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## EDITORIAL.

*Tempora mutantur et nos mutamur in illis.* In other words, The old order changeth, yielding place to new. Nothing like starting off with a couple—or should it be a brace?—or, possibly, a pair? At any rate it isn't a pride, nor yet a leash, nor even a gaggle—of good old tags. Must have been reading Lamb lately, murmurs the sapient reader. Obviously, therefore—no, not definitely—that word, in deference to the higher—we might say etherial—powers, has been definitely erased from the editorial vocabulary—we must return to our muttons, hoping that the somewhat attenuated paronomasia will not be altogether lost on the aforementioned sapient reader.

The sapper and the miner have been at work and the fortress has surrendered. Not only that, but the garrison has joined forces with the besiegers. In short, soccer—hateful, though convenient, word—is a dying cause and Rugby insolently rears its triumphant head on high. But the gallant ship—to vary the metaphor—has gone down with flying colours. The shield has been won thirteen times in succession and 21 times in all; while, although the standard of play had of late years declined, the final match was worthy of our palmiest days.

Let it not be supposed, however, that we are against the change. Far from it. We must move with the times. Moreover, speaking without prejudice, we believe that the new

game will afford opportunities of distinction to a type of boy that has hitherto languished in unmerited obscurity. If our surmise is correct the change will have its repercussions in other walks of school life. The miraculous transformation of the lower ground from an eyesore to a thing of beauty is surely an augury of greater things to come.

Another long-established and extremely popular institution, the "Inter-High," has passed peacefully away. Many would like to see this meeting revived at some future date in a modified form. It has seen some gallant and historic struggles and was once regarded as the most interesting event of its kind in these parts; but we feel that, like many another cherished institution, it has served its purpose. By some its passing will be unwept, unhonoured and unsung, but it will ever be enshrined in the hearts of others as one of those pleasant memories that go to make up the good old days.

The unusual lateness of Easter, which gave us two very uneven terms, the congestion of holidays in May, which made work in that month a thing of shreds and patches, and the Jubilee celebrations, with other causes mentioned, have made the past half-year the most extraordinary in the history of the School.

In conclusion, we offer our loyal congratulations to our beloved King and Queen on their long and glorious reign.



**PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.****Transvaal Secondary School Certificate.****First Class—**

Berg, H. L.  
Davidowitz, I. M.  
Dungan, C. K.

Goodman, G. D.  
Hart, R. C.  
Kirshon, L.

Van de Pol, R. E.

**Pass—**

Adams, A. D.  
Armstrong, E. G.  
Aronowitz, I.  
Barge, H. B. O.  
Batzofin, H.  
Becker, A. L.  
Berkowitz, M.  
Brierley, T. H.  
Brownie, W. H.  
Campbell, J. M.  
Chait, J. E.  
Coetzee, O. B.  
Covaar, J. H.  
Du Plessis, P. J.  
Ellis, I.  
Fisher, A. A.  
Friedman, N. D.  
Goldman, I. H.  
Gordon, S.

Hall, L. R.  
Hare, J.  
Haynes, D. R.  
Heyman, L.  
Hurwitz, K.  
Jessup, G.  
Kerswill, D. F.  
Kraayenbrink, H. J.  
Lane, J.  
Levin, C.  
Lovell-Wright, L. W.  
Marks, T.  
Markusewitz, A.  
Mullin, F. B.  
Nicholls, W. H.  
Peall, F. E.  
Plen, H.  
Radus, T.  
Roodt, E. C. C.

Rose-Innes, J.  
Rosenbaum, M. M.  
Rosin, J.  
Roux, L. D.  
Rubenstein, L.  
Sandig, L. R.  
Shapiro, S. B.  
Smith, H. H.  
Smulowitz, B.  
Stanley, A. W.  
Stein, H.  
Stein, L.  
Thorold, R. S.  
Tucker, W.  
Vorster, S. P.  
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Wayburne, H.  
Wilkie, A.

**Supplementary—**

Kantor, N. L.  
Ferramosca, L. F.  
Dall, D. E.

Teubes, M. N.  
Bailey, N. H.  
Persson, B. A.

Haughland, A.

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Codd, A. H.  
Fletcher, G. C.  
Fluxman, S.  
Frank, L.

Goldberg, H.  
Jankelowitz, I.  
Koelges, N. A.  
Miller, P. J. F.

Reichman, L.  
Runciman, C.  
Silverthorne, L.  
Williams, J. R. T.



**Second Class—**

Allison, G.  
 Artus, C.  
 Beder, J.  
 Blake, D. O.  
 Bowie, R. K. K.  
 Crosley, H.  
 Gnesin, M.  
 Gray, G. M.

Groom, S. H.  
 Hall, R. O.  
 Jankelow, S. J.  
 Jones, T. A.  
 Light, S.  
 Mandelstam, J.  
 Murrow, L. H.  
 Parrott, R. S.

Portway, F. J.  
 Rosie, J. G.  
 Segal, A. B.  
 Skok, B. P.  
 Smith, C. V.  
 Vines, D. N.  
 Zinn, S.

**Third Class—**

Andersen, N. J.  
 Asbury, F.  
 Blankfield, H.  
 Brittan, J.  
 Brown, W. R.  
 Ciorovich, C.  
 Cohen, I.  
 De Roos, L.  
 Hurwitz, D.  
 Innes, E.  
 Ireland, G. C.  
 Jackson, T. J.  
 Jacobson, L.

Johnson, M. R.  
 Kearney, J. P.  
 Lee, R.  
 Leveson, A.  
 Mackay, D. A.  
 Marshall, W. S.  
 Maserowitz, H.  
 Mitchell, J.  
 Niesewand, G.  
 Price, G.  
 Richards, V. J.  
 Roberts, T. H.  
 Rose, E. H.

Rosenberg, N. E.  
 Rubin, W. C.  
 Sadowsky, S. L.  
 Shepherd, C. E.  
 Skewes, D. M.  
 Smith, E. L.  
 Swartz, T.  
 Van Beuge, W.  
 Venter, A. A.  
 Victor, B. E.  
 Walker, L. R.  
 Wolk, S. H.  
 Young, D.

**Supplementary—**

Fichardt, N. E.  
 Hirson, B. M.  
 Morgan, V. G.  
 Munro, K. R.

Odgers, W. Y.  
 Rabinowitz, N. G.  
 Ruis, H. L.  
 Sawers, T. M.

Snell, A. L.  
 Stephen, D.  
 Wepener, M.

**AFRIKAANSE TAALEKSAMEN.****Hoër Eksamen.****Laer Graad—**

Brownie, W. H.  
 Dawidowitz, I. M.  
 Hare, J.

Mullin, F.  
 Roux, L. D.  
 Van de Pol, R. H.

Vorster, S. P.

**Laer Eksamen.****Hoër Graad—**

Hewitt, C.

Neppe, M. L.



## Laer Graad—

Barracclough, D.	Rankin, N. K.	Warren, G.
Carnell, F.	Ruis, H. L.	Wayburne, E.
Dickson, E. A.	Sacks, A.	Will, R.
Frank, L.	Sacks, A. N.	Williams, J. R.
Isaacs, C.	Sboros, D.	Young, D.
Joffe, A.	Shepherd, C.	Young, J. E.
Marin, M.	Stein, L.	
Petersen, T. I.	Stromin, P.	

