pleasing record of successes has been continued. All candidates scored passes and the number of higher grade passes is worthy of notice. A summary of the results reads as follows:

Pianoforte Practical: Honours 5, Credits 9, Passes 2.

Theory of Music and Musical Perception: Honours 14, Credits 4.

In Speech and Drama Examinations, the results were Honours 1, Credit 1, Passes 3.

The following Scholarship Awards were made for the 1961 year:

Post-Junior Scholarships

The Robert Leake Scholarship: R. M. Clark.

The John Wesley Scholarship: B. B. Lamont.

The Donald Mofflin No. 1 Scholarship: G. I. Morrell.
 The Harley Morrell Scholarship: S. H. Blackwell.
 The Noel Dougan Scholarship: R. F. Faulkner.

Entrance Scholarships

The Sarah Hardey Scholarship: G. F. Sampson.
 The Joseph Hardey Scholarship: P. H. Coyle.
 Council Entrance Scholarships: W. R. Ladyman, J. R. Morcombe.
 The Donald Mofflin No. 2 Scholarship: D. McKinlay.
 Secondary School Scholarship Concession: D. I. Barrett.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Report of the work of the

(a) Activities Council

The Vice-Captains of the School will present a report on the activities which are sponsored by the Activities Council. I offer merely a summary for this written record.

Christian Fellowship Groups

It was confidently expected that the existence of the Memorial Chapel would prove very helpful to Christian Fellowship activity and that expectation has been realised. Week-day meetings catering for different class and age divisions, the Boarders' Sunday morning Fellowship, and the Annual Fellowship Retreat in Second Term vacation have won support from the boys and interested members of Staff.

An enthusiastic group of Chapel Wardens served nobly throughout the year. They have helped to preserve the physical condition of the Chapel and encouraged the use of it as the spiritual centre of the School.

Choral Work

Both the Preparatory School Choir and the School Choir have been heard to advantage on many occasions during the year. Mrs. T. Le Souef has again been the mainspring of this activity.

Dr. H. R. Trenaman, too, has received pleasing support in his efforts to encourage choral work among the boarders for our regular Boarders' Chapel services.

Music Club and Music Making

Musical appreciation has been catered for by Dr. H. R. Trenaman. This is an activity which has its keen supporters but it is deserving of wider patronage in the School.

Music making and Drama presentation were combined in a much enjoyed Concert programme for which this group was responsible.

Drama

The Middle School Drama Group enjoyed a busy year. Of many interesting and worth-while drama presentations which were brought to stage production standard, I would single out "The Bibbulmun Story" for special commendation. Written by Mrs. Le Souef and Mr. E. Philpot, this aboriginal fantasy deservedly won acclaim from the audiences present on the evenings of its presentation.



OLD WESLEY COLLEGIANS' MEMORIAL CHAPEL — an Interior Study.



PREFECTS

Library

The Library has been a well used store-house of information. In both the Fiction Library and the Reference Library, there have been appreciated additions to our stocks of reading material and it is heartening to see the books and periodicals so freely used.

A special tribute is paid to the boys on the Library Committee. Under Dr. Trenaman's guidance, they have given many hours of efficient service.

Chess

Though attempts to promote Chess on an inter-school basis have not been very successful this year, there has been no falling off in the enthusiasm for Chess within the School.

Mr. T. G. Blom has had no difficulty in securing volunteers to help beginners and learners. I note, however, that though Chess is a popular game in the Staff Common Room there are few Staff members who are so bold as to issue challenges indiscriminately among the boy players.

Canteen

Senior Boys have co-operated with the Canteen Staff—Mesdames Allan, Burrows, Jeffreys and Mr. F. Slingsby—to provide service which makes for greater convenience for the boys and better control of boys' movements during the School day.

Radio Club and Hobby Club

"The Shack" is the home of the Radio and Hobby enthusiasts. Mr. L. Jessop has had no difficulty in securing volunteers for the remodelling of the new headquarters, nor can the "Shack" complain of any lack of patronage.

Visits to a TV Station and to the Radio and TV section of the Technical College have been highlights of the outside activities of this group.

Cadet Units

Another very satisfactory training year is reported by the Army Cadets and the Air Training Corps Cadets.

Annual Camp training periods at Northam and Pearce have been made especially interesting for the cadets and one consequence has been the embarrassing demand from boys for inclusion in the special N.C.O. and C.U.O. courses.

After many years of splendid service as O.C. of the School Flight of the A.T.C., Flight-Lieutenant J. A. McClean, D.F.C., will be handing over his command to Flight-Lieutenant J. W. Green. I know the Air Cadets will join me in thanking Mr. McClean for all that he has done to ensure sound training and the achievement of high standards by No. 1 Flight. Lieutenant J. E. W. Miller will be continuing with his command of the Army Cadets.

Scouts

The main work undertaken by the Scout Troop in this year has been the absorption into the Troop and the subsequent training of a large number of younger scouts.

Group Scout Master G. G. Ferguson has received consistent support from his Troop Leader, D. A. Nelson, and from the small group of active Senior Scouts.

Manual Arts and Crafts

Those of you who saw the recent display of the boys' work will know that high standards have been reached in Manual Arts and Crafts.

As in former years, the boys have had the benefit of good instruction from Mrs. Le Souef, Mrs. P. Kingston, Miss D. L. Mullins (Craft), Mr. E. Philpot (Art), Mr. H. Schorer (Woodwork and Metalwork), Mr. G. R. Popham (Technical Drawing).

A feature of the recent display and of the year's work has been the excellence of some class project work undertaken by the boys as an adjunct to their normal class work in Social Studies, Language Studies, Geography and Book-keeping.

Educational Films

Mrs. Manning has continued her weekly screenings of educational films for yet another year. Though audience numbers vary from week to week, there is no doubt that the screening of these films is justified.

Photography Group

Through the courtesy of Kodak Pty. Ltd., instruction in the various aspects of picture taking and picture making has been provided by Mr. A. Diggins.

For Others' Fund

From the weekly self-denial offerings, we have been able to continue our support of many deserving charitable causes. By the end of the year, we shall have distributed £260.

Torch Emblems for Outstanding Citizenship Service

From 1960 Torch Emblems have been held by G. L. Brooke-Cowden, C. J. Broun, D. J. Darlington, M. W. McNair and D. A. Nelson. Awards made during the year have recognised the citizenship qualities displayed by B. M. Allender, A. L. Barr, G. J. Bennett, R. M. McLean, B. M. Scott, G. E. Stephenson, P. J. Strickland, R. L. Thomas, B. R. Vellnagel, J. A. Baker, I. H. Bassett-Scarfe, R. M. Clark, B. B. Lamont, B. G. Mercer, C. G. J. Wynne.

(b) General Sports Committee

The Captain of the School is presenting a comprehensive summary of the School's Sporting activities for 1961.

For the first time for many years we do not have a P.S.A. First Team Premiership to our credit. Premiership honours were taken, however, by the Under 16A and the Under 16B Football teams, and by the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Hockey teams and the Second Year B Hockey team.

Our Athletes won the Lynn Shield Competition and performed creditably to finish a close third in the P.S.A. Inter-School Sports. The Swimmers likewise took a third place in a competition which was dominated by Guildford Grammar School but which otherwise was evenly contested by the remaining Schools.

In Football and in Rugby we rated a third in the competition for six schools. At Cricket we did not show to advantage except in the younger teams by whom splendid performances were registered.

Our Rowing disaster is well known to you all. It was a tragedy that a good crew was denied the opportunity to compete on equal terms with other good crews but it was a triumph that was scored when boys, immersed in cold water for a period when their craft was smashed, manned another boat and still entered the competition.

From the generous donations of parents, of Old Boys of our School and other P.S.A. Schools, of well-wishers and supporters, a sum has been raised which, with the Parents and Friends' Association contribution of £100 and an ex gratia payment of £200, will leave little to be met by the School in the provision of a new racing eight. To all of you who have helped us in this unexpected loss, I offer the sincere thanks of the School.

Colour Awards for 1961 have been made in the following sports:

*Signifies Renewal of Colour Award.

Swimming: D. W. Gadsdon*, B. M. Allender, J. E. Nash.

Life-Saving: D. A. Nelson*, B. M. Allender, D. W. Gadsdon, A. E. J. Tresise.

Cricket: J. T. McLean, R. M. McLean.

Tennis: L. V. Blyth, G. J. Hardie, H. Ladyman.

Rowing: G. L. Brooke-Cowden, G. L. Ludemann, M. W. McNair, D. F. Nixon, C. T. Peacock.

Football: C. J. Broun*, J. T. McLean*, R. F. Melville*, I. H. Bassett-Scarfe, R. M. McLean, D. F. Nixon.

Hockey: H. S. Calder*, L. V. Blyth, R. R. Haslam, A. J. Stewart, R. P. Tysoe.

Athletics: A. L. Barr*, C. J. Broun*, D. V. Evans*, J. C. Lloyd*, D. R. Morcombe*, A. E. J. Tresise*, I. H. Bassett-Scarfe, R. F. Melville, K. W. Nikellys.

General Colours: B. M. Peacock, R. G. Pritchard, D. K. Phillips,

Opportunity was taken at the Annual Sports Dinner to thank Old Boys, Friends of the School, Parents of boys and Staff members for assistance given in the coaching of teams. Here I wish to place on record a sincere word of thanks to the Sportsmaster, Mr. W. Calder, and to all who have helped him.

Old Wesley Collegians' Association

Last year I reported that the members of the Old Wesley Collegians' Association had discharged a debt of honour by providing Scholarship assistance to Junior Certificate level for the sons and daughters of Old Boys killed in the war. The last claims under their Scholarship Scheme were met by December, 1960.

This year an even greater debt of honour has virtually been discharged. The Old Boys' Memorial Chapel is in existence and, of the total indebtedness of some £28,000, only some £500 is outstanding. There have been sizeable contributions from the College Council and the Wesley Church Trust, from the Parents and Friends' Association

and a few individual families but, in the main, the money raised has come from the Old Boys of the School.

The handling of this big project has taxed the efforts of the Committee of the Association and has meant the deferring of attention to other Association interests. A big task was undertaken, however; it has been carried through nobly and well. President Arthur Stoneham and all of his Committee leaders and Old Boy supporters, may look with great pride on what is a fitting memorial to our 'Gallant 55'.

Well done, Old Boys!

Parents and Friends' Association

It is a pleasure to report another year of real achievement for this Association. The existence of the Association has provided an opportunity for many parents to be linked actively with School projects. Such is the enthusiasm and enterprise of the Committee that social occasions at the School are no burden to those of us engaged in the day by day work of the School, and fund-raising for worthy purposes has not yet exhausted the ingenuity of Committee members.

Generous support by parents has ensured the success of the Annual Social Evening, the Spring Garden Party and the Spring Fashion Parade. A specially designed Memorial Chapel Christmas Card has been very well received and this venture has been a profitable one for the Committee because it has been so well taken up by the purchasers of the cards.

Funds raised have enabled the Committee to pay a further contribution of £333 to the Chapel Organ fund, making a total contribution to that fund of over £1,250 for the three years now ended.

£100 has been set aside for assistance in the purchase of a new racing eight. Hockey goals, a Cricket score board, additional seating for the Boarders' Common Rooms have all been provided. Before the new year opens, further sums will be available to spend on additions to the Library, sporting equipment and locker accommodation.

The Association has had a sub-committee working steadily on investigations as to the feasibility of the Association undertaking to provide a Swimming Pool in the School grounds. You will be receiving a statement of the general proposals emanating from this sub-committee and, at the first general meeting of the Association in 1962, there will be an opportunity to discuss these proposals.

A further matter which has been discussed at some length by the Association committee has been the desirability of the Association joining other School Associations in the distribution of the "Code for Parents". Before the Committee had time to determine a policy in conjunction with the School in relation to parental and School responsibilities for the guidance of our youth, the Claremont-Cottesloe group of Schools took action which has been given a deal of Press publicity. Our Association Committee members consider that no further action need be taken at this stage since the newspaper reports should serve as a warning to us all. They wish me to state, however, that the incidence of teen-age trouble is not restricted to the Claremont-Cottesloe area and they have authorised me to supply at Association expense a copy of the much published Code to any parents desirous of having one to study.

Matters of Educational Interest

A School Leaving Certificate

At the risk of repeating what many of you have heard from me on previous occasions, I affirm again my conviction that there is need to separate the Matriculation examination as a test of fitness for admission to the University from the School Leaving Certificate examination.

The increasing demand for education beyond the Junior Certificate level presents a challenge to all of us to devise courses and tests of attainment which will meet the needs of our young students. These needs are, in part, common to all young people for all require basic training in the essentials of right living and in the preparation for the quality of citizenship which our land and its resources merit for their proper exploitation. In part, too, the needs are specialised needs geared either to the special abilities and interests of the young person concerned or to the type of community service in which the young person hopes to be gainfully employed.

The University may rightly be entrusted with the chief responsibility of arranging for the setting of appropriate entrance standards for all matriculants. For the other senior school students, a new deal is overdue. There should be scope for a study of a basic group of subjects, with the opportunity given to work either for a general education or to take the basic training to a required stage and then to concentrate on special fields. Every student pursuing a School Leaving Certificate course could well receive certification of what he or she actually accomplished, whether it be passes or passes with distinction in a restricted number of subjects or passes at an approved standard in four, five, six or seven units.

The Right to be an Individual

Many of us, parents and teachers, are facing problems in which our youth consider that their right to grow up as individuals is at stake. It is as well for youth to guard this right and it is as well for us to recognise the desirability—I would go as far as to say 'the necessity'—of preserving this right. But it is a right which carries responsibilities and the responsibilities are such that consideration for the welfare of others straightway imposes restrictions. Happy family relationships and wholesome community life are the outcome of individuals living within due bounds and recognising that a conformity in essentials places no really irksome shackles on individual freedom.

Bridging the Gaps in Modern Society

Modern Society reflects the technological age in which we are living. The advances in Science and Technology have proceeded at rates which are bewildering to some of us. Our bewilderment stems from the fact that in other fields of human knowledge, human endeavour and human understanding, we have not kept pace with our scientific researchers.

Within the realm of Sociology there is much that must be done to correct an imbalance. We need "social chemists" as skilled analysts

and synthesists to improve our society, "social physicists" to help us to understand the forces at work—often in conflict—in modern society, and above all "social engineers" to point out to us how we may bridge the gaps which appear in the social strata.

Lest this sound all to "airy-fairy", let me point out that, besides the need for social researchers working in our midst and retiring to ivory towers to meditate, there is a practical and practicable course for us. For boys now leaving school, let me exhort you to become cadet social engineers. May you see the wisdom of living in society, growing up in society, improving society by taking your place in youth organisations which will cater for your religious, social, cultural and sporting welfare. Our society is lagging because we lack leaders—you may be the very leader your district so desperately requires.

A Word of Thanks

To all who have worked with me for the good of Wesley College and those whom it serves, I express sincere thanks. I cannot in fairness begin to enumerate the many who have so helped. We are privileged to see our rewards not in figures in a cash book but in the quality of the life of some of our future citizens.

The Season's Greetings to you all and to the Boys a wish that a somewhat shorter Summer vacation may nevertheless be a very happy one.

N. R. COLLINS,
Headmaster.

13th December, 1961.



PRIZE LIST 1961

PREPARATORY SCHOOL

- GRADE 4: Dux, B. L. Kirkwood; (2) G. D. Balfe.
 GRADE 5: Dux, G. C. Johnstone; (2) G. M. Woerlee.
 GRADE 6: Dux, R. H. Simmons; (2) R. G. Falls.
 GRADE 7: Dux, M. J. Vellnagel; (2) R. O. Woodthorpe. Progress:
 R. A. Couper.

SECONDARY SCHOOL

- FIRST YEAR: Dux, 1P, D. I. Barrett; 1P/G, W. R. Ladyman; 1C, J. M. O'Neill. Class Prizes: 1P, P. N. Le Souef, J. A. Jarvis. 1P/G, L. Beal. 1C, M. J. McDougall.
 SECOND YEAR: Dux, 2P, D. G. Demetrius. 2P/G, R. T. West. 2C, M. O'Donnell. Class Prizes: 2P, P. J. Richards, A. J. Dean. 2P/G, J. G. Hall, R. J. White. 2C, D. McKinlay.
 THIRD YEAR: Dux, 3P, J. W. Buckee. 3P/G, G. R. Stone. 3C, G. A. Marshall. Class Prizes: 3P, I. F. Ford, J. A. Nelson. 3P/G, A. B. Sprigg, G. J. Earley. 3C, K. M. Chance.
 FOURTH YEAR: Dux, 4 Arts, M. H. Rowan-Robinson. Dux, 4 Science, B. B. Lamont. English Prize: (Presented by Dr. H. R. Trenaman, M.A.), P. C. Haigh. Class Prizes: 4 Arts, G. I. Morrell. 4 Science, C. G. J. Wynne.
 FIFTH YEAR: Dux of the School: The William Peet Prize and Dux 5 Science: W. M. Davey. Dux, 5 Arts, R. G. Pritchard. 5 Science, D. A. Nelson. Class Prizes: 5 Arts, D. J. Darlington, B. W. Robinson.

SPECIAL PRIZES

- CITIZENSHIP: THE RICHARD ALLINGHAM PRIZE: B. J. Mackinnon.
 THE NALDER PRIZES FOR SERVICE: G. J. Bennett, B. M. Scott, P. J. Strickland, R. L. Thomas.
 PRIZES DONATED BY WESLEY COLLEGE PARENTS AND FRIENDS' ASSOCIATION: D. F. Nixon, P. B. McNabb, J. A. Stanford, R. C. Wearne, W. A. Broun, R. J. Thomas, M. E. Flavel.
 THE RICHARD CLEAVER CITIZENSHIP AWARD: P. A. Feldman.
 SCRIPTURE AND SERVICES TO FELLOWSHIP GROUPS: A. L. Barr, I. W. Vaughan, R. M. Clark, J. A. Meyer, J. T. Hallam, D. A. Pritchard, M. E. Farrow, D. S. Hallam, R. J. Evans, M. D. Bennett.
 THE DONALD RAE MEMORIAL PRIZE FOR SCOUTING: (Presented by Mr. T. G. Blom), D. A. Nelson.
 METALWORK: A. B. Sprigg, G. L. Whitehead, J. J. Hortin.
 WOODWORK: C. D. Chapman, C. S. Preston, M. J. McDougall.
 MUSIC: THE E. J. WATKIN MEMORIAL PRIZES FOR MUSIC: G. E. Shepherdson, R. M. Clark.
 THE MUSIC MASTER'S PRIZE: (Presented by Mr. H. Quaife, L.T.C.L.), A. L. Barr.
 THEORY OF MUSIC PRIZE: (Presented by Miss Barbara Grosvenor), P. W. Hutchinson.
 THE NICHOLSONS LTD. PRIZE: D. A. Nelson.
 SPECIAL PRIZES: C. N. Mills, K. L. Poultney.

- CHESS PRIZE : I. F. Ford.
 THE BRANDON BROWN PRIZES FOR PROGRESS : J. T. Osborn.
 THE WESTERN WYVERN PRIZE : (Presented by Mrs. H. H. Wilson),
 G. L. Brooke-Cowden.
 THE MODERN LANGUAGES TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION PRIZE : W. R.
 Dodemaide.
 THE J. F. WARD MEMORIAL PRIZE : (Language Studies), W. M. Davey.
 THE ALBERT PRIZE FOR HISTORY : R. G. Pritchard.
 THE HARLEY MORRELL PRIZE : S. H. Blackwell.
 THE W. J. MORCOMBE PRIZE : (Agricultural Science), G. L. Ludemann.
 THE HEMINGWAY ROBERTSON INSTITUTE PRIZE : B. R. Vellnagel.
 THE OLD WESLEY COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION TROPHIES : D. R.
 Morcombe, J. A. Nelson.
 THE Dr. A. B. WILSON PRIZE : B. G. Mercer.
 THE HEADMASTER'S PRIZE : C. J. Broun.



