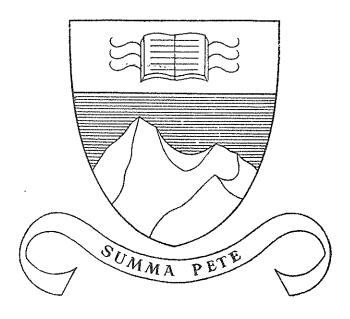
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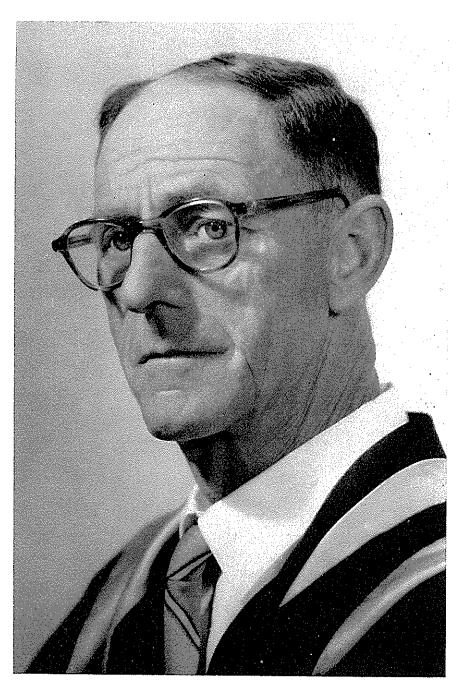
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Our Principal: Mr A. J. CAMPBELL

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FOREWORD

This year in some ways has been a difficult one. Firstly the school lost three valuable senior teachers who had to be replaced and with the rise in roll number to 783 additional staff had to be appointed. To obtain adequate staffing during the present teacher shortage is anything but easy. The new staff members have proved their worth and are giving excellent service. Secondly the influenza epidemic towards the end of the second term hit both staff and pupils very hard. Valuable teaching time was lost and the second term examinations, so important to the senior pupils, lost much of their significance because of absences. Despite these problems we can, I feel, say that another good year's work has been done both in the classrooms and on the playing field.

The examination results for 1958 were very good. The School Certificate results were up to expectations and in the University Scholarship Examination the School gained its first Scholarship. Our congratulations go to Leslie M. R. Paver who brought this honour to his school. Paver, in his school career brought both ability and perseverance to his work. At the same time he found time to take an active part in sport, in the orchestra and to carry his full share of duties of a Prefect. We are confident that Paver will do as well in his University work as he did in his school work.

Because of the rapid growth of Papakura the future of this school has become an urgent problem and one which must be decided in the coming year. The opening of Manurewa High School will prevent our roll number going over the 800 mark in 1960, but by 1962 the numbers will have grown again. Whether a new co-educational school on the same lines as our own should be built in the southern part of Papakura or new permanent buildings should be added to the present school is at present under discussion. The Board of Governors favours the addition of permanent buildings to the present school, which in time, if necessary, could become a girls' school. It is felt that in a well defined social unit such as Papakura and its surrounding country area forms, it would be a pity to have two small post-primary schools. Our school is one which is steadily building into the district and is one which the Papakura district has loyally supported. The Board Members with the backing of the parents, feel that a distinctive Papakura High School will do more to further the aims of the district than two numerically weak schools. It was further felt by the Board Members that in the Manurewa-Papakura area which, in a short time, will grow into a separate satellite city, provision should be made for at least one separate boys' and girls' post primary school. By adding permanent buildings to the present school, on the ground still available, this could be done should the parents in the future demand separate sex schools.

Whatever may be the future of our school it is for us staff and pupils to work together to build up a school of which we can be proud. Our ex-pupils both girls and boys are now beginning to carry responsibility in the outside world and we can, I feel, with confidence look forward to the time when they will show themselves capable of giving leadership in the professions, in business, in farming and in industry.

SCHOOL OFFFICERS

Prefects

- Boys: B. E. Ducker (Head), G. E. Kelly (Deputy Head), D. A. Beard, G. J. Collecutt, D. S. Francis, J. R. Irving, L. G. Lukey, J. B. McFarland, H. C. Matheson, D. W. Payne, D. H. Peacock, K. G. Thomson.
- Girls: Maureen H. Barclay (Head), Lyndsay R. Schou (Deputy Head), Marie K. Blundell, Patricia J. Clarkson, Beverley L. Goertz, Susan M. Holland, Gillian M. Horan, Janice H. Leadley, Elaine V. Leaming, Margaret J. McFarland, Elizabeth A. Marshall, Briar E. Mitchell, Wynne J. Weatherly, Jacqueline D. Wills.

Games Captains

- Boys: Cricket, B. E. Ducker; Rugby, G. E. Kelly; Hockey, B. E. Ducker.
- Girls: Basketball, Maureen H. Barclay; Hockey, Marie K. Blundell.

Bus Prefects

- Boys: B. Aston, R. Bennett, D. Cato, R. Couch, W. Couldrey, G. Glasgow, J. Grundy, D. Ross, M. Sowerby, M. Stewart, G. Taylor.
- Girls: Jeanette Cleaver, Cherie Cook, Anne Flanagan, Shirley Molony, June Steel, Patricia Steel.

Geography Room Assistants

P. Norman, B. Giles.

Librarians

Boys: R. B. Aston (Head Librarian), L. Ballard, J. Bartley, G. Bell, G. Skipper, D. Wilson

Girls: Lynette Allcock, Cherie Cook, Patricia Craig, Colleen Davis, Barbara Grove-Rodgers, June Grove-Rodgers, Ailsa Hill, Colleen McCullum, Judith Maurice, Janet Morrison, Margaret Watt (Deputy Head Librarian), Jan Whitwell, Beverly Wilding.

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Pound Keepers

Angela Bennett, Pamela Cross, Margaret Galloway, Valerie Hawthorn, Evelyn Hodges, Diane Seales, Beth Semmens, Joyce Smith, Heather Wilkinson, Barbara Wilson.

Time-Table Assistants

J. Bartley, J. Blundell, J. M. Bothwell, P. M. Gibbs, S. Laird, C. J. Pickard, D. W. Russell, R. C. Sara.

EDITORIAL

Papakura is rapidly approaching the stage when a new High School will have to be built in the district. school was originally built to accommodate 700 pupils, but now has nearly 800. New buildings will have to be erected. near the school, or on a separate site. However, if another school is built, there will be great difficulties to be over-There are four possible ways in which come in staffing it. to divide the schools. One way is to have separate boys' and girls' schools on adjoining grounds, and sporting amenities can be shared by both. The anti-coeducationalist would be in favour of separate boys' and girls' schools, which in my opinion would conflict with the modern ideal of greater social harmony between the sexes. The third suggestion is one which deserves more thought than it generally gets, that is, to divide the wide age group into a junior and senior school. The fourth way, to have an academic and a technical school, has been adopted with mild success in many towns.

One advantage of having boys' and girls' schools on adjoining grounds is that it would be easier for most pupils to get to school. Our present High School is centrally situated and is within easy reach of the town. Small forms such as the Upper Sixth could unite easily and save a waste of teaching staff. The Education Department owns lands behind the tennis courts, and with another school built on this land there would be some room for extra sport fields and both sets of grounds could be fully used.

Entirely separate boys' and girls' schools would be at an extreme disadvantage in finding a full complement of staff. There is an acute shortage of women staff all over New Zealand, and at the very least, half the staff of a girls' school would have to be women who are not available at present. The pupils of separate schools would not have the advantage of mixing naturally with one another. But many people feel that a more concentrated drive towards work is maintained by a pupil if the opposite sex is absent. Another definite disadvantage it that two separate schools would not be able to offer specialised training in certain subjects, because small numbers of pupils do not allow economically staffed classes.

Separate academic and technical schools would tend to bring the best out of the academically minded pupils. Being all together in a group, they benefit from specialcredited. There are 4 candidates this year for the University Scholarship. 12 pupils have this year been granted the Higher School Certificate and 38 Endorsed School Certificates.

With the steady growth of the school in numbers we have had to add to our equipment. A further supply of Denoyer maps, charts and fittings came to hand during the year in time to beat the import restrictions. The books in the Library have been added to and kept up to date and additional film strips and musical recordings have been purchased. The stage has now been fitted out with curtains and with additional lighting. Your Board can justly claim that the school is well equipped on the material side.

The grounds this year are in excellent condition. The trees and shrubs planted last year have made good progress despite the attacks of the bronze beetle. In a few years the trees will take away the bareness of the buildings and soften the whole area. The school grounds we hope will increasingly become a place of beauty in this rapidly growing area. Next year we hope to see the ornamental gates erected on the Willis Street entrance.

In Sports and Athletics we can record again a very successful year. In the South Auckland Secondary Schools Athletic Meeting both boys and girls did very well, while in the Bryant Memorial Meeting our boys showed they could compete on equal terms with the boys of other schools. In the Auckland Girls' Inter-Secondary School Sports the girls scored particularly well, in the senior section. In Rugby Football the First XV came first in the South Auckland Secondary Schools Competition. The 4thA had an unbeaten record. The Boys' First XI in Hockey won the Secondary Schools Second Grade A Championship of the Auckland Schools Competition and were runners up in the Te Kuiti section of the N.Z. Secondary School's Hockey Tournament. The Second XI won the Secondary School's Third Grade B Section. In Basketball the girls' teams played in the Secondary Schools' Section in Auckland. The A team won the Collegiate B Grade and the B team were hunners-up in the same grade. The C team were runners-up in the Collegiate D Grade and the D team won the Collegiate E Grade.

It seems inevitable that the School has to face staff changes at the beginning of each year. With the steady increase of High Schools opportunities for advancement for staff members are presented and in the interest of their own professional advancement they have to be accepted. This year we lose Mr A. J. Thornton, who goes as Head of Department, Science in the new Onehunga High School, Mr W. C. K. Hender and Mr L. G. Thompson who go to Papatoetoe High School, Miss J. E. Tarrant who has been relieving for two terms finishes at the end of this term.

The problem of adequately staffing our post-primary schools has been before the public of New Zealand for some time and apart from one or two schemes which will give slight relief very little has been able to be done. While we recognise that it is impossible to get from a low birth rate decade sufficient people to service a high birth rate decade, we cannot as a nation afford to let matters drift on and just muddle through. There are certain essentials in civilised society which are not self-perpetuating and these if allowed to die out or become ineffective through lack of proper nurture can leave us as a nation very much the poorer not only in our economic life but also in our cultural life. Learning

in all its branches is not self-perpetuating. Each generation has to learn through the schools and the universities the stored up knowledge of the past and be prepared in these institutions to go on seeking knowledge and truth. How often has it been remarked that many of the ills of this age come from the loss of our potential leaders in the two world wars. We must be careful that in this period of uneasy peace we do not run the risk of denying the next generation its leaders because we were unable and unwilling to develop their potentialities of leadership. At present the spotlight is on our Universities which face the grim prospect of being overcrowded and understaffed. In addition the Universities can easily lose those that they have who are leaders in research and thought. The best academic products of our secondary schools should at the University be stimulated in their work by contact with the very best minds of the academic world.

While the spotlight has shifted from the shortage of teachers in the post-primary schools to the shortage of teachers in the Universities, we cannot afford to forget that the shortage of teachers in the post-primary schools is still with us and that it will become increasingly acute until 1962 or 1963 when a slow climb again will begin. The ratio of experienced and able teachers is steadily falling. While we have every respect for the valuable work which the young teachers are doing, we realize that no school can function adequately without the experienced members of a staff to guide and help the younger members. In addition for Sixth form work a high proportion of highly qualified and experienced teachers is required. I wonder if in these times of stress we are making full use of the teaching power which exists. Country Service while laudible in many ways is one major factor forcing us to spread more thinly the inadequate number of teachers able to take upper classes. Already the term country service has become a misnomer and so, misleading. When such areas as Hastings, Gisborne and Rotorua are gazetted as country areas for post-primary teaching service the term "country service" loses its significance. While we know that the question of country service carries with it all manner of political problems I wonder if we can afford to keep these political luxuries. By consolidating sixth forms there would not be the need, by salary bars, to force qualified teachers to leave large schools with large sixth forms to go to teach in schools which have small upper class-To force a highly qualified teacher after four or five years service to leave a school with large upper classes to teach in a school with small upper classes does mean a loss of teaching power which we as a country cannot afford.

I wish to thank the Board of Governors for their unfailing interest and help. I count myself very fortunate in working for a controlling body whose corporate wisdom is so helpful and encouraging. The Parent-Teacher Association has held meetings throughout the year and these have brought the teachers and parents together. We can justly say this Association is carrying out the purpose for which it was formed. I also wish to thank the staff for an excellent year's work. In retrospect I feel this year has been the best the school has had; there has been throughout a spirit of co-operation between the staff and pupils. While perhaps it is usual to assess the year's work on the external examination results I am sure you will agree there are higher standards by which to measure, and a happy co-operation of staff and pupils in performing a solid year's work is a standard well worth achieving. I would like particularly to pay tribute to the work done by the two senior assistants, Mr Donnell and Miss Linton.

PRIZE-GIVING CEREMONY

The end-of-year ceremony and prize-giving was held in the Assembly Hall on 10th December. There was a good attendance of parents and friends and Mr G. T. Wood, chairman of the Board of Governors, presided.

We were very fortunate to have as guest speaker Dr. D. R. Llewellyn from Auckland University. With science as the theme of his speech, Dr. Llewellyn spoke of the importance of the atom to the individual, and the place of scientific subjects in the school curriculum. With the interest of every nation focussing on science, it is of paramount importance, he said, that everybody should have some basic knowledge of the principles and the achievements of science in the modern world.

The school sang "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" and " It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," and the orchestra played the last movement of Handel's "Fireworks Suite" and the "Trumpet Voluntary" by Purcell.

PRIZE LIST — 1958 Form Prizes:

Dux Prizes-L. M. Paver and P. Anne Thomas

Proxime Accessit—Ngaire B. Hughes
VIB Arts—B. E. Ducker 1, Wynne J. Weatherly 2.
VIB Science—D. S. Francis 1, D. H. Peacock 2.
V Pro.—G. J. Collecutt, Janice H. Leadley, Elaine Leaming (General Excellence).

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Merit Prizes—D. M. Cato (in French and History); D. H. White (in Geography, Mathematics and Electricity); Sherrell K. Duncan (in English, History and Biology).

V. Pro 1—Jan L. Whitwell 1, Jennifer E. Rockel 2.

V Com—Elaine D. Chandler 1, Gaye A. Cox 2.

V Home—Melva A. Gore and Briar Mitchell 1 (equal).

IV Pro 1—Jan L. Whitwell 1, Jennifer E. Rockel 2.

IV Pro 2—C. G. Miller 1, C. G. Duncan 2.

IV Voc—R. H. Smith 1, N. G. Green and G. H. Rockel 2 (equal),

F. W. Smart, Special Prize.

IV Gen—W. S. Couldrey 1, T. C. Alderton 2.

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IV CH 1—Ernette N. Chandler 1, Lynette M, Allcock 2. IV CH 2—Noelene L. Holmes 1, Anne C. Middleton and Joy E. McGuinness 2 (equal).

III Latin-Lynette A. Leadley 1, D. L. Jones 2, R. Campkin Special Prize.

III Fr 1-Lynette R. Saunders 1, L. J. Ballard 2.

III Fr 2—E. H. Priest 1, Sandra Lyell 2. IIIVoc A—K. R. Mason 1, C. McLeod 2.

III Voc B—C. E. Martin 1, M. King 2.
III Voc C—B. J. Roud 1, T. Jenkins 2.
III Gen—R. Duder 1, P. Marx 2.
III Com—Patricia Findlay 1, Valerie Leaming 2.

III Home—Pamela J. Bower 1, Lynette Harsant 2.
SPECIAL PRIZES

FOR COMMERCIAL SUBJECTS (Presented by Mr Ibbotson):

V Com—Jacqueline Wills IV CH 2—Carole Lynn IV CH 1—Kathleen Laurie

III Com-Valerie Hawthorn.

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FOR TECHNICAL SUBJECTS (Presented by Messrs Hawkes Bros. Ltd., John Burns and Coy, J. Rhind, Lee Bros., Industrial Gases Ltd., and Papakura Home Furnishers Ltd.).

V Voc—I. M. Keals (Woodwork), J. V. Grant (Metalwork).

IV Voc—C. J. Hogg (Woodwork), J. B. Cox (Metalwork).

IV Gen—E. D. Paul (Woodwork), D. J. Brunt (Metalwork).

III Voc A—M. Barton (Woodwork), R. Brewster (Metalwork).

III Voc B—B. Laurie (Woodwork), J. Gleeson (Metalwork).

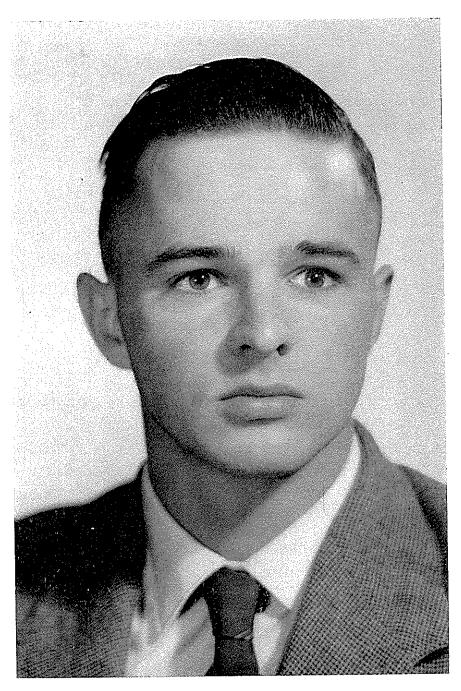
III Voc C—D. Hewitt (Woodwork), J. Wilson (Metalwork).

III Gen—W. van Wijk (Woodwork), L. Atkins (Metalwork).

FOR OUTSTANDING LOYALTY AND DEPENDABILITY IN

SPORT (Presented by Mr and Mrs A. Debreceny):
       SPORT (Presented by Mr and Mrs A. Debreceny):
       M. L. Davy
       Maureen H. Barclay
FOR MAGAZINE CONTRIBUTIONS:
       B. E. Ducker
       Sharon R. McCullum
FOR SPEECH CONTEST:
       Senior—(Presented by Mr C. A. Mansell):
Jacqueline D. Wills, V Com. 1., P. E. Norman V Pro 1, 2.
Form IV (Presented by Mr A. H. Donnell):
       Diane Topham, 4 Ch 1, 1, Mary McKibbon, 4 Ch. 2, 2. Form III (Presented by Miss J. P. Linton):
       A. C. Dawson, 3 Fr. 2 1, Margaret J. Brown, 3 Latin, 2.
Head Boy's Prize: R. J. Peacock
       Head Girl's Prize: Helen M. Cheadle.
ATHLETICS:
       Junior Championship—Girls: presented by Noeleen Shanks.
                                                         Judith Woods (IV Pro 1) Cup
       Junior Championship—Boys: K. M. Hough (III Fr. 1).
Intermediate Championship—Girls: Gillian M. Horan (V Pro. 1).
Intermediate Championship—Boys: T. McGarry (V Pro. 1)
       (Dalton Cup).
Senior Championship—Girls:
                                                        Noeleen A. Shanks (V Pro. 1)
       (Finlay Magill Cup).
       Senior Championship—Boys:
Healey Memorial Cup).
                                                         G. E. Kelly (VI B) (Adeline
       Lovelock Cup-(Senior Middle Distance Running): G. F. Bull (VI B) and L. T. Walker (VI A).
       Gerald Keddell Cup—(Senior Championship Hurdles): G. F. Bull
       Cross Country Run-Junior (Collie Cup): G. E. Martin (III
       Voc. B)
       Cross Country Run—Intermediate (Spragg Cup):
                                                                                         M. D. Reid
       (IV Voc.)
       Cross Country Run—Senior (Lang Brae Cup): L. T. Walker
       (VI A).
SWIMMING:
       Junior Championship—Girls:
                                                       Barbara L. Townsend (IV Pro. 1)
       Junior Championship—Boys: M. P. Kelly (IV Pro. 2).
Intermediate Championship—Girls: Margaret N. M. Whale (IV
       Pro. 1)
       Intermediate Championship-Boys: R. Trevithick (V Pro. 2).
      Senior Championship—Girls: (Mueller Cup): Silvana E. Randi (V. Com.) and Maureen H. Barclay (VI B).
Senior Championship—Boys: A. D. MacKenzie.
      Junior 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke Championship: (Herbert Smith
       Cup) (Presented by Mrs D. Rockel):
      Jocelyn A. Fowler (III Latin).
TENNIS:
      Singles Championship—Girls (Rosscrete Cup):
                                                                                      Noeline Buck-
      ingham.
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Singles Championship—Boys (Cargill Cup): E. V. Fell



L. M. PAVER -- Our First University Scholarship Winner

EXAMINATION SUCCESSES — 1958

We congratulate the following successful candidates:

Post-Primary School Bursaries—Rosaleen B. Billinghurst, Helen M. Cheadle, Pamela A. Thomas, Joanna G. Zinzan.

University Scholarship: University National Scholarship...L. M. R. Paver; Passed with Credit: P. Anne Thomas, L. B. Merry.

Higher School Certificate—C. W. Akers, R. B. Billinghurst, E.K. Callis, H. M. Cheadle, P. M. Clerk, N. B. Hughes, L. B. Merry, L. M. Paver, R. J. Peacock, P. A. Thomas, L. T. Walker, J. G. Zinzan.

Endorsed School Certificate: Boys—A. M. Barrowcliffe, D. A. Beard, G. F. Bull, M. L. Davy, B. E. Ducker, D. S. Francis, G. J. Glasgow, B. A. Grandfield, A. Grout, G. J. C. Henry, G. E. Kelly, M. B. Kiddle, L. G. Lukey, J. B. McFarland, C. J. Marten, H. C. Matheson, C. Oliver, B. P. O'Reilly, D. W. Payne, D. H. Peacock, A. N. Rae, D. A. Simmonds, K. G. Thomson, M. C. Watkin.