## JUBILEE ESSAY PRIZE WINNERS.

## English—

Fifth Forms:	...	1.	C. O. R. Koelges.	2.	N. L. Neppe.
Fourth Forms:	...	1.	A. Swersky	2.	N. A. Koelges. P. Miller
Third Forms:	...	1.	Z. Goldblatt.	2.	K. Winter.
Second Forms:	...	1.	B. Golberg.	2.	J. J. Stern.
First Forms:	...	1.	H. Cooper.	2.	F. H. Perry.

## Afrikaans—

Group I.:	...	...	1.	E. Boutelje.	2.	O. L. Ward.
Group II.:	...	...	1.	T. Hogan.		
Group III.:	...	...	1.	J. Rabe.		

## CRICKET NOTES.

The first half of the season found us with the nucleus of a very good team, but their performances can only be described as patchy. The most exciting match was against King Edward's, which was won by a very small margin after defeat had seemed certain. St. John's, on the other hand, made our team look almost pathetic, and were better in every department of the game. The batting was as a rule moderate, but no player, with the possible exception of Jacobson, could be called consistent, and he, too, frequently got

himself out when playing with confidence and apparently set for a big score. Waites played two or three fine innings, and Rankin was useful at times. Sboros and Allen of the new players showed distinct promise. The bowling was of a very mixed variety. Armitage was undoubtedly the best, while Roberts, after a good beginning, fell completely out of form. Waites secured a few wickets. The fielding was generally good, but, like the batting and bowling, not convincing. Barracclough kept wicket well, and at times showed that he could bat.



The 2nd XI. had a most successful time, being unbeaten; while the 3rd XI. lost only one of their matches.

A most interesting game was played when the School matches were finished, on the grass wicket at Ellis Park. Twenty-two players picked from the High Schools of Johannesburg had their first experience of cricket under unusual conditions, and on the whole acquitted themselves remarkably well. The thanks of all the Schools are due to the Rugby officials for sponsoring the match and for kindly entertaining us on both days. Everyone seemed to enjoy himself immensely, and the unanimous opinion was that, if possible, this match should be played each year.

### FIXTURES.

#### 1st XI.

Jan. 26.—v. Sub Nigel C.C. ... ..	Won.
Jan. 30—Feb. 6.—v. Mr. Walshe's XI.	Lost.
Feb. 3.—v. Wanderers Nomads ... ..	Won.
Feb. 9.—v. Pretoria Boys' H.S. ... ..	Won.
Feb. 13-16.—v. Parktown H.S. ... ..	Lost.
Feb. 20-23.—v. King Edward VII.	
School ... ..	Won.
Feb. 27.—v. Marist Bros.' College ...	Won.
Mar. 6-9.—v. St. John's College ...	Lost.
Played, 8; Won, 5; Lost, 3.	

#### 2nd XI.

Feb. 9.—v. Pretoria Boys' H.S. ...	Won.
Feb. 13.—v. Parktown H.S. ... ..	Won.
Feb. 20.—v. King Edward VII.	
School ... ..	Won.
Feb. 27.—v. Marist Bros. College ...	Won.
Mar. 6.—v. St. John's College ... ..	Won.
Played, 5; Won, 5.	

#### 3rd XI.

Feb. 9.—v. Pretoria Boys' H.S. ...	Won.
Feb. 13.—v. Parktown H.S. ... ..	Drn.
Feb. 20.—v. King Edward VII.	
School ... ..	Drn.
Feb. 23.—v. Y.M.C.A. ... ..	Lost.
Feb. 27.—v. Marist Bros. College ...	Won.
Mar. 6.—v. St. John's College ... ..	Drn.
Played, 6; Won, 2; Drawn, 3; Lost, 1.	

#### Under 14.

v. Parktown ... ..	Won.
v. K.E.S. ... ..	Drn.
v. Marists ... ..	Drn.

#### Under 13.

There are some promising bats in the side, who, however, did not quite fulfil their promise. At least six members of the team can score rapidly on occasions, but not one of these is steady and reliable enough to make a good opening bat. The side is fortunate in having two left-handers.

The bowling was fair, but the fielding could be improved. Lack of practice in the field was responsible for this, and perhaps lack of keenness in two or three members, amongst whom was the Vice-Captain.

#### Results.

v. Parktown. Match drawn.
v. Marist Primary. Lost by five wickets.
v. Marist Bros., Observatory. Match drawn.
v. Under 14b. Won by 22 runs.

### FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES.

#### The School v. Sub-Nigel C.C.

Played at Sub-Nigel and won by 129 runs. Armitage and Roberts bowled very well, and after Bremner and Gibbs had been dismissed, the home team collapsed badly. For the School, Waites and Jacobson batted well and freely. Our thanks are due to our hosts on the mine for a very pleasant afternoon, and we hope the fixture will become an annual affair.

#### SUB NIGEL.

Boreland, b Waites ... ..	5
Bremner, b Roberts ... ..	27
Gibbs, R., st. Barraclough, b Armitage	36
Foss, c Barraclough, b Roberts ... ..	1
Gibson, lbw, b Armitage ... ..	0
Gibbs, T., b Armitage ... ..	0
Williams, c Rankin, b Armitage ... ..	0
McKenzie, b Roberts ... ..	1
Rosa, b Armitage ... ..	4
Plen, b Armitage ... ..	2
Leach, not out ... ..	4
Extras ... ..	10

Total ... ..	90
Bowling: Armitage, 6 for 35; Roberts, 3 for 11.	



## THE SCHOOL.

Daniel, run out ... ..	22
Rankin, c and b Boreland ... ..	22
Jacobson, c Plen, b Boreland ... ..	56
Waites, lbw, b Foss ... ..	85
Tully, c Gibbs, b Bremner ... ..	0
Rhumer, c Plen, b Boreland ... ..	0
Roberts, b Boreland ... ..	5
Sboros, c and b Boreland ... ..	7
Shewell, c Gibbs, b Boreland ... ..	1
Armitage, not out ... ..	1
Barracrough, b Boreland ... ..	9
Extras ... ..	11
Total ... ..	219

**The School v. Mr. Walshe's XI.**

Played at Kensington and lost by an innings and three runs. The School batted first and put up a very fine resistance to the bowling of Rankin and Price. Smith and Hopson batted very well, and Jack, towards the close of the innings, hit the School bowling all over the field and several times out of it. In the School second innings Jacobson was the only batsman to play with any confidence.

## THE SCHOOL.

## First Innings.

Daniel, b Rankin ... ..	12
Rankin, b Rankin ... ..	12
Jacobson, lbw, b Rankin ... ..	9
Waites, c and b Price ... ..	4
Roberts, lbw, b Rankin ... ..	19
Tully, c Jones, b Price ... ..	11
Rhumer, b Price ... ..	8
Armitage, b Rees ... ..	8
Shewell, b Price ... ..	1
Sboros, not out ... ..	10
Barracrough, b Rankin ... ..	12
Extras ... ..	9
Total ... ..	115

**MR. WALSHE'S XI.**

Smith, retired ... ..	54
Mowat, b Roberts ... ..	5
Hopson, c Daniel, b Roberts ... ..	55
Rubin, c Roberts, b Rankin ... ..	16
Jones, b Roberts ... ..	3
Rankin, b Roberts ... ..	1
Rees, b Roberts ... ..	6
Price, c Barracrough, b Roberts ... ..	16
Jack, not out ... ..	71

Jackson, run out ... ..	18
Walshe, b Armitage ... ..	0
Extras ... ..	15

Total ... .. 260  
Bowling: Roberts, 6 for 70; Armitage, 1 for 18.