THE HOUSES OF THE SCHOOL

The three Houses — HARDEY, MOFFLIN, WALTON — compete against one another in sport and scholastic work throughout the year. The names of the Houses serve to remind us of Mr. Joseph and Miss Sarah Hardey, Mr. James Pollitt Walton and Mr. Horace Elgar Mofflin, all of whom gave wonderful service to the Methodist Church in this State and assisted very materially in the work of establishing our School.

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS 1961

LEAVING CERTIFICATE, 1961

In the lists published below, distinction is indicated by the letter (d) and the subjects are denoted by the following numbers:

1, English; 4, French; 5, German; 9, History; 10, Geography; 11, Economics; 12, Mathematics A; 13, Mathematics B; 16, Physics; 18, Chemistry; 19, Biology; 22, Physiology and Hygiene; 24, Art; 27, Technical Drawing; 30, Accountancy; 32, Music.

ALLENDER, B. M.: 1, 10d, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19d. BAKER, I. M. J.: 1, 9d, 10, 11. BARR, A. L.: 5d, 11, 13d, 32d, and 1960, 1, 10d, 12d, 13, 16d, 18d, 19d. BLACKWELL, S. H.: 1, 10, 12, 13d, 16, 18d, 19d. BLOCKLEY, C. J. E.: 1, 10, 13, 16, 19. BLUE, J. L.: 1, 10, 19, 22. BROCKMAN, G. L.: 1, 12, 16, 18. BROOKE-COWDEN, G. L.: 1, 5, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19. BROWN, C. J.: 1, 5, 10d, 12, 16, 18, 19. CALDER, H. S.: 1, 10, 12, 13, 16, 18, 30d. CALDER, W. M.: 1, 10, 12, 13, 16, 18. CARGILL, R. J.: 1, 5, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19. CLEAVER, G. O.: 1, 10, 12, 13, 27d. COOK, I. N.: 1, 5, 10, 12, 13, 16. DARLINGTON, D. I.: 1, 4, 10d, 12, 13, 16d, 18. DAVEY, W. M.: 1, 5d, 10d, 12, 13d, 16d, 18d. DEVITT, A. C.: 1, 5, 11, 12d, 13, 18. EDDY, B. M.: 1, 10, 13, 30. EVANS, D. V.: 1, 10, 12, 16, 18, 19. GARVEY, P. A.: 1, 12, 13, 16, 24, 27. GLADIN, B. G.: 1, 9, 10, 24, 27. GRIFFIN, R. W.: 1, 5, 10, 12, 13, 16, 18. HAMS, A. T.: 1, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 27d. HEARN, A. E.: 1, 9, 10, 11, 30. HEARNE, P. K. H.: 1, 5, 10, 12, 13, 16, 27. IVES, N. L.: 1, 5, 12, 13. JORDAN, P. R.: 1, 10, 11, 19, 22, 24d. LAWRENCE, J. H.: 1, 5, 10, 12, 18. LUDEMANN, G. L.: 1, 10d, 12d, 13d, 16d, 18, 27d. McLEAN, I. T.: 1, 10, 12, 13, 16, 18. McLEAN, R. M.: 1, 10d, 11d, 12, 19d, 22, 30d. McNAIR, M. W.: 1, 5, 9d, 10, 11d. MACKINNON, B. J.: 1, 9, 10, 12, 27. MITCHELL, D. G.: 1, 9, 11, 27d. MORRIS, J. C.: 1, 18, 22, 30. NELSON, D. A.: 1, 5, 12d, 13d, 16d, 18d, 32d. PERRYMAN, G. J.: 1, 4, 12d, 13d, 16, 18. POPHAM, R. G.: 1, 10d, 12, 13, 16, 18, 27. PRITCHARD, R. G.: 1, 9d, 12d, 13, 16d, 27d, 30d. RICHTER, I. R.: 1, 10, 12, 13, 16, 27. ROBINSON, B. W.: 1d, 4, 10d, 12, 13d, 16d, 18d. SCOTT, B. M.: 1, 5, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19. SHEPHERDSON, G. E.: 1, 10, 19, 22, 32. SMITH, M. W.: 1, 5, 9, 10, 12d, 13, 16. STRICKLAND, P. J.: 1, 10, 12, 13, 16, 18d, 30d. THOMAS, R. L.: 1, 5, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19. TRESISE, A. E. J.: 1, 10d, 12, 16, 18. VAUGHAN, T. W.: 1, 5, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19. VELLNAGEL, B. R.: 1, 10d, 11d, 12, 13, 19, 30d.

JUNIOR CERTIFICATE, 1961

Successful candidates are listed below:

Ten Subjects: Meyer, J. A.; Morrison, I. J.

Nine Subjects: Bocking, D. M.; Buckee, J. W.; Lloyd, I. R.; McGhee, M. G.; Mellor, A. J.; Morcombe, D. R.; Nelson, J. A.; Stone, G. R.; Wagner, W. R.; Wearne, R. C.; West, R. F.

Eight Subjects: Anderson, A. T.; Beal, G. R.; Booth, A. J.; Boyanich, R. M.; Brand, E.; Bretag, G. J.; Broun, W. A.; Chance, K. M.; Collins, D. N.; Daws, T. S.; Doubikin, R. A.; Earley, G. J.; Edgar, N. I.; Ford, I. F.; Fraser, I. C.; Hams, M. D.; Hardie, G. J.; Haslam, R. R.; Hawkins, R. J.; Hines, W. R.; Horner, K. W.; Jewell, K. R.; Krygsman, G. H.; Lester, R. R.; Mark, J. R.; Marshall, G. A.; Nash, B. W.; Nicholls, W. E.; Palfreyman, R. J.; Pederick, R. V.; Perryman, G. R.; Read, A. M.; Ryd-

ings, P. W.; Scott, D. L.; Southee, D. W.; Sprigg, A. B.; Strickland, W. J.; Taylor, R.; Todd, R. L.; Vanzetti, P. M.; Walker, W. V.; Worth, G. K.

Seven Subjects: Chapman, C. D.; Dreghorn, K. G.; Edmeades, D. R.; Harcourt, B. L.; Hearn, G. M.; Kennedy, D. H.; Mears, P. I.; Milner, P. J.; Nash, G. J.; Nicholas, M. D.; Osborn, J. T.; Patton, G. G.; Read, R. J.; Rhodes, K. D.; Stevenson, R. A.; Twine, B. J.; Witte, I. L.

Six Subjects: Breheny, W. T.; Browning, P. A.; Cargill, B. P.; Cronin, D. J.; Elliott, B.; George, N. G.; Gething, B. J.; Gilbert, A. C.; Griffiths, E. C.; Hayward, R. P.; Hill, P. J.; Holmes, G. St.C.; Lowth, K. R.; Marshall, T. J.; Musto, K. W.; Read-Smith, M. J.; Servante, P. J.; Stevenson, D. D.; Teakle, W. A.

Five Subjects: Anthony, J.; Clarke, A. E.; Evans, G. J.; Gardiner, R. A.; Giles, A. H.; Howells, S. V.; Ladyman, H.; Liggins, D. S.; Meyers, R. L.; Neal, K. M.; Oxbrow, R. C.; Parry, B. W.; Phippard, I. R.; Richards, G. J.; Ross, J. W.; Schmitt, P. J.

The following candidates added subjects to Certificates already secured:

Baxter, H. A., (1 subject); Beach, P. H., (1 subject), Cherry, P. R., (1 subject); Coleman, K., (1 subject); Currell, B. R., (1 subject); Godfrey, R. G., (1 subject); Hunt, D. W., (1 subject); Johns, R. F., (1 subject); Johnson, B. B., (1 subject); Johnson, P. R., (2 subjects); Knight, C. B., (1 subject); Langdon, G. W., (1 subject); McIntosh, R. G., (1 subject); Mason, B. J., (2 subjects); Power, G. B., (1 subject); Rowan-Robinson, M. H., (1 subject); Sampson, H. C., (1 subject); Slattery, M. W., (1 subject); Stewart, A. L., (2 subjects); Telfer, J. A., (3 subjects); Winslade, R. J., (1 subject); Withers, A. K., (1 subject).

ACADEMIC HONOURS

30 General University Exhibitions are awarded annually, 20 General and ten Special Subject Exhibitions. Our candidates won three General Exhibitions (W. M. Davey, D. A. Nelson, B. W. Robinson) and one Special Exhibition (Economics: B. R. Vellnagel).

Evidence of the sound over-all pass standard is to be seen also in the gaining of 20 Commonwealth Scholarships by boys proceeding to tertiary studies: S. H. Blackwell, G. L. Brooke-Cowden, C. J. Broun, D. J. Darlington, A. C. Devitt, D. V. Evans, R. W. Griffin, P. K. H. Hearne, J. H. Lawrance, J. T. McLean, R. M. McLean, D. A. Nelson, G. J. Perryman, R. G. Pritchard, B. W. Robinson, B. M. Scott, P. J. Strickland, R. L. Thomas, A. E. J. Tresise, I. W. Vaughan.

Boys entering for Music examinations conducted by the Australian Music Examination Board during 1962 maintained our good record.

All candidates were successful: 8 at Honours level, 10 at credit and 5 at Pass level.

In Speech Examinations, there were 2 Credits, 5 Passes.

Scholarship Awards for 1962

Internal Scholarships were awarded as follows:

Post-Junior Scholarships:

The Robert Leake Scholarship: I. F. Ford.

The John Wesley Scholarship: I. C. Fraser.

The Harley Morrell Scholarship: W. E. Nicholls.

The Noel Dougan Scholarship: J. W. Buckee, J. A. Nelson.

The J. P. Walton Scholarship: J. A. Meyer.

Entrance Scholarships:

The Sarah Hardey Scholarships: G. F. Sampson, D. L. Semple.

The Joseph Hardey Scholarship: M. J. Vellnagel.

..SCHOOL NOTES..

FIRST TERM:

Wesley at last has its Chapel! On Sunday, 19th February, the Memorial Chapel was dedicated by the President of the Conference, Rev. R. Sutton, before some one thousand visitors and boys — a wonderful tribute to those old boys who gave their lives in the Great Wars.

The following Sunday, the 26th, the Headmaster installed the Prefects for 1961 into their office. To them, the Chaplain, Rev. A. Green, directed a challenging message on "Manhood".

Insurance Education Day, attended by a group of 4th Years was held on March 9th, Wesley again won first prize in essays entered in a competition on the merits of the day.

On March 9th, the P.S.A. Swimming Sports were held, for the second year, at the Guildford Olympic Pool. Wesley came third to Guildford and Scotch.

April 22nd saw the P.S.A. Rowing Regatta marred by the wrecking of Wesley's boat. A successful social evening held at School finished the day on a brighter note; presentations were made to the rowing coaches.

Representative bodies of the School Cadet Units and Scout Troop paraded at the Dawn Service and the South Perth War Memorial on Anzac Day. Later in the morning, a service of Remembrance was held in the Chapel, a wreath was laid in the Lych Gate by the captain of the School.

Seven new prefects were inducted at a service on May 7th.

Visitors to the School this term included the Revds. R. Sutton, J. Wilson, A. Meyer, J. Green and Mr. R. Ginbey.

SECOND TERM:

Old Boys' Day was held on Monday, 5th of June. Old Boys won the hockey, and School won the football.

On June 18th, the annual Old Wesley Collegians' Association Service was held for the first time in the New Chapel. Items presented by the School Choir lent colour to a well attended service.

The Fifth Year (and guest artists, Messrs J. Miller and R. Jeffreys) presented their "Grand Concert" on Saturday evening, 29th July. A large, very receptive audience attended.

On 18th and 19th August, the Third Years' and Prefects' dances were held. Both social evenings were a great success. Credit must go to the senior boarders, who decorated the hall themselves with an original "aboriginal theme".

This term, cadet parades were commenced at 3.15 p.m., to give both units an earlier stand-down. This proved most convenient, and was subsequently continued throughout the rest of the year.

Visitors this term included the Reverends P. Musgrove, A. Crookes-Hull, J. Wilson and Mr. J. K. Duncan.

THIRD TERM:

During the latter part of the August holidays (Sept. 12th-17th), a Christian Fellowship Retreat was held at School. Some 40 boys, under the leadership of Revds. G. Hadley and A. Green spent a most refreshing period in instruction and meditation.

On Sunday, 24th September, B. R. Vellnagel was installed as prefect. At the evensong service, members of Wyvern Lodge attended the Chapel with families and friends for a Thanksgiving Service. Guest speaker was Dr. J. L. Rossiter, a former headmaster of Wesley.

On 6th October the Middle School Drama Group presented an evening.

On 14th October, the combined Passing-out Parade for both Cadet Units was held on Rossiter Oval. The reviewing officer was Air Commodore R. J. Brownell, C.B.E., M.C., M.M. Again the A.T.C. successfully defended the Major Cook Trophy, and now retain it until 1962. Later that evening, the School Choir sang at the conference Evangelistic Rally in Wesley Church.

Methodist Ladies' College, South Perth, held a service in the Memorial Chapel, on Sunday, 22nd of October.

On the evening of Saturday, 28th October, after the P.S.A. Athletics Meeting, a Buffet Tea and Dance was held at School.

The Annual Sports' Dinner for first teams was held in the hall on November 30th. During the course of the evening, the Headmaster distributed Inter-House trophies to the captains of the winning Houses.

A final end-of-year service was held in the Chapel on Sunday, 10th of December.

In the evening of 13th of December, the 39th Annual Speech Night was held in the parade ground. Distinguished visitors included the Hon. Ross Hutchinson, the President of Conference, Rev. G. Jenkins.

Other visitors this term included Revd. S. Slater, Dr. J. L. Rossiter, Air Commodore Brownell, C.B.E., M.C., M.M., Lieut. Cmdr. Bennets of H.M.A.S. Leeuwin and Roy Emerson, the Davis Cup tennis player who gave an exhibition match with Tim Clayton, the State Junior Champion, 1961 and Wesley Champion, 1960.

—G.B.C.

WESLEY'S WAR CRY

On appropriate occasions the Captain of the School has asked us all to join him in the War Cry as an expression of our fellowship and goodwill. New boys may like to have a copy so that they can join in the chorus next time:

"Ika baka, ika baka, wogga daka da
 Wesley, Wesley, rah, rah, rah!
 Ricka dakka, ricka dakka, ricka dakka dow;
 Ricka dakka, ricka dakka, all together now
 W - E - S - L - E - Y
 WESLEY!"

Chaplain's Notes

We will always remember 1961 as the year in which our Memorial Chapel came into use within the School. It was with a sense of profound gratitude to Almighty God and to those in whose memory the building stands that we began to worship in the first week of this school year. It is a fitting memorial to the Fifty-five. There could not be a more reverent way of remembering their selfless sacrifice. On each occasion of worship as we see their names on either side and the Cross before us the conscious remembrance of their deaths is never far from the surface. What better thing could be said than that their sacrifice points us to that Greater Sacrifice of their Lord and ours? It is moreover a practical memorial. Not a day passes in the life of the School without the chapel making its enriching contribution to the spiritual experience of one or many of the boys. Merely to sit quietly in meditation in the pews is itself a benediction. Then, it is an effective memorial. It has been a most pleasant surprise to us all to observe the new spirit of reverence which has come into the life of the School, particularly amongst the senior boys. I can say unhesitatingly that at no time in my own experience has there been a greater receptiveness towards spiritual truth. The effect of the chapel and its worship reaches silently but powerfully into every aspect of the life of the School. For every worthy thing we do has its place in the worship of God. As Francis Pott expressed it:

In Thy House, great God, we offer
 Of Thine own to Thee,
 And for Thine acceptance proffer,
 All unworthily,
 Hearts and minds, and hands, and voices
 In our choicest
 Psalmody.

WORSHIP:

A pattern of worship has been devised this year which has made good use of the facilities offered by the new Chapel and has offered a form of worship suitable to each group. The little men of the Preparatory School have met each Monday morning for their act of worship. The emphasis has been on simple hymns and Scripture portions and on a story-telling approach to the Gospel. Many will remember the Reverend John Hough's gripping talk, "Through the Barrier" with which the year began. Then we heard about such interesting people as Nasr ed din Hodjah, the Arab who thought he was wiser than God, the absent-minded Professor Squill, the Crusader Knight Raniero and the crafty old fisherman, Ole Secret. In the latter part of the year such "Heroes of the Faith" as Stephen the Martyr, Paul the Apostle, the Forty Martyrs of Sebaste, Alban the first British Martyr and the Patron Saints of the British people all received their share of our attention. The Middle School group has met on Wednesday morning for worship and the Seniors on Friday. In each case the attempt has been made to relate the Faith to life as we live it in the School and in the larger Community. Every Sunday morning throughout the year the boarders have met with their masters and with an encouraging number of visitors from time to time for their own

Act of Worship on the Lord's Day. It is encouraging to us within the School to be able to welcome visiting parents and members of the families of the boys. It is a demonstration that the homes of the boys share with us the high evaluation which we place on the worship of our common Lord. The systematic preaching of the "good news" of Christ for the real needs of our day-to-day life has continued. In the various terms the emphasis has been:

In the Easter Term — a number of studies of the life and teaching of Jesus have been shared, leading up to the Cross and Resurrection and the events which followed.

In the Trinity Term—several incidents in the life of the early Church and the Church of the twentieth century provided us with material for meditation.

In the Christmas Term — In preparation for the coming of the Holy Advent Season we looked carefully at a number of Old

Testament characters who point us forward to Messiah's coming. Outstanding services included the first Annual Old Boys' Service to be conducted in the Memorial Chapel, two occasions when the sons of old boys (each a potential Wesleyite!) were received for Infant Baptism, and the visits of two Missionary preachers in the Reverend Peter Musgrove, formerly of Northern Rhodesia, and the Reverend Ern. Clarke, of Mogumber.

The boarding school has continued its valuable habit of beginning each school day in the Chapel at worship. It has been my continuing privilege to share the leadership of these simple services with Messrs. Glenn, Albany, Clarke, Appleton and Gray. The fact that each of the resident masters has been willing and even enthusiastic in his participation in the act of morning prayer has been both an example and an encouragement to the younger members of the School. These simple times of fellowship have meant a real enrichment of my own spiritual life and I am sure many others have also been enriched. The Headmaster has been assisted by the Chapel Wardens and other senior boys in the conduct of Evensong each Sunday. This is a suitable place to place on record my appreciation of the unspectacular but valuable service rendered this year by the little band of Wardens. Well done, good and faithful servants!

FELLOWSHIP:

The high standard of attendance and participation in Christian Fellowship activities achieved in 1960 has been maintained and even extended in 1961. It was expected that the advent of the new Chapel would increase interest in Fellowship meetings and we were by no means disappointed. Indeed, in some cases, we have had larger meetings for special visitors than could have been possible in the little chapel room we have used previously. On several occasions the little meeting room with its fifty-five chairs has simply not been large enough and we have moved into the chapel proper. Quantity has been good; but so has quality. In the senior and third-year groups especially the quality of boys' contributions has been very high. Lads who have now been active participants in the Fellowship's life for five years have developed spiritually in a most satisfying way. Some less spectacular symptoms of spiritual health have encouraged us. The faithful few who have turned out Monday by Monday to engage in Bible study and the little groups that have met for prayer before and after school are making a contribution of infinite value to their Fellowship and

to their School. This year's Retreat was held at School so that we could have the benefit of the use of the Chapel. Forty boys attended and were very well served by their leader in study, the Reverend Geoff. V. Hadley, B.Ed., B.D., an old boy of the School. This was a most enriching experience and enabled the boys to get to grips with problems of the Faith in a more exhaustive way than is possible in our rushed lunch-hour meetings. We hope that more members of the Fellowship will come to appreciate the value of Retreat each year. I continue in the conviction that these informal Spiritual Activities are of tremendous value to the School. It is only realistic to say that in 1961 the quality of boy leadership was extremely high and that this fact is not unrelated to the fact that the great majority of these young men were active participants in the life of the Wesley Christian Fellowship. I pray that this tradition may continue and deepen.