Girls—A. L. Aldridge, M. H. Barclay, C. L. Downes, B. L. Goertz, L. E. Johns, H. R. Lawson, R. M. Mansell, M. J. Marbeck, E. A. Marshall, J. A. Nixon, A. V. S. Ruthe, L. R. Schou, W. J. Weatherly, B. M. Wills

University Entrance—
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SCHOOL DIARY

TERM I

February:

3-Term commenced.

13-Visit from Musical Quartet.

17—Prefects announced. 18—First Cricket XI match against Rotarians.

19-Combined Swimming Sports at Ardmore College Baths. Sixth Formers attended Promenade Concert.

24-Prefects had morning tea with Staff.

26-South Auckland Inter-secondary Schools' Swimming Sports at Pukekohe. 27—Visit to the "Globetrotters."

March:

5-Miss M. Milner gave a talk on Japan.

9-Mrs Grant gave a talk to girls on flower arrangement. 10-School Athletic Sports.

11-Auckland Inter-secondary Swimming Sports (Girls).

12—South Auckland Inter-secondary Tennis (Girls).
13—South Auckland Inter-secondary Tennis (Boys).
16—Boys' Cricket teams visited Test Cricket.
21—L. V. Bryant Memorial Athletics at Pukekohe (Boys).

Auckland Girls' Inter-secondary Athletic Sports. 25—Visit to "The Importance of Being Ernest."

April:

4—South Auckland Inter-secondary Athletics. 21—Senior School visited UNESCO Science Exhibition.

23-Commencement of School Examinations.

24-Anzac Day Service.

May:

4-Sixth Form Social.

7-Upper School given talk on South Africa by Mr K. P. Walker.

TERM II

26-Term commenced.

June:

3-Mr McIver gave a talk on CORSO and the refugee problem. 8-Start of CORSO Campaign.

10—School party went to see "Animal Farm."
12—Senior Speech Contest.
Screening of "Julius Caesar."

17-Visit from Huntly.

South Auckland Speech Contest at Wesley College.
23—Address by the Very Rev. Dr. J. D. Salmond, Moderator of the Presbyterian Assembly.

July:

4-We visited Thames High School.

17-Mid-term break.

24-Visit from Taumarunui High School. Social in the evening.

30-Visit from the N.Z. Players.

August:

4—Commencement of School Examinations. 5—First XV played Hamilton Technical College in curtainraiser to the Counties-Waikato Match. 24—Secondary School Boys' Hockey Tournament.

TERM III

September:

14-Term Commenced.

17-Fifth and Sixth Form Dance.

October:

1—Fifth and Sixth Forms went to Ardmore College to see "Androcles and the Lion."
3—South Auckland Boys' Cross Country Run at Pukekohe.

8—Dr. Davidge spoke to the girls on health. 10—South Auckland Table-Tennis Championships at Pukekohe.

13-Dr Money addressed school on life in Peru.

14-Boys' Cross Country Run.

15-Prefects attended Rotary Luncheon. Demonstration by Kay's Beauty Salon to the girls.

November:

18—School Certificate Starts. 30—Scholarship Begins.

December:

1—University Entrance Commences.

8-Prize-giving Ceremony.

9-Break-up.

STAFF CHANGES

DEPARTURES:

The end of 1958 saw the departure of three members of the staff. Mr A. J. Thornton B.Sc., was appointed Head of the Science Department at the new Onehunga High School. Messrs W. C. K. Hender, M.Sc., and L. G. Thompson, B.A., joined the staff of Papatoetoe High School.

Miss E. I. Wright, B.A., had to resign from the teaching service in January because of ill-health. Early in February Miss M. A. Johnston, B.A., left us to go to Wairarapa College.

NEW APPOINTMENTS:

Vacancies on the staff were filled by the appointment to permanent positions of four young graduates — Miss M. R. Irwin, B.A., and Messrs R. G. Hardie, M.A., G. F. Paton, M.A., and W. J. Fryer.

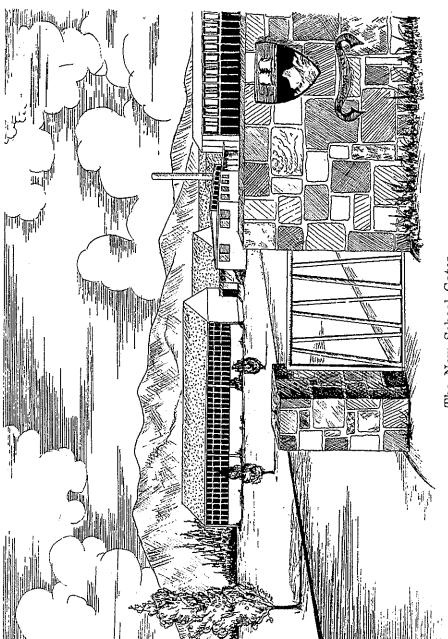
Miss J. A. Wooller, B.Sc., and Miss N. J. Hopper accepted relieving posts, but had to relinquish them during the second term for health reasons.

The rise in the school roll enabled a second art teacher, Mr H. Faessler, Associate of the Ontario College of Art, to be appoint-

Mr K. P. Walker, M.A. (Cantab.) was a welcome addition to the Science staff during the first term, after which he returned to England.

Two probationary assistants — Miss B. J. Standish and Miss J. B. Kemp — spent the first and second terms respectively with us, helping with homecraft and junior science classes.

In July Dr. W. B. R. Laidlaw, B.Sc. (Edin.), D.Sc. (Aber.), was appointed to a relieving position in place of Miss Wooller. Mrs E. H. Campbell, B.A., our principal's wife, who has on several occasions come to the aid of the school in an emergency, agreed to relieve in place of Miss Hopper.



The New School Gates

MARRIAGE:

In May, Miss J. M. Goodwin and Mr W. B. Aston were married. We are glad Mrs Aston has continued with us.

STUDENTS ON SECTION:

A considerable number of students from the graduate and other postprimary sections at Auckland Teachers' College have spent periods of three weeks with us. We have ap-preciated their willing co-operation and hope they have profited by their time with us.



The year has been marked by more frequent changes than usual, but with the opening of new post-primary schools and the increasing shortage of teachers the position is not likely to improve. We have been fortunate to have had a full staff.

IMPENDING DEPARTURES:

It is already apparent that we shall lose valued teachers at the end of the year. We congratulate Mr L. M. Cornwell, M.A., a foundation member of the staff, on being appointed First Assistant at the new Manurewa High School. Mr J. U. Macaulay, M. A., another foundation teacher is also to transfer to that school. Mr R. A. Walls goes to Paeroa College. We were glad to welcome Mr G. S. Miller, M.A., B. Sc., back in February after a year overseas, but are sorry he will not be with us in 1960, since he has accepted an appointment at Waimea College. Miss P. A. Douglas, B.Sc., is to join the Staff of Matamata College and will be missed, especially because of her work in girls' athletics.

ANZAC DAY SERVICE

On Friday, 24th April, the school gathered in the hall to pay tribute to the soldiers who died for the country in both world wars.

After Mr Campbell had given his short introduction to the service, the pupils sang "Land of our Birth." This was followed by a reading from Ecclesiasticus, "Let us now praise famous men . . . " given by the head boy, Brian Ducker. The address, a most interesting and moving one, was given by Mr D. Thurlow, a member of our staff, who served in World War II. At the conclusion of this, the hymn "These Things Shall Be" and the National Anthem were sung. To end this impressive service the "Last Post" and the "Reveille" was sounded by Miles Paver.

On Anzac Day itself, the school prefects attended the public service held at the War Memorial in Papakura, where the Head Prefects, Maureen Barclay and Brian Ducker. laid a wreath on behalf of the school.

Mr Thurlow's Address

Some of you must find it quite difficult to understand just why Anzac Day is taken so seriously by us here in New Zealand. It may be difficult for you to feel very interested in something which derives its oringin from events which took place forty-four years ago — before you were born and, indeed, before many of us here on the stage were born. It is all so very remote now. You have all surely been told or have read about what happened on 25th April, 1915, when Australian and New Zealand troops landed on Gallipoli. Many died there; they sold their lives very dearly and our Anzac Day has been set aside as a day of Remembrance for them for all time. Since those days many others have fought and fallen in many different parts of the world, so that now our remembrance on Anzac Day includes all those from all services who gave their lives anywhere where New Zealand has been involved in conflict. For very many it is a sad day of remembering sons and brothers, fathers and uncles and comrades who gave their lives — and for others, who were not so directly affected, it is a day on which they pay their respects and give their gratitude to those who died for them and their way of life. Many of you here have fathers or uncles who served overseas and from what you have heard from them and from what you have read, you must have quite a good idea of the tremendous events in which our country was involved. Many of the staff have participated in these events as soldiers, sailors or airmen, and I should like to say just a few words about some events in which I was involved in the same area in which the original Anzacs made their mark.

Like the rest of the N.Z. Division my unit was sent to Greece early in 1941. We travelled through the beautiful but poor country right up to the north where we awaited an expected attack by the Germans. When it came we were stationed on the slopes of Mount Olympus, but the German Army and Air Force did not allow us to stay there very long. In little under a week my unit found itself several hundred miles further south, near Corinth. It was Anzac Day - 25th April, and we had already lost many men. All around us red poppies grew in the fields and we knew then the real significance of Anzac and all that was meant by it. Before the day was over we were completely broken up by the ferocity of the German air and land attack and those who were not killed were taken prisoner by the Germans. It was a humiliating experience and one that has given Anzac Day added meaning for me. I have here a letter, written in pencil by my father to my grandfather dated 5th May, 1915. It is the first news he has written home since the landing at Gallipoli. After saying that everyone would know where they were fighting because it would be published in the newspapers he goes on to say that he was fortunate in not being in the first wave of troops that landed, as very few of them reached the beaches, while those in the second wave were more fortunate and so far his unit had had only 30 per cent casualities. The part I really want to read to you, however, is this quite accidental remark he has written. He says, "It is hard to understand why the Turks want to fight so hard for such a barren piece of land." That statement is something I should like to say more about today. When we think about it we realise that it is not just a strip of land for which anyone fights. The land is merely a symbol of a people's freedom and happiness. Just as the Tibetans are at present fighting for the most rugged and bitter piece of land in the world, so also did the Turks fight against us for their land — their freedom and their happiness as they knew it. We would do just the same, and how very much more we have to fight for. Here we have

everything. You might say, "But there is no war now — what is this talk of fighting?" The fact remains, that if we want to preserve what the Anzacs fought for, the spirit of Anzac must be with us always. Those whom we are remembering today have proved to us that comradeship, unselfishness and brave endurance are bred in the hearts of New Zealanders. That spirit is in us all and we must cherish it for always. Freedom we have - but the menace is always with us. What can we do to help? The answer is simple and the task is easy. We must discipline ourselves to make our small contribution willingly - so that our lives selves to make our small contribution willingly — so that our lives can move forward purposefully in our society — to accept law and order and respect them because they are for the common good. We owe this to those who have fought and died to give us freedom, and our job is to preserve it. You may say, "What can I do to help — what can I give?" All that is asked of you is your willing co-operation. That is what your parents ask, your teachers ask and society asks — and it is something you can all give. Think of the many who gave everything. Many of them had nothing materially — many were poor and perhaps many were ignorant, but they willingly gave all they had — their lives — when they were required to do so. It is their sacrifice which we must never forget — it is their spirit which we must preserve. Here in New Zealand — it is their spirit which we must preserve. Here in New Zealand we have all the material things which make for happiness — but if we have no spirit of co-operation, no true social sense and no awareness of our obligations, they become less than nothing. For many perhaps the idea of happiness is embodied in a row of cinemas. with plenty of milk bars in between, but as you grow older you will learn that these things are trifling compared with the true ingedients of happiness. Happiness and well-being come from simple The way the sun shines through the windows of your home, the sound of the plough turning the turf on a farm, the fine polish on a piece of timber in the carpenter's shop, the sound of the sea near your holiday cottage, the way trees grow in the gardens in your street, and later the sound of your children in your own gardens. These things are simple things but they are the things that make men happy; they are what God has given us and what the spirit of Anzac has preserved for us, and we can enjoy them only if we have our freedom. Let us play our parts well and justify our inheritance. Let us remember always with pride and gratitude those who have died that we may have these things. Hold them closely always — they are yours and they are the only things that are really worth having.

GIFTS TO THE SCHOOL

We should like to thank the following for their gifts to the school:—

Mr P. M. McAnnally (Manurewa)—for a copy of "Glorious Enterprise," a history of the Auckland Education Board.

Mr L. Sladden—for prizes for the most outstanding pupils of the year in music and art.

J. Grundy (an ex-pupil)—for a cup to be presented to the year's best-performing harrier.

VALEDICTORY

At the end of this year we say farewell to Mr L. M. Cornwell, Mr J. U. Macaulay and Mr G. S. Miller, three foundation members of the school staff. Mr Cornwell as Head of the English Department developed a scheme in English to suit the varying needs of the pupils. As part of his work in English he took over the organisation and development of the school library. The development of the school grounds was another of his major interests and our trees and shrubs and the layout of the sports fields are the results of his keen interest. Cricket in the school was still another of his interests. Brimful of energy he was always a dynamic force in the school.

Mr Macaulay will be remembered for his enthusiasm in the teaching of Geography and for his excellence as coach of the First Hockey XI. Mr Macaulay built up a rich store of material for the teaching of Geography. Always up to date in his work he bought wisely and well. Through his painstaking and thorough work he firmly established his subject in the school. As a hockey coach he built up each year a team which was capable of holding its own with the teams from the large city schools. Mr Macaulay earned the respect of his pupils both in the class-room and

on the playing fields.

Mr Miller's name will always be associated with Mathematics in the school. Quietly and unobtrusively he went about his work of laying sound foundations in Mathematics and Science. Our ex-pupils who have gone on to University know how much they owe to the start given them by Mr Miller. His quiet efficiency and his interest in those he taught did much to build up the school's good name.

We owe much to these three staff members and we would like them to know that all they have done has been fully appreciated. They gave freely of their energy and their time and their personalities made quite an impression on the young and growing school. The best wishes of staff, ex-pupils and present pupils goes with them in their

new positions.

It is with regret that we have to say goodbye to Mr Webb, one of the foundation members of our staff, but it is with pleasure that we congratulate him on his appointment as Principal of the Suva Grammar School. Mr Webb is the third member of Papakura High School's original staff to be appointed to a principalship. He will be very much missed at the morning assembly, in the class-room and on the sports fields. His scholarship and skilled teaching have benefitted the pupils who passed through the classes and the touches of humour he was able to introduce into his class wil long be remembered by his pupils. The best wishes of the School go to Mr Webb in his new and important position.

THE SCHOOL'S CORSO EFFORT

Early in the second term, the School spent a fortnight raising money for CORSO. Our aim was to make a contribution towards freeing a child from the stagnating life of a refugee camp and giving it a start in a normal environment. This might even be Papakura itself. When the scheme was suggested, it was thought that a likely total would be £60 - £70; no one would have dared to suggest such a sum as £159 17s 1d. But this was the magnificent amount which the School raised.



Moreover, this was only part of the satisfaction brought by the success of the appeal. As one senior teacher remarked: "This has been a milestone in the School's career; never yet have I seen the School—pupils and staff — working together with such unity of purpose, and getting such enjoyment out of it."

Several features of the effort are noteworthy. First is the fact that the children organized and ran their own activity. It was as a member of the team that the form teacher gave assistance. Secondly, no school time was consumed, for the different features were held in the interval and luncheon break. Thirdly, all concerned gave freely of their time, money and energy, and all did their share willingly. It was a thrill to hear that people who had won prizes either returned the money as a donation or took care to spend it on another form's effort.



It would be impossible to list all the different contributions in detail. Many forms ran stalls selling drinks and something to eat. Here, Form 5H excelled with a fine line of hot saveloys and drinks. This small form raised more money per head of class members than any other form in the School. The Prefects had a willing line of victims outside their room's window waiting for hot cocoa. Many competitions were going on over the period, one of the most novel being 3 French 2's Picture Gallery, where the object was to identify various Prefects from childhood Photographs. Another competition which roused great interest was that of 3 Voc C. This was to name the members of the first All Black team, to the

horror of the enthusiasts, it was won by Leonie Pryor of 3 C/H, who listed fourteen of the fifteen players.

There were other items of interest. Form 6B raised the most money with a "Scoop the Skool" show and a Talent Quest. Members of visiting Huntly teams provided some of the talent for the latter. Forms 3H and 3C/H are to be praised for their enterprise in staging a Mannequin Parade, which went very well. Teamwork prevailed over individualism when 5 Voc. defeated 5 Pro. in an interesting Rugby match. The Staff also entered the lists, but lost a by no means one-sided basketball match to the girls' A team and almost defeated the 6A boys in a hockey match.

At the end of the fortnight, a weary but satisfied School settled down into normal routine, happy that a new achievement had taken its place in the School's traditions.



THE SCHOOL CHOIRS

Singing has always played an important part in our school life. At morning assembly the girls supply descants and individual classes often sing a hymn. This year there have been two choirs. The Senior Choir composed of Vth and VIth Form girls, sang a bracket of items at the Parent-Teacher Association Meeting held in the School Hall on July 24 and the main school choir, composed of boys and girls from all classes, are presenting the ceremony of "Nine Lessons with Carols" at the end of this year.

Last year this ceremony, which was held on December 8, was such a success, that it is hoped that it will become part of the school tradition. This year we trust that it will be just as successful. The readings will be given by representatives of IIIrd, IVth, Vth and VIth Form pupils by the Head Boy and the Head Girl, by Miss Linton, Mr Donnell and Mr Campbell. The choir will sing appropriate carols alternating with the readings.

By the end of the year, the school singing reaches a high standard, credit for which goes to our music teacher, Miss P. A. Marshall, who gives up so much time to training the choirs and various groups.

LIBRARY NOTES

This year the library has made many improvements in, and additions to, its stocks. So far this year, fiction and non-fiction books have been added to the shelves, thus keeping a steady flow of new books into the library. A list was made of badly damaged books and steps have been taken to replace these. New name plates marking the sections in the library were put up. Non-fiction books

have been re-organised and placed in different shelves. A new set of much needed Encyclopaedias has been purchased.

Thanks to Mrs Aston and Mr Cornwell, the library has functioned smoothly throughout the year; librarians have been conscientious and have maintained a high standard of efficiency. Next year's librarians have been appointed and are already working in the library.

A number of books have been presented to the library this year, and we take this opportunity of acknowledging them and thanking the people who have kindly donated them. The custom of presenting a book to the library when leaving school has steadily grown and we hope it will continue to do so throughout the ensuing vears.

Books which have been presented to the library are:

Mr L. P. Sladdin—"Rovering to Success" (Lord Baden Powell)

- H. Cheadle (VIA, 1958)—"The Book of Leisure" (John Pudney)
- R. Peacocke (VIA, 1958)-"Rugby in My Time" (Winston Mc-Carthy).
- J. Zinzan (VIA, 1958)—"Churchill, His Life in Photographs"
- R. Lawson and J. Nixon (VIB, 17958)—"The Nun's Story" Kathryn Hulme)
- P. Russell and J. Woodcock (5 Com., 1958)—"Through Gates of
- P. Russell and J. Woodcock (5 Com., 1958)—"Through Gates of Splendour," (Elizabeth Elliot).
 J. Siddle (4 Com., 1958)—"Lorna Doone" (R. D. Blackmore).
 G. Glasgow (VIA, 1959) and D. Glasgow (IV VA, 1958)—"The Rainbow and the Rose" (Nevil Shute.)
 E. Fell (6B, 1958)—"Landfall" (Nevil Shute).
 L. Merry (6A, 1958)—"Aku-Aku" (Thor Heyerdhal).
 C. Akers (6A, 1958)—"Fangio" (C. Molter). "Why I am not a Christian" (Russell).

- P. Amies (5 Pro. 2, 1959)—"Wonder Book of Aircraft' (Ward Lock Pub.)
- M. Waterhouse (5 Com., 1959)—"Jane Eyre" (Charlotte Bronte)
- M. Bateman (5H, 1959)—"Everybody's Story of New Zealand" (A. H. Reed).
- B. Goertz (6A, 1959)—"How the Queen Reigns" (Dorothy Laird)
- J. Howe (5 Com., 1959)—"Cheshire V.C." (Russell Braddon).

THE NEW ZEALAND PLAYERS' VISIT

On 30th July, the school was visited by the New Zealand Players' Drama Quartet. Members of the Quartet were Louise Harris, Edward Petherbridge, Kevin Woodill and Michael Blake.

This year's programme was entitled "A Time for Laughter" and comprised amusing extracts from plays dating from the 15th to the present century, including a gallery of Shakespeare's humorous characters. Some of the plays from which extracts were enacted were: "The Dumb Wife of Cheapside," "The School for Scandal" and "She Stoops to Conquer."

The Quartet's acting was most skilful. The whole performance afforded good entertainment and the school thoroughly appreciated the entertainment brought to them.

SCHOOL CHOIR



Back Row: Sharon P. G. Boyd, Lyndsay R. Schou, Jocelyn M. Milne, Jan L. Whitwell, Briar E. Mitchell, Margaret Hutchinson, Bernice A. Laurie, Jennifer A. Mitchell.
3rd Row: Margaret N. M. Whale, Pamela E. Blundell, Allison S. Street, Margaret E. Watt, Jacqueine D. Wills, Daphne M. Shaw, Susan M. Holland, Christine C. Browning, Maureen H. Barclay, Gillian M. Horan, Jennifer E. Rockel
2nd Row: Judith M. Woodcock (standing), Elizabeth A. Marshall, P. Jan Clarkson, Julienne R. Aukett, Cherie Cook, Miss P. A. Marshall, Wynne J. Weatherly, Elaine V. Leaming, Sharron R. McCullum, Elizabeth A. Martin (pianist).
Front Row: Janice H. Leadley, Margaret A. Peart, Shirley, L. Moloney, June O. (Jill) Steel, A. Wilhelmint van Wijk, Patricia M. Selby.