## THE SCHOOL.

## Second Innings.

Jacobson, c Rees, b Smith ... ..	40
Rankin, b Rankin ... ..	10
Tully, b Rubin ... ..	16
Rhumer, lbw, b Rubin ... ..	4
Waites, c Jones, b Walshe ... ..	16
Roberts, b Rubin ... ..	0
Armitage, b Jack ... ..	17
Sboros, c Rankin, b Price ... ..	5
Rose-Innes, c Price, Sheahan ... ..	13
Shewell, not out ... ..	8
Barracrough, run out ... ..	9
Extras ... ..	4
Total ... ..	142

**The School v. Wanderers Nomads.**

Played at Kensington and won by nine wickets. The School, after dismissing their opponents for a moderate score, rattled up the necessary runs at a great pace and just managed to beat the clock. Jacobson, Rankin and Waites all batted well.

## WANDERERS NOMADS.

Mackey, c Waites, b Roberts ... ..	4
Veale, b Roberts ... ..	27
Lewis, b Jacobson ... ..	37
Trollip, b Jacobson ... ..	19
Levick, c Waites, b Rankin ... ..	24
Sheahan, b Jacobson ... ..	13
Van Eyssen, b Rhumer ... ..	7
Pryer, b Roberts ... ..	2
Thorogood, c Rhumer, b Armitage ... ..	8
Smith, not out ... ..	17
Spencer, run out ... ..	1
Extras ... ..	11
Total ... ..	170

Bowling: Roberts, 3 for 25; Jacobson, 3 for 20.

## THE SCHOOL.

## First Innings.

Jacobson, not out ... ..	61
Rankin, lbw, b Levick ... ..	61
Waites, not out ... ..	48
Extras ... ..	9
Total (for one wicket) ... ..	179



**The School v. Pretoria High School.**

Played at Kensington and won by 125 runs. The visitors found Armitage and Roberts in good bowling form, and were dismissed for a small score. Parr and Davis played useful innings. Waites and Barracrough were the principal scorers for the School. Rankin also batted well, as did Jacobson until he was foolishly run out.

**PRETORIA HIGH SCHOOL.**

Gerig, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	6
Mitchell, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	14
Parr, c Roberts, b Armitage	...	...	...	...	22
Henderson, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	1
Dey, c Barracrough, b Armitage	...	...	...	...	21
Beuthin, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	0
De Grey, b Armitage	...	...	...	...	6
Davis, c Tully, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	35
Delaney, c Jackson, b Armitage	...	...	...	...	0
Hepburn, run out	...	...	...	...	3
Madsworth, not out	...	...	...	...	6
Extras	...	...	...	...	9

Total ... 123

Bowling: Roberts, 5 for 74; Armitage, 4 for 28.

**THE SCHOOL.**

Jacobson, run out	...	...	...	...	12
Barracrough, b Mitchell	...	...	...	...	44
Tully, lbw, b Davis	...	...	...	...	14
Waites, b Parr	...	...	...	...	74
Rankin, c Henderson, b Beuthin	...	...	...	...	28
Roberts, c Henderson, b Beuthin	...	...	...	...	0
Rhumer, lbw, b Parr	...	...	...	...	19
Armitage, c Delaney, b Henderson	...	...	...	...	10
Sboros, not out	...	...	...	...	12
Jackson, lbw, b Madsworth	...	...	...	...	9
Shewell, st Delaney, b Davis	...	...	...	...	9
Extras	...	...	...	...	17

Total ... 248

**The School v. Parktown High School.**

Played at Kensington and lost by 25 runs. Rankin and Jacobson were the principal contributors towards our total. The Parktown bowling was very steady. Shaw, for the visitors, scored a fine century, and was mainly responsible for his side's victory. In this match the School's fielding was ragged, and several catches were dropped.

**THE SCHOOL.**

Jacobson, c Williams, b Vermeulen	...	...	...	...	34
Barracrough, c Winstanley, b Smither	...	...	...	...	0
Tully, b Williams	...	...	...	...	12
Waites, b Smither	...	...	...	...	22
Rankin, c Smither, b Williams	...	...	...	...	52
Rhumer, lbw, b Shaw	...	...	...	...	15
Allen, b Oakenfull	...	...	...	...	22
Armitage, c Cooper, b Smither	...	...	...	...	18
Roberts, not out	...	...	...	...	18
Sboros, c and b Shaw	...	...	...	...	1
Jackson, c Smither, b Shaw	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	8
Total	...	...	...	...	202

**PARKTOWN HIGH SCHOOL.**

Lowenberg, c Jacobson, b Rankin	...	...	...	...	3
Orr, b Armitage	...	...	...	...	20
Winstanley, lbw, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	14
Shaw, c Tully, b Waites	...	...	...	...	120
Smither, c Rhumer, b Roberts	...	...	...	...	12
Leighton, b Armitage	...	...	...	...	1
Williams, run out	...	...	...	...	0
Wooler, c Jacobson, b Waites	...	...	...	...	25
Cooper, run out	...	...	...	...	0
Oakenfull, b Waites	...	...	...	...	6
Vermeulen, not out	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	26

Total ... 227

Bowling: Waites, 3 for 30; Rankin, 1 for 18.

**The School v. King Edward VII. School.**

Played at Houghton and won by six runs. The School went to the wicket first, and by good and consistent batting scored the large total of 314 for 7 wickets, and then declared. Jacobson and Daniel were responsible for a good opening partnership, and the good work was continued. Waites scored a good 78, and Sboros, Allen and Tully batted freely and well. Lowe and Gardiner, for King Edward's, were responsible for a splendid second-wicket stand, and both scored at a great pace. After Lowe's dismissal, Seccombe helped Gardiner to put victory for his side in sight. When the score was within 47 runs of the Jeppe total, Gardiner made his first mistake. Then excitement began to run high, and when 17 runs were still wanted and four wickets were still to fall, Seccombe after a gallant innings, got his leg in front of a straight ball from Armitage. Allen was then handed the ball, and bowling a perfect



length he managed to keep down the score and secured the last two wickets when the home side were still six runs in arrears. Gardiner played a magnificent innings for King Edward's, and Allen for the School did exactly what was wanted at the right time.

#### THE SCHOOL.

Jacobson, c and b Seccombe	...	...	...	46
Daniel, b Fewster	...	...	...	37
Barracrough, lbw, b Golding	...	...	...	3
Waites, c Scrimgeour, b Seccombe	...	...	...	78
Rankin, c Gardiner, b Fewster	...	...	...	13
Sboros, b Begbie	...	...	...	37
Allen, not out	...	...	...	48
Armitage, c Lowe, b Begbie	...	...	...	5
Tully, not out	...	...	...	35
Rhumer and Roberts did not bat.				
Extras	...	...	...	12

Total (for 7 wickets, declared) ... 314

#### KING EDWARD VII. SCHOOL.

Scrimgeour, c Allen, b Waites	...	...	15
Louw, c Barracrough, b Waites	...	...	57
Begbie, c Rhumer, b Waites	...	...	5
Gardiner, c and b Armitage	...	...	143
Seccombe, lbw, b Armitage	...	...	46
Lamont, c Waites, b Armitage	...	...	0
Collier, run out	...	...	20
Maile, c Roberts, b Armitage	...	...	9
Jaffee, c Sboros, b Allen	...	...	0
Golding, not out	...	...	2
Fewster, b Allen	...	...	1
Extras	...	...	10

Total ... 308

Bowling: Armitage, 4 for 76; Waites, 3 for 75; Allen, 2 for 26.