SCRIPTURE:

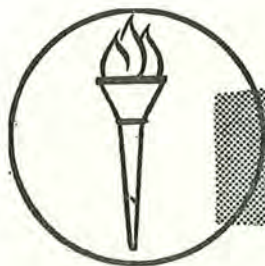
The year 1961 has made history in this aspect of our School life. For the first time candidates presented themselves to the Junior Certificate Examiners for a paper in Scripture. Eighteen boys from Wesley sat and claimed afterwards that they were confident about the results! It is encouraging to see this dent appearing in the armour of the defenders of secular education. Scriptural knowledge is not only as examinable as any other legitimate form of knowledge but is vitally important to our Christian Way of Life. We cannot continue to lay claim to the title of a Christian nation if we are producing year after year from our schools young people who are relatively ignorant of the basic facts on which our Christian traditions are founded. I look forward to the day (not so distant) when Scripture will rank as a subject in Junior and Leaving Certificate examinations in no sense inferior to subjects at present regarded as important. Our own Scripture course has continued to function effectively. The Secondary School course has been unchanged but an innovation into the Primary School course is proving most interesting. A series of Primary Bible Readers edited by an English educationist, Norman J. Bull, M.A., provides an excellent basis for the four years of study in which our "Prep." boys engage. Such titles as "Call of the Hebrews", "Prophets of God", "Life of Jesus", "The Church Marches on" are proving very satisfying to both teacher and taught.

PASTORAL:

The Chaplain has luxuriated this year in a brand-new vestry! Not only has this been a very comfortable place into which he can retreat when the demands of teaching relax enough to allow it but it provides a much more accessible place to which boys — and teachers too — can come to share concerns and problems. This has meant a real stimulus to the counselling ministry which any minister values. To be privileged to share the intimate thoughts and cares of my fellow Wesleyites has been privilege indeed. If the good Lord has used these times of sharing to help you, then to Him be the glory!

This has been a most satisfying year. To all of the members of the School who have made it possible, and to the Good Lord who has blessed us, I offer grateful thanksgiving.

A.E.G.



Activities Council

During the year, the Council, consisting of a group of masters and boys with the Headmaster as Chairman, has met when necessary in each Term to co-ordinate the non-sporting activities of the school. The Council has also aimed to encourage and recognise the valuable service done by different groups within the School.

Reports have been received at meetings from the following groups: Christian Fellowship, Chapel Choir, the College Magazine, the senior boys' newspaper, Library, Canteen, Chess Club, Music Society, Drama Groups, Picture Afternoons, For Others' Fund and Radio Club.

The outstanding service given by some boys, was recognised by the award of Torch Emblems to be worn as a pocket badge. These boys were: B. Scott, A. L. Barr, B. R. Vellnagel, G. E. Shepherdson, R. M. McLean, G. J. Bennett, R. M. Clark, B. M. Allender, P. J. Strickland, R. L. Thomas, J. Baker, I. H. Bassett-Scarfe, B. B. Lamont, B. G. Mercer and C. G. J. Wynne.

The co-ordination of the groups by the Council has helped us to ensure that these groups as a whole form an integrated and dynamic part of the life of the School. It is hoped that many more boys will join in these activities in 1962 to enjoy the educational and cultural society of their fellows. Reports on some of these activities are given below.

R. M. CLARK.

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

At the beginning of the School Year a committee was elected to assist the Chaplain in organising the Fellowship activities. President, C. J. Broun; Vice-President, M. W. McNair; Secretary, R. M. Clark; Pray Convenor, D. A. Nelson; Publicity Officer, B. B. Lamont; and Literature Officer, I. W. Vaughan. Similarly a committee was elected for the Boarders' Fellowship; C. J. Broun, D. J. Darlington, G. I. Morrell, W. A. Broun and R. M. Clark. Representatives from each year were elected as follows:— Fifth Year, D. J. Darlington; Fourth Year, B. B. Johnson; Third Year, R. R. Haslam; Second Year, A. E. Blackwell; First Year, H. R. Knight and D. A. Hallam, Third Year Fellowship, W. A. Broun, R. C. Wearne, and D. R. Morcombe. Throughout the year, Mr. R. Jeffreys and Mr. A. H. Simpson have ably assisted the Chaplain.

Lunch hour meetings have been held throughout the year from Monday to Thursday catering for all age groups. The activities have



SCHOOL CHOIR



CHAPEL WARDENS



LIBRARY COMMITTEE

included discussions, Bible study, Prayer Circles, visiting speakers, quiz programs, strip films and tape-recorder session. The Monday lunch hour has been used for Bible Study Discussions based on some set topic. The "Fruits of the Spirit" and "Jesus Christ, the Light of the World" were two of the series of studies. The Junior Fellowship consisting of First and Second Years met on Tuesday, whilst the Prep. School Fellowship met on Thursday. The Senior Fellowship met on Wednesday, and visiting speakers came to most meetings. On Thursdays, the Third Year Fellowship met and discussed certain topics or listened to visiting speakers. Valuable fellowship has been enjoyed in these times together. Prayer Meetings have been held throughout the year, and although our meetings have been irregular, and our attendances small, it is recognised that even small gatherings for prayer have real value.

Not only have there been times for fellowship during the week, but a group of interested Boarders has met together on Sunday mornings. As speakers have found it difficult to speak to us on Sunday mornings due to their commitments in their local churches, the meetings have consisted of Worship, Fellowship and discussion. Boys have been urged to follow a regular method of Bible Study and some have joined the Scripture Union.

Retreat was held this year at the School under the leadership of our own Chaplain, Rev. A. E. Green, and an Old Boy of the School, the Rev. G. Hadley. The topic "New Life in Christ" was studied. The forty boys who attended enjoyed the fellowship obtained through living, working, thinking and worshipping together. Over all, the Retreat was a striking success, and we look forward to next year's Retreat with eager anticipation.

Real progress has been made in the Christian Fellowship in the School this year. Each boy who puts his heart into the activities is assured that as well as receiving a blessing from participating, so he shares with others the joy of fellowship with his fellows and with God. The wonderful success of the Fellowship is due to those who helped and gave what they had, but most of all to He who was with us through each of our activities.

"O Lord our Lord
How excellent is Thy name in all the earth!"

RICHARD M. CLARK.

FIFTH YEAR CONCERT

Following day performances to the School, the Fifth Years presented to a full audience of parents and friends at the close of July, their "Grand Concert" in aid of the Chapel Beautification Scheme. Such a variety show was the first ventured by Wesley's amateur entertainers and included short sketches, piano-playing, singing, monologues and choral items, as well as a one-act play. Not only was the high quality of the performance soon realised by the audience but also the diversity of items was fully appreciated. This pleasant sideline to school life must have a great deal of careful planning, preparation and rehearsing but what carried off this concert so well was its apparent spontaneity and light-heartedness.

Following the bright opening chorus, "A Wonderful School", Robert Buckee gave a poetic monologue ("Dreamin', my darlin' love, o'thee")

and later a humorous piece, "Sam Small". Three of the short sketches were based on the anti-climax theme. Here the Fifth Years proved their acting talent as well as providing the watchers with some hilarious incidents and comments. "Beatnik Night Club", acted by Fifth Year Boarders and frowned upon by some of the older generation, deserves special mention. The happenings, typical of such an abode, were ingeniously portrayed and even the final dragging away of the hopeful politician fitted in well.

In the musical line, a quartet Skiffle Group "sang" four well-known numbers. Ronald Doubikin played a piano interpretation of "Jealousy"; the piece "Spanish Dances" was played by the two Vice-Captains of School. Not only was "Hints to Young Performers" a most unusual item, given by Dr. H. R. Trenaman, but it also showed the dexterity of the pianist! Most helpful suggestions were given for future cadet parades in "Wesley on Parade", with special reference to dress and make-up.

The Prep. School Choir provided three frolicking items (the third an encore). The special guest however, was Mr. F. Holt, a member of Wesley Church Choir, who gave two enjoyable songs.

The only play of the performance was "The Dodgerans", the final item. This highly imaginative play dealt with what can happen to a seemingly normal chemistry lesson. As with the other sketches there were no back drops, allowing more concentration to be placed on the actors who were invariably gaily attired.

That much of the success of the performances stemmed from the zeal and play-writing ability of the organizer, Dr. Trenaman, was obvious. His skill and enthusiasm, coupled with the co-operation and willingness of the Fifth Years, as well as that of several members of staff and other helpful persons resulted in a very enjoyable and worthwhile concert.

B. B. LAMONT.

THE MIDDLE SCHOOL DRAMA GROUP

One of the chief aims of the Drama Group this year has been not to use the most proficient actors in every play produced, but to enable as many as have an interest in drama to appear on the stage. That this aim has been fulfilled is apparent to all members, and to everyone who has seen the plays staged during the year.

Keen interest in dramatic activities was evident in the large group of enthusiasts who attended the first meeting in February. In the ensuing weeks casts were allotted for three plays: "Under the Skull and Bones", to be performed by First Years; "The Sheriff's Kitchen" for Second Years, and "Blue Murder" by senior boys.

Later in First Term information was received from the National Theatre Playhouse, Perth, concerning the establishment of a Junior Theatre Club affiliated to the theatre. Mr. Raymond Westwell, Director of the National Theatre, stated that the main object of the club was to arouse the interest of students in the live drama by regular visits to the Playhouse. Young people would be enabled to see plays designed for the public, but at greatly reduced prices; school dramatic groups would be assisted, and theatre methods and techniques would be studied.

The first production to be seen by schools belonging to the Junior Theatre Club was attended by twenty boys from Wesley. The play was "Crime Passionel" by Jean-Paul Sartre, and it proved to be the most popular production seen by Club members during this year. The leading role was played by Raymond Westwell, organiser of the Junior Theatre Club, and at the conclusion of the performance he discussed the theatrical techniques which had been used, and answered questions from a well-satisfied audience. Only three weeks later Club members saw a performance of the world premiere production of "The No-Hoppers" by Australian author and Playhouse actor Peter Batey. Set in the Grand Central Hotel of Upotipotpon, an imaginary outback town, this light-hearted comedy provided a hilarious morning's entertainment. After the play, the author Peter Batey spoke about the comedy itself, and about some general aspects of play writing.

In the meantime rehearsals had been conducted earnestly, and the first drama evening of the year was attended by a large audience of parents and friends in the school hall. "Blue Murder" by Kenneth Lillington, an amusing crime detection story, was presented by senior students, and produced by Mr. E. Philpot. It included such exciting characters as Somwat Vague, the detective, Dr. Witless, his assistant, and Sir Herbert Gnash, the criminal.

An outstanding performance was given by second year actors, under the guidance of Mrs. T. Le Souef, in "The Sheriff's Kitchen". It was a tale of Robin Hood, who was captured by the Sheriff of Nottingham. Needless to say Robin escaped, aided by Friar Tuck and Little John, and they left the irate Sheriff locked in his own prison. Excellent performances were given by Peter Richards as the steward, Mark Popham as Little John, John Hall as Friar Tuck and David Demetrius as the cook, together with Anthony Dean, Brian Newton, Rodney Gifford, Peter Dennis, James Hallam and Joseph Willner.

To conclude the evening, a three act pirate musical was presented by First Year members; it dealt with the pirate dreams of two scouts. Creditable performances were given by the scouts, David Hallam as Bert, and Duncan Dodd as Tom, and by Neil Maffescioni as Captain Cutlass. After the performance, Mr. and Mrs. Collins kindly invited the cast to supper at their residence; this was much appreciated by the thirty boys who took part in the plays. The proceeds of the evening were donated to the Chapel Garden Beautification scheme.

On Saturday, July 29th, members of the Junior Theatre Club saw the well-known comedy "The Grass is Greener". The play was enjoyed, and at its conclusion members were invited to inspect the elaborate set on stage, and to ask Mr. Westwell questions. At the end of August another visit was paid to the Playhouse to terminate activities for the term; the programme took the form of a demonstration and discussion of theatrical principles. The morning was both profitable and enjoyable to all present.

Early in Third Term another visit was made to the Playhouse to see the refreshing comedy "The Breath of Spring", and inspection of the stage was again permitted afterwards. On October 6th the Middle School Drama Group presented its second drama evening of the year to a disappointingly small audience in the school hall. The first item was "First Aid", performed by first years. The play dealt with the escape of a professor, aided by Boy Scouts, from the foreign agents, P, Q, X and Y.

That there is more to a play than merely speech and action was proved by Bruce Griffiths, Peter Thompson and others in "The Lion's Whelp", an item by second year members. These boys were highly

commended by Mr. Collins for the feeling and true acting ability which they displayed. To the play, which was set in a 13th century monastery, was added further effect by soft tape-recorded organ music which played continuously in the background. This presentation was undoubtedly the most outstanding of the evening.

"The Count's Revenge", by senior members, was the final play; it was in three acts, and was based upon a portion of the book "The Count of Monte Cristo" by Alexandre Dumas. The scenery employed by Mr. Philpot differed from the conventional style in that it was merely suggestive of the time and place of the events; it was left to the imagination of the audience to fill in the necessary details.

Between the plays were several shorter items: Robert Buckee and Richard Clarke presented two humorous monologues; there was a mime entitled "Warm and Cold" by three First Years; John Thompson and Robert Buckee took part in "The B.B.C. Brains Trust" in which they discussed "the unattainable ether in the mental phantasmagoria eclipsing the shapeless oblong in the unalterable ego to form a kind of grey custard"!; A group of Second Years told of the troubles which may result when the wrong people wear red carnations in "The Scoop That Failed". At the conclusion of the evening Mr. Collins provided some much-appreciated refreshment for the actors on the stage, and the money raised from the performance was again donated to the Chapel Garden Beautification Scheme.

After another visit to the National Theatre to see the Controversial Australian play "The One Day of the Year" by Alan Seymour, rehearsals began for the final production of the year, "The Biblemun Story". This aboriginal fantasy was performed on two nights in conjunction with a display of craft, art and project work, and proved to be most successful. Thanks are due to Mrs. T. Le Souef for producing the fantasy; to those members of the Preparatory School Choir who sang native songs and Mervyn Vellnagel for his fine recorder playing so effectively, and to Mr. E. Philpot for the remarkably realistic stage settings which he created.

1961 has been a busy and fruitful year for the Middle School Drama Group. Plays depend, however, not only on actors but also upon innumerable other helpers and supporters. To Mrs. T. Le Souef we are deeply indebted for the persistent and untiring work as a producer; much of her spare time during the year has been freely spent in order to further the interests of others. Mr. Philpot has worked hard throughout the year to provide numerous excellent settings for our plays. Mrs. M. Manning and her assistants have been responsible for make-up; Mr. de Kroo and his assistants have set up the stage. To these people, and to everyone else who has aided the Drama Group in other ways, we extend our sincere thanks for a successful year's activities.

. J. F. THOMPSON.

FILM AFTERNOONS

Most of us enjoy going to a movie, and so we try to allow the film fans among us to indulge.

But here we have films with a difference — for one thing they are Thursday afternoon-after-school shows, and for another, the pictures have educational as well as interest value.

The country boys have a film with real value to them on some aspect of country life. The travel lovers can whet their appetite on films of other lands and customs.

The practical amongst us can observe how to mend a dripping tap or replace a window cord. We can all learn from the Safety First Films which are really invaluable to us all.

And so, on it goes. In fact, something for all tastes, not forgetting the ever popular cartoon so dear to the heart of every boy.

During this year we have shown some 120 films.

MILDRED H. MANNING.

RADIO CLUB

The Radio Club has been active throughout the year but mainly in First and Second Terms. During first term we met in the extra subjects room every Wednesday for short talks and discussions followed by practical work. At the beginning of second term we were offered the use of the shed near the manual centre. In a series of working bees we put a floor in the shed, constructed two benches suitable for practical work, relocated the door and moved in some cupboards for storage. The college co-operated by having light and power points installed.

"The Shack," as the shed is now called, has enabled us to develop the scope of our work. During the year a number of simple sets employing one valve, diode or transistor were constructed also some more advanced sets with two or more transistors or valves. Several boys sets were repaired and at one time there was a rush on fitting outside aerials to transistor sets to improve their range for short wave reception. Two members modified broadcast receivers and succeeded in logging quite a number of amateur stations during the Remembrance day contest.

We were lent an oscillator, oscilloscope and valve tester by one of the parents and the oscillator, in particular, proved very useful. This kind gesture was greatly appreciated.

During Second Term we paid a very interesting and informative visit to the Perth Technical College to see the Radio and T.V. sections. We saw radio and T.V. gear in action and had it explained to us. There was very great interest shown in some of the T.V. equipment, particularly the cameras and monitoring equipment. We mention also the vain attempts of one member to get the Wesley Chapel Spire on the Radar Screen.

There was not so much activity during Third Term although a number of boys carried out small projects of their own. A number of boys used the Shack during third term to build model aircraft. There is some interest in building other models and toys and consideration must be given to extending our activities to include these interests.

We would like to thank all who have helped us during the year, in particular Mr. L. Jessop who has spent so much time helping us.

Our boy leader, William Hines, leaves us this year to join the P.M.G. and we wish him well in his future career.

LIBRARY

The library has continued to play an active and important part in the life of the School during this year. The fiction section has shown itself to be of interest to the younger boys especially, while the reference library has been of some assistance to the older students.

A reading table for latest issues of magazines has already proved its worth; current research in magazines, exhibited for Fifth Year boys has also been widely used. A number of books of general religious nature previously contained in the reference library have been transferred to the Chapel meeting room where it is hoped they will join the start of a special library. Several new books have been donated to the library in the course of the year, and repair work on books already included in the library has been continued. I would like to extend my thanks to the large number of boys who, by their service during the year, have enabled the library to function so smoothly and efficiently.

D. J. DARLINGTON.

SCHOOL NEWSPAPER

In 1957, a group of prefects headed by John W. Stephenson decided to launch a newspaper, which, with the co-operation of Mr. A. Simpson, was to be entirely controlled by senior boys. Within the School, it appeared necessary for a sheet of this kind to be issued periodically, and containing information of sporting and other school events. The paper claimed immediate success, and has subsequently been continued by John Gibson, Robert Ginbey, and this year was under the general supervision of Murray McNair.

Besides giving a record of events, the paper also provides scope for original contributions. This is a welcome medium not only for printing experiences, but also grants facility for free expression. Cartoons and an occasional verse have helped greatly to give the magazine a light approach. Distribution is made by seniors. Five or six editions of the paper are issued annually.

Although a small charge is fixed to cover overhead expenses, consistent sales have resulted in about £10 profit each year, which has been used to subsidise the 5th year Presentation to the School at the end of the year. Such presentations are chosen for practical use in school life, and have included a large leather-bound Bible for use in the Chapel, hymn books for the organ and choir, pictures for 5th Year and honour boards for inter-House sports. School dances, too, have sometimes drawn from this fund.

G. BROOKE-COWDEN.

MUSIC SOCIETY

In previous years, studies have been made of operas, concertos, and sonatas, but this year we decided to study a composer, rather than limit ourselves to any particular musical form. Beethoven, whose range of works is quite varied, was selected and an account of his

life was presented by Robert Buckee. Two of the best known piano sonatas, choral and violin works were among the compositions heard.

Perhaps the most entertaining and rewarding piece was the Fifth Symphony, analyzed from a piano score by Dr. H. Trenaman. The Pastoral Symphony provided a conclusion to our activities for the year.

Other meetings included the playing of light music in the hall, the playing of a record of Chopin's life and work, and a demonstration of how the organ works, given by Dr. H. Trenaman on our new school organ.

We were confined to second term for our meetings this year, because of clashes in times with other extra-curricular activities, but we gained much pleasure from listening to good music. It is to be hoped, that in future years boys will continue to show interest in music other than jazz and the latest hits.

A. BARR.

CHOIR

During this, the second year of the activities of the Wesley College Chapel Choir, the boys and especially the choir mistress, Mrs. Le Souef, continued to show enthusiasm which was so obvious in the previous year. Most practices have been well attended especially when the challenge of an important occasion was present. In this year a third section of the choir has been formed under the leadership of Dr. H. Trenaman. This boarding group give strong support to the Sunday services and combine with the senior part of the choir on Wednesday mornings at Chapel service.