SCHOOL ORCHESTRA



Back Row: Susan M. Holland, K. McSweeney, R. Campkin, C. E. Davis, M. T. Paver, W. Thomas, M. A. Skiffington
Front Row: Jennifer E. Rockel, Marjorie J. Moncrief, Elizabeth A. Marshall, Wynne J.

SCHOOL ORCHESTRA



The orchestra, which was instituted four years ago, is gradually becoming an integral part of the school life. We should, however, like to increase our membership and so should be glad to have new recruits next year. We hope that one day the orchestra will accompany the singing of the hymn in morning assembly.

This year we have lost seven players, six of whom were VIth formers. Our orchestra now consists of seven violins, two 'cellos, two trumpets, one flute, one trombone

and the piano.

We are very grateful for the tuition and leadership of Miss P. A. Marshall.



We are also grateful for the assistance given at our prize-giving ceremony last year by Miss J. Tarrant and Mr K. Congdon, members of the staff, who replaced pupils unable to attend on account of examinations.

At the school prize-giving ceremony this year we shall play several items, including a polka by J. Weinberger and a gavotte by Handel.

SOUTH AUCKLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS' PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

This event was held on Wednesday evening, June 17, at Wesley College Hall. The entrants, 3 from Papakura High School, 3 from Waiuku High School, 1 from Pukekohe High School and 1 from Wesley College gave prepared speeches on the topic "The Influence of British Tradition in Today's World."

The speeches given were of a very high order and were favourably commented on the by the panel of judges, Mr G. Bowie, M.A., B.Comm., Rev. J. Lewis, M.A., and Mr Norman Inder, LL.B.

The placing of the competitors was:
Paul Norman, Papakura High School 1; Geoffrey Taylor Papakura High School 2; Susanne Brighouse and Rhoda O'Shea, Waiuku High School 3 (equal).

The "Blodielos Cup" presented by Mr C. A. Mangell for the

The "Bledisloe Cup" presented by Mr C. A. Mansell for the competition was presented by Miss J. P. Linton to the winner. The

cup is held by the school that the winner represents.

SENIOR SPEECH CONTEST

The finals of the Senior Speech Contest for 1959 were held on the afternoon of Friday, 12th June. There were ten competitors, drawn from the tifth and sixth forms, and each had to speak on the subject "The Influence of British Tradition in the World of Today."

The first speaker was Faye Duncan of V Commercial, who examined the manner in which Britain gained her vast territories, then answered the self-posed question, "What are British Traditions?" Faye emphasized the importance of Britain's lead as a democracy at the head of the Commonwealth of Nations. She then showed how justice and demoncracy had changed, and how this was an answer to the demands of tradition.

Last year's winner, Jacqueline Wills of 6B, spoke second in the contest. She commenced with a definition of British Tradition, then spoke on the aspects of justice, democracy, education, trade, science and the opposition to Communism. Jacqueline closed by saying that it is a duty to guard and maintain traditions for the best way of life.

The third speaker was Anne-Marie Munday of V Pro 2. She covered self-government, democracy, religion, sport, love of adventure, championing of justice and universal suffrage, and showed how each was related to tradition, which will be passed on to succeeding generations.

Jan Whitwell of V Pro 3, using Ghana as an example, concentrated on self-government and the preparation of all British colonies for independence. Emphasis was on the comparison of British and Communist rules — the British grant freedom, but the Communists extend their rule.

Jennifer Mitchell of V Pro 3 was the next contestant. Illustrating the facet of the manner in which the early settlers took their traditions with them, Jennifer spoke on India and a Tanganyikan tribe. She discussed education and religion, relating them to these two examples. The idea of British rule is for the native consciously to recognise and unconsciously to assimilate the contrast in conditions. The British build up their own more desirable customs, but urge the natives not to forget their traditional ways of life.

The next speaker was Peter Graham of V Pro 2. He took the view that tradition operates through laws. After explaining this point Graham spoke on social, trade, literary and monetary aspects, linking them with tradition. He also mentioned democracy, and the barriers some customs provide, notably clothing.

An outstanding definition of British tradition was the opening portion of Geoffrey Taylor's speech. Social and economic reform, humanitarianism and colonial policy all sprang from the traditions of Britain — traditions of fair play and sportsmanship being outstanding examples, and Taylor stated that Britain's lead gives hope to the free world.

Murray Sowerby of 6B concentrated on the scientific and medical fields. He mentioned Hargreaves and Faraday, putting forward the view that the British tradition is for the benefit of man as a whole. The contrast between the communist and democratic regimes was made again.

Another of last year's contestants, Paul Norman of 6B, also spoke this year. Norman's definition of tradition was that it is

basically personal freedom. Using India as an example, he spoke on government, culture and humanitarianism, in conjunction with justice and democracy. Norman mentioned the Atlantic Charter as a tribute to Britain. The British tradition has been built little by little by our ancestors to the present great heritage and possession.

The final speaker was Stuart Laird of V Pro 3, who spoke on the British tradition in science. He specified Dalton, Rutherford, Fleming, Watts, insulin and television. Laird mentioned royalty's recognition of much of scientific work of today, by patronage and conferring of honours.

At the end of the contest Mr Campbell, as chief judge, gave the collective criticisms of the contestants, and then the results. The placings were:—

First: Geoffrey Taylor, 6B. Second: Paul Norman, 6B Third: Jacqueline Wills. 6B

These three represented the school at the South Auckland finals at Wesley College on Wednesday, 17th June. Here, Paul Norman was placed first, and Geoffrey Taylor second.

GIRLS' CRUSADER UNION

Each Thursday, in the lunch hour, about fifty-five girls have attended our Crusader meetings in A4. Mrs Higgins has led our meetings ably this year, with many helpful talks which gave us guidance in witnessing for Christ and trying to follow in His footsteps in our daily life. We are very grateful to Mrs Higgins for the way in which she has helped and guided us this year.

We have had several guest speakers during the year, including the Rev. A. Fear, Sister Broom from Hamilton Hospital, Miss Mary Milner, a missionary from Japan, Mr Paton, who spoke on "The Bible as History," and Miss Dingwall, the Girls' Crusader Union Travelling Secretary, who showed slides of girls at Crusader Camps.

After Miss Dingwall's visit, many girls look forward to the summer Crusader Camps, to which many are going for the first time. Three lucky girls went to Snow Camp at Mt. Egmont in the August holidays, and at one of our meetings two of them gave a short description of their experiences at Camp. Other girls have taken part in meetings by reading Bible passages, giving talks and leading us in prayer.

This year seven of our girls received their Crusader badges, each of them giving a short account of her conversion and life as a Christian. We now have twelve badgeholders in our Union.

Miss Marshall has attended all our meetings this year, and has led one meeting in Mrs Higgins' place. Mr Donnell also led one of our meetings. We have had Miss Edwards, a student teacher, as a visitor at our meetings this term.

Again this year we held the combined Crusader, C. S.S.M. and S.U. Rally in our school hall. A Crusader choir of about seventy boys and girls sang "My Faith it is an Oaken Staff." We thank Miss Marshall for training the choir, and for the use of M8, and also Mr Campbell and Mr Macaulay for the use of the hall and A4.

BOYS' CRUSADER UNION

Our school Crusader Union is a branch of a New Zealand-wide Christian movement. Throughout this year an average attendance of about thirty-five has met each Wednesday to be addressed by one of the adult members — Messrs Donnell, Owens, Paton, Rout, and Walls. There have been visiting speakers, including Messrs George Curle and Bruce Lumsden and Dr. Vine Martin and when they have addressed the boys it has been pleasing to see larger attendances than usual.

A combined meeting with the girls was held in the school hall on 17th April. This was addressed by Miss Mary Milner, a missionary, who gave an interesting account of her work with students in Japan.

A "squash" (social) was held on June 18th, attended by both boys and girls. After supper the film "William Carey" was shown, and the evening concluded with a short talk and devotions.

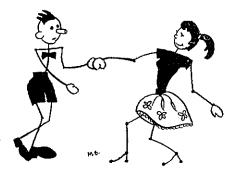
The main event of the year was the annual South Auckland Rally held in our school hall in the second term. An excellent tea was served, after which the Rev. Allan Carr of Auckland gave a demonstration of magic which was enjoyed by all present. Then followed an illustrated address by Mr B. Lumsden, concerning the work of the Scripture Union in S.E. Asia, and an address by Mr B. T. Smith of Kelston High School.

The annual Crusader Gift Day coincided with Mr Lumsden's visit in the third term, and after a talk which we all enjoyed very much, the Gift Day collection was given to him for the extension of the work of the Crusaders' own missionary, Mr McCutcheon, in S.E. Asia.

Three of the meeting this year were conducted by the boys. At these meeting various boys gave testimonies or spoke about passages in the Bible that had helped them in their Christian life.

Altogether the Crusader Union has experienced a successful year under the leadership of the adult leaders and members of the Committee (G. Taylor, M. Sowerby and I. Haszard). The Committee wishes to thank Messrs Campbell and Cornwell for the use of A2 and Miss Marshall for her assistance with the Crusader choir.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES



THE SCHOOL DANCE

The Annual Fifth and Sixth Form Dance was held on Thursday night, September 17th. The assembly hall was unrecognisable, camouflaged with streamers, coloured lights, paper flowers, screen prints depicting musical and dancing figures, balloons, candles in latticed hoops and hanging baskets, which provided a gay atmosphere for the dance. Instead of the usual semi-circular rows of chairs, the seating was arranged in alcoves round the walls.

With the sparkling music of Merv. Orr's band sounding through the hall, it was not long before everyone was dancing. The guests from Wesley College soon mingled with the crowd and seemed to enjoy themselves very much. The official guests who attended were Mr Wood, chairman of the Board of Governors and Mrs Wood, and Mr and Mrs Mansell, Mr and Mrs Campbell, Miss Linton and Mr and Mrs Donnell were present, with several members of the staff and their partners. Sprays were presented to the lady guests.

Mr Congdon was a most competent M.C. and by including several novel ideas for dances and games played a large part in making the dance the success it was.

Supper, the highlight of the evening for some, was well up to the standard of other years, and satisfied even the most discriminating of the guests. The staff and official guests had their supper in the staff room while the other guests were taken to H4. After supper, the Head Prefect. Brian Ducker, who had been seen earlier with lipstick on his cheek, made a speech of thanks to those who had contributed to the success of the evening.

Mr D. Howard, the photographer, had a busy time taking photographs of guests, couples and even whole forms.

All too soon the clock showed midnight, and it was time to finish. Everyone joined in with Auld Lang Syne and the playing of the National Anthem concluded one of the most enjoyable dances the school has held.

THE SIXTH FORM SOCIAL

Among those present at a most enjoyable Sixth Form Social on May 4th were Mr Campbell, Miss Linton and Mr Donnell, and several other staff members. Almost the whole of the Sixth Form attended and with the excellent music supplied by Mr G. Thomson, the whole evening ran smoothly and will remain a memorable event to all who were present.

As each person entered the hall he or she was handed a slip of paper bearing a name. Each name was one of a pair, so that Romeo had to find his Juliet to partner him for the first dance. Snow White was fortunate in having Seven Dwarfs to choose from!

The evening continued with dancing and games, several novelty dances being included in the programme. The hall looked very colourful, with tasteful floral arrangements around the walls, and the girls' gay frocks making a pleasing scene.

Supper was served at one end of the hall, and during this time Ken Thomson and Susan Holland entertained us with several items, after which the Head Boy made a speech of thanks to all those concerned with the social organisation. The Social concluded at 11.30 p.m. and it is to be hoped that the staff members who were present enjoyed the evening as much as the Sixth Formers did.

YOUR CAREER

Choosing a career should be a gradual process, not just a sudden event. As you find out more about the occupations open to you, you will see how your ideas develop and how they keep pace with your progress at school. Your plans and your preparations should then lead you to a satisfying career. But don't leave it too late — remember it is a gradual process. Too many boys now require the assistance of the Careers Adviser when they are within a few weeks of commencing their life's work. Start thinking about your career early in your secondary school life and take every opportunity to seek information.

The information you require can be had from Careers Advisers and Vocational Guidance Officers. Careers Advisers are teachers specially appointed to the staffs of large Post-Primary schools. They are there to advise you and your parents on your choice of a school course, to discuss your difficulties with you, to secure from the Vocational Guidance Centres information about careers, and to make appointments with Vocational Guidance Officers for you.

Think about yourself when finding out about a career. Remember that the career that will suit you best is not necessarily the one that your friend has chosen. It is your job to choose.

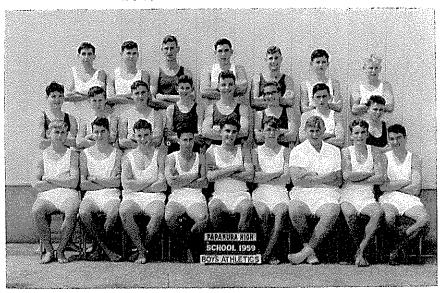
Remember that there is nothing silly about asking for information or seeking advice — the wiser you are the more you will want to know.

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ATHLETIC SPORTS

On Tuesday, March 10th, the Sixth Annual Athletic Sports, the culmination of many weeks work by the staff and pupils, were held in the school grounds. As it was ideal weather for an outdoor meeting, it was attended by a large number of parents, friends and ex-pupils. An interesting feature of the meeting was the number of last year's excellent performances which were surpassed. Thirteen new records were set and two former records equalled. This improvement indicates a bright future for coming school athletic meetings.

BOYS' ATHLETIC TEAM - 1959



Back Row: D. Payne, K. O'Reilly, B. Ducker, P. Lindesay, G. Kelly, H. Wilson, E. Paul.
Middle Row: D. Ross, C. Bear, K. Hough, N. Matheson, N. Smith, J. Irving, K. Peart, G. Martin.
Front Row: P. Cole, B. Wymer, K. Mason, L. de Pedra, S. Laird, G. Taylor, R. Leaming, G. Collecutt, K. Taylor

BOYS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

Senior:

- 100 Yards-G. Kelly (6A) 1, L. de Pedra (5V) 2, K. O'Reilly (5P2) 3. Time: 10.6secs-record.
- 220 Yards—G. Kelly (6A) 1, K. O'Reilly (5P2) 2, L. de Pedra (5V) 3. Time: 23.3secs—record.
- 44/ Yards—G. Kelly (6A) 1, J. Irving (6BS) 2, L. de Pedra (5V) 3. Time: 53.4secs. (Record: G. Kelly, 52.7secs, 1958).
- 880 Yards—G. Keily (6A) 1, B. Ducker (6A) 2, J. Irving (6BS) 3. Time: 2m 12secs. (Record: G. Kelly, 2m 7secs, 1958)

- One Mile-B. Ducker (6A) 1, J. Irving (6BS) 2, D. Francis (6A) 3. Time: 4m 58secs. (Record: L. Walker, 4m 50.1secs, 1958).
- 120 Yards Hurdles-J. Irving (6BS) 1, (no second or third placings) Time: 20.3secs. (Record: T. Howie 17.3secs, 1957).
- Broad Jump—D. Peacock (6A) 1, K. O'Reilly (5P2) 2, C. Naden (6BA) 3. Distance: 16ft 9in. (Record: R. Peacock, 20ft 4in, 1958).
- High Jump-D. Peacock (6A) 1, (Only Competitor). Height 4ft 10½ (Record: R. Peacock, 5ft 24ins, 1957.)
- Hop, Step and Jump—D. Peacock (6A) 1, C. Naden (6BA) 2, (no third). Distance: 38ft 10in. (Record: G. Kelly, 40ft 2in, 1958).
- Discus-D. Peacock (6A), 1, B. Ducker (6A) 2, K. O'Reilly (5P2) 3. Distance: 95ft 1in. (Record: E. Fell, 101ft 2in, 1958).
- Shot-G. Kelly (6A) 1, D. Peacock (6A) 2, K. O'Reilly (5P2), 3. Distance: 39ft 1in-record.

Intermediate

- 100 Yards-P. Cole (5V) 1, K. Hough (4F1) 2, K. Taylor (5V) 3. Time: 10.9secs-record.
- 220 Yards-B. Wymer (5V) 1, K. Taylor (5V) 2, E. Paul (5V) 3. Time: 24.3secs-record.
- 440 Yards—E. Paul (5V) 1, S. Laird (5P3) 2, R. Mathews (4VA) 3. Time: 57.9secs. (Record: G. Kelly, 56.2secs, 1957). 880 Yards—S. Laird (5P3) 1, D. Ross (5V) 2, R. Mathews (4VA) 3.
- Time 2m 22.9secs. (Record: G. Kelly, 2m 14.3secs, 1957).
 One Mile—D. Ross (5V) 1, I. Haszard (4F2) 2, J. Wilson (4VB) 3.
 Time: 5m 24.5secs. (Record: G. Kelly, 5m 15.2secs, 1957).
- 120 Yards Hurdles-T. Bougher (4VA) 1, P. Amies (5P2) 2, K.
- Fitzpatrick (5P1) 3. Time: 18.2secs—record. Broad Jump—P. Cole (5VA) 1, B. Wymer (5V) 2, B. Rowlands (4VA) 3. Distance: 17ft 4in. (Record: T. McGarry, 18ft 7in, 1958).
- High Jump—B. Wymer (5V) 1, B. Rowlands (4VA) 2, B. Te Rongomau (3VC) 3. Height: 5ft 2in. (Record: T. McGarry, 5ft 2in, 1958).
- Hop, Step and Jump-B. Wymer (5V) 1, P. Cole (5V) 2, K. Hough
- (4F1) 3. Distance: 40ft lin—record.

 Discus—P. Lindesay (5P3) 1, K. Taylor (5V) 2, P. Williams (4F2) 3.

 Distance: 107ft 11in. (Record: T. Howie 117ft 11in, 1956).
- Shot-P. Lindesay (5P3) 1, B. Rowlands (4VA) 2, P. Kelly (5P3) 3. Distance: 36ft 5hin. (Record: J. Neale, 38ft 1hin, 1956).

Junior

- 100 Yards-K. Mason (4VA) 1, G. Taylor (3VB) 2, C, Bear (4F1) 3. Time: 11.9secs-record.
- 220 Yards-K. Mason (4VA) 1, C. Bear (4F1) and G. Taylor (3VB)
- 2 (equal). Time: 26.4secs—record 440 Yards—K. Mason (4V) 1, C. Bear (4F1) 2, J. Gleeson (4VB) 3. Time: 60.5secs-record.
- 880 Yards—C. Bear (4F1) 1, K. Mason (4V) 2, M. Glasgow (4F1) 3.
- Time 2m 28.6secs. (Record: T. Howie, 2m 26.4secs, 1954).

 80 Metres Hurdles—G. Taylor (3VB) 1, H. Fair (4G) 2, M. Glasgow (4F1) 3. Time:14.3secs. (Record: K. Hough, 13.6secs, 1958.
- Broad Jump-K. Mason (4VA) 1, H. Fair (4G) 2, G. Taylor (3VB) 3. Distance: 15ft 9fin. (Record: L. Leaming, 15ft 10in, 1956)
- High Jump-N. Mathieson (4F1) 1, K. Gore (3VB) 2, B. Blank (3VB) and R. Gordon (3VA) 3 (equal). Height: 4ft 21in. L. Leaming, 4ft 112in, 1956).
- Hop, Step and Jump—N. Mathieson (4F1) 1, K. Rowlands (3G) 2, J. Aukett (3VC) 3. Distance: 30ft 10½in. (Best performance: N. Mathieson, 1959).

GIRLS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

Senior

75 Yards-B. Mitchell (5H) 1, R. Whitehead (5P2) 2, P. Melhop

(5P1) 3. Time: 9.4secs. Equals record.

100 Yards—B. Mitchell (5H) 1, R. Whitehead (5P2) 2, P. Melhop (5P1) 3. Time: 12.4 secs. Record equalled.

220 Yards-B. Mitchell (5H) 1, P. Melhop (5P1) 2, R. Whitehead (5P2) 3. Time: 28.1secs-record.

80 Metres Hurdles-B. Mitchell (5H) 1, G. Horan (6BA) 2, P. Edmunds (5C) 3. Time: 13.6secs. (Record: N. Shanks, 31.1secs, 1958).

Broad Jump—G. Horan (6BA) 1, R. Whitehead (5P2) 2, M. Blundell (6BS) 3. Distance: 14ft 7\(\frac{2}{3}\)in Record: N. Shanks, 15ft 3in., 1958) High Jump—M. Blundell (6BS) 1, P. Melhop (5P1) 2, P. Edmunds (5C) 3. Height: 4ft 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)in. (Record: M. Blundell, 4ft 6\(\frac{1}{2}\)in, 1958) Discus—M. Barclay (6A) 1, R. Whitehead (5P2) 2, G. Horan (6BA) 3. Distance: 97ft 3in—record.

Shot—M. Barclay (6A) 1, R. Whitehead (5P2) 2, J. Cleaver (6BA) 3. Distance: 38ft 3\(\frac{2}{3}\)in.—record.

Intermediate

75 Yards—J. Woods (5P2) 1, J. McGregor-Hay (5C) 2, (No third). Time 9.2secs. (Record: N. Shanks, 9secs, 1957).

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100 Yards—J. Woods (5P2) 1, J. McGregor-Hay (5C) 2, (No third). Time: 12.1secs. (Record: N. Shanks, 12secs, 1957).

150 Yards—J. Woods (5P2) 1, P. Faire (5C) 2, J. McGregor-Hay (5C) 3. Time: 18.4secs. (Record: N. Shanks, 18secs, 1957).

80 Metres Hurdles—J. Woods (5P2) 1, J. McGregor-Hay (5C) 2. Time: 15.2secs. (Record: N. Shanks, 13secs, 1957).

Broad Jump—No Entries. (Record: E. Quigley, V. Grogan 15ft 4½in, 1958)

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High Jump—J. Woods (5P2) 1, — (Only Entry). Height: 3ft 10in. (Record: G. Horan, 4ft 5½in, 1958).