#### The School v. Marist Bros.

Played at Yeoville and won by 8 wickets and 51 runs. The Marists, batting first, could not cope with the bowling of Armitage, who finished with the fine average of eight wickets for 38 runs. Daniel, Barracrough and Waites found little difficulty in passing the home side's score.

#### MARIST BROS. COLLEGE.

Flemming, c and b Armitage	...	...	15
Celine, b Allen	...	...	18
Lovell, b Armitage	...	...	0
Hyde, lbw, b Armitage	...	...	0
Waspe, c Armitage, b Allen	...	...	3

Scheppening, b Armitage	...	...	13
Carney, c Tully, b Armitage	...	...	0
Joffee, c Tully, b Armitage	...	...	27
Watson, b Armitage	...	...	3
Greathead, not out	...	...	7
Deane, b Armitage	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	7
Total	...	...	93

Bowling: Armitage, 8 for 38; Allen, 2 for 2.

#### THE SCHOOL.

Jacobson, c Deane, b Carney	...	...	6
Daniel, b Hyde	...	...	49
Barracrough, not out	...	...	52
Waites, not out	...	...	35
Extras	...	...	2

Total (for 2 wickets) ... 144

#### The School v. St. John's College.

Played at Houghton and lost by 223 runs. St. John's batted first, and a great first-wicket partnership by Smith and Wynne yielded the huge total of 267. Both batted brilliantly, and although they scored at a great rate, neither gave the fielders a semblance of a chance. With 380 on the board for four wickets the home side declared, and, faced with an almost impossible task, the School batsmen seemed able to do very little right. Wynne, who bowled very well and kept a good length, and Cooke were mainly responsible for the School's rout. The only incident worth recording in the School's innings was an enormous hit by Armitage—the ball soared over trees, a road and a house, until it found its resting place in the tennis court of the next block.

#### ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

Smith, c Sboros, b Waites	...	...	170
Wynne, lbw, b Rhumer	...	...	146
Harrison, lbw, b Armitage	...	...	18
Lamb, c Daniel, b Waites	...	...	25
Cook, not out	...	...	2
Martin, not out	...	...	1
Extras	...	...	18

Total (for 4 wickets, declared) ... 380

Bowling: Waites, 2 for 69; Rhumer, 1 for 25.



## THE SCHOOL.

Jacobson, c and b Wynne	...	...	...	7
Daniel, c Stott, b Wynne	...	...	...	26
Waites, b Cook	...	...	...	7
Rankin, b Cook	...	...	...	6
Sboros, b Cook	...	...	...	15
Armitage, c May, b Wynne	...	...	...	19
Allen, c and b Wynne	...	...	...	1
Barracrough, not out	...	...	...	20
Tully, c Martin, b Harrison	...	...	...	14
Rhumer, c Harrison, b Wynne	...	...	...	9
Roberts, c and b Wynne	...	...	...	7
Extras	...	...	...	16
Total	...	...	...	147

## 2nd XI.

v. Pretoria Boys' High School. Won by 4 wickets and 61 runs. Scores: 200 (for 6 wickets)—139. Rose-Innes, 3 for 35. Allen, 82.

v. Parktown High School. Won by 31 runs. Scores: 215—184. Rose-Innes, 3 for 29. Lacey, 50; Murray, 49; Kantor, 35; Little, 32.

v. King Edward VII. School. Won by 119 runs. Scores: 245—126. Rose-Innes, 4 for 25; Vines, 4 for 52. Murray, 36; Lacey, 40; Hayden-Thomas, 33; Shewell, 33.

v. Marist Bros. College. Won by 5 wickets and 145 runs. Scores: 189 (for 5 wickets)—44. Little, 3 for 6; Rose-Innes, 3 for 7; James, 3 for 19. Murray, 63; Jackson, 56.

v. St. John's College. Won by 140 runs. Scores: 302—162. Murray, 85; Lacey, 56\*; Jackson, 47; Hayden-Thomas, 41. Kennedy, 4 for 23; Townsend, 2 for 13.

## 3rd XI.

v. Pretoria Boys' High School. Won by 103 runs. Scores: 188—85. Lacey, 62; Jones, 41. Kennedy, 5 for 17; Thorburn, 2 for 17.

v. Parktown High School. Draw. Scores: 151 (for 2 wickets)—191 (for 5 wickets)\*. Kennedy, 2 for 31. Hayden-Thomas, 84\*; Leveson, 47\*.

v. King Edward VII. School. Draw. Scores: 34 (for 4)—151. Allison, 5 for 26.

v. Y.M.C.A. Lost by 29 runs. Scores: 132—103. Kantor, 37\*. Wooldridge, 4 for 19; Allison, 3 for 34.

v. Marist Bros. College. Won by 103 runs. Scores: 188 (for 8 wickets declared)—85. Townsend, 91. Theron, 4 for 8; Allison, 3 for 14.

v. St. John's College. Drawn. Scores: 142 (for 7)—160 (for 8 wickets)\*. Artus, 2 for 33. Theron, 43\*; Jones, 40; Leveson, 33.

## JUNIOR HOUSE TIES.

Tsessebe beat Duiker by 22 runs. Scores: 162—140. Daniel, 45. Theron, 5 for 31. Theron, 33. Little, 4 for 58; Mitchell, 4 for 46.

Koodoo beat Tsessebe by 19 runs. Scores: 128—109. Townsend, 6 for 36. Mearns, 43; Theron, 33\*. Rose-Innes, 5 for 66; Kennedy, 4 for 43.

Impala beat Eland by 47 runs. Scores: 224—177. Gray, 58. Murray, 5 for 45. Murray, 136. Allison, 5 for 70.

Oribi beat Eland by 117 runs. Scores: 226—109. Shewell, 88; Wooldridge, 43; Artus, 37. Shewell, 4 for 21.

Koodoo beat Impala by 7 wickets and 112 runs. Scores: 188—76. Fluxman, 5 for 10; James, 4 for 22. Jones, 102\*; Kennedy, 40.

Tsessebe beat Oribi by 3 wickets and 99 runs. Scores: 214—115. Leveson, 45\*; Townsend, 108\*.

Eland beat Tsessebe by 99 runs. Scores: 195—96. Artus, 78; Lacey, 61. Artus, 5 for 47.

Oribi beat Duiker by 31 runs. Scores: 185—154. Leveson, 45\*. Mitchell, 5 for 68. Portway, 61; Leveson, 7 for 35.

Tsessebe beat Impala by an innings. Scores: 210—118—50. Thorburn, 40; Mearns, 55. Theron, 8 for 17.

Eland beat Duiker by an innings and 9 runs. Scores: 141—54 and 78. Allison, 74; Artus, 32. Little, 5 for 25; Mitchell, 4 for 46; Artus, 7 for 24.

Koodoo beat Oribi by 60 runs. Scores: 134—74. Kantor, 65. Leveson, 9 for 40. Broom, 26. Rose-Innes, 5 for 24.

Oribi beat Impala by an innings and 80 runs. Scores: 153—75, 48. Jackson, 66; Leveson, 38\*. Murray, 5 for 45; Sawers, 4 for 38. Stein, 30. Shewell, 4 for 13; Leveson, 5 for 30.



Koodoo beat Eland by 56 runs. Scores: 113  
—57. Jones, 26; Kantor, 26; Artus  
(jun.), 7 for 10; Allison, 25\* Rose-  
Innes, 7 for 30.

Impala beat Duiker.

Koodoo beat Duiker.