At the Dedication Service of the Old Boys' Memorial Chapel in first term, the choir sang in four parts, "Christ is our Cornerstone". Later in the term, on Anzac Day, and in second term, at the Old Boys' Service the junior choir rendered the hymn, "We will remember them". At the latter service the combined choir sang the "Consecration Hymn" very beautifully.

The Prep. School choir sang two bright numbers "Timothy took his time to School," and "A 'sailing for to go", at the Fifth Year concert in second term, then two weeks later sang "Now let us see thy Beauty, Lord", at the final Chapel service for second term.

At the Evangelical Meeting of the Methodist Conference in third term, the choir rendered the anthem, "Take my life", which received many commendations from those who heard it, especially Mr. Nalder, who chaired the meeting. This was followed by two items at the final Sunday Service, "Now let us see Thy beauty, Lord", and "One who is all unfit to count." The final public appearance of the choir was at Speech Night when the choir sang Sibelius' beautiful hymn, "Finlandia".

For such a splendid effort producing so many four part hymns we most heartily thank Mrs. T. Le Souef, Dr. H. Trenaman and Mr. E. Philpot and hope they enrich our cultural lives in coming years.

D. A. NELSON.

CHESS CLUB

This year the Chess Club, after losing the best players from last year, was well supported by the younger boys of the School who maintained a generally high standard.

The School tournament, which commenced during the second term, attracted a record entry of thirty-six players although it was disappointing not to see more 5th Years entering.

In this tournament Ian Ford emerged the winner, defeating W. Friend after a close game in the final.

The Chess Club was ably led this year by a committee consisting of three Fifth Years and one Fourth Year, namely, D. Darlington, W. Calder, B. Robinson and J. Nash. The Club was under the guidance of Mr. T. Blom.

Instead of interest dying out as it usually does in the third term, enthusiasm was maintained until the end of the year.

We were fortunate enough during the second term, to receive help on several occasions from Mr. R. Ong, a member of the University Chess Club. His assistance enabled some of us to improve our standard of play.

We would like to thank all those who have made the Chess Club the success it has been in 1961 and recommend it to those who are returning next year.

W. M. CALDER.

Wesley College Scout Troop, No. 1

Group Scout Master: Mr. G. G. Ferguson.

Troop Leader: D. A. Nelson.

Patrol Leaders: Seconds.

Wattlers: P.L., R. Faulkner; 2nd, B. Sprigg.

Rosellas: P.L., J. Blue and (3rd Term) C. Knight.

Thrushes: P.L., R. Lehmann; 2nd, C. Chapman.

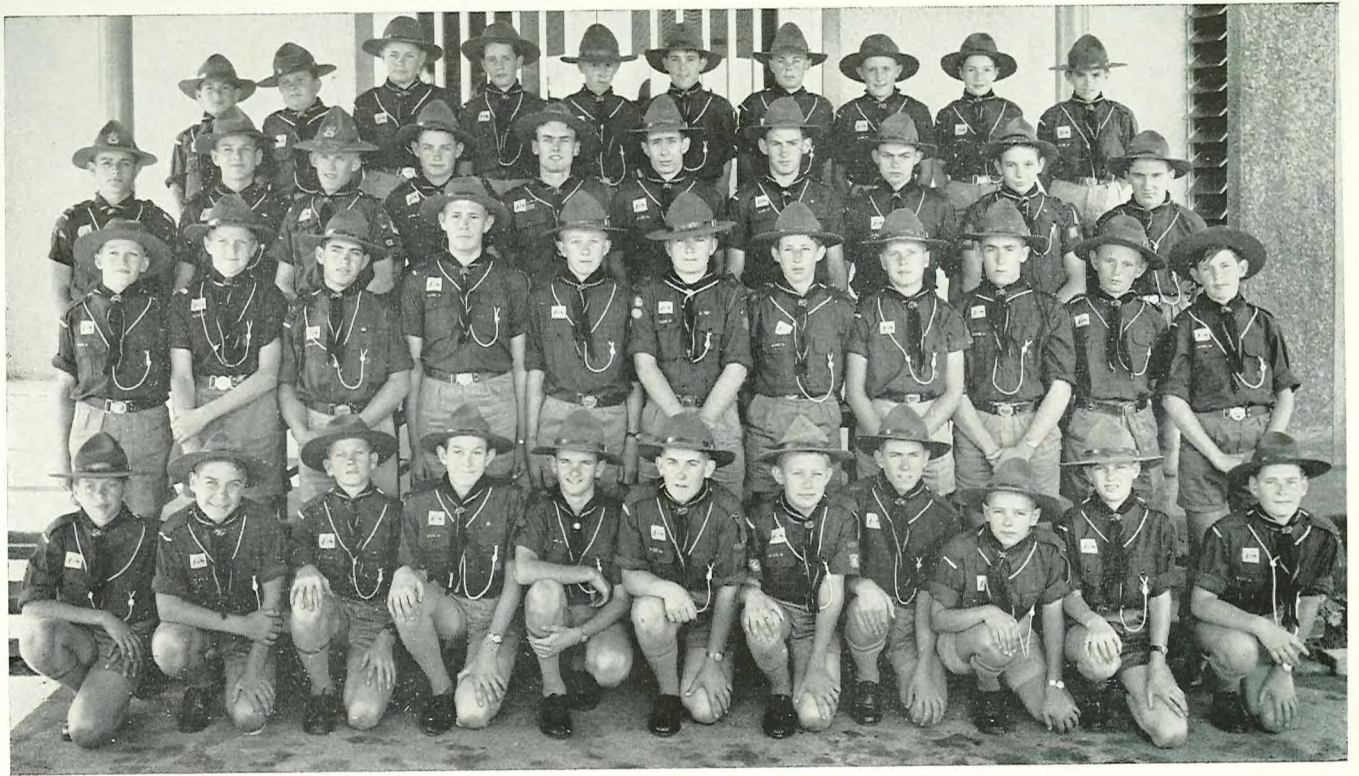
Twenty-eights: P.L., P. Strickland; 2nd, J. Nelson.

The Scout Troop has once again had a most enjoyable and successful year. A feature of the year was the remarkable enrolment of twenty-four boys new to the troop, which now has forty-six boys in all.

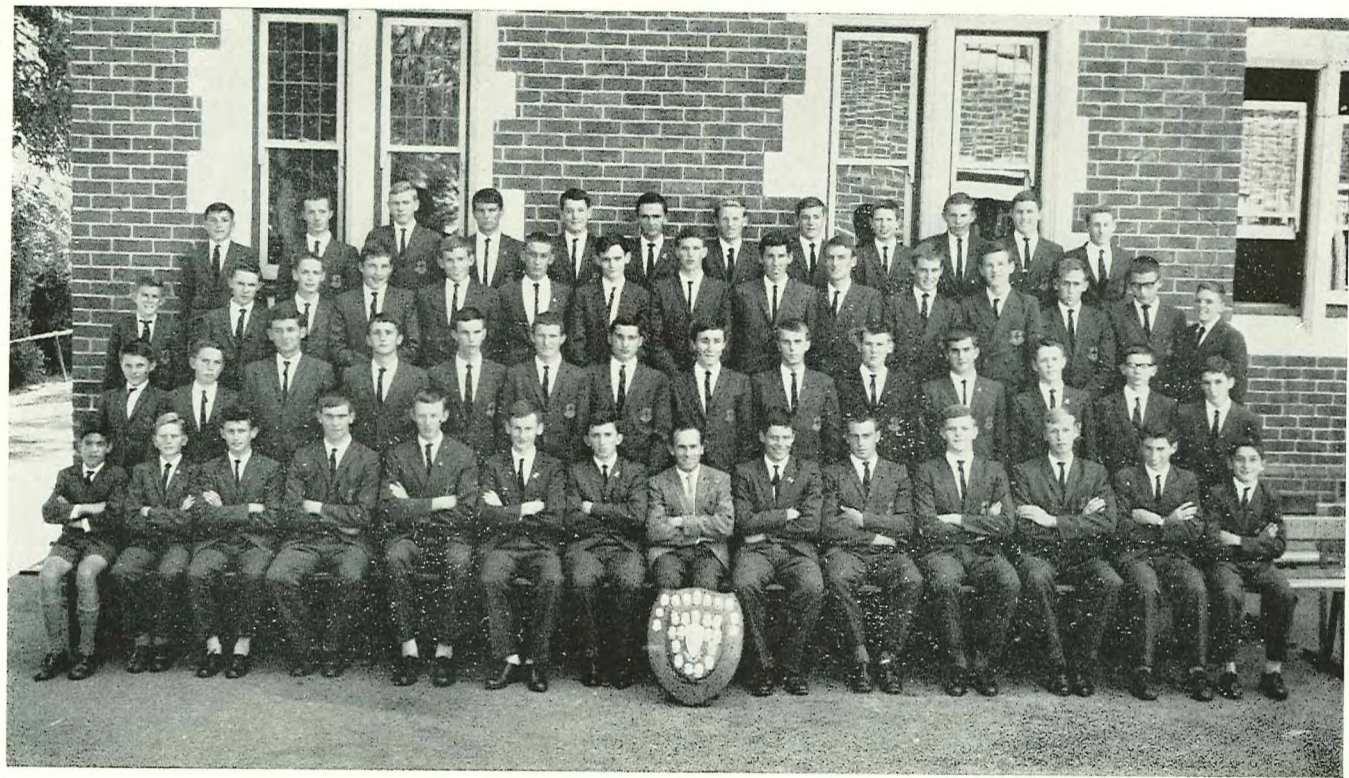
Unfortunately, the troop lost many Third and Fourth Years who could have guided the tenderfoots, but under the leadership of the patrol leaders, twelve tenderfoots gained their second class badge and several proficiency badges were won. Among these were the Green Scout Cord, won by J. Nelson, nine junior athletes badges, five senior athletics badges and three fireman's badges.

During the year, the troop was represented at many functions. On April the 25th the troop was present at the Anzac Day dawn service at the South Perth War Memorial, which was guarded the previous night by eight of our senior scouts.

The troop paraded for the first time in the new School Chapel on St. George's Day, when a colour party formed part of the service com-



SCOUT TROOP



ATHLETICS TEAM

memorating St. George, the patron saint of scouting. Later in the term, the troop attended another church service, a Scout's Own held at the new South Perth Civic Centre.

This year, at Commonwealth Youth Sunday, held during the holidays, D. and J. Nelson represented the troop. The newly formed Sir Charles Gairdner Rover Crew were on flag duty.

On the first weekend of second term the four patrol leaders and trooleader competed against ten other troops in the annual Barron Staff Competition. This consisted of a series of stunts for which points were given. First Aid, our weakest stunt, caused us to come second to Wembley. The hike was in the Araluen-Armadale area.

The following Friday the investiture ceremonies took place, following which Mr. N. R. Collins appointed us to the task of pulling up reeds from an oval near Coode Street jetty. After two months' work, which resulted in over half the area being cleared, the City Council mowed the area.

The first activity of third term was the interpatrol hike won by the Thrushes followed by Twenty Eights, Rosellas and Wattlers. This hike resembled the Barron Staff Hike, for most of the points were given for stunts.

A fortnight later, on the Helena River, two miles from Darlington, the First Year scouts had a weekend camp, whose main feature was night stalking.

On the last Sunday of term, the troop paraded for the final church service. The next day, the scout's dinner was held, at which reports were given by Mr. G. Ferguson, the trooleader, and patrol leaders. This terminated the year's activities.

At the opening of the National Heart Campaign, in Canberra, D. Nelson, the trooleader, was selected to represent Western Australia. The trip was quite short, lasting only from Wednesday to Saturday. He brought back to Perth and presented to the Lord Mayor Sir Harry Howard, a red, acrilite, flashing heart. This was switched on by the Prime Minister in Canberra to mark the opening of the campaign.

Results of Competition:

Mofflin Cup (for games) — 1st Term, Wattlers; 2nd Term, Twenty-eights; 3rd Term, Twenty-eights

Stokes Shield (for work) — 1st Term, Twenty-eights; 2nd Term, Twenty-eights; 3rd Term, Twenty-eights.

Interpatrol Hike — Thrushes.

D. A. NELSON.

Australian Cadet Corps

O.C.: Lt. J. Miller.

C.U.O.'S: B. R. Vellnagel, J. A. Baker, R. W. Griffin, P. J. Strickland.

C.S.M.: D. J. Darlington

C.Q.M.S.: Staff Sgt. J. Scott, Cpl. I. Ford.

Sergeants: D. W. Gadsdon, P. McNabb, B. Mercer, H. Sampson, A. Withers.

Cpls.: G. J. Bretag, K. Chance, K. W. Horner, P. R. Momber.

The recruiting campaign of the four C.U.O.'s paid dividends when the Unit's strength was once again filled to capacity. With only a few second year cadets to form a nucleus the first year cadets combined with them to give the Unit the best year it has had. Full strength was ninety-four cadets with Lt. J. Miller as O.C. giving the Unit three large platoons.

At the courses of instruction held during the Christmas Holidays, sound passes were recorded by Sgt. B. Vellnagel, Cpl. J. Baker, Sgt. R. Griffin and P. Strickland at the Potential Under Officers' Course and at Specialist Courses creditable passes were recorded by L./C. B. Mercer, Cpl. H. Sampson, Cpl. D. Gadsdon and L./C. A. Withers. Throughout the year these boys were ably assisted by the drill N.C.O.'s.

First Term's activities were confined to preparing the cadets for the May Camp. The Unit represented the School at the South Perth Anzac Parade where C.U.O. B. Vellnagel was in command of cadets from Wesley and Aquinas Colleges.

In May the cadets moved into the Military Camp at Northam for one week of intensive training. Whilst at camp C.U.O. Vellnagel compiled a diary of the week's activities which was submitted to Cadet Headquarters. Following this a statement was issued saying that in future the Head C.U.O. of each unit would be responsible for preparing a diary of the unit's stay in camp. In camp the cadets attended a Commonwealth Youth Sunday service in which the Queen's Message was read by C.S.M. D. J. Darlington.

On Saturday, October the 14th, the annual combined 'March out' parade was held on Rossiter Oval. The turnout and bearing was again of a high standard; the inspecting officer was Air Commodore R. J. Brownell, C.B.E., M.C., M.M. Although we did not win the Major Cook trophy we were fortunate enough to win the inter-unit shoot against the A.T.C.

The School and unit have been honoured in having Cpl. Bretag and L./Cpl. Earley accepted by Jarvis Bay Naval College and P. J. Strickland accepted by Duntroon Military College; these boys are now awaiting their results in this year's Public Examinations. We wish them luck in obtaining their eventual goal. We must also pay tribute to the help and guidance W.O. Miller has shown throughout the year and we wish next year's cadets all the best.

J. A. BAKER and B. G. MERCER.

Air Training Corps

O.C.: Flt. Lieut. J. A. McClean.

F.T.O.: Flt. Lieut. J. W. Green.

Cadet Adjutant: C.U.O. G. L. Brooke-Cowden.

C.U.O.'s: D. V. Evans, R. G. Pritchard (Assist. Adj.)

C.W.O.: R. L. Thomas

Flt. Sgt: W. H. M. Rowell

Sergeants: B. B. Lamont, C. J. Wynne.

Corporals: W. Friend, R. Godfrey, L. Kreibig, E. Paul.

This year, some sixty-six cadets underwent a successful year's training. It is a pleasure to see young men develop and mature with

such healthy interests as provided by the cadets. Above all, the spirit of co-operation amongst the cadets, and their willingness to support their officers, enabled this year's programme to run smoothly.

A highlight of the activities this year was a weekend camp conducted at the Crippled Children's Home, Rockingham, on the 22nd and 23rd of April. These two days proved to be not only a welcome break from school life, but also an outdoor classroom with lessons on Fieldcraft and Dinghy Drill. The camp, a tentative project to test cadets' reactions to such an idea, was an overwhelming success.

Our general training camp was held at R.A.A.F. Pearce between the 13th and 19th of May. Conducted tours of the station, visits to the control tower, link trainer and rangers made the camp curriculum varied and interesting, while providing an effective method of instruction. The camp was brought to a close by a three day bivouac in the wilds of Chittering Valley. Fitness was the key-word, and in three days, Sgt. Garrad had most of us reasonably fit for the oncoming football-hockey season! Map reading, observation and concealment, fatigues, guard duty, aerodrome defence practice and survival lessons, culminated in a night exercise in which gellignite and flares added that "realistic touch."

At the annual C.U.O. and N.C.O. Schools, we were again successfully represented. In the C.U.O. School, Sgt. Wynne and Cpl. Hawkins secured fourth and fifth places: Cpl. Friend, Sgt. Lamont and Flt. Sgt. Rowell gained passes. In the N.C.O. school L.A.C's Bocking and Collins obtained credit passes; and L.A.C's Hawkins, Holmes, Seymour and Rydings passed. This year, a new system of assessment was used, and the cadets were involved in more mutual instruction.

On the 16th of October, the combined passing out parades of both school cadets units was held on Rossiter Oval, under the parade commander, C.U.O. Pritchard. Though a high standard of drill was exhibited by both A.T.C. and Army competitive squads, the A.T.C. were successful in retaining the Major Cook Trophy for 1961. This competition could never have been won without the unceasing efforts of Flt. Sgt. Retallack, the headquarters' D.I., and C.U.O. Brooke-Cowden, the flight commander. One of our Weapon's Relay Teams came second in its event, and the A.T.C. were well represented in the Reveille Parade.

C.U.O. Brooke-Cowden was awarded a Flying Scholarship for the year 1961, and has successfully completed the requirements for Private Pilot Licence standard. Flt. Sgt. Rowell has been awarded a similar scholarship for the year 1962. C. Terry Newton, a former C.U.O. of No. 1 Flight attained Private Licence standard in 1960 .

In concluding, I would like to express the gratitude of No. 1 Flight to its officers, Flt. Lieut's McClean and Green, and to the Headquarters' staff, who gave us so much assistance. To Flt. Lieut. McClean, who is leaving us for No. 2 Flight, we wish every success.

R. R. COLLINS.

Original Contributions

NATIONAL HEART CAMPAIGN

In First Term 1961, the Boy Scouts' Association gave me the opportunity to represent Western Australia at the commencement of the National Heart Campaign in Canberra. I was permitted a few days away from school during examination week, so I grasped the opportunity and at midnight on Wednesday I left Perth airport by 'plane for Melbourne. In spite of my excitement, I managed to snatch some sleep and awakened as we approached Melbourne. The aeroplane, an Electra, had by-passed Adelaide so it was not long before I disembarked after an uneventful journey, to be met by Bill Cowan, the Victorian Queen's Scout representative, and his mother at Essendon airport. Despite morose predictions by well wishing Western Australians that it would be raining "cats and dogs" in Melbourne, it happened that this was one of the odd occasions when the weather remained fine all day.

After breakfast, my time was my own, as Bill, a leaving student, had to return to school for examinations.

I therefore went for a stroll through the University, which amazed me. The first thing I came across was the Beaufort swimming pool, which, as well as being enclosed by a glass-walled hall, is heated. I was sorry I had no bathers. The pool is only a small part of a Physical Education Centre at the University. My attention was next captured by a building which to me could have been the M.L.C. building in Perth, but was in fact a new Arts Block. It is ten storeys high and fills a notable part of the landscape. Other recently constructed buildings, such as the huge lecture room, Wilson Hall, and a modern four-storeyed library, also impressed me.

These new buildings are surrounded by others which were constructed at the same time as our own University. The contrast in architectural designs staggered me. Another feature which astonished me was the close proximity of buildings. This creates an ugly effect when compared with our own University. The General Hospital and Dental Hospital, however, are very close to the University, so I feel that the advantages of proximity outweigh any appearance of ugliness.

The following morning I awoke to the tune of two alarm clocks clanging in harmony, informing me that it was 5 o'clock. As you can imagine, I was very grateful for this small piece of information. Although I attempted to shower and dress without arousing the household, I was unsuccessful and they turned out in force to bid me farewell at 7 o'clock.