Discus—J. Woods (5P2) 1, — (Only Entry). Distance: 60ft 4in (Record: M. Barclay, 84ft 5in, 1957).

Shot—J. Woods (5P2) 1 — (Only Entry). Distance: 25ft 0½in. (Record: M. Barclay, 39ft 1in, 1957).

Junior

50 Yards—V. Wymer (3F1) 1, L, Jenkins (3CH) 2, C. Trower (3F1)
3. Time: 6.6secs. (Record: E. Quigley, 6.4secs, 1954).
75 Yards—V. Wymer (3F1) 1, L. Jenkins (3CH) 2, L. Leadley (4L) 3,

Time: 9.1secs. Record:

100 Yards—V. Wymer (3F1) 1, J. Page (3C) 2, L. Jenkins (3CH) 3. Time: 12.35secs. (Record: E. Quigley, 11.9secs, 1954). 80 Metres Hurdles—J. Matheson (4F1) 1, V. Wymer (3F1) 2, Time:

15.4secs. (Record: G. Horan, 14.3secs, 1957).

Broad Jump—J. Page (3C) 1, S. Waterhouse (3F2) 2, L. Leadley (4L)

3. Distance: 13ft 11in. (Record: E. Quigley, 16ft 5in, 1954).

High Jump—R. Funke (3L) 1, J. Matheson (4F1) 2, L. Jenkins (3CH)

3. Height: 4ft 31in. (Record: G. Horan, 4ft 47in., 1957).

Discus-L. Leadley (4L) 1. Distance: 55ft 1in. (Record: D. Passau 56ft 1in, 1955).

BOYS' NON - CHAMPIONSHIPS

Senior

100 Yards-N. Smith (6BA) 1, G. Collecutt (6BS) 2, G. Webb (5P3) Time: 11.5secs.

220 Yards—G. Collecutt (6BS) 1, N. Smith (6BA) 2, R. Couch (6BS) 3. Time: 25.5secs.

440 Yards—No entries

- 880 Yards-A. Newall (5V) 1, K. Peart (5V) 2, R. Couch (6BS) 3. Time: 2m 23.8secs.
- One Mile—A. Newall (5V) 1, G. Collecutt (6BS) 2, R. Couch (6BS) 3. Time: 5m 13.7secs.
- 120 Yards Hurdles-K. Peart (5V) 1, R. Mason (6BS) 2, A. Ralph (5V) 3.
- Broad Jump-G. Collecutt (6BS) 1, N. Smith (6BA) 2, G. Glasgow (6A) 3. Distance: 17ft 3in.
- High Jump-D. Payne (6A) 1, N. Smith (6BS) 2, B. Smart (5V) 3. Height: 5ft.
- Discus—N. Smith (6BA) 1, H. Hathieson (6A) 2, K. Thomson (6A) Distance: 86ft.
- Shot-N. Smith (6BA) 1, M. Sowerby (6BS) 2, R. Flanagan (5V) 3. Distance: 31ft 02in.
- Hop, Step and Jump-N. Smith (6BA) 1, G. Collecutt (6BS) 2, K. Peart (5V) 3. Distance: 38ft 10in.

Intermediate

- 100 Yards-T. Bougher (4VA) 1, R. Dixon (4FE) 2, I. Sneddon (4F2) 3. Time: 11.6secs.
- 220 Yards-T. Bougher (4VA) 1, R. Dixon (4F1) 2, I. Sneddon (4F2)
- 3. Time:26.1secs. 440 Yards—J. Connell (4L) 1, I. Harsnall (3VB) 2, G. Mitchell (4F1)
- Time 63.1secs. 880 Yards-M. Trevena (5P3) 1, I. Harsnall (3VB) 2, J. Connell (4L)
- Time 2m 23.2secs. One Mile-G. Martin (4VA) 1, P. Melser (4L) 2, D. Lofroth (4VA) 3.
- Time: 5m 23.2secs.
- 120 Yards Hurdles—T. Bougher (4VA) 1, P. Amies (5P2) 2, K. Fitzpatrick (5P1) 3. Time: 18.2secs.

 Broad Jump—D. Russell (5P3) 1, I. Harsnall (3VB) 2, C. Davis
- (4F2) 3. Distance: 15ft
- High Jump—D. Lofroth (4VA) 1, J. Clark (3G) 2, B. Vercoe (3G) 3. Height: 4ft 6fin.

Junior

- 100 Yards—W. Bell (4F2) 1, P. Whitcombe (3G), 2, G. Hocking (4VA) 3. Time: 12.2secs.
- 220 Yards-P. Whitcombe (3G) 1, P. Quedly (3VA) 2, A. Byron (3VA) 3. Time: 28.5secs.
- 440 Yards-P. Quedly (3VA) 1, M. Barton (4VA) 2, D. Howard (4G) 3. Time: 64.4secs.
- 880 Yards—D. Howard (4G) 1, M. Barton (4VA) 2, J. Matheson (4F1) 3. Time: 2m 35.6secs.
- 80 Metres Hurdles-J. Matheson (4F1) 1, D. Holliday (3VB) 2, D. Rissetto (4VA) 3. Time: 14.5secs.
- Broad Jump—D. Holliday (3VB) 1, L. Wine (3VC) 2, N. Duckworth (3VC) 3. Distance: 14ft 8\frac{1}{2}in.

 High Jump—H. Wilson (4L) 1, L. Goodhue (3VA) 2, G. Running
- (3VB) 3. Height: 4ft 6in.
- Hop, Step and Jump—N. Duckworth (3VC) 1, (Only Entry). Distance: 28ft 4in.

GIRLS' NON-CHAMPIONSHIP

Senior

- 75 Yards—No Entries
- 100 Yards—No Entries
- 220 Yards-No Entries
- 80 Metres Hurdles-No Entries
- 75 Yards Skip—E. Leaming (6BA 1, J. Wills (6BA) 2. Time 16.2secs
- Three-legged Race-E. Badmin and R. Matheson 1, J. Leadley and S. McCullum 2, M. Schmidt and J. Morrison 3. Time 11.5secs.

Broad Jump-J. King (5H) 1-(Only Entry). Distance: 11ft 4in. High Jump-No Entries.

Discus—J. Morrison (5C) 1, L. Schou (6A) 2, S. Duncan (6BA) and M. McFarland (6BA) 3 (equal): Distance: 62ft 2in.

Shot-B. Goertz (6A) 1, L. Schou (6A) 2, M. McFarland (6BA) 3. Distance: 24ft 42in.

Intermediate

75 Yards-L. Williams (4H) 1, N. Boswell (5P2) 2, D. Topham (5C) 3. Time: 9.4secs.

100 Yards-N. Boswell (5P2) 1, D. Topham (5C) 2, P. Ford (5P2) Time: 12.8secs.

150 Yards—No Entries 80 Metres Hurdles—D. Topham (5C) 1, N. Boswell (5P2) 2, S. Blakeborough (4H) 3. Time 15secs.

75 Yards Skip—L. Williams (4H) 1, F. Duncan (5C) 2, B. Brown (4C) 3. Time: 10.4secs.

Three-legged Race—D. Topham and M. McAuliffe 1,M. Knibb and P. Gibbons 2, C. O'Brien and E. Chandler 3. Time:

Broad Jump-L. Williams (4H) 1, K. McLellan (3CH) 2, P. Blundell

(5H) 3. Distance: 14ft 9in. High Jump—J. Cooper(3CH) 1, J. McLennan (3CH) 2, D. Topham (5C) 3. Height: 4ft 1in.

Discus-J. McGuiness (5C) 1, F. Duncan (5C) 2, J. Stanley (5C) 3. Distance: 56ft 3in.

Shot-L. Williams (4H) 1, D. Topham (5C) 2, J. McGuiness (5C) 3. Distance:

Junior

50 Yards—J. Roud (4H) 1, P. Stansbury (3F1) 2, A. Potter (3H) 3. Time: 6.75secs.

75 Yards—J. Roud (4H) 1, J. Amies (4F2) 2, P. Stansbury (3F1) 3. Time: 9.8secs.

100 Yards—J. Roud (4H) 1, J. Amies (4F2) 2, P. Stansbury (3F1) 3. Time: 13secs.

80 Metres Hurdles-B. Johnston (4C) 1, J. Brice (4C) 2, (no third). Time: 15.8secs.

75 Yards Skip-N. Barson (3L) 1, C. Deverill (3F2) 2, L. Blake Time: 10.4secs (3C) 3.

Three-legged Race-J. Fowler and B. Escolme 1, P. Stansbury and M. Stansbury 2, P. Sharplin and H. Frier 3.

Broad Jump-N. O'Brien (3F2) 1, M. Anderson (4F1) 2, B. Rout (3C) 3. Distance: 13ft 6in.

High Jump—A. Potter (3H) 1, R. Smith (3L) 2, A. Adams (3C) 3.

Height: 3ft 11in.

Discus—M. Neeley (3H) 1, N. Rowlands (3CH) 2, J. Thompson

(3H) 3. Distance: 55ft 11in.

Relays

Boys-1st Division: Third Forms—3 Voc B 1; 3 Voc C 2; 3 Voc A 3. Time 56.8secs. Fourth Forms—4 Voc A 1; 4 Fr 2 2; 4 Fr 1 3; Time:1m 55.7secs Fifth and Sixth Forms—6A 1; 5 Vov 2; 6B 3. Time 4m 4.1secs 2nd Division:

Third Forms—3 Fr 2 1; 3 Fr 1 2. Time 1m 1.75secs. Fourth Forms—4 Fr 1 1; 4 Voc A 2; 4 Gen 3. Time: 2m 1.8secs. Fifth and Sixth Forms—5 Voc 1; 5 Pro 2 2; 6A 3. Time: 1m 54.8secs.

Girls—1st Division:
Third Forms—3L 1; 3CH 2; 3 Com 3; Time 1m 0.2secs.
Fourth Forms—4 Home 1; 4 Com 2; 4 Lat 3. Time 59.5secs.
Fifth and Sixth Forms—5 Pro 2 1; 5 Com 2; 5 Pro 1 3. Time: 56.5secs.

2nd Division:

Third Forms—3 Com 1; 3 Home 2; 3 Fr 1 3. Time 1m 3.8secs. Fourth Forms—4 Com 1; 4 Fr 2 2; 4 Lat 3. Time 1m 2.4secs. Fifth and Sixth Forms-5 Com 1; 6B 2; 5Pro 3 3;. Time: 1m 3.65secs.

CHAMPIONS

Senior:

Boys-G. Kelly (6A). Girls—B. Mitchell (5H)

Intermediate:
Boys—P. Cole (5V)
Girls—J. Woods (5P2)

Junior

Boys-K. Mason (4VA) Girls-V. Wymer (3F1)

Lovelock Cup for Middle Distance Events (Senior):

B. Ducker (6A) and G. Kelly (6A) 1 (equal).

Form Championships:

5 Voc			
		points	
6A			3
Best Fourth Form: 4 Voc A			
Best Third Form: 3 Voc B	421	points	

GIRLS' ATHLETIC TEAM



Back Row: Judith L. Amies, Jocelyn J. Page, Gillian M. Horan, Patricia J. Melhop, Joy E. McGuinness, Marie K. Blundell, Ruth L. Funke, Judy L. MacGregor-Hay, P. M. (Julie) Steel, Miss P. Douglas (Coach).

Front Row: Jessie F. Matheson, Pamela L. Stansbury, Valerie P. Wymer, G. Rae Whitehead, Maureen H. Barclay (Captain), Briar E. Mitchell, Judy M. M. Woods, June A. Cooper, Lynette F. Jenkins

SOUTH AUCKLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS' SPORTS ASSOCIATION

On April 4th Papakura High School was the venue for the fourth annual athletic meeting of this association. Under perfect weather conditions and on a well laid out track eleven schools competed with such intense enthusiasm and competence that twenty-seven records were either broken or equalled out of sixty events. The high standards of our own school sports were reflected in the many fine performances by the members of the Papakura team.

Places were gained in the finals by:-

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GIRLS
Senior:
         75 Yards-P. Melhop 3rd.
         100 Yards-B. Mitchell 2nd.
                                                                              Time 28.1secs.
         220 Yards-B. Mitchell 1st.
         80 Metres Hurdles-B. Mitchell 2nd.
         Broad Jump—G. Horan 1st. Distance 15ft. 3½in. A record. High Jump—M. Blundell 1st. Height 4ft. 7in. Shot Put—M. Barclay 1st. Distance 37ft. 3in. A record. Discus—M. Barclay 1st. Distance 100ft. 4in. A record. Senior Relay—(B. Mitchell, J. Steel, R. Whitehead, P. Melhop) 1st. Time 54.6secs. A record.
Intermediate:
         rmediate:
75 Yards—J. Woods 2nd.
100 Yards—J. Woods 2nd.
150 Yards—P. Faire 1st. Time 18.9secs.
Broad Jump—L. Williams 3rd.
High Jump—J. Cooper 1st. Height 4ft. 1½ins.
Relay—(J. Woods, P. Faire, L. Williams, N. Boswell)
Junior:
         75 Yards—V. Wymer 2nd.
80 Metres Hurdles—J. Matheson 3rd.
         Broad Jump—J. Page 1st. Distance 13ft 94in.
High Jump—R. Funke 2nd.
          Relay-(V. Wymer, J. Page, L. Jenkins, J. Amies) 1. Time 55.5
                    secs.
                                                                        BOYS
Senior:
         100 Yards—G. Kelly 1st. Time 10.8secs.
220 Yards—G. Kelly 1st. Time 23.0secs. A record.
440 Yards—G. Kelly 1st. Time 52.3secs. A record.
880 Yards—B. Ducker 2nd.
1 Mile—J. Irving 2nd. B. Ducker 3rd.
Hop, Step and Jump—N. Smith 2nd
         High Jump—D. Payne, 3rd. Shot Put—G. Kelly 2nd. Discus—D. Peacock 2nd.
          Relay-(G. Kelly, K. O'Reilly, J. Irving, B. Ducker). 2nd.
Intermediate:
         rmediate:
220 Yards—B. Wymer 1st. Time 24.4secs. A record.
440 Yards—E. Paul 2nd.
120 Yards Hurdles—P. Cole 1st. Time 16.8secs. A record.
Hop, Step and Jump—B. Wymer 1st. Distance 40ft. 5in. A record.
High Jump—B. Wymer 2nd.
Shot Put—R. Leaming 2nd.
Discus—P. Lindsay 2nd.
Relay—(B. Wymer, P. Cole, K. Hough, E. Paul) 2nd.
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Junior:

440 Yards—K. Mason 3rd. 880 Yards—C. Bear 1st. Time 2min. 23.7secs. Broad Jump—K. Mason 2nd. Hop, Step and Jump—N. Matheson 2nd. High Jump—H. Wilson 2nd.

SOUTH AUCKLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS' BRYANT MEMORIAL MEETING

On April 4, the boys' athletic team journeyed to Pukekohe to take part in the L. V. Bryant Memorial Meeting. This year a number of Auckland schools were absent, but this did not retract from the keenness of competition amongst the representatives of the twenty-three schools who participated. Drawn from schools scattered over the northern half of the North Island, many of the boys had competed or were planning to compete in the New Zealand under 19 Championships. Consequently Papakura High School did well in returning its best performance yet at this meeting. The following gained places in the finals of events:—

Senior:

220 Yards—G. Kelly 1st. 440 Yards—G. Kelly 1st.

One Mile Relay-(L. de Pedra, B. Ducker, J. Irving, G. Kelly) 3rd Intermediate:

220 Yards—B. Wymer 2nd.

120 Yards Hurdles-P. Cole 2nd. 880 Yards Relay-(P. Cole, K. Hough, E. Paul, B. Wymer) 3rd Hop, Step and Jump-B. Wymer 2nd.

Shot-R. Leaming 3rd.

School Teams were:

Senior-G. Collecutt, B. Ducker, L. de Pedra, J. Irving, K. O'Reilly,

G. Kelly, D. Payne, N. Smith, K. Peart. Intermediate—P. Cole, I. Hazard, K. Hough, S. Laird, R. Leaming, P. Lindsey, E. Paul, K. Taylor, B. Wymer. Junior—C. Bear, H. Fair, K. Mason, M. Mathieson, G. Taylor, H.

Wilson.

AUCKLAND GIRLS' INTER-SECONDARY SCHOOLS' ATHLETIC SPORTS

The Athletics Meeting of the above association was held on Saturday, March 21, 1959. Twenty-five schools competed.

The standard of athletics was very high, and it was most pleasing to see our girls fighting through to the finals. The experience of competing in this large meeting will stand them in good stead and should encourage them to train assiduously this summer.

Results:

Senior:

Discus-M. Barclay 2nd. Shot Put-M. Barclay 1st.

Intermediate:

High Jump-J. Cooper 3rd.

Special congratulations go to Maureen Barclay who established a new record of 37ft. 8in. in the Senior Shot Put.

SWIMMING NOTES

The second Combined Boys' and Girls' School Swimming Sports were held on 19th February at Ardmore Training College. The full programme of swimming and diving events lasted until mid-afternoon and the perfect weather helped to make this meeting one of the most enjoyable and keenly contested so far. As in previous years, the steadily improving standard of swimming was shown by the number of new records which were established. Once again we extend our thanks to Mr T. Wilson, the principal of Ardmore Training College for the use of the College baths.

BOYS' SWIMMING TEAM



Back Row: W. Peacock, N. Clarke, P. Kelly, P. Holland, D. Cato, S. Jameson, Front Row: D. Brunt, R. Booker, B. McFarland, G. Kelly, H. Wilson, I. McFarland.

BOYS

CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

Senior:

- 55 Yards Freestyle—D. Peacock (6A) 1, B. McFarland (6A) 2,
 D. Cato (6B) 3. Time 32.5secs record. (Previous best time 36.1secs).
- 100 Yards Freestyle—D. Cato (6B) 1, D. Peacock (6A) 2, B. McFarland (6A) 3. Time 1m 11secs record. (Previous best time 1m 23secs, 1956).
- 55 Yards Breaststroke—G. Kelly (6A) 1, D. Peacock (6A) 2, B. McFarland (6A) 3. Time 44.5secs. (Previous best time 45.5secs).

- 55 Yards Backstroke-D. Peacock (6A) 1, G. Kelly (6A) 2, B. McFarland (6A) 3. Time 43.1secs. (Previous best time 46secs).
- Dive-D. Peacock (6A) and B. McFarland (6A) 1 (equal), B. Smart (5V) 3.

Intermediate:

- 33 1/3 Yards Freestyle—P. Kelly (5P3) 1, D. Brunt (5V) 2, I. McFarland (4L) 3. Time 18.5secs record. (Previous best time 18.9secs, 1956.)
- 66 2/3 Yards Freestyle—P. Kelly (5P3), 1, D. Brunt (5V) 2, R. Booker (5V) 3. Time 43secs (Record 42.1secs, 1958)
- 100 Yards Freestyle—P. Kelly (5P3) 1, D. Brunt (5V) 2. R. Booker (5V) 3. Time 1m 11.5secs (Record 1m 8.6secs, 1958)
- 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke-R. Booker (5V) 1, L. Loveday (5V) 2, P. Kelly (5P3) 3. Time 28.2secs (Record 24.3secs, 1956)
- 33 1/3 Yards Backstroke—P. Kelly (5P3) 1, I. McFarland (4L)
 2, S. Jameson (5P3) 3. Time 25.4secs (Record 22secs, 1958)
- Dive-I. McFarland (4L) 1, D. Ross (5V) 2, K. Mackenzie (4VA)

Junior:

- 33 1/3 Yards Freestyle-H. Wilson (4L) 1, P. Holland (4F1) 2, J. Whitwell (4L) 3. Time 19secs record. (Previous record 19.8secs, 1958).
- 66 2/3 Yards Freestyle—H. Wilson (4L) 1, P. Holland (4F1) 2, D. Melser (4L) 3. Time 45.2secs (Record 45secs, 1958)
- 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke-B. Peacock (3L) 1, H. Wilson (4L) 2, P. Holland (4F1) 3. Time 27.1secs (Record 26.6secs, 1956)
- 33 1/3 Yards Backstroke—N. Clark (4F1) 1, P. Holland (4F1) 2, B. van Wijk (3VB) 3. Time 24.4secs. (Record 24secs, 1957) Dive—H. Wilson (4L) 1, J. Zinzan (3L) 2, D. Melser (4L) 3.

OPEN EVENTS

220 Yards Freestyle-D. Cato (6B) 1, R. Booker (5V) 2 S. Jameson (5P3) 3. Time 3m 1sec record. (Previous record 3m 11.6s, 1958)

NON-CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

Senior Boys:

- 33 1/3 Yards Freestyle—J. Irving (6B) 1, K. Thomson (6A) 2, .K McSweeney (6B) 3. Time 20.9secs
- 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke-B. Ducker (6A) 1, J. Irving (6B) 2, D. Payne (6A) 3. Time 31.5secs
- Dive-K. Thomson (6A) 1, G. Hunt (6B) 2, J. Irving (6B) 3.

Intermediate:

- 33 1/3 Yards Freestyle—M. Martin (4VB) 1, D. Ross (5V) 2, J. Bates (4VB) 3. Time 20.7secs.
 66 2/3 Yards Freestyle—D. Ross (5V) 1, M. Martin (4VB) 2, A. Hart (4VA) 3. Time 49.4secs.
 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke—K. Fitzpatrick (5P) 1, J. Wilson (4VB) 2, M. Martin (4VB) 3. Time 30.3secs.
- Dive-M. Martin ((4VB) 1, N. Finney (4VB) 2, A. Hart (4VA)

Junior:

- 33 1/3 Yards Freestyle-L. Bilton (4VA) 1, M. Bremner (4G) 2, B. Mulholland (4VB) and M. Glasgow (4F1) 3 (equal). Time 22secs.
- 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke—R. Miller (3L) 1, L. Bilton (4VA) 2, D. Laurie (3VB) 3. Time 34secs.
- 33 1/3 Yards Backstroke-D. Robertson (4F1) 1, L. Laurie (3VB) 2, I. de Mey (4VA) 3. Time 28.3secs.