### JUNIOR HOUSE-TIES LOG.

	Points.
Koodoo ... ..	10
Oribi ... ..	7
Tsessebe ... ..	7
Eland ... ..	5
Impala ... ..	4
Duiker ... ..	0

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### THE CANONISATION OF SIR JOHN MORE.

[Headline in South African  
Newspaper.]

When the powers decided to canonise  
More

Their course was less clear than  
expected,

For descendants of Thomas—or John  
—would feel sore,

According to which was selected.

Then someone suggested that 'More'  
should be 'Moore';

(Philologists say there's no telling  
How the names were pronounced, and  
they couldn't be sure

That it's safe to depend on the  
spelling).

Now was it to be Bishop Fisher's old  
pal?

The saintly recluse, or the gunner?  
Was Sir Thomas beheaded for bluffing  
King Hal,

Or the soldier who sleeps at  
Corunna?

But they found when they went to  
examine the tomb

By the yeasty Atlantic's grim  
boulders,

That the stormy repose of a century's  
gloom

Hadn't severed the head from the  
shoulders.

The gap in his chest that the cannon-  
ball tore

Unfolded his martial story;

He was hardly a subject to canonise  
More,

So they left him alone in his glory.

Thus it's clear that Sir Thomas will  
be the new saint;

Let us hope that his bow will be  
courtly

And Sir John will repress any sense  
of restraint,

If they meet in Utopia shortly.

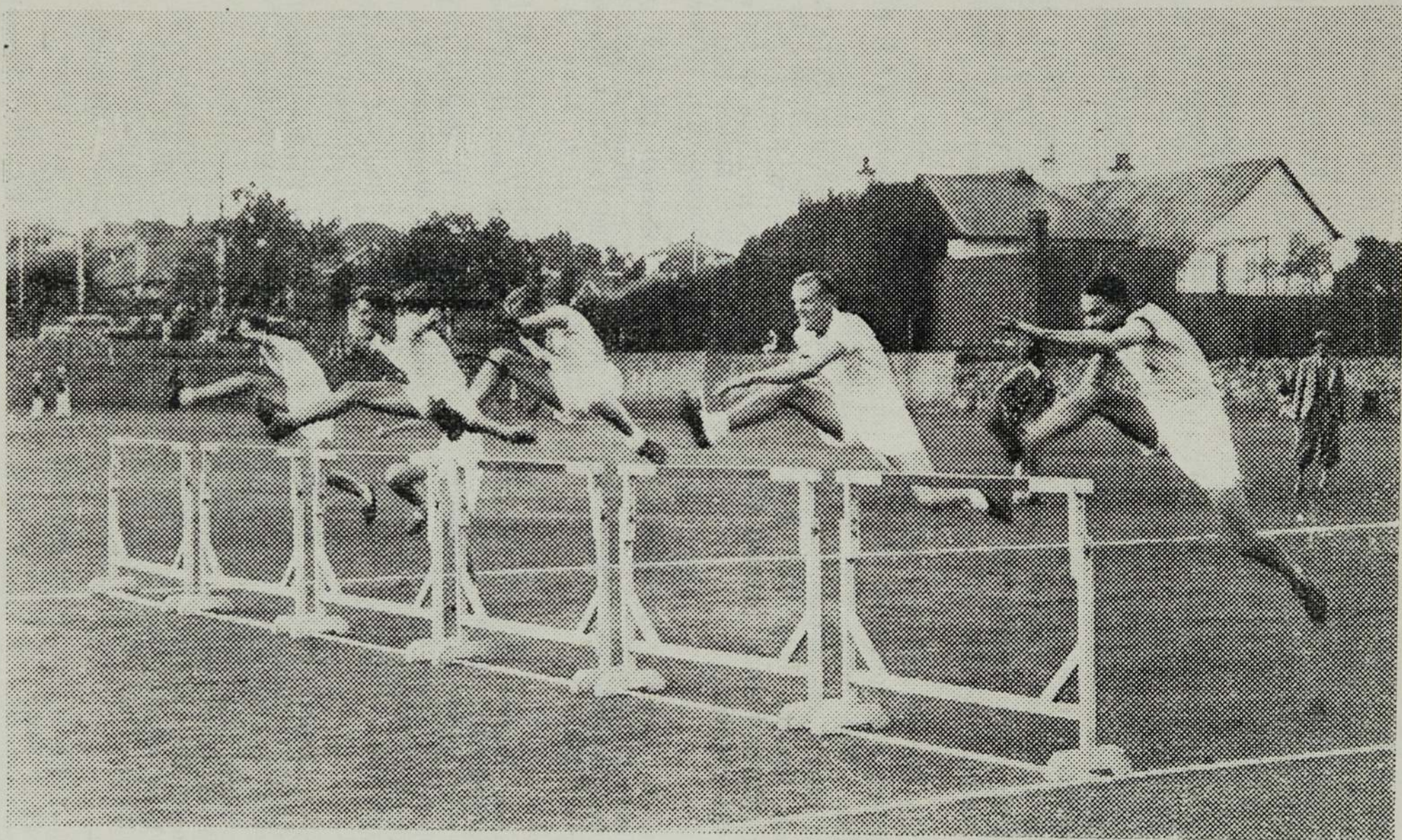
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### ATHLETIC SPORTS.

The Annual Athletic Sports were  
held in delightful weather on Satur-  
day, 6th April. While no records  
were broken the general standard was  
well up to the average, and Waites  
for the second year in succession won  
the Challenge Cup; his nearest  
opponents were Maxwell and Ralston.  
Koodoo won the House Shield after  
a great tussle with Tsessebe. In the  
Under 16 events the competition was  
very keen, while in the Under 15  
Els, Murray, Fletcher and Kennedy  
showed great promise. Dowell was  
in a class by himself in the Under 14  
and won every event. Bonner in the  
Under 13 hundred yards and 220





RALSTON (Extreme Right) WINNING OPEN HURDLES.



yards ran very well. The 1,000 yards handicap was won in gallant style by a midget named Parry. He sprinted up the straight at the end of the race to the loud applause of all the spectators.

The prizes were presented at the end of the Sports by Mrs. J. H. A. Payne, and we were delighted to welcome her back to Johannesburg after an absence of many years. We offer her our heartiest thanks for so kindly coming and presenting the cups and medals to the successful competitors.

To Mrs. de Graaff and her willing band of helpers our heartiest thanks are also due. We hope that they realise how much we appreciate all they did on Sports Day and how much their efforts helped toward the success of the meeting.

#### COMPITI—

100 Yards.—1, Lewin; 2, Coad; 3, Meintjes. Time: 13 1-5 secs.

1,000 Yards Handicap.—1, Parry; 2, Clarke; 3, Van Wyk.

#### UNDER 13—

100 Yards.—1, Bonner (T.); 2, Wayne (O.); 3, Abrahams (O.). Time: 13 secs.

220 Yards.—1, Bonner (T.); 2, Munger (K.); 3, Cooper (I.). Time 29 secs.

High Jump.—1, Broadfoot (K.); 2, Bolton (D.); 3, Wayne (O.). Height: 4 ft. 5½ in.

#### UNDER 14—

100 Yards.—1, Dowell (D.); 2, Ranger (O.); 3, Mankie (K.). Time: 12 1-5 secs.

440 Yards.—1, Dowell (D.); 2, Ranger (O.); 3, Klawansky (O.). Time: 67 secs.

High Jump.—1, Dowell (D.); 2, Crawford (E.) and Ranger (O.). Height: 5 ft. 0½ in.