The Fokker Friendship aircraft with four people on board, including myself and the National Secretary of the Boy Scouts, Cyril Brown, arrived at Canberra at 9 o'clock. Here also, the weather was dry — but cold — and I was fortunate to have experienced fine weather both in Melbourne and Canberra. From the airport I was taken to the Kurrajong Hotel and then walked to Parliament House. Unfortunately, Parliament was not in session during my visit.

After lunch I was given the opportunity of seeing Canberra University, which is a complete contrast to the University of Melbourne. The beautiful modern buildings are untidily spread out amongst, in some places, uncleared land. After some hard work on the grounds, this University should resemble our own in Perth. In the afternoon much of our time was spent meeting the scouts from other States, then we spent a little time at the National War Memorial. The most beautiful feature of this Museum is a tall gallery with four mosaic pictures each 40 feet high, created by a one armed man who served in the last war. They depict the qualities of the Australian Soldier.

We then gathered at 5.00 p.m. for a rehearsal of the night's activities, which began at 7.30 p.m. with a dinner. Soon after 9.30 we arrived while Mr. Menzies was making an after dinner speech, following which he moved to a small platform where the seven red acrilite "hearts" were placed. They had already begun "beating" (small bulbs governed by a rheostat causing flashing). Commencing with a small girl who took the place of the South Australian Queen's Scouts, we each stepped up, received the hearts, then marched out. The whole ceremony was televised and broadcast.

After receiving the hearts, the A.C.T. Scout took us in his car to Red Hill overlooking the lights of Canberra, then he showed us around the city. We arrived back at our hotel at 1 a.m. bitterly cold from the night air, and slept soundly until 6.30 the next morning. When we arrived in Melbourne at 10 a.m. we were televised disembarking but I was soon on my way for Adelaide once more. I was met there by the Field Commissioner for Scouting in Northern Territory and South Australia, who showed me round Adelaide and took me to a fete run by a troop of scouts. At 5.00 p.m. I bade him farewell and by 9.30 p.m. I rejoined my family in Perth. My duty finished on Monday at noon when I handed the heart to the Lord Mayor, then joined him at a luncheon inside the hotel.

The Wesley Scout Troop has indeed been honoured, for only two years ago Chad Perry went to the Antarctic representing Australia. My trip, although of a different kind, was also a worthwhile and valuable experience.

D. A. NELSON, 5th Year.

A BOLD EXPERIMENT IN CHURCH ARCHITECTURE

Many people found it difficult to believe their eyes when the foundations were laid — a concrete circle just the length of a cricket pitch in diameter! Then twelve steel columns, some twenty-four feet in height, were erected around the circle and to their tops were welded twelve steel R.S.J.'s, which run to a point some forty feet above ground level. To the top of this a simulated steel spire was next welded taking the apex of the building to nearly sixty feet.

The walls were then put into place — twenty-four slabs of precast concrete, slightly curved and finished alternatively, both inside and out, with exposed aggregate and smooth concrete. Each of the slabs weighed almost six tons and had to be lifted into place by a large mobile crane.

Two more concrete rings—at the top of the slabs and at the eleven-foot level — tie the wall panels into a most robust structure. The vertical slits created in this way between the slabs are filled with pale blue glass, louvred up to the middle concrete ring and fixed above it.

The roof, consisting of twelve gables with ridges and valleys running up to the apex beneath the spire was framed in jarrah and ply over which were laid tarred felt and thin copper sheathing. On the under side a beautiful veneered ply was fixed and stained and polished to a jarrah finish. The gables were filled with the same pale blue glass.

THE INTERIOR

On the inside the chapel is even more interesting. The nave is a thirty-six foot square, enclosed on three sides by blackbutt panelling, and on the fourth by the tall wall slabs between which is admitted a very pleasant soft blue indirect light. The panelling rises to the eleven-foot level above which are galleries on three sides. On the rear gallery stands a magnificent pipe organ.

The chancel is floored in white terrazzo and the nave with jarrah parquetry blocks set on concrete.

The central feature of the chancel is the austere simple communion table, a single slab of polished jarrah set on shining brass legs and on it in turn stands a tall glittering brass cross. Both pulpit and lectern are on the same simple lines—in polished jarrah with brass mountings.

Behind the panelling and beneath the galleries, are on one side, a meeting room containing fifty-five memorial chairs with speaker's table and chair, and on the other, two vestries. One of these is for the choir and the other for the chaplain. Between the vestries, a wooden stairway leads to the galleries above.

IT HAD ITS CRITICS

In common with other unconventional buildings, the chapel has had its share of critics. This was so particularly during the months of construction, but now, as a completed and dedicated building, it has converted most of them to admirers. A number of reasons might be advanced for this.

Perhaps the first reason that comes to mind is that this is a beautiful buildings. To the conservative, who looks for the traditional stained glass window and Gothic arch, it may well be a disappointment, at first! Yet, let that person pause with open mind and contemplate the chapel's lovely symmetry, its soaring spire, its twelve identical gables, the attractive contrast of its wall panels.

EFFICIENCY OF THE BUILDING.

Then again, this is a most efficient building. In actual use, it is proving to be most skilfully designed. When one recalls the initial shock of seeing the small concrete circle which is its foundation, it is surprising to find so much in the building.

A little time spent with paper and pencil and elementary arithmetic will produce the surprising fact that its total area, in round figures, is about the same as that of a conventional rectangular building measuring forty feet by a hundred. This astonishing fact is due to the double use of the space provided on the one level by the galleries, and on the other by vestries, meeting room and narthex. Moreover, the circular shape ensures that there are no wasted corners.

SYMBOLISM

Yet again, it is fascinating to reflect upon the symbolism of the new chapel. More than one has suggested that there is something oddly appropriate about the fact that the casual passer-by is perplexed, even offended, by the building's outer appearance; he needs

to come right inside if he is to grasp its meaning. The Church of Jesus Christ is like that.

One must be involved in its life, from the inside, if one is to know its essential meaning and purpose. The perfection of the chapel's circular shape is a reminder of the unerring perfection of the One we worship within its walls.

The spire pointing upward will remind us constantly that here many may be pointed to the Transcendent God who is above us all in His Majesty and Glory.

A.E.G.

WESLEY CHAPEL, FEBRUARY, 1961

*"In English lanes forsaken,
Where English fields are green,
We saw the hawthorn waken—
The white road run between.*

*And there, alone, yet friended
By men a long time dead,
Knew that which they defended
Worth all the blood they shed.*

*And each shall have beside him
When the dread moment comes,
A steady hand to guide him,
And the mutter of old drums . . ."*

*The songs are sung, the brave words said,
The deeds are deep in buried time:
The graves by friends unfrequented,
The verses a forgotten rhyme.*

*Here only memories come to stay—
The glory's tinsel — swiftly fled;
Come then, in silence on this day
To friends, once living, who are dead.*

*Dead may they be—a file holds all
The transient record of a race
Too brief for those who now recall
Remembered moods upon a face.*

*Yet they have lived the years between,
Entombed by time, by time set free;
And now in comrades' memories seem
Enshrined in immortality.*

*The Cross has healed the ancient scars,
The cold and darkness make amends—
The paths of midnight, and the stars,
Have led us home to you, my friends.*

—J. A. McCLEAN.

Spotting Notes

SPORTS PRIZES

Athletics:

- Open Champion:* C. J. Broun; Runner-up, R. F. Melville.
Special Trophies (Presented by Mr. H. P. Morgan): D. V. Evans,
 J. C. Lloyd, A. E. J. Tresise.
Under 17 Champion: B. G. Mercer; Runners-up, K. W. Nikellys,
 B. M. Peacock.
Under 16 Champion: D. R. Morcombe; Runner-up, R. G. McIntosh.
Under 15 Champion: R. Boyanich (and special award presented
 by Mr. H. P. Morgan); Runner-up, I. J. Morrison.
Under 14 Champion: F. B. Lawrence; Runner-up, J. R. Morcombe.
Under 13 Champion: H. R. D. Bell; Runner-up, R. H. Caulfield.
Under 12 Champion: G. W. Stewart; Runner-up, A. W. G. B. Van
 Hensbroek.
Under 11 Champion: M. Todd; Runner-up, J. Zommers.
Under 10 Champion: S. B. Gairns; Runner-up, G. D. Balfe.

Harriers:

- Senior Champion:* J. H. Lawrance.
Junior Champion: B. R. Devitt.

Cricket:

- The Grant Woodley-Page Prize:* R. M. McLean.
First XI Prizes: J. T. McLean, G. B. Power.
Under 15: J. W. Buckee, R. P. G. Hayward.
Under 14: J. F. Levitzke, R. M. McLean.
Under 13: J. E. Newell, M. J. Zusman, P. T. Brayn, L. M. Durston.
Special Prizes (presented by Mr. H. P. Morgan): A. J. Cunningham,
 R. J. Edmeades, P. A. Feldman.
Preparatory School: J. A. Thomson.

Football:

- The John Webb Prize:* J. T. McLean.
The Perth Football Club Prize: R. F. Melville.
Senior Grades—
1st XVIII: D. K. Phillips, I. H. Bassett-Scarfe.
2nd XVIII: H. A. Baxter.
Under 16: G. J. Hardie, M. M. Counsel, C. G. J. Wynne.
Under 15: K. M. Jackson, A. W. Scott.
Under 14: S. R. Ginbey, P. A. Ullrich, C. R. Hunter.
Under 13: D. I. Barrett.
Preparatory School: G. M. Hewitt.

Hockey:

1st XI: H. S. Calder*, W. M. Calder.

2nd XI: D. A. Nelson*, J. H. Lawrance.

3rd XI: A. C. Devitt*, J. R. Hawkins.

4th XI: D. J. Darlington, J. R. Mark.

Junior Grades: D. A. Pritchard, F. W. Robinson, D. G. Rowell,
K. J. Lloyd.

* Presented by Old Boys' Hockey Club.

Lifesaving:

Trophies presented by Mr. N. R. Collins: B. M. Allender, D. A. Nelson.

Junior Grades: N. W. Moore, D. S. Liggins, M. V. Thomas.

Rowing:

M. W. McNair, C. T. Peacock, D. H. Goerling, R. G. Lehmann.

Rugby Football:

R. D. Palfreyman, W. J. Forrest.

Swimming:

Open Champion: B. M. Allender; Runner-up, B. R. Vellnagel.

Under 16 Champion: D. W. Gadsdon; Runner-up, J. E. Nash.

Under 15 Champion: J. A. Nelson; Runner-up, G. G. Patton.

Under 14 Champion: R. J. Thomas; Runner-up, B. D. Oxbrow.

Under 13 Champion: L. M. Joll; Runner-up, G. A. Herbert.

Preparatory School: R. H. Caulfield.

Under 12 Grade Prize: M. J. Vellnagel.

Under 11 Grade Prize: J. A. Heerey.

Under 10 Grade Prize: G. R. Caple.

Tennis:

Open Champion—S. H. Edwards Perpetual Challenge Trophy and the Keith Richardson Memorial Trophy (Presented by Flt.-Lt. J. A. McClean, D.F.C.): R. G. Lyon; Runner-up, G. J. Perryman.

Open Doubles Champions: G. J. Hardie, H. Ladyman.

Under 15 Champion: H. Ladyman; Runner-up, G. J. Hardie.

Under 15 Doubles Champions: G. K. Worth, M. Boatwright.

Services to Sport: G. J. Bennett, L. V. Blyth, A. E. Clarke, C. B. Knight, J. M. Vanzetti.

The Kenneth Slayter Prize for Physical Training: A. T. Hams.

The Sportsman's Award (the late Miss F. Dumble's Bequest): R. M. McLean.

GENERAL SPORTS SURVEY

(The Sportsmaster)

We offer congratulations to all teams whether they won or lost. We thank all those who gained a place in the various teams and those who trained without gaining a place.

Among the winning teams were the hockey fourth eleven which tied with Aquinas and scored 107 goals to 11 scored against them,

and the Under 16 A and B football teams, each of which lost only one match. Other winning teams were the second and third hockey elevens and the second year B hockey team.

The largest single teams representing the school were the swimming and athletics teams. They trained hard and raced well both to gain a very close third place. The boys whose training was probably the most exacting were those in the crews. The first eight, more than any others, have cause to remember this year's sport. We feel for them in their disappointment and admire their courage.

The rugger players did well in their first season, hockey players won considerably more games than they lost, footballers won a few more games than they lost and cricketers lost rather more games than they won. Two of our lifesaving teams reached the final in the Law Society Shield Competition, one of them finishing second. The open tennis team finished third and the under fifteen team finished equal first with Aquinas and Hale.

Joined in our congratulations are the coaches who work as hard, and sometimes harder, than the players. Appreciation of their work may be shown by regular attendance at practice, by listening to advice and making every endeavour to overcome faults, and by playing games in a keen and sportsmanlike manner. We thank them all.

Our thanks are also due to the grounds staff who have worked very hard and among other work have prepared two new cricket practice areas which will be in use next year. We thank, too, all parents, friends, staff and boys who have assisted with the organisation and running of all sport.

—W. CALDER.



1961 was again a successful year in athletics at Wesley College. Congratulations to the members of the athletics team who have performed so creditably in fixtures this year. Although the athletes steal the limelight, the high standards which have been attained this year could never have been reached without the advice and encouragement given by the coach, Mr. J. W. Green, assisted by Messrs. B. Abrahams, J. Miller, L. Jessop, H. P. Morgan, J. A. McClean and T. G. Blom.

In addition to these staff members, the team was helped tremendously by the sustained and practical help of three Old Boys who are actively engaged in competitive athletics, namely, Ian Templeman, Jim Wieland and Peter Johnston.

To Scotch College, we offer our congratulations on winning the P.S.A. competition. Second to the strong Scotch team was Aquinas, with Wesley a close third.

INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION

The annual Inter-House Athletic Meeting was planned for Friday and Saturday, the 29th and 30th of September, but due to unfavourable weather conditions, Friday's programme was postponed until the following Monday afternoon. This year, Mofflin carried off top honours with 1,307 points; Hardey second with 1,272, and Walton third with 1,143 points. This year, fourteen records were broken or equalled. This fact alone points to the high standard of the events.

Ray Boyanich broke three records in the under 15 division. In the Under 15 high jump he broke the previous record by 5½ in. to clear 5 ft. 7½ in., an outstanding jump for a fourteen year old. He also broke records in the Under 15 long jump and 100 yard hurdles. Colin Broun set two new records, one in the 440 yards, with a fast time of 51.1 secs., and the other a dead-heat with Andrew Barr in the 880 yards open. Ross Morcombe also set a new time in the Under 16 hurdles and a record height in the Under 16 high jump. All the 880 yards records except one were broken; Ian Morrison in the Under 15, Kevin Nikellys in the Under 17, and K. R. Edgar in the Under 14; Dale Evans equalled the seven year old record in the open 120 yards hurdles; Andrew Tresise bettered the open shot put record with a put of 43 ft. 10½ in., some 3 ft. better than the previous distance. John Lloyd raised the open high jump record by 4½ in. to set a new height of 6 ft. 0¼ in. Scott Blackwell also set a new distance in the Under 17 high jump.

In the Open Division Colin Broun emerged champion with R. F. Melville runner-up. B. G. Mercer was the under 17 champion with K. W. Nikellys runner-up. The under 16 champion was D. R. Morcombe and R. G. McIntosh runner-up. In the under 15 division there was a tussle between R. Boyanich and I. J. Morrison which culminated in a win for the former. Another close struggle was between F. B. Lawrence (under 12 champion) and J. R. Morcombe (runner-up).

RELAYS

The Inter-House Relay Competition was held on Saturday, the 14th of October, at Rossiter Oval. Keen competition resulted in good times being run; consistent team co-ordination ensued a struggle for valuable placings. This year Hardey emerged overall winner, gaining first place in five out of the seven events, a fine House effort. The final points were Hardey 181, Mofflin 136, and Walton 86½ points. Some good performances showed promise for the coming Inter-School Athletic Meeting.

QUADRANGULAR SPORTS

On Saturday, the 21st of October, the annual Quadrangular Sports were held at Wesley.

The competition for the Lynn Shield resulted in a win for Wesley, the points being as follows:—Wesley 364, Christchurch 288, Guildford 249½, and St. Louis 174½. Warm, dry conditions aided by a good track, helped the athletes break many records. Wesley's win was due to consistency in gaining places which demonstrated an all round strength.

Wesley won the relays in the Open, Under 17 and Under 16 Divisions. In the Open Division, Colin Broun brilliantly won the 440 in the time of 50.7 secs. He also ran second to D. Cook in the 100 yards. A. L. Barr won the open 880 yards in the time of 2 min. 1 sec., and ran second to C. Broun in the open 440 yards. John Lloyd did not reach his top form and although he broke the existing record, he was placed second on a countback.

In the Under 17 division, Kevin Nikellys won the 440 yards and was second in the 880 yards. B. M. Peacock won his 100 yards event, whilst B. G. Mercer won the Under 17 220 yards. In the Under 16 division, Ross Morcombe was the most outstanding with first places in the 100 yards, 220 yards and the broad jump. In the Under 15 division, Ray Boyanich, one of Wesley's most promising athletes, won the under 15 high jump and the hurdles.

P.S.A. COMPETITION—57th ANNUAL MEETING

In ideal conditions, the annual P.S.A. Athletics Meeting was held at the W.A.C.A. The competition developed into a tussle between Scotch, Aquinas and Wesley. Wesley's consistency and evenness in most events was the reason for its early lead, which was held until an hour before the close of the competition. At this stage Scotch finally took the lead. The final points were: Scotch 483, Aquinas 430, Wesley 429. Tension and excitement were high throughout the meeting. The vocal support was better than ever; regular school cries and cheering gave extra encouragement to our representatives.

Good tracks combined with ideal weather conditions resulted in twelve records being broken at the meeting and two others equalled.

John Lloyd broke the open high jump record with a leap of 6 ft. 2 in. In the under 16 hurdles Russell McIntosh equalled the existing record. However, this record was not to last, for it was broken in the next race, the first division. In the under 15 hurdles,

Ray Boyanich, in an outstanding performance, convincingly won his event in the record time of 14 secs.

In the open division, Colin Broun, captain of our athletics team, performed creditably in the Open 100, 220 and 440 yards events. K. Nikellys, B. Peacock and B. Mercer ran well in their under 17 divisions. Most outstanding in the under 16 division were Ross Morcombe, Winston Broun and Russell McIntosh. Ray Boyanich dominated the under 15 events. He also competed in events in the under 16 group and his contribution was such that his total points score at the meeting equalled that of the Scotch champion, K. Wheeler.

OPEN

100 Yards—2nd Division—D. Evans 2nd.
 220 Yards—1st Division—C. Broun 2nd.
 440 Yards—1st Division—C. Broun 2nd.
 2nd Division—A. L. Barr 2nd.
 4 x 220 Yards Relays—Wesley 2nd.
 120 Yards Hurdles—2nd Division—D. Hodby 1st.
 High Jump—1st Division—J. Lloyd 1st.
 Shot Put—1st Division—A. Tresise 1st

UNDER 17

220 Yards—2nd Division—B. Peacock 2nd.
 440 Yards—1st Division—K. Nikellys 2nd.
 2nd Division—B. Mercer 2nd.
 4 x 110 Yards Relays—Wesley 2nd.
 Long Jump—1st Division—I. Bassett-Scarfe 2nd.

UNDER 16

100 Yards—1st Division—R. Morcombe 2nd.
 2nd Division—W. Broun 1st.
 220 Yards—1st Division—R. Morcombe 2nd.
 2nd Division—W. Broun 2nd.
 880 Yards—2nd Division—J. Buckee 2nd.
 4 x 110 Yards Relays—Wesley 2nd.
 100 Yards Hurdles—2nd Division—R. McIntosh 1st. (Record: 13.7 secs.)
 High Jump—1st Division—R. McIntosh 2nd.
 2nd Division—W. Broun 2nd.
 Long Jump—1st Division—R. Morcombe 1st.
 2nd Division—R. Boyanich 1st.
 Shot Put—1st Division—R. Boyanich 1st.