RELAYS

3L 1, 3VB 2, 3VA 3. Time 1m 8.8secs (Record 60.4secs).
Intermediate:
4L 1, 4G 2, 4VB 3. Time 2m 12.6secs (Record 2m 14.6secs)
Senior:
6A 1 ,5V 2, 5P3 3. Time 2m 5secs (Record 2m 5.5secs).
CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS
Senior:
1 D. Peacock (6A) 20 points
2 B. McFarland (6A) 10 points
3 G. Kelly (6A) 8 points
Intermediate:
1 P. Kelly (5P3) 21 points
2 D. Brunt (5V) 9 points
2 I. McFarland (4L) 9 points
Junior:
1 H. Wilson (4L) 18 points
2 P. Holland (4F1) 10 points
3 N. Clark (4F1) 5 points
3 P. Peacock (3L 5 noints

GIRLS' SWIMMING TEAM



Back Row: Patricia J. Melhop, Maria F. Wynyard, Barbara L. Townsend, Dorothy A. Wilson, Heather V. Frier, Jocelyn A. Fowler, Margaret N. M. Whale, N. J. Barclay (Coach). Gail H. Sanders, Coral F. Jobes, Mary F. A. Ryan. Front Row: Jan L. Whitwell, Silvana E. Randi, Cheryl L. Simpson, A. Wilhelmina van Wijk,

GIRLS

CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

Senior:

55 Yards Freestyle—W. van Wijk (V Pro III) 1, S. Randi (V Com) 2, C. Jobes (V Pro I) 3. Time 39.4secs. (Record P. Dryland, 37.7secs, 1956).

55 Yards Backstroke—W. van Wijk (V Pro III) 1, S. Randi (V Com) 2, M. Whale (V Pro III) 3. Time 49.5secs. (Record K. Townsend, 46.4secs, 1957).

55 Yards Breaststroke—M. Whale (V Pro III)1, W. van Wijk (V Pro III) 2, S. Randi (V Com) 3. Time 49secs (Record). Dive—M. Barclay (VI A) 1.

Intermediate:

55 Yards Freestyle-B. Townsend (V Pro III) 1, M. Ryan (IV Fr 1) 2, V. Leaming (IV Com) 3. Time 42.1secs. (Record

K. Townsend, 36.7secs, 1956).33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke—B. Townsend (V Pro III) 1, M. Ryan (IV Fr 1) 2, H. Hall (IV Fr 1) 3. Time 34secs. (Record M. Whale, 28secs, 1958).

33 1/3 Yards Backstroke-M. Ryan (IV Fr 1) 1, B. Townsend (V Pro III) 2, Time 27.8secs (Record C. Boate 23.9secs, 1957) Dive—B. Townsend (V Pro III) 1.

Junior:

33 1/3 Yards Freestyle-H. Frier (III Fr 1) 1, G. Sanders (III Fr II) 2, J. Fowler (IV Lat.) 3. Time 21.5secs (Record C. Boate, 20.2secs, 1956).

33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke—J. Fowler (IV Lat.) 1, H. Frier (III Fr I) 2. Time 28.4secs. (Record M. Whale 27.1secs,

1957).

33 1/3 Yards Backstroke-H. Frier (III Fr I) 1, Time 23.7 secs. (Record) Dive-C. Simpson (IV Com) 1.

NON-CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

Senior:

- 25 Yards Freestyle-P. Melhop (V Pro I) 1, C. Cook (VI B) 2, L. Knight (V. Com) 3. Time 19secs.
- 25 Yards Backstroke-P. Melhop (V. Pro I) 1, J. Clarkson (VI B) 2, C. Cook (VI B) 3. Time 21.5 secs.
 - 25 Yards Breaststroke-J. Clarkson (VI B) 1, C. Cook (VI B) 2, Time 25secs.

Dive-H. Bell (IV Home) 1.

Intermediate:

- 25 Yards Freestyle-M. Wynyard (V Home) 1, K. Williams (V Com) 2, A. Munday (V Pro II) 3. Time 16.9 secs.
- 25 Yards Breaststroke-A. Munday (V Pro II) 1, Time 24.8secs
- 25 Yards Backstroke-K. Williams (V. Com) and A. Munday (V Pro II) dead-heat 1, M. Lorenzen (IV Home) 3. Time 22.8secs

Dive-K .Williams (V Com) 1.

Junior:

- 25 Yards Freestyle—D. Wilson (III Fr II) 1, S. Waterhouse (III Fr II) and C. Hughes (II1 CH) dead-heat 2. Time 18.5 secs.
- 25 Yards Backstroke—S. Waterhouse (III Fr II) 1, K. Douglas (III Fr II) 2, M. Galloway (IV Com) 3. Time 21.4secs.
- 25 Yards Breaststroke-P. Fullerton (III Fr II) 1, K. Douglas (III Fr II) 2, Time 27.1secs.

Dive-M. Nealey

OPEN EVENTS

110 Yards Freestyle—H. Frier (III Fr I) 1, C. Simpson (IV Com) 2, S. Randi (V Com) 3. Time 1m 31.5secs (Record C. Boate 1m 31secs, 1956).

Tandem—J. Fowler (IV Lat) and M. Ryan (IV Fr I) 1, M. Whale (V Pro 3) and B. Townsend (V Pro III) 2, M. Barclay (VI A) and S. Randi (V Com) 3. Time 27.8secs. (Record M. Barclay and K. Townsend, 24secs, 1956).

Corfu Dive—M. Barclay (VI A) 1.

RELAYS

Senior: V Pro III 1, V. Pro I 2, VIA and B 3. Time 1m 32.2secs. Intermediate: IV Com 1, Lat 2, IV Home 3. Time 1m 50secs, Junior:

3 Fr IIA 1, 3 Fr IIB 2, 3 Fr I 3. Time 1 m 41.3secs .

POINTS CHAMDIONSHIP

		PUINTS CHAMPIONSHIP	
Senior:			
	1	W. van Wijk (V Pro III)	13 points
	2	S. Randi (V Com)	7 points
	3	M. Whale (VPro III)	6 points
Interme	diai	te:	_
	1	B. Townsend (V Pro III)	18 points
	2	M. Ryan (IV Fr 1)	11 points
	3	H. Hall (IV Fr I)	1 point
	3	V. Leaming (IV Com)	1 point
Junior:		a (a)	- 1501110
	1	H. Frier (III Fr I)	13 points
	2	J. Fowler (IV Lat)	6 noints
	3	C. Simpson (IV Com)	5 points

SOUTH AUCKLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS' SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Third Annual Championships held in Pukekohe Baths on 26th February proved to be an even greater success than last year's excellent meeting. Heavy entries, a rapidly improving standard of swimming and a most enthusiastic supporting gallery provided a first-class competitive evening. The School team achieved the very creditable performance of gaining 16 first, 10 second and 9 third places in 41 events.

Team members were:—

Boys—D. Peacock (6A), B. McFarland (6A), G. Kelly (6A), D. Cato (6B), P. Kelly (5P3), S. Jameson (5P3), D. Brunt (5V), R. Booker (5V), H. Wilson (4L), I. McFarland (4L), J. Whitwell (4L), D. Melser (4L), N. Clarke (4F1), P. Holland (4F1), M. Martin (4VB), B. Peacock (3L).

Girls—M. McFarland (6B), P. Melhop (5P1), W. van Wijk (5P3), J. Whitwell (5P3), M. Whale (5P3), B. Townsend (5P3), S. Randi (5C), M. Wynyard (5H), J. Fowler (4L), M. Ryan (4F), C. Simpson (4C), G. Sanders (3F2), H. Frier (3F1), D. Wilson (3F2).

Detailed results were as follows:—

Detailed results were as follows:-Senior Boys:

50 Yards Freestyle-B. McFarland (6A) 3rd.

100 Yards Freestyle-D. Cato (6B), 2nd. 50 Yards Breaststroke-G. Kelly (6A) 1st. 50 Yards Backstroke—D. Peacock (6A). 1st.

50 Yards Freestyle—P. Melhop (5P1), 2nd. 50 Yards Freestyle—M. McFarland (6B), 3rd. 100 Yards Freestyle—S. Randi (5C), 2nd. 50 Yards Backstroke—W. van Wijk (5P3), 1st. 50 Yards Breaststroke—M. Whale (5P3) 1st. Intermediate Boys: 25 Yards Freestyle—D. Brunt (5V), 2nd. 50 Yards Freestyle—P. Kelly (5P3) 3rd. 100 Yards Freestyle-P. Kelly (5P3) 3rd. Intermediate Girls: 50 Yards Freestyle—B. Townsend (5P3) 3rd. 100 Yards Freestyle—C. Simpson (4C), 2nd. 50 Yards Backstroke—M. Ryan (4F) 1st. Junior Boys: 25 Yards Freestyle—P. Holland (4F) 1st. 50 Yards Freestyle—H. Wilson, (4L) 2nd. 75 Yards Freestyle—H. Wilson (4L) 1st. 25 Yards Breaststroke-B. Peacock (3L) 1st. 25 Yards Backstroke-N. Clarke (4F) 1st. Junior Girls: 25 Yards Freestyle—D. Wilson (3F2) 1st. 50 Yards Freestyle—G. Sanders (3F2) 2nd. 75 Yards Freestyle—H. Frier (3F1) 1st. 25 Yards Backstroke-H. Frier (3F1) 1st. 25 Yards Breaststroke-J. Fowler (4L), 1st. Open Events, Boys: 200 Yards Freestyle—D. Cato, (6B) 1st. 75 Yards Medley—D. Peacock, (6A) 2nd. Dive-I. McFarland (4L) 3rd. Open Events, Girls: 75 Yards Medley-W. van Wijk (5P3) 1st. Dive-B. Townsend (5P3) 3rd. Relays, Boys: Junior-2nd. Intermediate—4th Senior-3rd equal Relays. Girls: Junior—1st Intermediate—3rd Senior—2nd.

Senior Girls:

AUCKLAND INTER-SECONDARY SCHOOL GIRLS' SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Auckland Inter-secondary School Girls' Annual Swimming Sports took place in glorious weather at the Olympic Pool, Newmarket, on Wednesday, 11th March. Twenty-two schools competed and our girls did extremely well to reach the finals of many events and to secure places in two of those finals.

Detailed results: Heats:

Junior 33 1/3 Yards Breaststroke—J. Fowler, 2nd. Senior 55 Yards Breaststroke—M. Whale, 2nd Intermediate 55 Yards Freestyle—B. Townsend, 3rd. Senior 55 Yards Freestyle—C. Jobes, 3rd. Junior 33 1/3 Yards Backstroke—H. Frier, 2nd.

Intermediate 55 Yards Backstroke—M. Ryan, 3rd. Senior 55 Yards Backstroke-W. van Wijk, 1st. Open 110 Yards Freestyle-H. Frier, 3rd.

Tandem 33 1/3 Yards-M. Whale and B. Townsend, 1st.

Junior Relay-C. Simpson, D. Wilson, G. Sanders, H. Frier, 3rd. Senior Relay-P. Melhop, C. Jobes, S. Randi, W. van Wijk, qualified for final.

Finals:

Junior Breaststroke—J. Fowler 2nd. Junior Backstroke—H. Frier, 3rd.

Team members were:—M. McFarland (6B) Captain, J. Fowler (4L), H. Frier (3F1), C. Jobes (5P1), P. Melhop (5P1), S. Randi (5C), M. Ryan (4F), G. Sanders (3F2), C. Simpson (4C), B. Townsend (5P3), W. van Wijk (5P3), M. Whale (5P3), J. Whitwell (5P3), D. Wilson (3F2), M. Wynyard (5H).

CRICKET

First XI



The First XI, in the 1958-1959 season, had a most successful series of games. The year before saw the team gaining experience in the College section of the Franklin competition, and this year the experience gained in the preceding season enabled the team to record six wins and three drawn games in thirteen games.

Ducker was appointed the new captain for 1959. With the loss of Peacock, Fell, White and others, it was felt that the new team would not be quite as strong. This illusion was quickly dispelled and the team won three games and lost only one in the 1959 part of the season.

The match with the Rotary Club was as enjoyable as ever, the school retaining the cup with a win on the first innings.

The most successful batsmen in 1959 were Ducker and Francis. The most successful batsmen in 1959 were Ducker and Francis. Ducker scored 186 runs in six innings and Francis scored 214 runs in eight innings. The younger players made their share of runs towards the end of the season, Cole, Ancell and Taylor making very good progress. The medium slow bowlers, Collecutt, Francis, and Lukey, took most wickets, Francis taking eighteen, Collecutt fifteen and Lukey twelve in 1959. Three of our players, Peacock, Ducker and Francis were selected to play for the Franklin Colts.

The team was:—R. Peacock (Captain, 1958), B. Ducker (Captain, 1959), R. Ancell, G. Collecutt, E. Fell, D. Francis, G. Hunt, G. Kelly, B. Hobman, P. Cole, J. Martin, K. McSweeney, T. Wills, L. Lukey, K. Taylor, D. White, J. Irving. Coach Mr R. Marshall.

FIRST CRICKET XI



Back Row: K. Taylor, P. Cole, L. Lukey, G. Kelly, K. McSweeney, L. Wills, G. Hunt, Mr Marshall Front Row: B. Hobman, G. Collecutt, B. Dacker, R. Ancell, J. Irving, D. Francis

Results of the games were:-

1958	1	High School, 1st innings
	2	High School, 1st innings
	3	High School, 1st innings
	4	High School 1st innings
	5	St. Stephen's College, 1st innings 168 for 9 declared High School
	6	High School, 1st innings 58 Wesley College 72 Wesley won on the First Innings
	7	High School, 1st innings 143 Hunua 24 Hunua, 2nd innings 56 for 5 Won on the First Innings

1959	1	High School 1st innings 77 Waiuku-Glenbrook B 102 for 6 declared High School, 2nd innings 74 Waiuku-Glenbrook B won on the First Innings.
	2	Waiuku, 1st Innings 65 High School 169 for 7 declared Won on the First Innings
	3	High School, 1st innings 128 Rotary Club 80 Won on the First Innings
	4	High School, 1st innings120Kingseat124Kingseat won on the First Innings
	5	High School, 1st innings
	6	High School, 1st innings

Second XI

The team were keen and fully enjoyed their matches, despite the fact that their evident batting weaknesses greatly handicapped their scoring ability. Consequently their bowling attack and fielding reached a high standard.

Team players throughout the 1958-59 season were:

C. Marten (Captain), P. Kelly (Captain), E. Armstrong, R. Ancell, I. Braithwaite, N. Collingwood, J. Connell, N. Finney, A. Grout, B. Hobman, J. Irving, N. McSweeney, J. Matthewson, P. Melser, J. Mowbray, C. Olsen, C. Pickard, S. Robertson, R. Sara, C. Shaw, D. Simmonds, P. Sinfield, W. Syme, K. Taylor, W. Thomas, E. Wipani.

Coach Mr K. V. Congdon

Results:

Papakura v. Wesley 2nd XI won on 1st inns. Papakura, 1st innings 64 Wesley, 1st innings 52 Papakura, 2nd innings 6 for 58
Papakura v. Papakura 3rd XI won on 1st inns. Second XI, 1st innings declared 4 for 86 Third XI, 1st innings 81
Papakura v. Pukekohe 1st XI lost on 1st inns. Papakura, 1st innings 48 Pukekohe, 1st innings 94
Papakura v. Papatoetoe 1st XI lost on 1st inns. Papakura, 1st innings
Papakura v. Wesley 1st XI lost on 1st inns. Papakura, 1st innings 25 Wesley, 1st innings 84
Papakura v. Pukekohe 1st XI lost on 1st inns. Papakura, 1st innings 84 Pukekohe, 1st innings 105

FAREWELL HUNTLY :

Papakura v, Papatoetoe 1s Papakura, 1st innings Papatoetoe, 1st innings	8	for 123 d	eclared
Papakura v. Wesley 1st XI Papakura, 1st innings Wesley, 1st innings		lost on 1s	t inns.
Papakura v. Pukekohe 1st Papakura, 1st innings Pukekohe, 1st innings Papakura, 2nd innings	XI 1	ost on 1st i	nnings 28
Played 9			

Third XI

A large number of boys played for this team this season, a number moving on to a higher grade.

Team players were:—L. Bilton (Captain), C. Duncan (Vice-Captain), M. Peart, S. Jameson, P. Cole, P. Kelly, R. Bruce, S. Laird, J. Hawkins, C. Pickard, I. Brash, L. Byron, R. Matthews, P. Lindesay, K. Taylor, R. Campbell, I. Braithwaite, A. Silby, P. Clerk, M. Sampson, A. Hart, R. Ancell. Coach Mr G. J. Wareing.

Results: —

Papakura v. Wesley 3rd XI won on 1st inns. Papakura 68 and 45 Wesley 64 and 29 for 0
Papakura v. Colts won on 1st inns. Papakura 63 and 49 for 3 Colts 37 and 33 for 5
Papakura v. Papatoetoe won outright by 4 runs Papakura 44 and 39 Papatoetoe 36 and 43
Papakura v. Wesley 2nd XI lost on 1st inns. Papakura 24 and 16 for 3 Wesley 61

Other games were played against Pukekohe, Wesley 4th, Papatoetoe 1st, and Papakura 2nds for which the results are incomplete.

Allan Hart and Ray Ancell performed the hat-trick during the season.

Fourth XI

The Fourth XI was represented by the following during the season:—J. Matthewson (Captain, 1958), J. Campbell (Captain, 1959), R. Bruce (Vice-Captain, 1958), D. Robertson (Vice-Captain, 1959), S. Bateman, I. Braithwaite, R. Campkin, R. Clerk, J. Connell, P. Edwards, N. Finney, B. Glover, D. Hamp, A. Hart, R. Johns, K. Mc-Kenzie, D. McLeod, N. Mathieson, P. Melser, W. Peacock, P. Pickard, L. Rockel, A. Silby, G. Skipper, I. Sneddon, G. Thomas, W. Thomas, B. Vincent, J. Whitwell, D. Williams. Coach Mr J. U. Macaulay.

Results:--

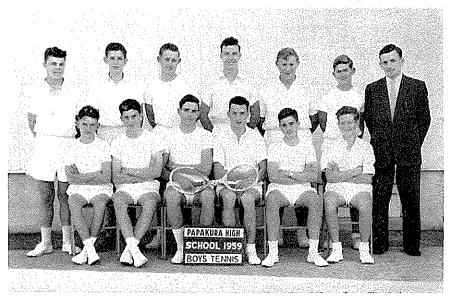
Papakura v. Pukekohe lost by an innings and 28 runs Papakura
Pukekohe 76
Papakura v. Wesley won on 1st inns. Papakura 81
Wesley54

GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM



Back Row: Shirley E. Matheson, Bernice E. Escolme, Susan M. Holland, J. Kay Clarkson, Diane Topham, N. J. Barclay (Coach).
 Front Row: Beverley J. Wilding, Raewyn E. Matheson, Lyndsay R. Schou (Captain), Carolyn M. Young, Jessie F. Matheson, Jennifer E. Rockel

BOYS' TENNIS TEAMS



Back Row: R. Bennett, H. Wilson, E. Thamos, N. Smith, R. Leaming, K. Fitzpatrick, Mr W. Aston (Coach).
 Front Row: M. Bercich, B. Aston, D. Payne, K. Thomson, R. Payne, M. Winstone.

Papakura v. Papatoetoe lost by an innings and 24 runs
Papakura 37 and 37
Papatoetoe 98
Papakura v. Colts won outright
Papakura 51 and 23
Colts 27 and 64
Papakura v. Wesleylost
Papakura
Wesley64
Papakura v. Papatoetoe B won by an innings and 5 runs
Papakura
rapatoetoe
Papakura v. Papatoetoe Alost
Papakura 34
Papatoetoe 47
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Fifth XI

The Fifth XI was represented by the following players:-I. Horsnell (Captain), D. Bilton (Vice-Captain), R. Anderson, M. Ballard, J. Gregan, R. Gunson, R. Herkt, S. Keat, D. Lendrum, P. Sly, B. Storey, J. Zinzan. Coach Mr S. J. Owens.

The team had a most successful season, winning three out of the four matches played. In the bowling Horsnell, Anderson and Herkt showed to advantage, while Lendrum, Bilton, Keats and Horsnell did some aggressive batting.

TENNIS NOTES



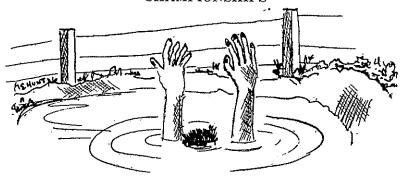
Senior, Intermediate and Junior boys' and girls' teams again represented the school at the South Auckland Secondary Schools' Championships at Pukekohe. Though no successes were gained, the tournament experience proved valuable, and Diane Topham, in the girls' senior events, showed considerable promise.

The School Championships, held during November and early December, 1958, resulted:

Senior Boys' Singles—E. Fell. Senior Girls' Singles—N. Buckingham. Junior Boys' Singles—K. Fitzpatrick.

Tennis is proving an increasingly popular choice for sports periods among boys and girls, and the general standard of play has improved noticeably. An ever-increasing problem is the lack of court space available.

SOUTH AUCKLAND CROSS - COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS



On Saturday, 3rd October, the South Auckland cross-country run was held at Pukekohe High School. The weather was cold and blustery with several squally showers, which, however, did little to dampen the enthusiasm of either competitors or spectators.