Hurdles.—1, Dowell (D.); 2, Allorto (D.); 3, Broadfoot (K.). Time: 20 1-5 secs.

#### UNDER 15—

100 Yards.—1, Els (I.); 2, Fletcher (K.); 3, Kennedy (T.). Time: 11 2-5 secs.

440 Yards.—1, Els (I.); 2, Daniels (K.); 3, Kennedy (T.). Time: 63 1-5 secs.

High Jump.—1, Murray (I.); 2, Els (I.); 3, Fairlie (E.), Budd (K.) and Daniels (K.). Height: 5 ft. 0½ in.

Long Jump.—1, Fletcher (K.); 2, Kennedy (T.); 3, Murray (I.). Distance: 17 ft. 1½ in.

#### UNDER 16—

100 Yards.—1, Segal (E.); 2, Zinn (D.); 3, Blankfield (D.). Time: 11 1-5 secs.

440 Yards.—1, Segal (E.); 2, Van Heerden (I.); 3, Munro (K.). Time 57 1-5 secs.

880 Yards.—1, Munro (K.); 2, Van Heerden (I.); 3, Segal (E.). Time: 2 mins. 17 2-5 secs.

Hurdles.—1, Murray (I.); 2, Robinson (E.); 3, Lacey (E.). Time: 19 2-5 secs.

High Jump.—1, Van Heerden (I.); 2, Zinn (D.); Thorburn (T.). Height: 5 ft. ¾ in.

#### OLD BOYS—

100 Yards.—1, Goldberg; 2, Smith.

#### OPEN—

100 Yards.—1, Waites (T.); 2, Runciman (T.); 3, Wain (D.). Time: 10 3-5 secs.

440 Yards.—1, Waites (T.); 2, Wain (D.); 3, Maxwell (K.). Time 55 3-5 secs.

880 Yards.—1, Dellow (D.); 2, Maxwell (K.); 3, Robinson (E.). Time: 2 mins. 10 3-5 secs.

Mile.—1, Maxwell (K.); 2, Artus (E.); 3, Rankin (T.). Time: 5 mins. 37 3-5 secs.

Hurdles: 120 Yards.—1, Ralston (K.); 2, Rose-Innes (K.); 3, Lane (I.). Time: 16 4-5 secs.

High Jump.—1, Tainton (I.); 2, Rose-Innes (K.) and Lane (I.). Height: 5 ft. 5 ins.

Long Jump.—1, Waites (T.); 2, Rose-Innes (K.); 3, Runciman (T.). Distance: 20 ft. 0½ ins.

Putting the Shot.—1, Waites (T.); 2, Maxwell (K.); 3, Jackson (O.). Distance: 35 ft. 5½ ins.

Hurdles: 220 Yards.—1, Ralston (K.); 2, Waites (T.); 3, James (K.). Time: 27 3-5 secs.

#### RELAY RACE—

440 Yards.—1, Tsessebe; 2, Eland; 3, Koodoo. Time: 48 3-5 secs.

#### CHALLENGE CUP—

1, Waites, 23; 2, Maxwell, 12; 3, Ralston, 10.

#### HOUSE SHIELD—

1, Koodoo, 156½; 2, Tsessebe, 130; 3, Impala, 104½.



**MEMORIES OF THE SEA.**

Oft' of an eve when the sun goes down,  
And the shadowy hills in the distance frown,  
I think of the days when I went to sea,  
Where the tides run high and the wind blows free.

Anchored at last in a land-bound port,  
I live o'er my life in a world of thought—  
Those far-off times of the straining sails,  
Of the heaving deck and the howling gales.

Friends of mine come to me now and say,  
“ Why do you dwell so far away  
From the ocean blue where your thoughts now lie;  
Where the seagulls wheel, and the cliffs rear high?”

My answer is low, and my voice is sad.  
“ The place I knew when I was a lad  
Is larger now, and the old haunts gone,  
And the friends of my boyhood have all passed on.

I'm old and bent, at a long life's end;  
This shrivelled arm that once could bend  
The stout iron lance, is a useless limb  
My strength is gone and my eye is dim.

Alas! no more, as it used to be,  
Will I steer a ship in a raging sea,  
With the spume-lashed sheets on the tall, gaunt, masts,  
Billowing out on the tearing blasts.

Gone is the life which I loved so well,  
And I chafe at the bars of my land-locked cell;  
Gone are the sails, and the stormy seas,  
And all that is left are the memories.”

MELETAVIS.



## RUGBY FOOTBALL.

In August, 1934, the School came back to find that "C" ground had altered its shape. Then for two dusty months the Transvaal Rugby Union piled tons of earth on to its surface. With the first rains, gangs of their natives, disregarding Sabbath laws, planted grass—the first roots taken from a patch planted years ago above the ground by Mr. Vines. As soon as the grass was "in," a new duty awaited the non-cadets. Only they know how many pebbles have been removed from the ground.

In January, 1935, drought and the pessimists made us fear that there would be no Rugby this year. But rain did come, and further loyal work by the non-cadets in planting thousands of suckers was rewarded in April, when the School authorities in consultation with the Rugby Union decided on a full Rugby programme. "C" ground is a beautiful ground now, and it seems incredible that such a change could be wrought in so short a time.

Our *deus ex machina*, the Transvaal Rugby Union, are still to care for it, and they promise us greater changes in the second season.

We have already played three series of matches at home, while there have been as many away. The first fifteen was the first to brave a foreign field, and on a chilly afternoon at K.E.S. they learnt how much there was to learn. That the lesson was well taught was evident in their second match—this time at home against the Parktown first—when they more than held their own. The second, third and fourth fifteens also gave a good account of themselves in these their

first matches. Three Under 15 teams were at home to K.E.S. in their first endeavour and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. They were not quite so enthusiastic after a visit to Parktown.

The change over to Rugby has thus been very rapid, but so far the results have been most encouraging, and much history has been made.

Much still remains to be done, however, especially to "C" ground; but, as we have accomplished so much in one year, the future has no terror for us.

In conclusion, we may say that we are extremely fortunate to have so many masters who have played in good class Rugby and are still young and keen enough to devote so much energy to coaching us. We have every reason to hope that in five years' time Jeppe will be as well known in the rugger as it has been in the soccer world.

### RESULTS TO DATE.

#### FIRST XV.

vs. K.E.S. II. (away)	Lost 0—17
vs. Parktown I. (home)	Won 6—3
vs. K.E.S. II. (home).	Won 8—6

#### SECOND XV.

vs. Parktown II. (home)	Lost 11—16
vs. Technical II. (home).	Won 15—14

#### THIRD XV.

vs. Parktown (home)	Won 21—0
vs. K.E.S. III. (away).	Lost 0—31

#### FOURTH XV.

vs. Parktown (away)	Lost 3—5
vs. K.E.S. IV. (away).	Lost 0—28

#### UNDER 15 "A"

vs. K.E.S. "A" (home)	Lost 3—9
vs. Parktown "A" (away)	Lost 0—26
vs. K.E.S. "A" (away).	Drawn 6—6



## UNDER 15 "B"

vs. K.E.S. "B" (home)	Drew 3—3
vs. Parktown "B" (away)	Lost 15—0
vs. K.E.S. "B" (away)	Lost 0—24

## UNDER 15 "C"

vs. K.E.S. Under 14	Lost 15—0
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### THE GHOST OF HARLOW MANOR.

The wind was howling in the trees,  
It was a fearful night;  
When all at once I heard a knock,  
That made me quake with fright.