UNDER 15

220 Yards—1st Division—I. Morrison 1st.
 100 Yards Hurdles—1st Division—R. Boyanich 1st (Record: 14 secs.)
 High Jump—1st Division—R. Boyanich 2nd.

UNDER 14

High Jump—2nd Division—G. Hewitt 2nd.
 75 Yards Hurdles—2nd Division—F. B. Lawrence 1st.

UNDER 13

100 Yards—1st Division—R. Bell 2nd.
 2nd Division—J. Thompson 2nd.

—R. R. COLLINS.



1st XI

This season, the first eleven side was young and thus lacked experience. The batsmen, at times, showed outstanding ability; the successful bowlers, outstanding skill. The team, however, was never really able to give of its best; in some cases circumstances were against them, in others obvious faults in the team were to blame. The encouragement and advice given by Mr. E. Shaw and other members of staff, however, was appreciated by the team.

v. AQUINAS

Batting first, Wesley, with some good individual scores, were all out for 126. Although two batsmen were bowled for only two runs, the team soon settled down and solid knocks came from R. Todd (32), A. Devitt (27) and R. McLean (14). The following day Wesley placed themselves in a strong position with Aquinas all out for 99. At 5/93 the sides appeared quite evenly balanced until a creditable period of bowling from D. Phillips (6/26) aided the dismissal of five batsmen for only 7 runs.

In the second innings, Wesley became careless and over-confident. Aquinas attacked earnestly; Wesley were all out for a total of 55. Fielding during Aquinas's second innings was well below standard and with a score of 3/86 the visitors won the match, needing only 83 runs for victory.

v. SCOTCH

After a poor first innings, the first XI proved to everyone that they were capable of some good batting, the contribution by R. Pritchard (52) and S. Calder (43) being particularly helpful. Team effort was obvious during this second innings, Wesley declaring at 9 for 166.

Scotch were all out for 77 in its first innings. R. McLean, with his accurate spin bowling, was easily the most devastating bowler of the match with 5/27 and 5/25 in the respective innings. Lack of time, however, was the defeating factor. Although the Scotch team was six wickets down for 70, its higher first innings score gave them the victory.

v. HALE

Gaining the unbeatable total of 216, Hale harassed the Wesley bowlers. C. Broun was responsible for the fall of five wickets for 68—a fine effort. Wesley replied with a score of 150 (P. Graham 31)

Hale declared with 4/75 in their second innings. This now left Wesley in a desperate fight against time, but having begun well, they slumped disappointingly with a score of only 65, Hale winning outright.

v. GUILDFORD

Guildford knocked up 127 and 105 runs in their innings, good bowling coming from R. McLean (5/20) and C. Broun (2/22). Once again Wesley began well with J. McLean, captain of the team, and T. Arnott making 48 runs between them, but over-cautiousness resulted in a total score of 70.

The second innings was more successful, J. McLean hitting 35, S. Calder 29 and R. Morcombe 19, the team being all out for 129.

This, together with the first innings, was still below the sounder scores of Guildford, who thus had an outright win.

v. CHRISTCHURCH

Intermittent heavy rain softened the pitch and delayed the start of play, Christchurch batting once, Wesley twice.

Although Christchurch were all out for 142, the last eight wickets fell for only 38 runs under the attack of the skilful bowling of R. McLean (6/49), assisted by A. Devitt (2/18) and D. Phillips (2/27).

With a few exceptions, Wesley's batting was poor. A dismal total of 112 was made for the two innings, Wesley thus losing by an innings and 33 runs.

Summarising, Wesley proved they were capable, but not consistent with their batting; they had to rely too much on spin and medium-pace bowlers; fielding at times was good but greatly needed improving. Not a victorious season, yet it was one of valuable experience to the team and to Wesley cricket on the whole.

—B. B. LAMONT.

2nd XI

The first match was against Aquinas at Wesley. As the scores indicate, the Wesley team, under the capable captaincy of R. Taylor suffered a defeat.

Aquinas 126 (D. Liggins 4 for 27, G. Langdon 3 for 4).

Wesley 34 and 74 (P. McNabb 22).

The following week we played Scotch. One of the highlights of this match was a powerful hit by Ron Melville for six. Play was delayed five minutes while the fielders searched for the ball. Although improvement was shown in this match, Wesley suffered a first innings defeat.

Wesley 78 (G. Power 24, R. Melville 21) and 7 for 74 (R. Melville 32).

Scotch 7 declared for 169 (C. Blockley 3 for 4).

The next match was played at home against Hale. Wesley's strengthened team proved too good for Hale, and won outright by 32 runs.

Wesley 132 (T. Arnott 38, P. McNabb 21 not out) and 5 declared for 53 (B. Mercer 20).

Hale 105 (A. Devitt 4 for 15) and 48 (G. Power 5 for 21).

The fourth match of the season was played on Ward Oval against Guildford. Wesley just missed out on an outright win when they needed 40 runs in 10 minutes, but only managed to score 19 of these.

Wesley 146 (A. Devitt 42) and 2 for 19.

Guildford 47 (A. Devitt 4 for 23, B. Mercer 3 for 15, G. Langdon 3 for 8) and 140.

Wesley winning on the first innings by 99 runs.

The fifth and final match was at Christ Church on a sticky wicket. Due to the overnight rain, play did not start until after lunch. Although not disgraced, Wesley lost by two wickets.

Wesley 33 (P. McNabb 14) and 54.

C.C.G.S. 49 (G. Power 7 for 15) and 8 for 39 (G. Power 5 for 12).

The season proved to be an interesting one with mixed fortunes. The most successful bowler was G. Power, who took 12 wickets at a cost of 7 runs each. The batsmen to meet with most success were: A. Devitt with an average of 25 runs per innings, and T. Arnott 17.6 runs per innings. The members of the team extend many thanks to Mr. E. Shaw, Mr. P. Appleton, and Mr. W. Calder on the part they played in helping us during the season.

—S. H. BLACKWELL.

3rd XI

Although the team did not emerge victors of the competition, much experience was gained and members enjoyed the series. Under the captaincy of A. Baxter the team showed great fighting spirit and perhaps the most thrilling match was against Scotch, which ended in a tie. The result was not established until the last ball, but we failed to gain the one run necessary for a win. Thanks are due to Mr. W. Calder, who gave us his attention as coach throughout the season and we trust that the players have benefited from a successful season of cricket.

—G. I. MORRELL.

THE UNDER 15 XI

This young team, which had shown so much promise last year, came up to expectations and finished second in the competition. Belying the results, the team suffered two considerable setbacks in losing the former captain R. Todd, and the all-rounder R. Morcombe to the firsts, and the last match, the decider, was washed out.

The only lost match was against Scotch, in which Scotch had the advantage, putting us in on a wet wicket then themselves batting on a dry one. All the other matches were won by several wickets, which showed the capability of the team. The run of matches was highlighted by the consistent opening partnerships by R. Pederick and D. Southee, which blunted the fangs of the bowlers, and several lively knocks, a 40, an 18-in-four-hits by R. Hayward the vice-captain, a 32 and 27 by J. Buckee the captain, and a 30 by R. Hawkins.

In conclusion, the team would like to thank their coach, Revd. A. Green, for his assistance in training, which we are sure, paved the way for the success gained.

—J. BUCKEE.

2nd YEAR A

Although the team played fairly well as a whole, the results of the games were rather disappointing. In the first game, Aquinas 80 defeated Wesley 42, and in the second Wesley 6 for 103 (declared) beat Scotch 32 and 3 for 43. Next match was against Hale, and the team lost 9 for 88 (declared) to Hale's 7 for 103. The final match was against Guildford 2 for 79 (declared), who beat us, 68.

Best batting performances came from J. Levitzke, C. Harley and M. Boatwright. Best bowling from R. McClean, M. Boatwright, J. Woods and J. Levitzke. Our thanks go to Mr. J. McClean, who did a really first class job as coach.

—KEN JACKSON.



FIRST XI



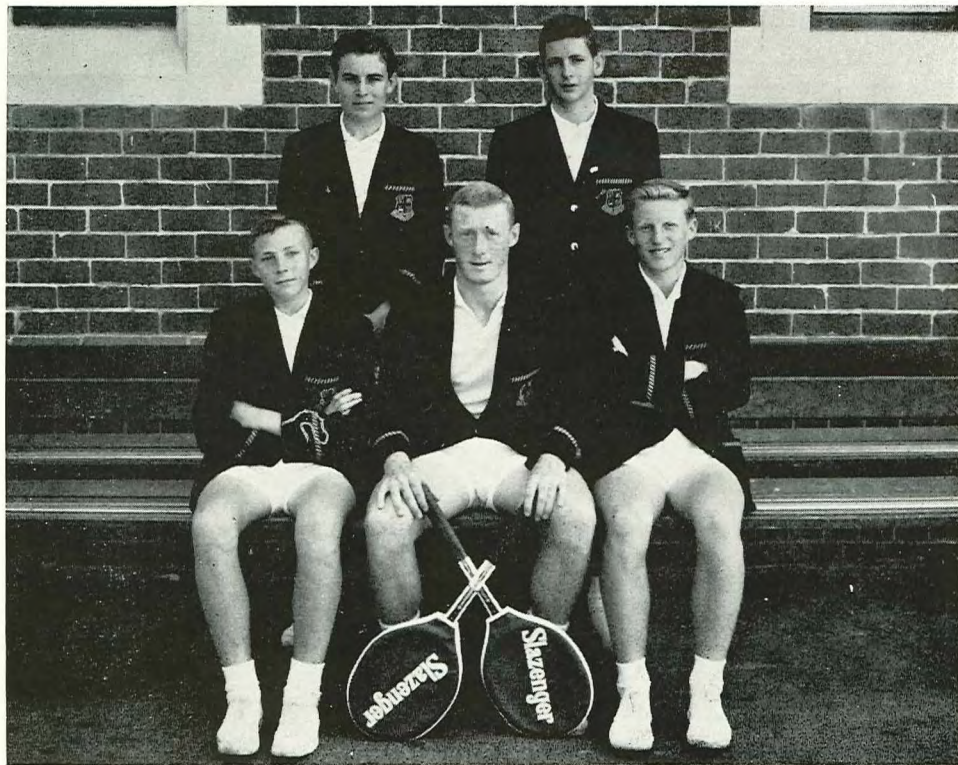
FIRST XVIII



UNDER 16 "A" FOOTBALL TEAM



UNDER 16 "B" FOOTBALL TEAM



FIRST TENNIS TEAM

1st YEAR A

Wesley 7 for 131 beat Aquinas 8 for 112. (A. Cunningham 58 not out, P. T. Brayn 3/23).

Wesley 5 for 98 beat Scotch 8/64 (P. T. Brayn 23 not out, B. Devitt 21 not out, A. Cunningham 3/9).

Wesley 6 for 74 beat Hale 7 for 66 (A. Cunningham 21 not out, B. Devitt 3/11, A. Cunningham 3/21).

Guildford 7 for 112 beat Wesley 111. (Cunningham 4/34, M. Zusman 42).

Wesley v. Christchurch. Rain prevented play.

Wesley lost the only game to Guildford. In this game, Wesley were 6/103 and with time to spare were not able to add the 10 runs necessary to win. The team had potential, but in a crisis lacked experience. Congratulations to M. Elphick (G.G.S.) on his fine knock of 68 not out against us, and to our skipper, Terry Brayn, who did a fine job.

1st YEAR B

The first year "B" team had an enjoyable and most successful season, losing only one match against Hale School. Best players were R. Edmeades and B. Kilminster. Thanks are due to Mr. R. James for the time he devoted to the team.

**House Competition Cups — Individual Sports**

Council Entrance Scholarships : A. W. Green, W. R. Thomas.

THE CITIZENSHIP CUP :

Awarded to the House earning most points over the year for Citizenship and Classwork Certificates.

THE KLEM CUP :

Awarded to the House securing most points in all Inter-House Sporting Competitions.

FIRST TERM : The Ulster Cup (Swimming); The Hearn Cup (Life Saving); The Harvey Cup (Senior Cricket); The Taylor Cup (Junior Cricket); The Read Shield (Tennis); The Jeffreys Shield (Rowing).

SECOND TERM : The Montefiore Cup (Football); The I. W. Read Memorial Shield (Hockey).

THIRD TERM : The Walton Cup (Athletics); The Preparatory School Cup (Athletics); The Reid Cup (Senior Relay).



1st XVIII

1961 proved to be a good season for the 1st XVIII, which finished third in the competition. Only once has the team done better than this since entering the P.S.A. and that was a 2nd in 1960. As the 1961 side was a relatively young and inexperienced one, it is anticipated that many of the players will be available for next year's team. A pleasing feature of the season was the splendid way in which the team functioned over the final four weeks, winning its last three matches, including one against the strong Aquinas team.

Colin Broun, who has been with the team since 3rd Year, served the team well as captain, assisted by John McLean as vice-captain. Mr. A. H. Simpson was the staff member responsible for the team.

CUP MATCHES

v. SCOTCH (Away)

At the half time changeover, Scotch had an almost unassailable lead of six goals to nil. The Wesley lads, most of whom were playing in their first Cup match, were nervous and did not play good football. Although Wesley fought back with determination after half-time, they were unable to topple the powerful Scotch team. The backline kept out many Scotch attacks, but the forwards were unsteady in their shooting for goal when given the opportunity.

Final Results: Scotch 9 goals 16 behinds; Wesley, 5 goals, 8 behinds.

Best Players: P. Cherry, D. Phillips, R. Morcombe, R. Melville, J. McLean, C. Broun.

v. HALE (Home)

A hard fought determined tussle was staged, with both teams having equal scoring shots. At no time was the margin between the two teams greater than two goals. John McLean was brilliant at centre half back and the Hale attackers were continually forced to go around the flanks. Wesley again started slowly, then trying to bridge the gap too late in the game.

Final Results: Hale 7 goals 7 behinds; Wesley 5 goals 9 behinds.

Best players: J. McLean, R. Melville, R. Pritchard, R. McLean, D. Phillips, I. Bassett-Scarfe.

v. GUILDFORD (Home)

On an overcast dry day, Wesley won their first Cup match of the season. The team started well and had a lead of several goals at half time. The whole team functioned well and with confidence, and the forwards began to co-ordinate. Although Wesley appeared to have the game won at three-quarter time, Guildford staged a fight back in the last quarter. Guildford have made this a feature of their game for several years and they are to be congratulated on their determination.

Final Results: Wesley 9 goals 13 behinds; G.G.S., 8 goals 9 behinds.

Best Players: C. Broun, R. Pritchard, R. McLean, R. Morcombe, I. Bassett-Scarfe, D. Nixon.

v. CHRISTCHURCH (Away)

This was another good team win in which Wesley's forward work improved again. Blustery conditions prevailed with Wesley kicking against the breeze in the first quarter. From the first bounce Wesley was superior to the Christchurch side. An unfortunate aspect of this game was that five of our players were hurt. Although Wesley had a large lead at half time, Christchurch began to gain on us in the closing stages.

The bustling Christchurch backs caused our forwards to be inaccurate in shooting for goal.

Final Results: Wesley, 10 goals 17 behinds; C.C.G.S., 5 goals 13 behinds.

Best Players: R. McLean, J. McLean, I. Bassett-Scarfe, C. Broun, D. Nixon, P. Cherry.

v. AQUINAS (Away)

A slippery ground, particularly in the centre, coupled with a strong breeze throughout most of the match made this game sluggish. Aquinas kicked with the breeze in the first quarter, our skipper losing the toss again. Indeed luck was against him in this regard for 9 of the 10 matches. Aquinas gained a lead of three goals, and remained in front for the remainder of the match. The rucks, Ron Melville and Don Nixon, played strongly throughout the game. It was Wesley's turn to stage a recovery and they drew to within 7 points and were attacking on the bell.

Final Results: Aquinas 10 goals 10 behinds, Wesley 9 goals 9 behinds.

Best Players: R. Melville, D. Nixon, I. Bassett-Scarfe, P. Cherry.

v. SCOTCH (Home)

Wesley were able to keep with Scotch until half time due to good handball and kicking and a concerted effort by the whole team. By the end of the third quarter, however, Scotch were six goals ahead, and were definitely a better side, playing a fine style of football. In the last quarter the Scotch backmen stopped our forwards from scoring goals by continually forcing the ball into the "dead" pocket. We congratulate Scotch on winning the Cup again in 1961.

Final Results: Scotch 9 goals 14 behinds, Wesley 4 goals 7 behinds.

Best Players: R. Melville, C. Broun, R. Morcombe, D. Gadsdon, J. McLean, I. Bassett-Scarfe.

v. HALE (Away)

Wesley found the soft sandy oval very difficult. The ball would not bounce and the ground was uneven to run on. Under these conditions Wesley was no match in the first half for Hale. It was only in the last quarter, and mainly due to C. Broun, that Wesley came back into the game. In this quarter the side scored once every two minutes, three of these goals coming from Broun running down the centre, but Wesley was too far behind to worry Hale at this stage.

Final Results: Hale 12 goals 8 behinds; Wesley 9 goals 10 behinds.

Best Players: D. Nixon, C. Broun, R. Melville, R. Pritchard, I. Bassett-Scarfe, P. Cherry.

v. GUILDFORD (*Away*)

With a combination of team spirit, co-operation, dash and sustained effort, Wesley displayed a spirited game for the four quarters. The team functioned smoothly, with intelligent handball in the forward lines and long driving kicks from the backlines, gaining a lead of four goals by half time. The two ruckmen continually won the knock, while Colin Broun at centre gave great drive to his team. This game was the turning point of the season. The team was now stabilised and experienced and very fit.

Final Results: Wesley 11 goals 10 behinds; G.G.S. 3 goals 10 behinds.

Best Players: R. Melville, D. Nixon, C. Broun, I. Bassett-Scarfe, R. Pritchard, G. Cleaver.

v. CHRISTCHURCH (*Home*)

No weak links were seen in the Wesley team during this match. Although the forwards were under notice because of their countless opportunities, the backlines played just as well. A great deal of weight and dash was shown, with team work being Wesley's main strength, everybody playing hard throughout the entire match. In the third quarter Christchurch challenged strongly to get back into the game, but the backs held on determinedly.

Final Results: Wesley 17 goals 20 behinds; Christchurch 3 goals 5 behinds.

Best Players: J. McLean, R. Melville, C. Broun, I. Bassett-Scarfe, R. McLean, D. Phillips.

v. AQUINAS (*Home*)

Trailing by two points at half time, Wesley came back convincingly to record their second win against Aquinas since 1952. Winning in almost all positions, the Wesley side attacked continually down the centre, whereas the Aquinas team were continually on the defensive. Efficient handball and accurate kicking were features of the Wesley play for most of the game.

Final Results: Wesley 13 goals 12 behinds defeated Aquinas 11 goals 9 behinds.

Best Players: R. Melville, D. Gadsdon, R. McLean, J. McLean, P. Cherry, I. Bassett-Scarfe.

—I. BASSETT-SCARFE.

SECOND XVIII

In comparison with other years we were weak this season but we equalled last year's performance of four games won in the P.S.A. Competition and finished equal fourth place. The games away from Wesley showed that the team could not adapt itself to other grounds, and they all resulted in losses. At home we were a much improved side, aided by a home ground advantage. We won 4 out of 5 games at home and defeated the first three teams in the competition, Scotch, Aquinas and Guildford.

This year we again played two matches against Mogumber Mission, and thoroughly enjoyed the games, although we were decisively beaten each time. Our best players for the season were Tony Baxter, Andrew Hearn and Bruce Peacock, who consistently formed the nucleus of the team. Everyone tried hard; nearly everyone turned in a good

game on occasions, and we enjoyed all the matches, regardless of the results. The captain for the year was Andrew Barr. The coaching of Revd. A. Green and the assistance of Mr. Gavin Gray at training was much appreciated and helped us to improve our match play.

—A. BARR.