Juniors ran just over three laps of the tough threequarter mile circuit, while Intermediates and Seniors just over four laps. There was about half a mile of flat running, but the other quarter contained a patch of swamp, five gates or fences, and a steep uphill grade.

The following are the team members in the various grades with their places in brackets:

Junior:

D. Holliday (11), K. Hookes (12), D. Hogan (32), G. Running (33), H. McKenzie (34), D. O'Connor (35).

In the first lap Holliday lay second with Hookes in the middle of the field and the rest further back. The second lap saw Holliday third with Hookes moving up a little. In the swamp, however, two Pukekohe boys and a Papatoetoe boy passed Holiday who dropped further back in the third lap. Hookes had been moving up all the time and passed him for a short while only.

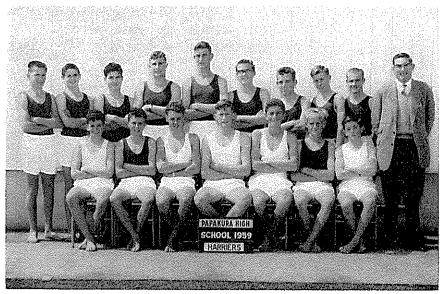
Intermediate:

G. Martin (1), J. Wilson (3), J. Connell (5), D. Ross (9), I. Haszard (11), R. Anderson (16).

A good pace was set at the start by a Wesley runner closely followed by a bunch from Pukekohe and a bunch from Papakura. They went out of sight for a short while, and there was Connell leading the field through the swamp and setting a fast pace.

At the beginning of the second lap, Connell led three Pukekohe boys, Martin was improving his position and the rest were in the middle of the field. In the third lap Martin took over the lead from Connell who dropped back to fifth after having done sterling work for his team. Wilson, who had also been moving up, took over fourth position. The order remained much the same during the fourth lap with Martin increasing his lead to win by fifty yards from a Pukekohe boy.

CROSS-COUNTRY TEAMS



Back Row: J. Wilson, R. Anderson, D. Ross, G. Kelly, B. Ducker, J. Irving, J. Connell, I. Haszard, A. Newall, Mr L. Cornwell.

Front Row: D. O'Connor, G. Martin, D. Holliday, H. Mathieson, K. McSweeney, K. Hooks, D. Hogan,

Senior:

A. Newall (2), J. Irving (4), B. Ducker (6), G. Kelly (11), K. McSweeney (13), H. Matheson (14).

From the start Ducker established a lead of fifty yards with Newall and Irving leading the bunch. At the beginning of the second lap the order was Brownlee of Pukekohe, Newall, Ducker, two Pukekohe boys, Irving leading a well strung out field. The leaders changed places several times during this lap, Ducker regaining the lead in the swamp but losing it again at the next fence. The better technique of the Pukekohe runners when it came to the vaulting of gates was particularly obvious. In the third lap Ducker had dropped back to 6th and Newall had moved up to 2nd. Newall stuck close to Brownlee throughout the fourth lap but then the Pukekohe boy increased his pace, and, still running beautifully, won by 100 yards.

Team results:

Junior:

Pukekohe (18) 1st, Maramarua (38) 2nd, Waiuku (53) 3rd.

Intermediate:

Papakura (19) 1st, Pukekohe (28) 2nd, Papatoetoe (50) 3rd.

Senior:

Pukekohe (16) 1st. Papakura (23) 2nd, Waiuku 3rd.

SCHOOL CROSS - COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

On the 7th of October, the cross-country run was held over the usual course. A lot of rain had fallen during the previous week and the day itself was overcast and showery, all of which had caused the ditches to be quite deep and several unexpected boggy patches to develop. Nevertheless all but a handful of boys took part enthusiastically and many had been training seriously all the term.

Junior:

For about half the course the juniors did not become very separated, but in the run home K. Walker increased his lead to win eventually by 100 yards. The rest followed in a steady stream.

Intermediate:

G. Martin and J. Wilson, old rivals in distance running, led the field, after J. Connell had set a cracking pace at the start. Martin led most of the way, and 200 yards from the finish had established a lead of about 20 yards. Wilson then started his sprint for the line, and in a spirited finish just beat Martin by one yard. Senior:

A. Newall and J. Irving soon established a short lead over B. Ducker and increased this going up the steep hill at half way. Coming down this hill Irving took the lead from Newall but only for a short time. Newall passed him again and putting on the pace steadily increased his lead to win by 200 yards.

Individual Results:

Junior:

K. Walker, 4 Voc B 1, D. Donoghue 4 French 2 2, M. Glasgow 4 French 1 3, T. Hudson 3 Voc A (first third former) 4. Time 20m 6.5secs.

Intermediate:

J. Wilson 4 Voc B 1, G. Martin 4 Voc A 2, J. Connell 4 Latin 3. Time 18m 16.5secs a record.

Senior

A. Newall 5 Voc 1, J. Irving, 6B Science 2, B. Ducker 6A 3. Time 20m 1.7secs.

Team Results:

Junior:

- 3 Voc A—37 Points (T. Hudson, G. Philip, B. Alexander, A. Byrom 1.
- 4 Voc A-56 Points (K. Hooks, N. Stevens, P. Bentley, K. Mason) 2.
- 3 Latin—72 Points (R. Storey, P. Pickard, J. Zinzan, R. Miller)

Intermediate:

- 4 General—53 Points (W. Reeve, D. Howard, T. Bartle, L. Atkins) 1.
- 4 Voc A-62 Points (G. Martin, B. Laurie, L. Bilton, R. Mathews)
- 4 Voc B-66 Points (J. Wilson, J. Chitty, E. Smart, K. Rogerson) 3. Senior:
- 6B Science—19 Points (J. Irving, G. Collecutt, K. McSweeney, R. Couch) 1.
 - 6A-35 Points (B. Ducker, G. Kelly, H. Matheson, D. Francis)
 - 5 Pro-53 Points (G. Miller, M. Trevena, B. Giles, S. Robertson) 3.

SOFTBALL

Boys' Softball during the 1958-59 season, was held during the sports periods, when over one hundred boys enjoyed competitive games. A feature of these games was the pleasing improvement in the fundamental skills of softball.

The School v. Staff match, on the final day of the school year, provided excellent entertainment, with the honours

going to the under-rated staff team.

TABLE TENNIS NOTES GIRLS' TABLE TENNIS TEAM



Back Row: Ruth M. White, Linley G. Bennett, Jocelyn M. Milne, Lynnette A. Leadley, A. Wilhelmina van Wilk, N. J. Barclay (Coach).
Front Row: Sharron R. McCullum, Maureen J. Schmitt, Janice H. Leadley (Captain), Maria F. Wynyard, Jennifer F. Rockel

The popularity of table tennis at Papakura High School was demonstrated when four boys' teams and two girls' teams from the school played in the Franklin Secondary Schools' Tournament at Pukekohe at Saturday October 10.

The Boys' "A" team consisting of D. Beard, B. Aston, I. Haszard, and R. Wickenden showed consistency and skill in winning all matches and carrying off the Kirk Shield for the second successive year. The girls' "A" team (M. Schmitt, J. Leadley, M. Wynyard, L. Leadley) was defeated in this final against Wainky, on a countback

was defeated in thie final against Waiuku, on a countback.

The sport thrived at the school during the winter, owing largely to the support of Mr C. Milne, who supplied a table for practice. Now eight tables are being constructed at the school for next

season's play.

BOYS' TABLE TENNIS TEAMS



Back Row: H. Wilson, K. McSweeney, N. Smith, J. Irving, G. Hunt, G. Collecutt, Middle Row: R. Wickenden, B. Aston, K. Taylor, I. Haszard, D. Smith, J. Zinzan, Mr W. Aston (Coach).

Front Row: J. Campbell, G. Bell, B. Glover, D. Beard, D. O'Connor, R. Payne, W. Blank.

BOYS' HOCKEY

This year has certainly been an important one for us. Not only was it the first in which the First XI played in the Auckland Secondary School First Grade competition, but it also marked the successful promotion of the Second XI into a higher section of the grade in which it plays. We express our thanks to Mr C. Hardie and Mr H. Gill of Manurewa for their help in umpiring several games.

First XI:

The First XI boys responded well to the stronger challenge of First Grade play and, after an uncertain beginning, they settled down to a more effective combination of attack and cover defence. As a result, we were placed fifth out of ten teams after the first round of the competition and succeeded in all our second round games, thus winning the non-championship section of the grade.

We had only two inter-school fixtures this year, the first being a comfortable win against Thames High School. Despite our eagerness to reverse last year's result, we again lost to a determined Taumarunui High School team by 1 goal to 2.

The high-light for us of the annual N.Z.S.S.H.A. Tournament, for which the record number of thirty-six teams assembled in Auckland, was our defeat of Christchurch Boys' High School. We enjoyed repaying some of the hospitality extended us in previous tournaments by billeting the Gisborne team.

BOYS' HOCKEY FIRST XI



Back Row: K. Hough, C. Craymer, M. Trevena, K. McSweeney, M. Paver, N. Clark, D. Smith. Front Row: G. Webb, C. McAnnalley, B. Ducker (Captain), D. Payne (Vice Captain), G. Taylor, Mr J. U. Macaulay (Coach.

Absent: A. Hart

First XI players were:—B. Ducker (Captain), D. Payne (Vice Captain), N. Clark, C. Craymer, A. Hart, K. Hough, C. McAnnalley, K. McSweeney, M. Paver, D. Smith, G. Taylor, M. Trevena, G. Webb. Reserves G. Skipper B. Giles. Coach Mr J. V. Macauley.

Competition results:

Compet	ていいいだ	resures.				
			1st Ro	und	2nd Ro	und
v.	Avo	ndale	lost	2-5		
v.	Tak	apuna	won	3-0	won	5-3
v.	St.	Kentigern's	won	2 - 1		
v.	Auc	kland Grammar	lost	1-3		
v.	Sed	lon	drew	6-6	won	4-1
v.	Mt.	Roskill	won	4-2		
v.	Otal	huhu	won	3-2	won	2-0
v.	Kin,	g's	lost.	0-3		-
Matches	s pla	yed 12, won 7, drew 1, le	ost 4.	Goals	for 34	against 30.
Non-cor	npeti	ition results:—				
	v.	Auckland Army			drew	2-2
	v.	Thames H.S.			won	9-0
	v.				lost	1-2
Tournament results:-						
	v.	Christchurch Boys' H.S.			won	3-1
	v.	Hamilton Boys' H.S			lost	2-5
	v.	Taumarunui H.S.			lost	2-3
	v.	Otahuhu College			won	2-1
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Second XI:

This year the Second XI played in Section A of the Auckland Secondary School Third Grade competition. After early reverses against more experienced teams, the team developed such an efficient combination that they tested the leading teams and won their last four matches.

Three players, P. Amies, M. Brown and M. Glasgow, were nominated for the Third Grade representative team.

Second XI players were: M. Glasgow (Captain), P. Amies (Vice-Captain), B. Aston, J. Bartley, C. Bear, J. Blundell, M. Brwon, R. Clerk, P. Gibbs, R. Johns, M. Mathieson, C. Oliver, K. L. Porter. Coach, Mr W. B. Aston.

Competition results:-

ν.	Mt. Albert "A"	lost 0-3
v.	Tamaki	won 5-2
v.	Selwyn	won 9-0
	Auckland Grammar "A"	
ν.	King's College	lost 1-4
v.	Seddon	drew 1-1
	Penrose	lost 2-3
v.	Takapuna	won 2-1
ν.	Mt. Roskill won 3-0	won 3-1
v.	Auckland Grammar "B"	won 11-0
ν.	Papatoetoe	won 2-0

Matches played 12, won 7, drew 1, lost 4. Goals for 39 against 19

Third XI

Although starting off with a number of losses due to the large number of players new to the game, the team played well and improved tremendously through the season, the last four games concluding in a win or a draw. The team spirit was very good and though on several occasions it was necessary to play under strength because of illness, all games were much enjoyed.

Third XI players were:—D. Milne (Captain), D. Siddle (Vice-Captain), L. Allen, M. Bercich, R. Campkin, D. Hamp, W. Hay, T. Jenkins, W. McNally, A. McAlister, P. Stitt, B. Vincent, J. Wills, B. van Wijk. Coach Mr R. Hardie.

Competition results:

v.	Auckland Grammar "B"	won	4-1
v.	Mt. Albert	lost	1-2
v.	Westlakelost 3-4	drew	1-1
٧.	Selwyn	lost	0-9
v.	Avondale	lost	1-5
	Auckland Grammar "A"		
v.	Mt. Roskilllost 0-5	drew	0-0
	Otahuhu		
ν.	St. Kentigern	lost	1-4

GIRLS' HOCKEY

The school again entered two teams in the Inter-Secondary Saturday competition. As the season progressed both teams showed considerable improvement, the First XI being able, by the end of the season, to defeat teams to whom it had previously lost. Six matches were won, two drawn and four lost.

Detailed results 1st XI:

St. Cuthberts — Lost 1-4, drew 1-1, won 3-2 Epsom — Lost 0-1, won 7-1 Otahuhu — Won 6-1, won 11-0 Diocesan — Drew 3-3, won 3-1

v. Selwyn — Lost 0-6
The school acted as hosts to teams from Taumarunui (Papakura won 3-2) and Huntly (Papakura won 3-1). The visit to Thames by the 1st XI resulted in a loss 0-1.

Our second team in the inter-school Saturday Competition comprised third form players and the team entered a special "Beginners" Section. This competition proved most popular and the school will benefit in the future as these third form players advance to senior status.

Details are:

Tamaki — Lost 2-3 ٧. v. Selwyn — Lost 1-2

Avondale — Lost 1-2 Northcote — Won 4-0 Penrose - Lost 0-7 v.

Tamaki — Drew 0-0 v. Kelston - Drew 1-1

The results indicate in general how keenly and closely these

matches were contested.

A school second XI was formed to play Huntly and Thames. Although both games were lost (1-2, and 0-2 respectively), we were able to provide games against outside schools for some of our senior girls.

We are indebted to our coaches, Mr K. Congdon and Mr G. Thorburn, and to Mrs Blundell who ably assisted us with our Thursday sports. Miss Jeanette Blundell kindly umpired in the Saturday competition and her services were most valuable.

GIRLS' HOCKEY - FIRST XI



Back Row: G. P. Thorburn (Coach), Patricia J. Selby, Pamela E. Blundell, Margaret E. Mawhinney, Briar E. Mitchell, A. Wilhelmina van Wijk, K. V. Congdon (Couch)
Front Row: Jennifer E. Rockel, Patricia M. Steel, Marie K. Blundell (Captain), June D. Steel, Susan M. Holland, Jacqueline D. Wills (Also left: Beverly L. Goertz, Jeanette A. Cleaver).

BASKETBALL



This year has seen the realisation of our ambition to be ranked among the best teams taking part in the Auckland Secondary Schools' Basketball Competition. Not only did we achieve championship grade ranking for the season, but within that grade only two Auckland Schools, Queen Victoria School and Epsom Girls' Grammar School, bettered our performances.

We feel that we could have done even better had we not been handicapped so greatly with injuries and sickness. Now that the team consists of only seven players, each position is more vital than ever to the combination of the whole team, so that the absence of even one player can affect the performance of the team very adversely.

The six Saturday teams entered in the Auckland Collegiate Competition were all playing in grades higher than that of last year and all managed to hold their own, particularly the A's and B's

in the top two grades.

It was disappointing to have so few inter-school games this season. Our Henderson match was concelled twice owing to bad weather and several of our other annual fixtures have been dropped. Nevertheless, our Saturday competition is such that we meet a different school each Saturday throughout the season and thus manage to maintain a high standard of interest and enthusiasm among the players.

RESULTS:

"A" TEAM

Maureen Barclay (Captain), Lyndsay Schou (Vice-Captain), Gillian Horan, Elaine Leaming, Mary McAuliffe, Margaret Waterhouse, Margaret Whale, Judy Woods.

Inter-School:

	won	22-6
v. Thames	lost	5-6
v. Taumarunui	won	27-6
Saturday Competition:		
v. Auckland Girls' Grammar	won	18-13
v. Queen Victoria School	lost	10-18
		22-10
	lost	13-21
	won	18-9
Mt. Roskill Grammar	drew	22-22
		38-14
v. Kelston	lost	19-31

Matches played 11, won 6, lost 4, drew 1. Goals for 222 against 171.

"B" TEAM

Barbara Townsend (Captain), Alison Street (Vice-Captain), Gay Bycroft, Coral Jobes, Silvana Randi, Maureen Schmitt, Sue Waterhouse.

		won	
v. Thames .	***************************************	lost	6-5
Goals for 15, again	nst 11.		

"A" BASKETBALL TEAM



Back Row: Gillian M. Horan, Lyndsay, R. Schou, Margaret N. M. Whale, Elaine V. Leaming, N. J. Barelay (Coach).

Front Row: Judy M. M. Woods, Maureen H. Barclay, H. Mary McAulisse.

"C" TEAM

Jocelyn Fowler (Captain), Margaret Anderson, Cora Charleton, Bronwyn Rout, Mary Ryan, Marilyn Stansbury, Pamela Stansbury, Inter-School

v. Huntly won 10-8

"D" TEAM
Raewyn Steele (Captain), Helen Atcheson, Raewyn Buchan, Ernette Chandler, Lynette Jenkins, Pat Waterhouse, Margaret Watt, Ruth White. Inter-School:

v. Huntly drew 7-7 "E" TEAM

Janet (Howe (Captain), Faye Andrews, Carol Burgess, Cherie Cook, Sheryl Day, Pauline Grant, Anne Revell, Gaile Sanders, Robyn Smith, Judy Woodcock.

"F" TEAM Linnia Browning (Captain), Christine Browning, Loys Heggie, Marlene Laing, Jillian Luke, Carol McClay, Elizabeth Pye, Susan Sara, Janice Stanley, Verna Watson.

3rd FORM TEAM Sue Waterhouse (Captain), Faye Andrews, Marlene Laing, Bronwyn Rout, Gaile Sanders, Marilyn Stansbury, Pamela Stansbury.

INTER-FORM COMPETITION

Results:-A Grade:

Senior—6th Form. Intermediate—4 Com. Junior-3 French 1. B Grade:

Intermediate-4 Home. Junior 3-Latin. Senior—5 Pro A. Dress Points:

Senior-6th Form. Intermediate-4 French. Junior-3CH.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

Once again we can report a very successful Rugby season. Although perhaps not so satisfactory from the point of view of success in the inter-schools' competitions. 1959 has been as good a year as any previous one in respect to the number of boys playing regularly and the enjoyment and benefit which they derived from their sport. Despite an extraordinary number of wet Saturdays the teams and their coaches never failed to meet their commitments with other schools; and, although on one or two occasions a team was not at full strength, this was without exception directly the result of the unusual amount of sickness which our school, like every other, suffered during the winter.

We would be very remiss if we did not offer our thanks to the officials and referees of the Counties Union for the manner in which they looked after the school football in this area. We must also express our appreciation of the support and encouragement with which parents and friends of the school, not only urge on our teams on the playing fields, but also help us in matters such as transport. This is a vital consideration in a district as scattered as that of the Counties' Secondary Schools' Rugby Union; and but for the co-operation which our friends so willingly extend to us, our problems would be so much greater and our enjoyment of Rugby corespondingly less.

Papakura High School 1st XV was represented by:-

G. Kelly (Captain), D. Peacock (Vice Captain), J. Berry, P. Cole, D. Francis, G. Glasgow, D. Gleeson, P. Kelly, R. Laing, S. Laird, R. Leaming, P. Lindesay, B. McFarland, C. Naden, K. O'Reilly, S. Robertson, B. Rowlands, S. Smith, K. Taylor, K. Thomson. Mr R. Marshall was the coach.

The 1959 season saw fifteen new caps in the 1st XV squad. Largely because of the small number of players from last year's team we did not have the success of former years. However, after the team settled down we won most of our matches. Particularly enjoyable were the non-competition games against schools outside our area, with the over-night visit of our friends from Taumarunui High School providing the high-light of the season.

Competition results were as follows:-

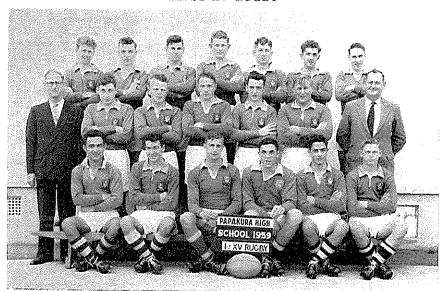
		1st Round	2nd Round	3rd Round
ν.	St. Stephen's B	won 6-3	won 12-0	won 12-6
v.	Pukekohe High	lost 5-14	lost 3-10	lost 0-12
v.	Wesley College	lost 0-6	lost 8-11	

Non-competition match results were:-

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Huntly College	
Kelston High	won 6-3
Hamilton Tech.	lost 8-9
Karaka 3rd Grade	won 25-0
Thames High	won 11-3
Taumarunui High	won 34-3
Auckland Grammar 2B	
	Kelston High Hamilton Tech. Karaka 3rd Grade Thames High Taumarunui High

Matches played 15, won 9, lost 6. Points for 155, against 91

FIRST XV RUGBY



Back Row: G. Glasgow, N. Smith, K. O'Reilly, B. Rowlands, J. Berry, S. Laird, B. McFarland.
Middle Row: Mr Campbell, D. Francis, D. Gleeson, P. Kelly, K. Thomson, R. Leaming, Mr Marshall.

Front Row: C. Naden, K. Taylor, G. Kelly (Captain), P. Lindesay (Vice Captain), S. Robertson, P. Coles.