I slowly walked towards the door,  
Which was of stoutest oak;  
And then before I raised the latch  
I said with voice that broke:

"Who's there, who's there, what do  
you want  
At such a lonely place?"  
The whistling wind made weird reply:  
(You should have seen my face).

"Come out, come out," it seemed to  
say;  
And, rooted to the spot,  
"Who's there?" I quavered in a  
voice,  
That trembled quite a lot.

And then from out the distant trees,  
There came an owl's hoot.  
Within the house I heard a voice:  
"Bring out, bring out the loot."

Then hurriedly I flew upstairs  
Towards my bedroom door;  
Alas, alack, I did not look,  
But fell upon the floor.

I saw when I arose again  
A ghost with gleaming eye,  
Flitting about and uttering  
A shrill and horrid cry.

A smuggler in his time was he,  
And murderer too, I find,  
Revisiting his ancient haunts,  
Some hidden hoard to find.

And now he hovers over me!  
My blood is running cold—  
He takes me for the coastguard man,  
His foe in days of old!

Ah horrors! What is that I hear?  
It is a piercing scream!  
I wake to find my mother's near,  
Oh what a dreadful dream!

C. HEYDENRYCH,

Form II.

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### CADET NOTES.

#### Officers:

Major M. D. Manduell, M.C., C. de  
G., O.C.

Capt. W. F. Candy, Adjutant.

Capt. K. Gillies, Training Platoon.

Capt. A. E. Erasmus, "B" Com-  
pany.

Lieut. J. A. Collard, "A" Company.

Lieut. A. J. Grant, "C" Company.

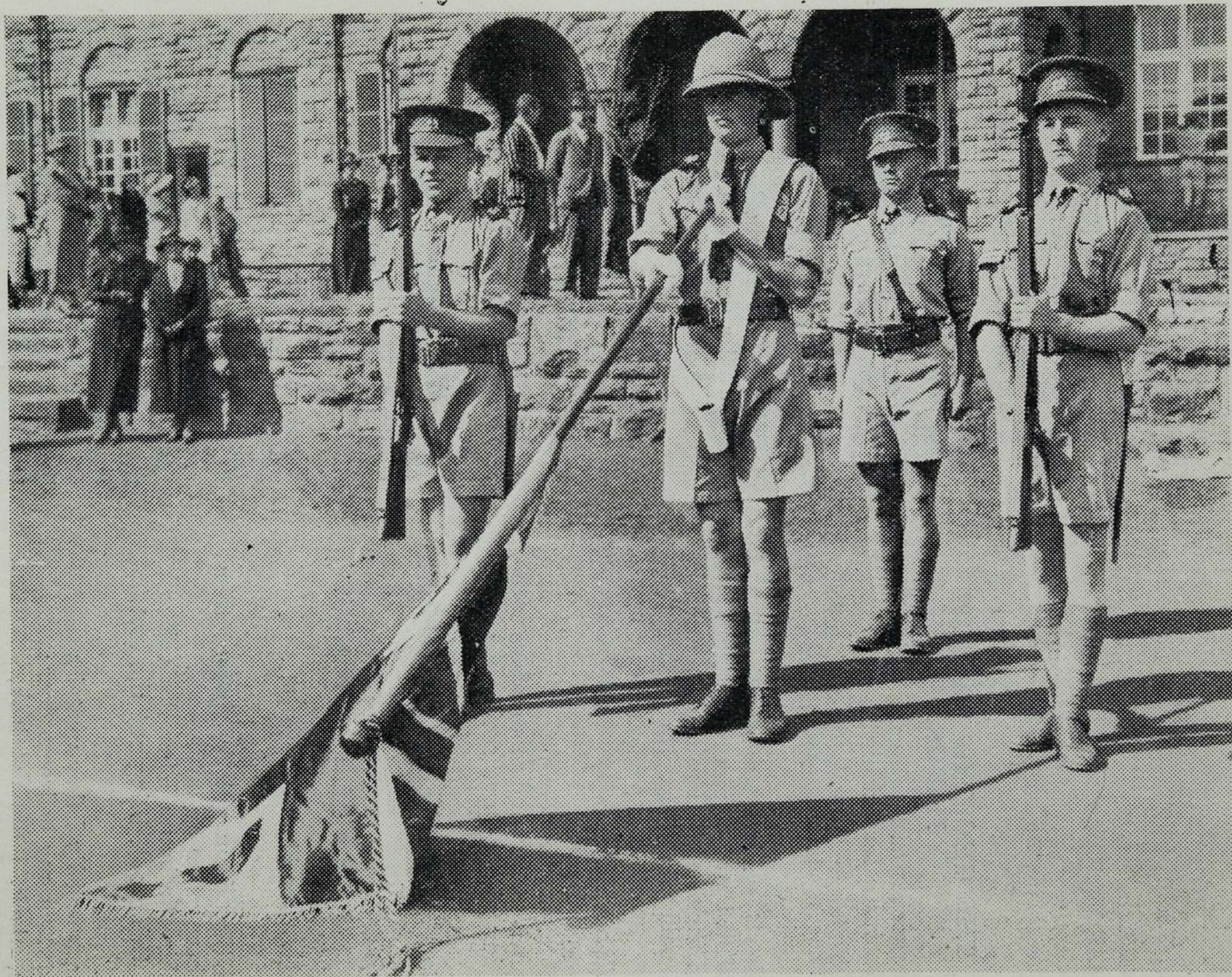
Lieut. A. B. Naude, Quartermaster.

Lieuts. H. F. Schoon and W. V.  
Robson, Musketry.

(For Subalterns see School Officers).