UNDER 16A

For the Under 16A's the 1961 season was an excellent one, losing only one match, that being the first of the season to Scotch. The team therefore were Premiers by one game from Scotch in second place. Hard training and improving teamwork as well as the continual efforts of the best players, made the Under 16A's a strong combination. The most outstanding match of the season was that against Scotch. Leading by only two points at three-quarter time and kicking into a strong wind for the last quarter, Wesley forced the first score against the breeze (one behind) and held on to keep Scotch scoreless. Under the guidance of Mr. M. Glenn and Mr. P. Appleton, the team emerged as a strong and well balanced one. Because of his outstanding and consistent roving, G. Hardie (who captained the team) was the fairest and best for the season, while M. Counsel was runner-up. Other consistent players were D. Southee (v.Capt.), R. Pederick, G. Patton, W. Broun, P. Jenzen and G. Marshall.

—T. ARNOTT.

UNDER 16B

Due to the determination and vigour with which the team played, the Under 16B won the title of Premiers for 1961. The standard of play was relatively high throughout the season for this grade, and in the majority of matches the team was consistently attacking.

One game in which this attacking nature was displayed was that against Christchurch in the second round of matches. Only one or two goals were needed to turn the game our way and, although we repeatedly drove the ball forward, only a few points could be scored and the opponents held on to their lead. This loss of only one match reflects credit upon our coaches, Mr. M. Glenn and Mr. P. Appleton, to whom we owe our gratitude for their interest.

Although we played as a team, outstanding exhibitions were shown by a number of players. The roving tactics of C. Wynne and the forward and centreline play of I. Fraser, together with M. Nicholas, S. Daws and K. Dreghorn formed the spearhead of many movements.

—C. WYNNE.

UNDER 15A

Capt.: V. Lovegrove. The lack of weight and size in this side, in comparison with the Under 15 sides of the other Public Schools, was a handicap which was difficult to overcome. However, the speed and determination of young, slightly-built players gave them some successes, notably that over Guildford, and restricted the winning margins of other sides to a goal or two in most games. Team spirit and system improved notably as the season went on, largely as a

result of good leadership from Vincent Lovegrove, and consistent performances from K. Jackson (ruck), M. Flavel (full back), R. McClean (roving and centre half forward) and A. Scott, L. Sandecott, J. Levitzke and M. Boatwright. Our thanks to D. Nixon, D. Goerling, I. Bassett-Scarfe and R. Morcombe for their assistance in training.

J. A. McCLEAN.

UNDER 14A

This season was successful in that the team won 6 out of their 10 matches. In the others we were only narrowly beaten, twice by Aquinas and twice by Hale. Guildford was beaten by points, although they were leading most of the game.

As the boys were regular in training every week we had plenty of players from whom to choose the team.

The team combined well as a unit, but some of the outstanding players must be mentioned. R. White gave us the drive down the centre, assisted by the kicking and marking of S. Ginbey. C. Hardey saved many goals at his full back position.

Thanks are extended to Mr. R. James and Mr. A. Marshall for the time and energy they put into training and helping the team.

—L. M. BROWNE.

UNDER 14B

This was a very worthwhile season of football for the players although only a few games were won. The toughest opposition came from Aquinas and Hale, against whom we combined well as a team, as in the other matches.

The best player was D. Walton, who played a consistent game throughout the season as the rover. Features of our play were the marking skill of I. Bullock, the speed of C. Hunter, and the forward drive given by N. Painter. G. Sanderson was the most improved player over the season. The team would like to thank Mr. A. Marshall and Mr. R. James for the valuable coaching they gave us.

—P. A. ULLRICH.

UNDER 13

Although we only won one match (namely, against Scotch), it was pleasing to have a large number of boys attending training regularly. During the second round of matches, our play improved and the team lost by only a few points against Guildford, who were the Premiers for the grade. We were often well behind at half time but determination enabled us to come within points of victory in several matches. Indeed it was a pity we were not able to start as well as we could finish.

Best players were B. Edmeades, T. Musto and M. Zusman. Everybody tried his best, although we had a weakness in the rucks and half forwards. Sincere thanks, however, go to our coaches, Mr. L. Jessop, R. and J. McLean.

—M. ZUSMAN.



All hockey players experienced an enjoyable and successful season. The first eleven only came fourth, but the second and third elevens, and the second year B team were premiers, while the fourth eleven were joint premiers and the remaining teams came second. This high standard throughout the school was not only attributed to the enthusiasm of the players but also to the excellent work done by the coaches. In the senior teams we thank Messrs. J. W. Green, G. Bell, E. Shaw and M. Albany for the time spent in coaching, and in the juniors we thank Mrs. Le Souef and Mrs. Connell, who were assisted by G. Bennett.

1st XI

The competition, which was of a high standard, was a keenly and closely contested one. Although we were not as successful as in previous years, our team was by no means disgraced. Aquinas and Scotch fielded particularly strong sides. Congratulations to Scotch for winning the premiership, by a small margin from Aquinas.

1st ROUND

v. SCOTCH

In the first half Scotch dominated the play, but outstanding work in defence by Scott and Blyth, and an all round team effort, kept them scoreless. Although Wesley gained the initiative in the second half, we could not convert a goal with only minutes to go, Scotch's right wing scored the only goal of the match from a solo run. We attacked strongly, but time ran out.

Wesley lost 1-0.

Best: B. Scott, L. Blyth, A. Stewart.

v. HALE

Because our team showed little system, we were unable to score in the first half, we were often in attack, but our shots at goal were astray. The Hale defence fought stubbornly, allowing us to score only two goals, both from short corners.

Wesley won 2-0.

Best: C. Blockley, S. Calder, R. Haslam.

v. GUILDFORD

Our team was often in attack and always looked dangerous, because the ball was coming from the wings. Two quick goals from Guildford in the second half put them within a goal of us, but another goal from Popham left the result in no doubt. The game was hard and it was a good win for Wesley.

Wesley won 4-2.

Goals: Popham 3, Tysoe 1.

Best: R. Popham, L. Blyth, S. Calder.

v. CHRIST CHURCH

In a scoreless first half, in which we played good open hockey, we looked the better side. Soon after half time we scored two quick

goals. Although Christ Church attacked strongly, scoring one goal from a short corner, we were able to hold them off until the end.

Wesley won 2-1.

Goals: R. Tysoe, R. Haslam.

Best: S. Calder, L. Blyth, B. Scott.

v. *AQUINAS*.

In the first fifteen minutes of play Aquinas's fast moving inside forwards combined well to score 4 goals. After scoring our first goal, late in the first half, we lifted our game in the second half, but could not penetrate the solid Aquinas defence.

Wesley lost 5-2.

Goals: Stewart, Haslam.

Best: C. Blockley, S. Calder, R. Haslam.

2nd ROUND

v. *SCOTCH*

Our chances of winning the premiership were put to an end after this match. We had to reshuffle our team, due to the absence of Haslam, who was injured, and found that Scotch's defence was too strong for us.

Wesley lost 4-1.

Goal: Stewart.

Best: L. Blyth, W. Calder, R. Tysoe.

v. *HALE*

In this game the inside forwards were in their best form. The backs, who were very steady, played an open game of hockey, enabling the forwards to break through the Hale defence many times.

Wesley won 15-0.

Goals: Tysoe 6, Stewart 6, Haslam 3.

Best: R. Haslam, R. Tysoe, A. Stewart.

v. *GUILDFORD*

After heavy rain the night before, the ground was soggy and slow. However, the team adapted themselves quickly and with the forwards making the best of their opportunities, we had a convincing win.

Wesley won 5-2.

Goals: Tysoe 2, Stewart, Haslam, Blyth.

Best: P. Rock, S. Calder, R. Haslam.

v. *CHRIST CHURCH*

This was definitely our worst game of the season. We were sluggish, always being beaten to the ball by Christ Church, who were playing intelligent hockey. After being beaten in this game our position of third on the table was taken by Christ Church.

Wesley lost 3-1.

Goal: Stewart.

Best: L. Blyth, B. Scott, A. Stewart.

v. *AQUINAS*

Although we were down three to one after the first half, the match was fairly even. Soon after half time another goal put us within a goal of them. We now looked like equalising, but Aquinas made clever positional changes, which enabled them to score four quick goals.

Wesley lost 7-2.

Goals: Stewart, Tysoe.

Best: S. Calder, L. Blyth, A. Stewart.



FIRST XI HOCKEY



SECOND XI HOCKEY



THIRD XI, HOCKEY



FOURTH XI, HOCKEY

Congratulations go to Ross Haslam and Alan Stewart on their selection in the 1961 State Schoolboys Hockey team.

—A. J. STEWART.

2nd XI

This year the Second Hockey Eleven showed once more the ability to force their way to premiership honours. In 1957 the team won, 1958 second, 1959 they won, 1960 a draw with Scotch, and this year, 1961, led by D. A. Nelson, the team carried through the ten fixtures unbeaten.

In the first round the team started well with a close 3-2 victory over Scotch, then defeated Hale and Guildford both 8-0. The final match of the round against Christ Church, was one of our worst, for the Christ Church players constantly countered our attacks and demoralised us. The Wesley players who performed well this round were G. Morrell, J. Lawrance, I. Willock and I. Cook.

The second round began with a draw against the fast moving Aquinas side, whom we beat at the end of the season. Against Scotch, Hale and Guildford the team easily scored victories, but the Christ Church team once again confused us with their solid stopping and hitting. This game resulted in the team's second draw. Best players were J. Arnold, J. Stanford, D. Nelson, P. Strickland and M. Slattery. We feel, however, that the person who put most into the ten matches and ultimate victory was Mr. J. W. Green, our coach, who once more did a splendid job.

—D. A. NELSON.

3rd XI

Early training of stamina building, long distance runs and several scratch matches, enabled the third eleven to have a successful season. Driven by Mr. E. Shaw to a high standard of fitness and skill, the team went through the season with little difficulty in overcoming all teams except Aquinas, who in the first round beat us 3-2. In this match the forward line, who were without their captain, Tony Devitt, lacked the final thrust. When Tony had recovered from his back injury, we swept through the other teams, including 17-0 against Hale. Our position as premiers was consolidated, after the crucial match against Aquinas, which we won 3-1.

Throughout the season, the forward line spearheaded by "Charlie" Devitt, was well supported by a strong half back line of Hawkins, Lowth and Buckee. If the half back line was penetrated, the last line of defence of Nelson and Vaughan were always there to break up the attack. They were ably assisted by goalies Eddy or Richards, who throughout the season let only 9 goals through. This highly successful season was enjoyed by all.

—J. BUCKEE AND A. STEWART.

4th XI

This team enjoyed a remarkable degree of success and suffered only one defeat—at the hands of Aquinas, who shared the premiership with us. Playing several weak teams we amassed a huge number of goals—108 for and 11 against. The best feature of the team, I feel,

was not that we won so much but that the team members continued to train and play hard. We were perhaps fortunate in that our team remained fairly stable throughout the season which enabled the lads to become very closely knit. The team was very even but consistent support came from J. Mark (27 goals), G. Brockman (17), R. Thomas (18) and D. Darlington.

Here also defence players were at a serious disadvantage as they were seldom in the limelight.

One of the highlights of the season was a social match versus M.L.C. (Claremont) 1st XI. The battle was very even until the closing stages when the boys, sensing defeat and the consequent humiliation, gave of their best and coasted home at five goals to two.

Our sincere thanks go to Mr. M. Albany, who bore the responsibility of coaching us. His active interest helped largely to make the season, both at practice and matches, a most enjoyable and successful one.

—D. DARLINGTON.

2nd YEAR A

The opening of the 1961 hockey season saw the Second Year "A" Hockey Team play their first game without much success and were beaten by Scotch 3-2. As the season progressed however, the team played many magnificent games, especially the two against Guildford, both matches resulting in a draw.

The most convincing win was over Hale 16-9. The team improved greatly and mounted up the ladder to finish second in their age group.

Credit goes to D. McKinlay, R. West, R. Robinson and D. Pritchard for being the best and most consistent players throughout the season.

Thanks go to Mrs. Connell and Graeme Bennett for coaching the team throughout the season.

—M. C. MAFFESIONI.

2nd YEAR B

From the start to the finish this team had to give all its praise to the two full backs Craig MacKinnon and Jim Hallam but even more so to goalie John Cowlshaw. Although the goalie didn't score a goal which resulted in two draws nil all games against Christ Church and Aquinas. The team as his average tells—he didn't let the ball through the goal mouth once.

During a change of teams when the "B" were without Cowlshaw, they had their only goal scored against them by a strong Aquinas side. Although they went on to win 3-1 it spoilt a near perfect record.

The forwards, well fed by the half backs throughout the season, collapsed in the closing matches to find themselves not able to score a goal which resulted in two draws nil all games against Christ Church and Aquinas. The team won its age group premiership, finishing with no one best player; in fact it was largely a team effort.

The team most sincerely thanks Mrs. Connell and G. Bennett for their coaching.

—R. J. THOMAS.

1st YEAR

In First Year, hockey is an adventure, because whilst a few have played the game before, to most it is a completely new experience, and the boys playing for the first time are to be particularly congratulated on their high standard of play this year.

We have all enjoyed the hockey matches this season, even one memorable Friday when the heavens opened, and between Guildford and ourselves, there was not a dry stitch to be found at the end of the match.

Both our teams finished the season in sight of premiership honours and full credit and appreciation go to Mrs. T. LeSouef for her enthusiastic coaching. Our thanks also go to Len Blyth and Graeme Bennett for their help on training days, to Mr. Haslam for his full-throated encouragement during Friday matches, and to the boys of the school who came from classrooms at 3.30 to encourage us over the last quarter of an hour of "home" games. This often supplied the necessary incentive to anxious players for that extra effort which clinches matches.

We are looking forward to next year's hockey season and hope as we progress through the school that we can keep up the high standard of hockey played by all Wesley teams.

—DAVID ROWELL.

HARRIERS

In past years the harriers competition has been run by a few boys who do not play football or hockey. The numbers were usually so small that in some years the result has been decided on the efforts of three boys from each House in both senior and junior races. These numbers are too small for teams to be representative to score points for the Klem Cup.

With the introduction of a new timetable for the third term which gave an earlier date for the inter-house athletic sports and so earlier selection of the School athletics team, the remaining boys were released from training at this earlier date. The General Sports Committee decided that all boys not engaged with the athletics team should run as harriers in three races for each group. This, however, proved impracticable for it cut across too many other activities.

The plan was modified to include only those who said that they wanted to train and run. Allowing some wastage from the number so nominating, the teams were fixed at senior teams of 20 boys each and junior teams of 15 boys each, and to run only one race for this year.

Results: Senior—1, Walton; 2, Hardey; 3, Mofflin. Junior—1, Walton; 2, Mofflin; 3, Hardey.

The first three runners in each group were:—Senior First, J. H. Lawrance; Second, B. M. Allender; Third, D. S. Liggins. Junior First, B. R. Devitt; Second, M. T. Gribble; Third, R. J. Thomas.

—W. CALDER.

Life Saving

In the early weeks of First Term, Life Saving was neglected in favour of Swimming training. When training did start however, two days after the Swimming Sports, there were large squads of enthusiastic boys in all grades. Under the skilful guidance of Mr. W. Green, the Law Shield squad trained hard, despite the cold weather. The McFarlane Cup squad was coached by Mr. L. Jessop, who was also master-in-charge of Life Saving. Mr. R. Blom, an old boy of the School, kindly offered his services to train the young Connolly Cup squad. He did a fine job moulding them into a team.

The Inter-House Lifesaving Competition was conducted on Wednesday, 29th March, at Como, under calm but cold conditions. For the first time in Life Saving at Wesley, Mofflin and Hardey drew on aggregate points, while Walton was third. Mofflin won the open event from Walton and Hardey in the splendid time of 6 min. 38 sec., which was 38 sec. inside the record. The Under 16 event was also won by Mofflin, who did well to break the record by 8 seconds in the time of 5 min. 55.2 seconds. Hardey was second and Walton third in this event. The Junior event was won convincingly by Hardey with Walton second.

On Saturday, 8th of April, the Royal Lifesaving Society's Carnival was held at Crawley Baths. Conditions were unpleasant with rain, wind, cold and very choppy water. Considering the conditions, all teams did well. The Law Shield team of D. Gadsdon, D. Nelson, A. Tresise and B. Allender came second to John Curtin High School in both the heat and final. Both teams broke the record, Wesley by 6 secs., and John Curtin by 12 secs. This was a very fine performance; while the Wesley "B" team came 5th in the final. In the McFarlane Cup, the Wesley team of M. Sedgwick, N. Moore, I. Lloyd and D. Liggins came third in the final, while the "B" team was eliminated in the heats. The Connolly Cup "A" team consisting of R. Thomas, M. Thomas, D. Pritchard and W. Nicholls was 5th in their final, while "B" team was eliminated in the heats.

Many boys showed interest in Award Lifesaving and although the water was becoming very cold, all told about 30 awards were obtained. Special credit was due to A. Tresise, I. Cook, B. Vellnagel and B. Allender for obtaining the difficult Award of Merit, while D. Nelson obtained his Bar to the Award of Merit. J. Lawrance, D. Gadsdon and R. Thomas were successful in securing their Bronze Crosses. P. Strickland, B. Vellnagel, B. Eddy, I. Cook, D. Mitchell and D. Nelson also did valuable instructional work and enabled 20 minor awards to be obtained.

We would like to thank Mr. W. Green sincerely in his capacity of examiner, instructor and coach, also Mr. L. Jessop for coaching and organisational duties, and Mr. R. Blom are to be thanked for the interest they have displayed in Lifesaving this year. Finally, congratulations are due to all boys for their training and perseverance in Lifesaving.

B. M. ALLENDER and D. A. NELSON.

Rowing Notes

Rowing at Wesley had one of its more enjoyable seasons, and certainly its most eventful. Poor results on Race Day definitely weren't indicative of the attitude and enthusiasm of crew members, and their school respects them for their spirit and determination. All crews had at least one or more wins during the season, this giving them some external acknowledgment of their ability, but the greatest pleasure was found in the true team effort of participations, both during training and in race conditions.

Preliminary training commenced in 3rd Term, 1960, and a four coached by Mr. Terry Brain met with considerable success in Pennant Regattas. Then, a squad of twelve was chosen, and these boys formed the basis of the 1961 crews. We were fortunate in that Mr. A. Gray, a former Leichhardt oarsman, made himself available as coach. The first eight was chosen with M. McNair (St.), I. Baker (7), C. Peacock (6), G. Ludemann (5), D. Nixon (4), D. Goerling (3), R. Griffin (2), G. Brooke-Cowden (Bow). This crew remained together throughout the three months of training, with bow, three and seven seats being alternated; R. Palfreyman was chosen as reserve.

A week before school resumed, the first eight was training in Perth, and moved into their racing shell, Wyvern I. Other crews were soon formed, the seconds being coached by Mr. J. Sharples, the first four by Mr. R. Liggins, and the second four by Mr. J. Hosking.

As a result of the somewhat longer training season, the Hale regatta for first and second crews was held on March 26th. In their race, the seconds leapt away to a good start, but an error in direction cost them any chance of a place. The firsts were unfortunate to be poorly started, and they failed to strike form, finishing third behind Aquinas and Scotch.

Our own House and Invitation Regatta was held on March 8th, poor weather conditions preventing several crews from participating. The first eight moved away from Guildford and Aquinas to score their first win of the season. A creditable win was recorded by the second four, the first four claiming a second, and the second eight a third. In the House rowing, Mofflin won narrowly from the fast finishing Hardey crew, with Walton in third position.

All crews now entered into the last vital phases of training. The first eight at this stage were training twice a day with the State crew, getting much needed pacing and consolidating their staying power. Several night rows provided a unique experience, and were a pleasant diversion from daytime rowing. A final chance for all crews to prove themselves came at the Sandringham regatta on April 15th. Wesley crews dominated the novice and maiden events, the first eight winning both the heat and the final of the maiden eights. The seconds comfortably carried off the novice eights, and both fours won their events. With just a week of preparation left, crews went into light training.

Head of the River day came, and with it heavily overcast skies and a cold misty morning. The first eight, placed equal favourite with Christ Church by the sports writers, had their hopes wrecked when their shell was broken up by an accident and sank beneath them on the way to the start. Such a crippling blow cost them any chance of a win.