The 2nd XV, which played in the Open B Grade, experienced a very enjoyable season although we did not gain many wins. Indeed, the team won only three games; but this was partly because some of its opponents were the 1st XV's of their respective schools. What IB lacked in skill it made up for in enthusiasm and, indeed, would have been more successful had its ranks not been depleted by several serious injuries. The forwards always played good, vigorous Rugby and, in time, the backs settled down into a worthwhile combination. As Captain, E. Thomas contributed a great deal towards making the season a happy one for the team. IB was represented by E. Thomas (Captain), E. Armstrong, J. Bennett, J. Birch, M. Bothwell, M. Cheadle, V. Fitzsimmons, F. Flanagan, J. Gleeson, R. Gore, P. Holland, R. Kirkwood, L. Pedra, K. Mason, A. Newport, E. Paul, D. Russell, R. Sampson, R. Sara, J. Siebert, W. Strang, R. Wilkinson. Mr D. R. Thurlow was the coach.

Matches played 12 won 3, lost 9. Points for 45 against 154

The 2nd Grade Rugby team noticeably improved in its play during the season, from heavy defeats by Pukekohe and Onewhero to closely-contested wins against other teams in the competition. The keenness of the boys to improve the quality of their play, and their excellent conduct both on and off the field were outstanding features of the 1959 activities.

The team was represented by:—J. Irving (Captain), D. Baird (Vice Captain), L. Bilton, D. Brunt, C. Duncan, D. Duder, C. Hogg, B. Laurie, L. Lukey, K. McKenzie, M. Martin, R. Matthews, P. Quedley, J. Roberts, D. Robertson, D. Ross, B. Smart, B. Te Rongomau, J. Whitwell, P. Williams. Mr R. Walls was the coach.

Competition results were as follows:--

		1st Round	2nd Round	3rd Round
v.	Wesley College	won 14-11	won 3-0	drew 3-3
v.	St. Stephen's	won 13-3	won by defa	ult
v.	Onewhero D.H.	lost 3-31	lost by defaul	t drew 5-5
٧.	Pukekohe High	lost 0-52	lost 0-28 wo	n by default

Non-competition games were played against Thames High, lost 0-3 and Auckland Grammar 3B, lost 3-18.

The 3A Grade team had a successful season and, under the able captaincy of G. Collecutt, won some very keenly contested games. One of the features of the season was the match with Auckland Grammar 4B who won by 13-12 right on the call of time.

3A was represented by:—G. Collecutt (Captain), R. Bennett (Vice Captain), L. Atkins, I. de Mey, N. Duckworth, J. Dyball, K. Fitzpatrick, B. C. Fraser, R. B. Fraser, R. Gunson, B. Hobman, S. Jameson, D. Lofroth, J. Mathewson, C. Miller, G. Taylor, W. Thomas, B. Whyte, H. Wilson. Mr S. G. Owens was the coach.

Matches played 11, won 7, lost 2, drew 2. Points for 134, against 77.

Non-competition games were played against Huntly College, lost 9-14, and Auckland Grammar 4B, lost 12-13.

The 3B Grade team was formed because this year there were enough boys in the 3rd and 4th grades to make up three teams. However, as most of the players selected from 3B were of 4th grade weight the team was quite the lightest in the 3rd grade. This fact was particularly apparent in several matches when, after 3B had held their opponents for much of the game, the superior weight of the opposition was too much for our boys. Nevertheless, they show real pluck and determination against their opponents and heavy defeats neither dampened their ardour for the game nor lessened their willingness to practise. This reflects great credit on the solid core of players who saw out the whole season with the team.

3B was represented by:—A. Silby (Captain), R. Payne (Vice Captain), A. Ancell, M. Ballard, A. Dawson, P. Gardiner, B. Glover, D. Holliday, K. Hooks, G. Kidd, D. Lofroth, B. Lovell, I. McFarland, C. McLeod, G. Overton, B. Peacock, W. Reeves, L. Rockel, I. Sneddon, B. Storey, P. Sly, T. Teriaki, M. Vernon, B. Wood, D. Wilson. Lofroth began the season as captain. His promotion to 3A was a big loss to the team. Coach was Mr G. J. Wareing.

The 4th Grade Rugby team had a very successful season from the point of view of results, and a very enjoyable one largely because they played open and venturesome football at all times. The backs were fast and capable, while the forwards played consistently well as a pack and thus secured a major share of possession of the

ball. Much of the team's success was due to the real leadership shown by Hunt in the backs and Newall in the forwards. However the fine team spirit shown by every boy at all times yielded very satisfactory results both on and off the field.

The team was represented by:-

G. Hunt (Captain), A. Newall (Vice Captain), B. Alexander, S. Bateman, D. Bear, C. Bennett, P. Bentley, D. Bilton, J. Chitty, H. Faire, M. Feilding, T. Govorko, D. Herkt, D. McKinstry, G. Martin, D. Risetto, B. Roud, D. Rowlands, K. White, C. Williams. Mr W. J. Fryer was the coach.

Matches played 14, won 11, lost 3. Points for 255 against 59.

The 5A Grade Rugby team had a successful season in every way, especially in respect to competition results, as it won all its matches easily. This had a rather adverse effect upon the standard of play, however, as the boys were never really extended. In his third sason at fullback Brash was outstanding in his play and his captaincy. Jones, as hooker, was badly missed after a knee injury ended his play for the season.

The team was represented by:—I. Brash (Captain), R. Irving (Vice Captain), W. Blank, J. Campbell, C. Faire, N. Finney, J. Gregan, B. Harding, G. Hocking, G. Hutton, D. Jones, S. Keats, D. Lendrum, N. Morgan, C. Pickard, P. Pickard, J. Ralph-Smith, L. Stephens, G. Thomas, J. Zinzan. Mr C. D. Milne was the coach.

Matches player 13, won 13. Points for 143 against 6.

The 5B Grade Rugby team, as the only B team in the grade, was hard-pressed in every match. However, although it did not secure many wins is was never disgraced. Indeed several matches might easily have gone 5B's way; and some victories were notched against teams in the Ardmore group. The team is proud of the fact that it really enjoyed the 1959 Rugby season largely because every boy always gave of his best.

The team was represented by:—M. King (Captain), R. Miller (Vice Captain), P. Blundell, R. Bruce, E. Churches, R. Gordon, J. Gregan, B. Harding, R. Harsant, P. Hayes, M. Hutton, R. McDonald, H. McKenzie, D. O'Connor, G. Philips, J. Ross, G. Smith, L. Stevens, N. Stevens, M. Winstone, R. Woodbridge, G. Wrigg. The coach was Mr G. F. Paton.

Papakura High School team won the 5th Grade competition, while the 4ths were runners-up to Papatoetoe after a very even series of matches. We congratulate Pukekhoe High School on their winning the First, Second and Third Grades.



OUR TEAMS' VISIT TO THAMES

Seven teams comprising Basketball, Hockey and Rugby from Papakura High School travelled to Thames on Saturday, 4th July, for the annual series of games between the two schools.

The results were:

Papakura 1st XV v. Thames 1st XV - 11 points to 3 points.

The game was played in extremely muddy conditions and the heavy ball was hard to handle. Papakura, after being down 3-0 in the first ten minutes, overcame the deficit to run out the eventual winners by 11-3. The game was rugged, especially in the forwards, who had a field day in the mud. Soon after Thames had opened the scoring with a penalty kick, Francis, playing on the wing, opened the scoring for Papakura with a try, after a movement from a loose ruck. For the rest of the first half, the game was even, with neither side gaining a territorial advantage.

After ten minutes in the second half, Papakura gained another three points when Kelly drop-kicked a field goal. Papakura stayed on the attack, and first-five eighth Cole, cut through the Thames back-line to score almost under the posts. MacFarland converted to make the final score 11-3.

Papakura 2nd XV v. Thames 2nd XV.

This was an even game, with Thames winning 3-0. It was anybody's game right to the final whistle, but Papakura could not overcome the three point lead gained by Thames, with a penalty kick in the first five minutes. The forwards saw most of the ball, the bad conditions making safe handling impossible for the backs. In the latter part of the second half, Papakura were unlucky not to score two tries when first Ross dived over in the corner, but was ruled out, and later when Beard had the ball knocked out of his hands when he was over the goal-line.

Boys Hockey-Papakura 1st XI v. Thames 1st XI

In this game Papakura overcame the bad conditions to beat Thames 9-0. From the moment the first goal was scored, it was evident that Papakura would be hard to stop, and by half-time, when the score was 7-0, it was only a question of how much Papakura would win by, not who would win. In the second half, only two more goals were scored, to make the final result 9-0. Scorers for Papakura were Ducker (3), Webb (3), Clarke (2), and McSweeney (1). Centre-half, Payne, gave valuable assistance to the forwards and was efficient on defence when needed. An indication of the one-sidedness of the game is the fact that Papakura goal-keeper did not touch the ball once.

Girls' Hockey-Papakura 1st XI v. Thames 1st XI

In this game Thames beat Papakura 1-0. Once again the game was played in muddy conditions. Thames adapted themselves well to the ground, and although they only scored one goal, they had a territorial advantage for most of the game. Fullbacks S. Holland, M. Mawhinney and goal-keeper J. Steele had a lot of work to do in keeping Thames out of the Papakura goal, and for most of the game the forwards were defending rather than attacking.

A VISIT OF TEAMS FROM TAUMARUNUI HIGH SCHOOL

For the first time in Papakura High School's six years of existence, we had an overnight visit from a school. Four teams from Taumarunui arrived by the Wellington express in the early morning of Friday 24th July and were met by their excited hosts and some staff members.

After a morning's rest, our visitors were welcomed by Mr Campbell at a special assembly. Then the games commenced.

On Friday night a social was held for team members, hosts and prefects. Among the items enjoyed by all were those proffered by the Girl Prefects' Skiffle Group and by Ken Thomson of 6A.

On Saturday morning, parents with cars assembled at the school and teams and hosts went off for a sigh-seeing tour of Auckland. The main objective was, of course, the Harbour Bridge, but a visit was also paid to the top of Mt. Eden for a view of the city.

The games:

Basketball: Unfortunately influenza had taken its toll of the Taumarunui team, and several of their A players were unable to make the trip. Although rather easier than we expected, the game was fast and interesting, with our forwards dominating the play. We ran off the court as victors by 27 goals to 6.

Football: This game was played in a strong wind, but a high standard was maintained throughout. The Taumarunui team although much lighter than Papakura, played well and held our team to 11-0 at the end of the first spell. However, in the second half weight told, and Papakura won by the comfortable margin of 35-3.

Girls' Hockey: Although Taumarunui scored early in the match, the play for most of the game was very even. Our team maintained a combination which gave us the deciding goal. The final score of 2-1 was a true indication of the play.

Boys' Hockey: Although very keen to avenge their defeat of last year, Papakura was beaten again, by 2-1. Play was extremely fast throughout, and the standard very high. However, in the second half the absence of several key players through illness, and injuries to players told, and Papakura was unable to pierce the visitors' excellent defence.

Papakura 2nd XI v. Thames 2nd XI

Here Thames also adapted themselves well to the ground, and defeated Papakura 2-0, one goal being scored in both halves.

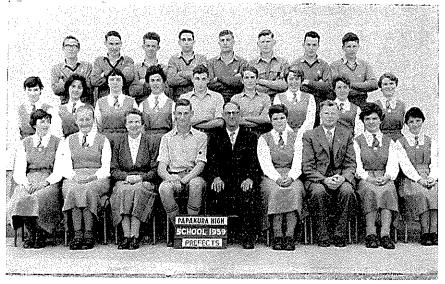
Girls' Basketball-Papakura A v. Thames A

The fact that two of Papakura's regular players were unable to play possibly disrupted the team, and helped the Thames team to win 21-13. Most times that Thames had possession they made the most of their chances, their attacking movements usually resulting in a goal. On the other hand, Papakura often failed to capitalise their opportunities when they had possession. However, after being down 14-7 at half time they did improve a little, and the final result was 21-13 in Thames' favour.

Papakura B v. Thames B

This game was very even, with the defence on both sides continually breaking up passing movements. At times play tended to be scrappy, with both sides missing a lot of opportunities. The final score was Thames 6, Papakura 5.

SCHOOL PREFECTS



Back Row: J. R. Irving, J. B. MacFarland, D. A. Beard, D. W. Payne, G. E. Kelly, H. C. Matheson, K. G. Thomson, L. G. Lukey

Middle Row: Elizabeth A Marshall, P. Jan Clarkson, Jacqueline D. Wills, Briar E. Mitchell, D. S. Francis, G. J. Collecutt, Susan M. Holland, Elaine V. Leaming, Janice H. Leadley, Front Row: Marie K. Blundell, Lyndsay R. Schou, Miss J. P. Linton, Brian E. Ducker, Mr A. J. Campbell, Maureen H. Barclay, Mr A. H. Donnell, Gillian M. Horan, Wynne J. Weatherly.

Left: Beverley L. Goertz, Margaret J. McFarland

PREFECTS' NOTES

MAUREEN BARCLAY

Theme Song: "Meanwhile, Back in the Jungle . . ."
Ambition: There's an athletic trip to Australia next year.
Proposed Career: Fixing people's ills.
Probable Destiny: Fixing people.

Pastime: Going walkabout.

Favourite Expression: "Yes, Miss Linton."

MARIE BLUNDELL

Theme Song: 'Honey You Can't Love One."

Ambition: To own a motor-scooter. Proposed Career: Primary teaching.
Probable Destiny: The one with the "Old Bomb"
Pastime: Drawing, painting and those sort of weird things.

Favourite Expressions: "Fabulous" "Neat

JAN CLARKSON

Theme Song: "It's Late."

Ambition: To get home from the pictures in less than three hours.

Proposed Career: Public Service.
Probable Destiny: She'il find tht millionaire.
Pastime: Getting home from the pictures.
Favourite Expression: "Elaine, have you done my Latin sentences?"

BEVERLEY GOERTZ

Theme Song: "Kiss me, ..., ..., Kiss me" Ambition: To avoid the Tutor Sister's eye when she's looking for

a "volunteer."

Proposed Career: Nursing.
Probable Destiny: On trial for menslaughter.
Pastime: Reading "Tom and Jerry" comics.
Favourite Expression: "When's Maths?"

SUSAN HOLLAND

Theme Song: "Ukelele Lady"
Ambition: To get the Prefects' Skiffle group into "Have a Shot"
Proposed Career: Drafting
Probable Destiny: Leading Ukelele in the National Orchestra.
Pastime: Going to "South Pacific," "Oklahoma," "South Pacific,"
"Gigi," "South Pacific" . . .
Favourite Expression: "Real cool man."

GILLIAN HORAN

Theme Song: "Don't Forbid Me" Ambition: To persuade the girl prefects that Elvis is better than

Pat Boone.

Proposed Career: Air Hostess.

Probable Destiny: Private secretary to one E. Presley.

Pastime: Making cups of so-called tea. Favourite Expression: "Gimme that guitar."

JAN LEADLEY

Theme Song: "Going Courtin'."

Ambition: To get Maureen to tidy up her books.

Proposed Career: Secondary teaching.
Probable Destiny: President of the Women's Division.

Pastime: Winning French Diplomas.

Favourite Expression: "Come on Sue. I've been waiting for ages."

ELAINE LEAMING
Theme Song: "Thank Heaven For Little Girls."
Ambition: To beat Sue in fair (?) fight.
Proposed Career: Secondary Teaching.
Probable Destiny: Crooning Latin lullables.
Pastime: Trying to avoid the before-school duty.
Favourite Expression: "Ah, hah, that fooled you."

ELIZABETH MARSHALL

Theme Song: "I'm Just a Girl who Can't say No."

Ambition: To ring the bell for 40 seconds.

Proposed Career: Secondary Teaching.

Probable Destiny: Being led up the garden path.

Pastime: There are a lot of boys at Welsey College. Favourite Expression: "Oh, you kids are awful!"

MARGARET McFARLAND

Theme Song: "Nursie, Come Over Here and Hold my Hand."

Ambitioin: To avoid all women doctors.

Proposed Career: Nursing.

Probable Destiny: She left before we decided.

Pastime: Silence is golden.
Favourite Expression: "That's Beaut."

BRIAR MITCHELL

Theme Song: "You Can't Catch Me." Ambition: To do everyone's corridor duty.

Proposed Career: Home Science Teacher Probable Destiny: Her training for above will be handy here.

Pastime: Arranging blossom to suit her artistic mind. Favourite Expression: "She makes me mad, that girl!"

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LYNDSAY SCHOU

Theme Song: "I'm Available"

Ambition: To avoid Mr Atkinson when he is checking for late-

Proposed Career: Secondary Teaching.
Probable Destiny: Senior Assistant Mistress.
Pastime: Eating Celery and Bananas.
Favourite Expression: "Oh Fluff"

WYNNE WEATHERLY

Theme Song: "How Little We Know"
Ambition: To forget all the Geography she has ever learned.
Proposed Career: Nursing.
Probable Destiny: One of those fearsome matrons.

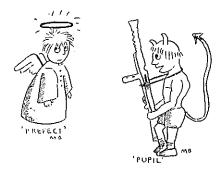
Pastime: He comes from Otahuhu College

Favourite Expression: "Doin' Fine."

JACQUELINE WILLS

Theme Song: "Personality"

Ambition: To stop falling. Her sense of balance is not the best. Proposed Career: Commercial Teacher.
Probable Destiny: Taking shorthand on the Boss's knee.
Pastime: Trying to keep a straight face.
Favourite Expression: "I've just had a brainwave."



DAVID BEARD

Theme Song: "It's Only Make Believe" Ambition: To continue leading a gay life.

Proposed Career: 'Varsity. Probable Destiny: Vast.

Pastime: What do his initials imply? Favourite Expresion: "Crikey"

GRAHAM COLLECUTT

Theme Song: "Problems, Problems, Problems All Day Long"

Ambition: To get 101 in Maths. Proposed Career: University. Probable Destiny: Statistics.

Pastime: Working

Favourite Expresion: There are only more weeks till the end of the term.

BRIAN DUCKER

Theme Song: "Lipstick On Your Collar"

Ambition: To find somebody else to do the work.
Proposed Career: Secondary Teaching
Probable Destiny: Office-boy at Ardmore Training College.
Pastime: Throwing water over Miss Linton
Favourite Expression: "I am very disturbed to hear that the girls ..."

DAVID FRANCIS
Theme Song: "Poor Boy"
Ambition: To deplete the Library of reference books.
Proposed Career: The Science line.
Probable Destiny: Sending Lukey to the moon.

Pastime: Swatting

Favourite Expression: "But it's not even funny."

JOHN IRVING

Theme Song: "Johnny You're Too Young"

Ambition: We can't write it down. Proposed Career: He's thinking Probable Destiny: Still thinking.

Pastime: Practising his cheshire-cat grin. Favourite Expression: "Wrap up"

GERALD KELLY

Theme Song: "I've Got a Lovely Bunch of Coconuts."

Ambition: Experience.

Proposed Career: Engineer Probable Destiny: Manager of an Expansive Corporation.

Pastime: Picking up.

Favourite Expression: "Now how about that"

LYALL LUKEY

Theme Song: "If You're Looking For Trouble" Ambition: First monkey to reach the moon.
Proposed Career: Journalism
Probable Destiny: Speaker in the House of Very Commons.
Pastime: Arguing the point.
Favourite Expresseions: "Rhubarb" "Curses!"

Ambition: To prove that there is a Saint with red hair.
Proposed Career: To leave School.
Probable Destiny: Official test-tube cleaner in a research laboratory

Pastime: Guy Fawkes has nothing on our Hughie. Favourite Expression: "It's a complex formation, Sir"

BRUCE McFARLAND

Theme Song: "Schoolboy Crush" Ambition: To master Ad Maths. Proposed Career: Architect. Probable Destiny: Polishing a bald head.

Pastime: Being schmitten. Favourite Expression: 'Shut up"

DAVID PAYNE

Theme Song: "Angel Smile" Ambition: Hollywood or bust!

Proposed Career: Secondary Teaching Probable Destiny: On the Staff at Auckland Grammar (Girls).

Pastime: Blondes prefer gentlemen. Favourite Expression: "My name's David, what's yours?"

DAVID PEACOCK

Theme Song: "Henry Lee"

Ambition: To prevent 6A's physics experiments from working.

Proposed Career: Engineering Probable Destiny: In orbit. Pastime: Playing tennis

Favourite Expression: "What?"

KEN THOMSON

Theme Song: "I'm Not a Juvenile Delinquent"

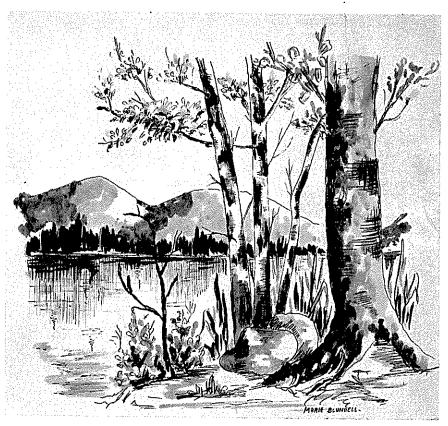
Ambition: To have a good time.

Proposed Career: Secondary Teaching

Probable Destiny: Teaching is secondary.

Pastime: Fighting the girls off his back.

Favourite Expression: "Gad, what's that you say?"



LITERARY SECTION



ODE TO PREFECTS

Oh ye keepers of the peace, Pursuers of the small, Who in assembly quiet Stand so dignified and tall.

Ye who know the right from wrong, Who wear your hats when on the street, Who never qualify for lines, Who are so tidy, clean and neat.

Ye who wield authority, Who never slacken off, Who when assembly forms Just never wriggle, never cough—

Lacking you, ye guardians of the law, The school could never be the same. The upper classes properly behaved, Nor thirds and fourths so tame.

-E.A.S. IV L

THE MASTER OF SCIENCE

There was a young master of science, With his class tried to form a alliance; With his form did he plead, But he did not succeed, Because all he met with was defiance.

-J.C., 3 Fr 1.

HOW I PREFER TO WASTE MY TIME

The words "waste time" as used in this topic I take to mean some occupation which has no definite purpose or result. They refer to the way in which you occupy yourself during your leisure time, when it is not used for the pursuit of a hobby, or some such other

constructive recreation.

My favourite time-waster is to relax in a deck-chair, well away from any interruption, and to sunbathe all afternoon. For some reason I do not find such pleasure in doing this in the morning — but in the afternoon, it is perfect! A good book (very light, of couse), an inexhaustible supply of iced drink (preferably Coca-Cola, pure grapefruit or lemon juice) and an adjustable deck chair; mix ingredients well, and serve in any order — this recipe makes an unending number of afternoons. This qualifies as my prize timewaster.

Of course, it can be practiced with variations. Swimming baths or the sea can be added, or the deck-chair replaced by a towel on the sand at a beach, or even by a congenial companion. If the last is added, however, he must be very congenial, and very sus-

ceptible to atmosphere - especially a lazy one.

Another time-waster requires a bush setting. Just to wander along the damp banks of a small winding stream, following the current "where'er it listeth," then to sit on a fallen trunk is most restful. The sight of the ferns in their moist beds, and the small trout sliding through the dark water give the impression of time standing still. Ten minutes in a small, quiet bush with only one's thoughts for company are two hours in the measurement of the ordinary world.

Sit in front of a fire one night and stare into the flames. After your eyes become accustomed to the heat and glare, and have stopped smarting, pictures can be created by your imagination. The sparks and tall flames form thought-ladders, the images springing from

the lower flames independent of those in the upper storey.

To float on a raft or rubber mattress on a choppy sea is peculiarly restful. Just to slip into the sea and cool off and then to climb back on to the raft to bake again is an alternation between the fishy and

human heavens.

Then there is the occupation commonly known as day-dreaming. Great concentration is needed at the beginning of this experiment, but by the time you reach the stage where by merely leaning on the broom, instead of sweeping the room, a day-dream can be induced, only pleasure is obtained. By such an activity I can make myself take a couple of hours over a chore which normally would take ten minutes. Unfortunately, day-dreaming can have awkward repercussions — especially when that two-hour chore has an irate parent intent on shortening it. Another drawback is that if indulged in a deck-chair or in the sun, day-dreaming is inclined to change into day-sleeping, and much of this pleasurable occupation is therefore lost.

For some, just to sit in a bus and travel is the only way to fill in their leisure time. But the jiggling of the bus and the shivers it sends up my spine combine to produce either a completely blank mind or a day-dreaming attitude. Some day. I should like to get on a bus and just travel to nowhere in particular, filling in the

time with "bus dreams."

But for each person the way in which he occupies his leisure time is all his own and each has his own idea of the only possible means of doing it. Because men's minds work in individual ways, the approach of each is different, but surely everybody at some time or other must feel that there is nothing he would like to do more than to do nothing. It is this universal attitude that makes everybody at some time find some special way of "wasting their time."

—W.W., VIA

ODE TO A TROPICAL AQUARIUM

From beneath the speckled gravel Exotic plants unravel, Green, intricate, slender stems Making a natural home for living gems; Tape grass, Stonewort and thick Duckweed Twine and twist, luxuriant feed.

In and out of this waving grass Splashes of living colour pass, Swimming smoothly with graceful dives, Flaunting their luminous sides, Guppies and Mollies, simple Wagtails — Their bright attraction never fails.

Up and down the walls of glass The viviparous molluscs pass, Cleansing of the organis algae; Moving with protruding eye, The coral snail or red ramshorn Slides its primitive face forlorn.

When feeding time arrives at last Multi-coloured fish sweep past, Add to frantic movements, their plea To hasten with that water flea; So Platies, Cichlids and Characins Rise to the surface with sweep of fins.

D.J., 4L.

I LOVE — —

I love flowers, As they spring from earth in sun-bathed hours, The poppies, the asters, the vivid sweetpeas; How I love flowers.

I love birds, As they sing among the spreading trees, The Kakas, and bellbirds, the mocking Tuis; How I love birds.

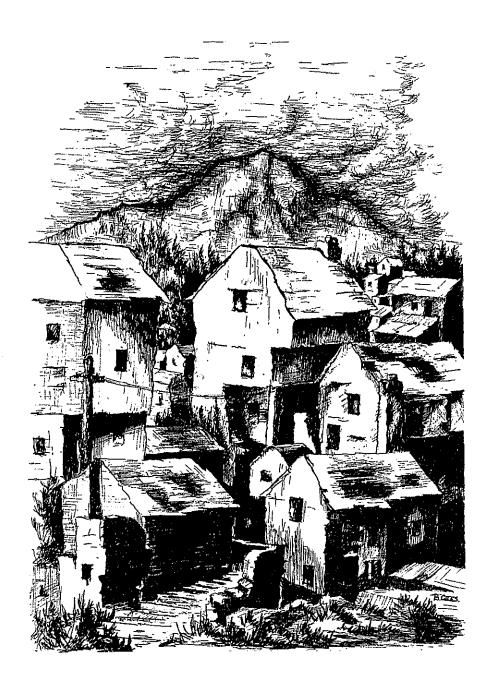
I love trees. As they whisper above in light, light breeze, The Rimu, the Teatree and tall Kauri; How I love trees.

R.J. 4L.

MY HOME TOWN

A few miles out of Edinburgh is my home town, Loanhead. It is a small village dominated by coal-mine shafts for it is a mining village. It is surrounded by the beauty of the Pentland Hills but it is grimy-looking, forming a contrast with the hills.

Most of the houses are made of stone and have tiled roofs although a new part is being added to the town consisting of houses made up of sheets of steel welded together and covered with small stones and shells. The majority of the houses belong to the Borough Council and have only very small gardens. Unlike the houses here which have their own separate gardens, four houses have to share one garden among them. The cause of this is that the four houses are built like a block of flats one on top of the other with staircases down to the ground for the two upper houses.



The main occupation of the village is coal-mining. Most of the able men go down the shafts, but the old men who have been injured while searching for coal are given light jobs at the pit head, such as lighting the miner's lamps and operating the cage which takes the men up and down according to their shifts. There are two pits in Loanhead. The oldest one, the Burghlea pit has been operating for many years.

The last Saturday of June is a great day in the life of the village, for the School Queen is crowned at the Gala Day. She is the cleverest girl in the top class of her school. She is driven through the streets in a horse-drawn open carriage with the rest of her cour in attendance. In the public park after the ex-queen is disrobed, the elected queen is crowned and is givn a gold watch by th lady who crowns her. In turn the queen presents the lady with her bouquet. After she has acknowledged her court she is driven through the streets again to another park where sports are held in her honour. On the Friday before her great day she is serenaded by a bag-pipe band.

Life in a mining village follows hte same pattern day after day. Early each morning you can hear the miners going down the road, their boots scraping as they go. Then the village awakes and it is the turn of the school children to run down the road. At about 2 p.m. the familiar scraping of boots is heard again and the miners return home. Then at half past three the children come home noisily discussing the day's events.

As you leave Loanhead, the last glimpse you have of it is the pit shafts and their slowly turning cable wheels.

-E.H. III L

SUMMER WEATHER

They say that summer's nearly here, But look out at the weather. Labour Day weekend has, I fear, Been just as wet as ever. In winter we expect the rain, And so don't really mind. But we think summer's weather should Be very much more kind.

-R.C., IVL.

LAMENT

I find it hard to do my Maths
And listen to the radio,
My mind just seems to wander off
My sums just will not go.
And even when I turn it ofl
And concentrate on pi r squared
The top tune that I like so much
Runs round and round my head.
So pen in hand I start again
On "problems one, two, three and six"
And now I see that Math and Hits
Will never really mix.

-L.L., IVL

TEEN-AGE YEARS

A teen-ager thinks that she is right in everything and that everybody else is completely wrong; so a teen-ager's years are very trying for her parents and teachers. The arguments of a teen-ager "starting out" are like this—

"Besides, what's wrong with staying out till midnight or later if a person wants to? It's my life. If I get sick, whose fault is that? Parents are so old-fashioned these days — don't know what's good for them." Her language become a foreign one to her parents as she mixes with her own crowd, and such expressions as "She's square," and the like, can be heard in most places.

While a teenager attends school it is the teacher's place to try to put some knowledge into the pupil's head already overcrowded with thoughts such as "Iwonder if he is waiting for me" and "I wonder whot next week's top pop will be." I often wonder how school pupils are expected to know everything they have been told when there are other things to do besides attending school.

As the teen-ager advances in years and grows in status she begins to think that most boys are a bit juvenile and need to start growing up. Hence she starts casting eyes at older men, usually members of the teaching staff. In co-educational schools, if only the men members of the staff could hear the conversations carried on behind their backs or whispered in class, many ears would redden with embarrassment. For instance "Hasn't he got a neat tie — goes well with his socks," and "Is he married? He is? Bother, what a waste."

The teen-agers conversation also changes to this pattern, "Mum, I saw a beaut bikini down town today. Quite reasonable, too. I want to get it," or "I have to have a new dress for Saturday night. Ted is taking me to a real hot cabaret and I need something real cool to wear." During this period come tears of mortification or disappointment and Mum says that "Judy is getting measles, or is sulky," and Judy replies that "Mum does not seem to be at all understanding. I wish she would be more sympathetic, and why shouldn't she agree to whatever I suggest?"

When a teen-ager reaches the great age of seventeen of eighteen, she begins to think that she would like to be a little sophisticated and wear shapeless sack frocks, shoes with five inch heels, and hats that cover the major part of the face. In most cases, the result is startling as it seemed "only the other day that Judy was in frilly skirts and bonnets."

The teen-ager is now ready to start out in a profession or has already started, and thinks that school is dull, is no real fun, and that is is awful having to wear a uniform that does nothing for one's figure . . . 'I didn't ask to go to school" becomes her cry, and perhaps the most deadly insult is "never mind dear, it won't happen again, will it? Now run and play like a good little girl."

By the time twenty is reached, the teen-ager regards herself as an adult and as having passed through the difficult stage. She expects to be treated as an adult, she uses the conventional sayings and acts as an adult should act. Also, by this time, she has decided whether she is to become a teacher, doctor or politician, and perhaps has even given up a promising career for "a life of wedded bliss." She no longer thinks of her parents as nuisances and wishes that she had listened to what Mum had to say. She even tells her younger sisters, "Wear warmer clothing else you will end up in the morgue" even if Mum says to her "If you are determined to marry Ted, you will end up in the divorce courts, mark my words."

-E.A.M., VIA

NIGHT NOISES

"Oh yes, you go, Mother. We'll be quite all right. After all I am sixteen," said my sister Beth, and I swelled to my full height of five feet, and thought how brave we were. Anne Frank had nothing on us!

The door closed on Mother and Father half an hour later and we were alone — Beth sewing by the fire, and I doing my homework. I finished my English, and History reading. The princes in the tower. All by themselves. Like us! How quiet it was! A piece of wood fell from the fire, and sounded like a tree. Sparks spat. Wouldn't it be awful if the house caught fire? Beth calmly put the wood back with the tongs, and said, "Nearly nine, you'd better go to bed."

I opened the door and quickly felt for the light switch. Click! and the kitchen door swung towards me. It squeaked! I jumped, and stared at the great black hole. A long drawn-out swish! My heart stopped. Then I backed. "Beth, there's a noise!" Beth came and listened. "Only the curtain, silly. Did you clean your teeth?" She swung open the bedroom door, seeming so calm, and yet I knew she wasn't, I just knew.

Two great lights shone at the window. We boht froze, then laughed hysterically as Ginger the cat said "Me-ow." Loud steps sounded just outside the window. Somebody coming! Here? Have they caught that escaped prisoner yet? But they came no closer, and steadily faded away. The footpath was all of two hundred yards from the house.

I hurried, and was soon in bed — a safe place. I noticed that Beth hurried too. I've never known a night so noisy. The trees moaned; the house cracked; the cars on the road roared and growled; the neighbour's dog howled and barked its loudest. The dark was so very dark! I put the light on. I would not go to sleep. I wasn't a bit tired!

Bed wasn't as warm as usual, and things cracked. The blind flapped. Beth turned over like a mattress — hours passed — I thought till my head hurt of stories of people who had been murdered in their beds. Then the clothes moved, and I was wide awake — and cold. A large someone — my clothes were deftly flipped into the way I like them. My feet felt and found the warmth of a hot water bottle, and the large someone shrank into a familiar figure. I took a deep familiar scented breath. Mother was back. Home was normal again.

-J.S., VIB

THE SCHOOL GATES

They stand mute witnesses to ever striving youth, To education, character and truth—
Through years unnoticed and unseen, in spite of all, Nothing but an entrance in the boundary wall.

The closing ceremony ends our final day, And passing through these gates we move upon our way; We know instinctively, no matter what our fates, Cherished in our hearts will live the shield, grey stone—the gates.

-M.M., IV L

SYMPATHY FOR THE SIXTH

I think that these heartless, unsympathetic authorities who delight in sending us crashing to the floor with a nod of the head, then in making us scramble to our feet again, so many times during morning assembly, should try this exercise themselves. This is an art perfected only by practice and painful experience. It is all very well for these sprightly young third formers to leap up and down like jacks-in-a-box, but when one has acquired the distinction of a School Certificate and reached the elevated intellectual level of the Sixth, this process is decidedly undignified as well as being rather hard on one's creaky old bones.

Monday mornings are the worst. After a hard weekend of . . . er . . . well . . .? one's reaction to 'Ye olde battle cry' "Sk - - - o o o - - - 1 Stand!" is apt to be a trifle unenthusiastic. Consequently, after sleeping through the usual dose of "The World Situation," one needs several well aimed pokes, a number of grunts and protests and a wild scramble before the sixth form line is restored to consciousness and the required semi-vertical position. This process is somewhat dangerous, as lack of speed or wit results in



several mashed fingers, a few broken bones, or a crack on the head, which is surely not good for such intellectual dignitories as can be found in the sixth (usually art types).

Yes, I think that something must be done before these budding genii, (as well as several minor science students) are ground into the dust on the hall floor. The dignity of the sixth must be rescued from the last stages of total degradation.

Maybe a series of armchairs could be installed in the rear of the hall or perhaps some other brilliant invention of modern furnishings whereby the school could stand up without moving!!! Another remedy for this uncomfortable situation would be to provide foam rubber cushions or cheeky third formers to sit on!

—J.M.M., VI B

TONDO — MANILA

Thick green pechai grows abundantly, Along the twisting, muddy Pasaig, Dark Mestisa scrubs her wash deftly Naked children swimming by her side.

Sun and wind have cracked the muddy ground; Carabaos lie resting in the shade, Quite oblivious to the hens around Darting and scuttling, pecking unafraid.

Drying singlets mask, through the houses Wiry youths and men grouped round a net — Clad in torn gay shirts, ragged trousers — Goals are shot as hands reach overhead.

Brown nepa hut stands high and steady, Scorched brown leaves on roof and matted floor; Signs of harsh indigence show already, But contented Fillipinos ask no more.

--H.L.W., 4 L

REMINISCENCES

Four years ago, we were third-formers — forty of us — and we were a peculiar lot, as most Thirds are. We stood in deep awe of prefects and had crushes on sixth-formers, the First Fifteen, and other such heroes and heroines, while we never dreamed of breaking school rules or cheeking teachers. We worried over exams and simple equations, French, and one hour's homework, and we held heated form meetings in order to reform the school, or if necessary, the world. Each week we listened to "Life with Dexter" without fail, and read space and science fiction, or enthralling "Biggles" stories. We marched about the school in gangs; and, most peculiar of al, we really enjoyed school!

Then we were Fourths, and with our "tenderfoot year" behind us, we really blossomed out. We scorned the new Thirds, gangs, "Dexter," rules and schoolwork, and we hated all seniors, especially prefects. We went mad over Elvis, boy and girlfriends — crewcuts and racing cars were for the boys, while the girls adored makeup, high heels and hit parades (these became the main conversation topics!). Our only worries were whether our parents would let us go out at night, how we could read paperbacks without our teachers noticing, and how we could cram one to two hours' homework into half an hour so that we could pursue other interests. In contrast to the Thirds, we really hated school!

Last year we realised with a start how little we had done the previous year, and began to concentrate a little more on our studies. We spoke nervously and constantly of School Cert., scaling marks and tranquillising pills. Instead of hating prefects, we ignored them, while the junior forms were beneath us entirely. We consumed dozens of restricted circulation books, and went mad over Yul Brynner, Sabrina and Capping magazines. We thought of the School Dance as lots of fun, while our worries were over two or three hour's homework, quadratic equations, verb tenses and why we had two or three fifth subjects. School was nothing but a big worry!

And now we are in the Sixth, not as many as we were before, trying to set an example to yet another new third form, wondering if we will be accredited, rebelling against the monotony of school life, and thinking of the School dance as lots of work! We both listen to hit parades and follow football keenly (especially All Blacks and Lions). We're wondering why we now have five fifth subjects, and we also worry about tests and exams, but strangely enough we quite enjoy school in spite of it all! Silly aren't we?

NEVER A DULL MOMENT

Are you one of those people who is always in a hurry? I am. I'm sure it would be a profitable venture to lengthen the day by several hours at least. (We over-worked, under-paid members of the lower sixth might catch up with our homework for once).

No matter how punctual I resolve to be, I invariably end up late, whether I'm going to the pictures, to a dance, to school, going anywhere. In fact I always manage to work in that exciting last minute scramble to catch up with myself.

Determined not to be late (for once) I carefully plan a tight schedule, (five minutes for bath, two for hair, two for teeth, three for nails, half an hour to dress. Perfect! This time I'll be early). However, when I reluctantly leave my book, I find that the clock has stopped, or is slow, and an ever increasing number of obstacles are piling up in front of me. "I've only got five minutes! Where are my shoes? My Stockings are laddered! No time for a bath. Fingernails. Oh well, I'll wear gloves. Can't find my hair brush. Quick! Where's Mum's? I haven't ironed my dress. Where on earth are my ear-rings, shoes, coat, handkerchief, cardigan, gloves, scarf . . . ? ? ? Help! Mum!

Used to this type of catastrophe Mum comes to the rescue. She quells the wild disorder of rebellious articles with a cold glare, relentlessly tracking down the offenders with the skill of a school teacher. Driving the cowardly deserters from secluded corners, under beds, behind cupboards, or buried in drawers where they have been purposely evading my desperate searching.

As usual, I arrive late for the pictures, but in my hurry to find a seat and appear as inconspicious as possible, I struggle over people's feet, arousing indignant protests from my victims, get my coat hooked on chairs, knock hats askew, scatter bags of sweets and salted peanuts everywhere, leaving a trail of wreckage in my wake. Never daunted, I struggle on more frantically arousing even more furious protests until, in desperation, I dive for a black opening in front of me. Thank goodness! With a gasp of relief I deposit my belongings and myself, only to hear a muffled cry of anguish from the elderly Maori lady in the black coat, upon whose ample knee I had landed.

On school mornings, I need all my wits and speed to arrive at all. No matter how early I get up, even if I rise at the early hour of eight, I'm always searching for gooks, socks, tie and lunch at twenty to nine, usually ending up with five minutes to get to school, a physical impossibility even for a professional fourteen minute miler!

As you see, there's never a dull moment for one who is permanently half a beat behind. Thing of all the fun you'd miss following a strict orderly time table, being a slave to a nasty little gadget which has only intelligence enough to chant tick-tock at regular intervals, and make an odd sort of clanging noise when it feels it is not getting the required attention. No! Life is much more fun if you take it at a run. No time to think, no time to worry. Why, if you hurry enough, you might beat that silly clock for once!

__J.M.M., 6B Sc. 1

OLD PUPILS' NEWS



OLD PUPILS.

Attending Auckland University this year are:— Rosaleen Billinghurst, Elizabeth Callis, Helen Cheadle, Ngaire Hughes, Anne Thomas and Anne Ruthe. Charlie Akers, Lindsay Merry, Leslie Paver and Lloyd Walker. Joanna Zinzan is at Otago University.

These ex-pupils are at Training College:—
Raewyn Mansell and Robin Dittmer are at Auckland; Beris Wills, Margaret Robertson, Lindsay Johns and Janice Williams are at

The following are nursing:-

Maureen Marbeck, Heather Howie, Margaret McFarland, Jean McCulloch.

Post Office:-

June Williams, Yvonne Cossey, Ngaire Hussey; Dianne Young, Jeanette Cleaver, Brenda Brown and Lynette Glasgow work in Telephone Exchanges.

Banks:-

Dorothy Laurie, Janne Liggins, Joy Bruce, Noeline Shanks. Richard Peacock is a chemist's assistant at Papatoetoe.

Graham Henry is chemist's assistant at Johnston's Pharmacy,

Manurewa.

Margaret Waterhouse is working as a doctor's receptionist. Yvonne Gore is a nurse aid at Papakura Obstetric Hospital. Janine Santry is Dental Nursing.
Gillian Amies is in the office at Kingseat Hospital.

Janice Nixon is a laboratory assistant in the Blood Bank at Auckland Hospital.

Cherrill Downes and Jacqueline Downes are at Businessmen's

College.

Ellis Fell and Keith Wright are in the Air Force, and Eric McKinstrey is at Cranwell Air Training Base, England. Alan Gamble left for England in November for 2 years' study.

Dianne Cooper is modelling. Beth Morrison, Kathryn Parlour, Maureen Smeed, and Royaline

Blanche are working at George Courts.

Neil Stephenson is working at the Farmer's Auctioneering Co. Allan Traill is working at John Burns and Company, Auckland. Michael Wilson is at the Penrose Printing Company.

Athol Fahey is working at John Court's Ltd., Auckland. Iris Morrison is working at Collies Four Square Market.

Glennis Moncrief is working at Masseys Ltd., Pukekohe. Lesley Young is working at the Loan and Mercantile Agency, Pukekohe.

Brian Andrews is an apprentice jockey at Takanini.

Lorraine Bethune is leaving for a holiday in Scotland early next year.

Engagement :-

Jeanette Blundell is engaged to Trevor Cole, of Kingsland. Marriages:-

Graham Gore to Gloria Parkinson, Valerie Andrews to Malcolm Owens.

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