After fifteen minutes in the freezing water, the crew arrived up at the start in a borrowed boat. This determination to carry the School colours over the finishing line made the School proud of their representatives. At this juncture, I feel it would be appropriate to give thanks to the coaches and crews for their assistance and to the Parents and Friends' Association for their prompt organisation of a boat fund.

Finally a special mention to the Headmaster, the Sportsmaster and parents of rowers, for their support in many ways and to Mr. Ken Grant, for the practice opportunities he made available to us.

—G. B. COWDEN.

Gymnasium Notes

Classes of students from 1st to 5th Year have been regularly attended by a small number of enthusiasts throughout the year.

Members of the Upper School, who were not participating in other sports, formed a gym class meeting for about one hour sessions after school on Monday and Thursday afternoons. Work was completed of a varied nature including agility work and tumbling, and boys like Fraser, Howells and Doubikin (3PG) were among those who became most proficient.

A second group took up a course of selected weight training in preparation for athletics and general muscular development. This training was a first class basic conditioner for many of the main members of the athletics team, but it was disappointing to see only a few students making the most of their opportunities in this particular field. I do hope that during 1962 many more students will find their way to the gym for a course of weight training. Remember, a good all-round man requires physical, as well as mental strength, and weight training is a quick and certain means of becoming physically strong. Work among the Lower School members was carried out with great "pep" and classes were held during school time on Friday afternoons. Elementary body building exercises formed a large part of the early training. This was followed up in the latter half of the year by harder mobility exercises. Some interesting work was completed during the year.

—JOHN MILLER.

Rugby

This year a team under the supervision of Mr. R. Jeffreys was entered in the Western Australian Junior Rugby Union's competition for P.S.A. Schools. Enthusiasm for the sport was engendered by a preliminary game against a naval team and the competition matches began the following week. A good team spirit prevailed throughout the whole competition and a great deal of enjoyment was had both on and off the field. This spirit and enthusiasm played a major part in the success which the team encountered. Out of ten competition games played, six were won, one drawn and three lost, with the result that we were placed third behind Christ Church who took the honours, and Scotch in second position.

Summary of Competition Games (1st Round)

v. SCOTCH (lost)

Our first game gave an indication of the potential of our side. As the scores show it was a close game, especially when it is considered that this was only the second game for most players.

Scotch 9 - Wesley 6 (R. Palfreyman, A. Tresise).

v. HALE (won)

After a strong start, eleven points were scored in the first ten minutes, our play became lethargic and good play was only evident in defence.

Hale 8 - Wesley 17 (I. Baker, A. Tresise, R. Palfreyman, W. Forrest).

v. G.G.S. (won)

Again spirit was evident until a good lead was gained. Concentration was relaxed and our play began to deteriorate towards the close of the match.

G.G.S. 6 - Wesley 17 (I. Baker, D. Evans, R. Palfreyman).

v. C.C.G.S. (lost)

Here for the first time we met a team which played with good combination and stern determination and we were very definitely out-classed. Tackling and teamwork were especially weak in this game.

C.C.G.S. 22 - Wesley 6 (A. Tresise).

v. AQUINAS (won)

In this match the backline functioned well and was supported constantly by the forwards in all attacking moves. The tackling proved better than that of the game before, and defence play was much improved.

Aquinas 0 - Wesley 17 (I. Baker, A. Tresise, C. Peacock).

v. SCOTCH (drawn)

For most of the first half the team played a defensive game and Scotch were unable to build up a score. The half time score was 6-3 in Scotch's favour. During the second half the score was evened to 6-all and though both teams made a number of strong attacking moves, no further score resulted.

Scotch 6 - Wesley 6 (A. Tresise).

v. HALE (won)

A slow start gave us a three-nil lead at half time. The backline then settled down and produced some good attacking moves sending winger D. Evans over the line three times.

Hale 6 - Wesley 20 (D. Evans, A. Tresise, R. Palfreyman).

v. G.G.S. (won)

This game was played under shocking conditions with a wet ball. The ground was two inches under water and the standard of play was low. Wesley scored late in the second half.

G.G.S. 0 - Wesley 3 (R. Clements).

v. C.C.G.S. (lost)

This match against Christ Church was one of our best. Determined and hard play was an outstanding feature of the game. Excellent play by the backline gave winger D. Evans a fine run to score under the posts. The half time score was 5-0. In the second half Christ Church scored to bring the score to 5-3, and within five minutes of half time scored again with the final score 6-5.

Christ Church 6 - Wesley 5. (D. Evans, A. Tresise).

v. Aquinas (won)

Our final game proved to be one in which everybody combined well to produce some good rugby. Tackling was efficient and held out against an aggressive side.

Aquinas 6 - Wesley 11 (R. Winslade, B. Vellnagel, A. Tresise).

Thus for the first season the team acquitted themselves well. Our thanks must go to Mr. R. Jeffreys and Mr. Youden. Without their guidance and interest the season would never have proved such a happy one as it did.

An indication of the high standard reached during the season is given by the fact that two team members, R. Palfreyman and W. Forrest, secured places in the State Schoolboys XV and toured the Eastern States with that team during the August vacation.

R. PALFREYMAN.

INTER HOUSE SPORTS COMPETITION The Klem Cup, 1961

	Hardey (points)	Mofflin (points)	Walton (points)
Athletics	2	4	0
Cricket	2	4	0
Football	4	0	2
Harriers	1	1	4
Hockey	0	2	4
Lifesaving	3	3	0
Prep. School	2	4	0
Relays	4	2	0
Rowing	2	4	0
Swimming	2	4	0
Tennis	1	1	4
TOTAL	23	29	14



SECOND YEAR "B" HOCKEY TEAM



LIFE SAVING TEAM



FIRST EIGHT



FIRST XV. RUGBY



SWIMMING TEAM



Although Wesley did not do quite as well as in the previous two years, the team was by no means disgraced. Second to Christ Church in the Quadrangular Swimming Meeting and third in the Inter-School Sports where the standard was very high this year, was a satisfactory performance.

Altogether, Wesley now holds fourteen out of a possible nineteen records at the Quadrangular Sports and thirteen out of a possible eighteen records at the Inter-School Sports—an impressive record over a period of years. For our successes this year, the credit must go not only to the enthusiasm of the boys, but also to the able assistance of Mr. L. Jessop, who was responsible for the organising and training of the teams, and Mr. J. Miller.

INTER-HOUSE SPORTS

On Wednesday, 1st of March, the Inter-House Sports were conducted at Crawley Baths. A fresh south-easterly wind made conditions unsuitable for records. Hence, what records were broken were all the more meritorious. They were by David Gadsdon in the Under 16 110 yards freestyle and Under 16 220 yards freestyle; John Nash in the Under 16 55 yards breaststroke, and R. Thomas set an inaugural record in the Under 14 55 yards freestyle.

For the twelfth time in fourteen years, Mofflin House won (with 764 points) from Hardey (580 points) and Walton (559 points). Nevertheless, the competition was very lively, particularly in the younger grades. In Open Division, the best performer was B. Allender (Open Champion), winning everything except the breaststroke, which was won by R. Winslade; others to do well were D. Mitchell, A. Tresise and D. Nelson.

Under Age Events: D. Gadsdon was the outstanding swimmer in Under 16 grade and was champion of that grade. He won the backstroke and freestyle events, while J. Nash won the breaststroke. In the Under 15 grade, J. Nelson and N. Moore swam well. In the Under 14 and Under 13 grades the best were R. Thomas and L. Joll respectively.

QUADRANGULAR SWIMMING MEETING

This annual competition was held on Saturday, the 4th March, at Crawley Baths. With the inclusion of Christian Brothers' College, Terrace, to the three schools already competing, it became a quadrangular competition and the competition was much keener as a result. Wesley entered a strong team for this event, but on the day Christ Church Grammar School showed greater all round strength. For the first time in a number of years, Wesley was defeated by the relatively small margin of 25 points. Final points were: Christ Church 242 points, Wesley 217 points, St. Louis 121 points and Christian Brothers 115 points.

Water conditions were excellent and with capable organisation, the programme ran smoothly. Although Wesley enjoyed moderate

success in the Open Division, our strength lay in the Under 16 grade. Here, Wesley representatives won all but one of the events for this grade. Both D. Gadsdon and J. Nash broke records. Gadsdon broke the 110 yards Under 16 freestyle record and Nash the Open 55 yards breaststroke. The Under 16 relay also broke the record. Others deserving notice were the Open relay, R. Thomas in the Under 14 55 yards breaststroke and J. Heerey in Under 11 55 yards freestyle.

P.S.A. COMPETITION

This highlight of school swimming was held on Saturday, 11th of March for the second time at the Guildford Grammar School Olympic Swimming Pool. After having only one training session in the pool, Wesley did well to finish third.

The pool gave Guildford a big advantage over the other five Public Schools and, as anticipated, Guildford enjoyed a very comfortable win. There was, however, a close tussle amongst the other schools for the minor placings. After slumping to sixth place from an early stage, Wesley fought back to come within 5½ points of second place, which was taken by Scotch College. Final point scores were: Guildford 308 points, Scotch 178½ points, Wesley 173 points, Hale 168 points, Christ Church 162 points and Aquinas 117½ points.

As in previous years, Wesley was strongest in Under 16 grade. D. Gadsdon won his freestyle and backstroke events for that age group, while the Under 16 relay team set a very fast record time. B. Allender. The Old Boys' relay was also won by Wesley. Others to perform well were J. Nash, R. Thomas, K. Horner and

The detailed placings were:

OPEN:

- 110 Metres Freestyle—Second Division, 6th, D. Mitchell.
First Division, 3rd, B. Allender.
- 50 Metres Breaststroke—Second Division, 4th, D. Nelson.
First Division, 5th, R. Winslade.
- 50 Metres Backstroke—Second Division, 4th, A. Tresise.
First Division, 3rd, B. Allender.
- 200 Metres Relay—4th, Wesley.
- 200 Metres Freestyle—Second Division, 2nd, B. Allender.
First Division, 3rd, D. Gadsdon.

UNDER 16:

- 100 Metres Freestyle—Second Division, 3rd, R. Wakelam.
First Division, 1st, D. Gadsdon.
- 50 Metres Breaststroke—Second Division, 1st, K. Horner.
First Division, 2nd, J. Nash.
- 50 Metres Backstroke—Second Division, 3rd, W. Rowell.
First Division, 1st, D. Gadsdon.
- 200 Metres Relay—1st, Wesley (1 min. 58.4 sec., Record).

UNDER 15:

- 100 Metres Freestyle—Second Division, 6th, K. Jewell.
First Division, 4th, R. Moore.
- 50 Metres Breaststroke—Second Division, 6th, R. Hawkins.
First Division, 4th, J. Nelson.
- 200 Metres Relay—4th, Wesley.

UNDER 14:

50 Metres Freestyle—First Division, 5th, R. Thomas.

50 Metres Breaststroke—Second Division, 5th, M. Thomas.

First Division, 2nd, R. Thomas.

200 Metres Relay—4th, Wesley.

UNDER 13:

50 Metres Freestyle—Second Division, 5th, G. Herbert.

First Division, 4th, L. Joll.

200 Metres Relay—6th, Wesley.

B. M. ALLENDER.



At the start of term Len Blyth was appointed captain of tennis, with R. Roberts, R. Faulkner and A. Stewart as committeemen. After a strenuous eight weeks of training under the expert guidance of Mr. Stan Edwards, five school teams were selected to play in the Inter-School Competitions.

In April the Herbert Edwards No. 1 played a strong Mt. Lawley team on goods courts, which were affected by occasional showers. As C. Haslam and G. Worth were too slow in settling down, they lost the match with 6 sets 55 games to Mt. Lawley High School's 6 sets 57 games. Mention must be made of A. Lyon, who was in good form. The Herbert Edwards No. II played at the same courts and under the same conditions against Hale School's No. 3 team, which was rather a weak side. They defeated Hale 10 sets 69 games to 2 sets 45 games. They went on to play Marist Brothers, whom they found to be a very strong team and went down 0 sets 28 games to 12 sets 74 games. The Mursell No. 1 played Christ Church at Robertson Park, under windy conditions with occasional showers. They defeated Christ Church 5 rubbers 10 sets 70 games to 1 rubber 3 sets 49 games. The Mursell No. 2 team was drawn to play John Curtin High. They were unlucky in being beaten 4 rubbers 8 sets 60 games to 2 rubbers 5 sets 54 games. The Mursell No. 2 team playing on the same courts had quite a tussle with Tuart Hill and with A. Hearn and A. Stewart on form they were able to win. In their next match the Mursell team put up a strong fight against P.M.S. but were defeated. The Slazenger Cup team started their first match against P.M.S. and with H. Ladyman and G. Hardie winning their matches, R. Lyon then came through in his singles to win the deciding match in three sets. Wesley won 4 rubbers 8 sets 66 games to 2 rubbers 5 sets 50 games, which then gave them the opportunity of playing Scotch in the final. H. Ladyman and G. Hardie again won their matches, but G. Perryman and A. Lyon were beaten easily in straight sets. The team lost 3 rubbers 6 sets 41 games to 3 rubbers 6 sets 54 games in a great battle for the Slazenger Cup which went to a consistent Scotch team. So ended a well contested series of championships.

HOUSE TENNIS

Due to the long period needed for selecting the school teams, the Inter-House matches were delayed until the seventh week of first term. The Open and Under 15 House matches were played together and the first was contested between Hardey and Walton in damp conditions at McCallum Park. In the Open Division Walton defeated Hardey and in the Under 15, Walton defeated Hardey. The next House match was played during the same week, between Hardey and Mofflin, which resulted in a win to Hardey in the Open and a win to Mofflin in the Under 15. In the final House match Mofflin defeated Walton in the Open and in the Under 15 Walton defeated

Mofflin. Although the Open Division was closely contested, there was no House in the Under 15 Division which could take a set from the powerful Walton team. In the Junior House matches, the first was played on a Friday afternoon between Mofflin and Walton which resulted in a win for Walton. The next match was played between Hardey and Mofflin, where Hardey emerged victors. The final match between Hardey and Walton ended in a win to Walton.

The winning House for the Read Shield was Walton with 20 points and Hardey and Mofflin drew for second place with 8 points each.

P.S.A. COMPETITION

After seven weeks of squad coaching from Mr. A. Marshall, Open and Under 15 teams were selected. The Open team consisted of H. Ladyman, G. Hardie, R. Lyon, L. Blyth, A. Stewart, R. Haslam, L. Blue and R. Faulkner, who played in different combinations each week. The Under 15 team consisted of G. Worth, W. Teakle, R. West, G. Perryman and L. Sandercott as reserve. The matches resulted in wins against Aquinas, Christ Church (2), Guildford (2), Scotch and Hale, and losses against Scotch, Hale and Aquinas.

Although the teams did not win the competition, they gained some much needed match practice in preparation for the Inter-School competition in 1962.

SCHOOL TOURNAMENT

This year a record total of 114 entries was received for the Open and Under 15 singles. Although there were occasional surprises the finals were played as seeded. In the final of the Open Division R. Lyon defeated G. Perryman 7-5, 3-6, 6-2, and in the Under 15 Division, H. Ladyman defeated G. Hardie 2-6, 6-4, 7-5. Our congratulations go to the new title holders.

Played in third term, the doubles competition was decided in two divisions, Open and Under 15. G. Hardie and H. Ladyman came through winners of the Open Division from L. Blyth and R. Lyon by defeating them 6-2, 6-3, and the Under 15 Division being won by G. Worth and M. Boatwright 6-4, 6-1 from R. West and L. Sandercott.

SPECIAL FEATURE.

During the lunch hour on Friday the 1st December, Wesley was fortunate in seeing an exhibition match, on the school courts between Tim Clayton, ex-Wesley and the State Junior Champion, and Roy Emerson the Australian Champion, before an appreciative audience of enthusiastic tennis players and followers.

Our congratulations go to H. Ladyman on his selection in the Linton Cup team together with T. Clayton; also to H. Ladyman in winning the State Under 16 Championship and to G. Hardie in being also a title holder of the State Under 15 Championship.

Thanks are extended to Mr. M. Glenn for his time in organising the tennis this year and to other staff members for helping with transport.

—L. BLYTH.

Prep School Report

CRICKET

The first round of the cricket season has come to a close but unfortunately we did not have much success, having lost all three matches. However, I am sure our team gave of their best. On the 22/3/1961 we played Forrest Street State School and lost by 7 runs. We played Como on the 5/4/1961 and again lost, Wesley 26 runs to Como who scored 70 runs. The next day, 6/4/1961 we played Koonawarra. They were too good for us and beat us by 39 runs. Our team has been captained by G. Hewitt and has been given good support by boys of the team. The vice-captain was J. Thomson. Bowlers were G. Hewitt, who took a total of 12 wickets; R. Mounsey, R. Shepherdson and J. Thomson. The highest number of runs made was 37, being scored by G. Hewitt. J. Thomson came second with 15 runs. I am taking this opportunity to thank Mr. W. Calder, who took on the job of umpiring.

In this second round we were badly defeated. Our first match was on the 10/11/61 against Collier, losing by 60 runs. In our second innings we scored 13 runs. Our next match was at Applecross on the 24/11/61. We again lost, but not by so much. We scored 56 runs, Applecross 79 runs.

Separate from this we had a round of House matches. In the Mofflin versus Hardey match, Mofflin won by 23 runs. Again, in the Mofflin versus Walton match Mofflin won, scoring 95 to 31 runs. The round came to an end when Hardey beat Walton with a very convincing margin, 85 to 18 runs. The result is Mofflin 4 points, Hardey 2, and Walton 0, the points going to the Klem Cup.

FOOTBALL

Although we did not excel in our football matches we did better than our cricketers, coming third out of the four schools in the competition. This is better than the last few years and we owe this success to our coach, Mr. A. Marshall. Also I must thank the boys of the team, G. Hewitt our captain, and J. Thomson the vice-captain. In our first match against Collier we lost, Collier 6.4, Wesley 2.2, losing by 26 points. In our next match Koonawarra scored 3.5 to our 3 points, winning by 20 points. Our match against South Perth was our first victory, Wesley 5.10, defeated South Perth 1.6, making the winning margin 28 points. In our second match against Collier we lost by 4 goals 3 points. We drew the fifth game against South Perth, each team scoring 2 goals 4 points. The sixth and final match was played against Koonawarra, who won by 3 goals 4 points. The best score was made by G. Hewitt, who scored 12 goals 16 points out of a total of 15 goals 30 points. In the back lines J. Thomson played an excellent game.

Klem Cup points are decided on the final results of the Prep. School sporting results in Inter-House competitions.

	Swimming	Football	Athletics	Cricket	Total
Hardey	0	2	4	2	8
Mofflin	4	4	2	4	14
Walton	2	0	0	0	2

Klem Cup points are therefore:—Mofflin 4 points, Hardey 2 points, Walton 0 points.

—M. VELLNAGEL.



Audendo Atque Agendo

(By daring and by doing.)

THE COLLEGE CREST . . .

The Wesley College Crest includes all the ideals for which the School stands.

THE WYVERN . . .

The Wyvern is an old mediaeval sign composed of a winged dragon with the hind portion of a serpent (hence its name, which means "viper").

In our Crest it stands for attacking power, vitality, and unabating service in everything we do.

THE ESCALLOPS . . .

Two quarters are devoted to the Shells or Escallops, which are religious symbols. The Three in each quarter stand for the Holy Trinity: God, the Father of Mankind, Jesus Christ, His Son, and the Holy Spirit.

THE SWAN . . .

The inclusion of this — the symbol of our State — in the Crest implies that we should be training for service to our Country.

THE CROSS . . .

Over all is the Cross of Jesus; the Cross of Love, of Service, of Sacrifice, and Devotion, reminding us of the spirit in which our work should be performed.

THE SHIELD . . .

Finally, the Crest is set within a Shield, a Shield for protection.

The Crest then is a Shield of faith to those who adopt in their lives its ideals — For God, for King, and for Everyman.

Audendo Atque Agendo.

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