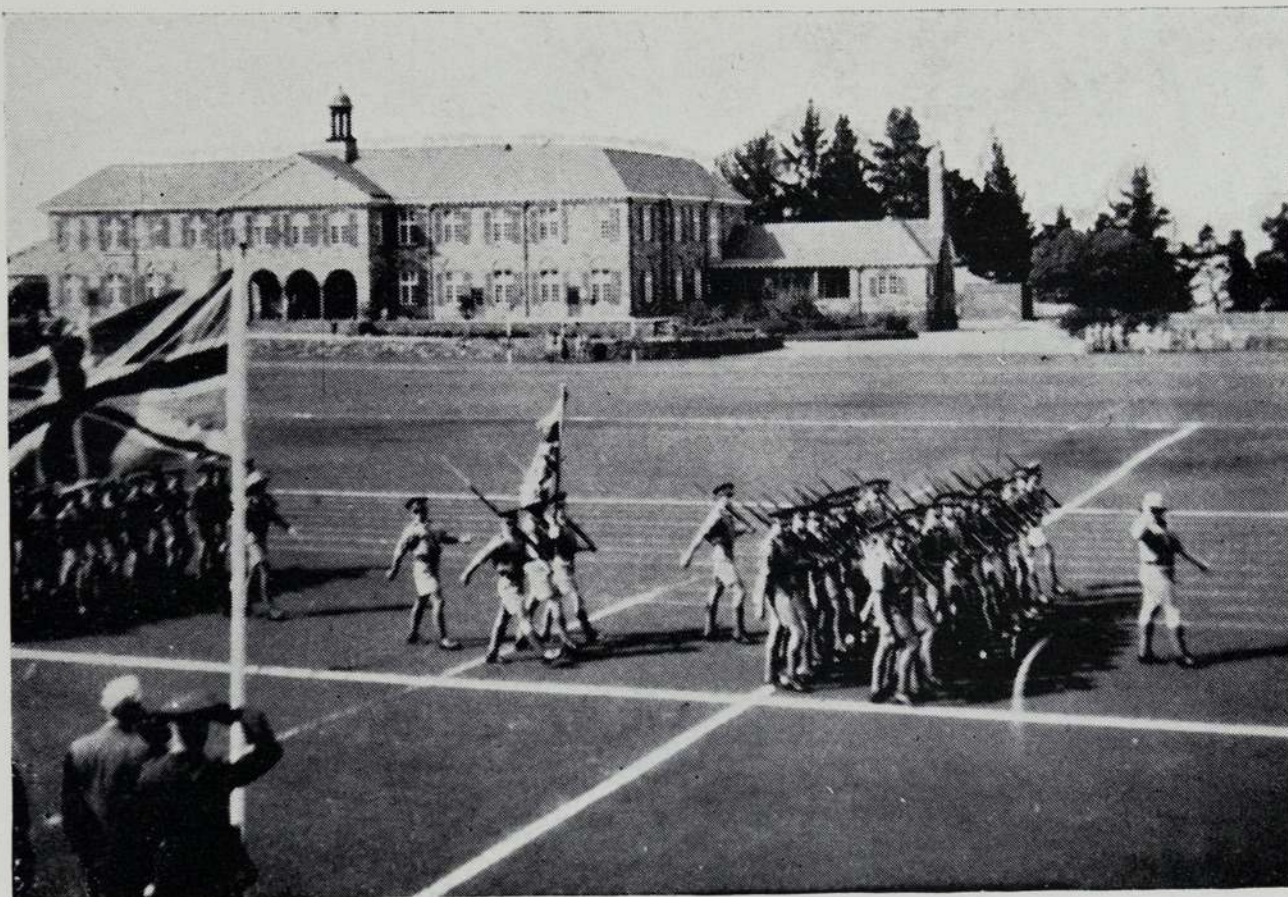
The chief event of the half-year has  
been the Jubilee parade, the first  
event of this nature we have ever  
attempted. It took the form of a  
Presentation of Colours by Mr. D. F.  
Gilfillan, on behalf of the Governing  
Body. Capt. Gillies was O.C. parade



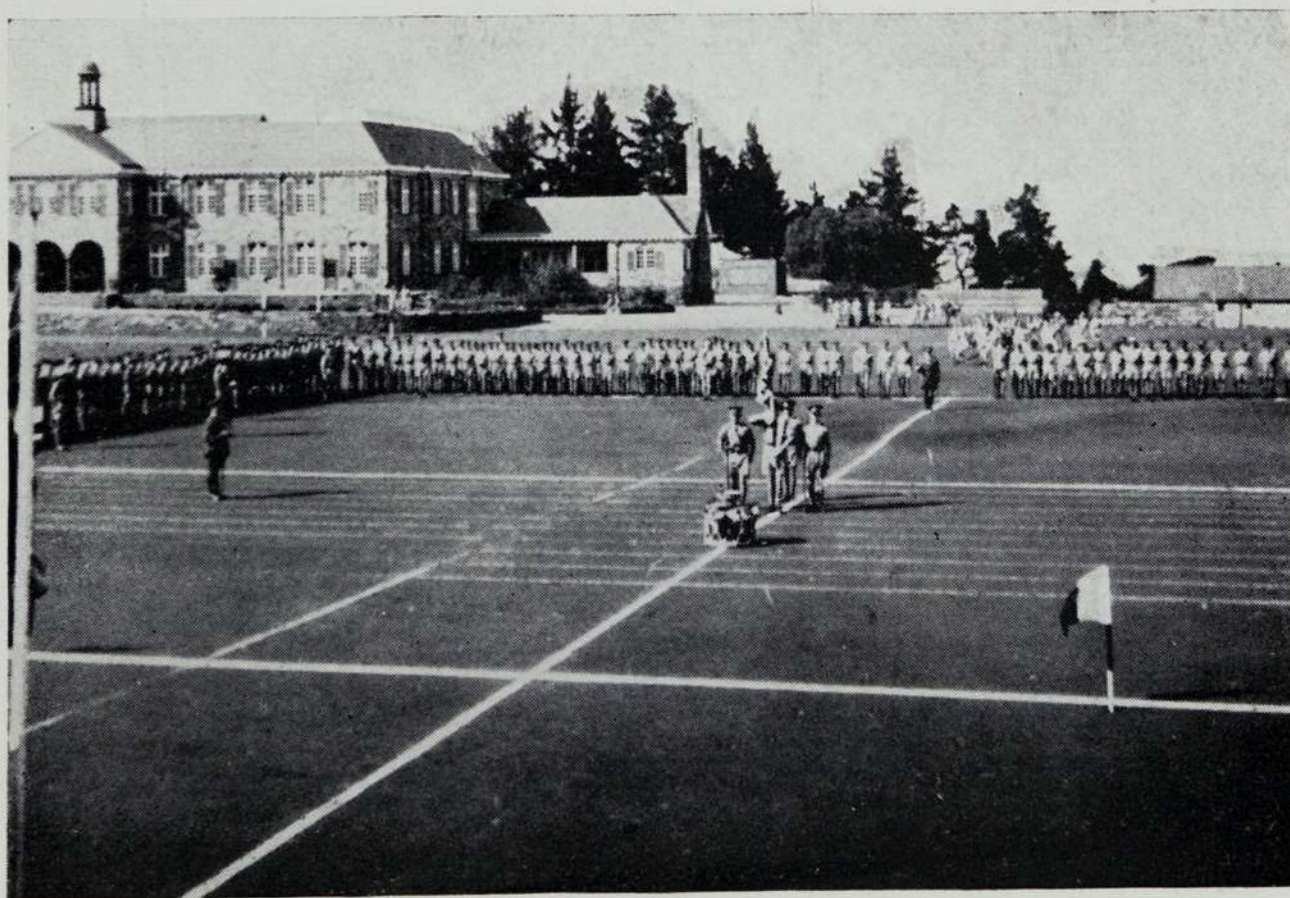


THE COLOUR OFFICER (2nd LIEUT. N. D. BROWN) AND ESCORT. [Photo by "Star,"





THE COLOUR IN THE MARCH PAST.



AFTER THE RECEPTION OF THE COLOUR.



and the precision with which the movements were carried out reflects great credit on him and the whole detachment. The extra parades involved provided a welcome variation of our usual routine. The ceremony of blessing the Colours was omitted in favour of Mr. Gilfillan's address, and by general consent the parade was most impressive and worthy of the occasion.

Capt. Erasmus acted as sen. major and 2nd Lieut. N. D. Broom received the Colour, the remainder of the escort consisting of C.S.M. C. O. Koelges and Corporals S. W. Bowley and C. Runciman.

We were represented at the big parade at Turffontein by a composite company under 2nd Lieut. Hayden-Thomas.

For the purpose of making a practical study of the new drill movements, our four company officers paid a flying visit at Easter to Roberts Heights, where they received every assistance from Major Krigler, O.C. Training Depot.

The results of their experience are now being imparted to their respective units. The slow time has improved the rifle drill immensely already, but it will be some time before we can expect the new foot drill to be done with precision. Shall we ever like the exaggerated arm swing?

At long last we have got our senior companies into puttees. There is no doubt of the wisdom of the change, and we hope that in the course of time we shall learn how to wear them. We can recommend platoon commanders and sergeants to study the photographs of our efficiency platoons.

The Band is the biggest we have had and has put in a great deal of practice. Owing to the lack of efficient N.C.O.'s, however, Drum-Major Thompson has had more than his fair share of work to do to keep things up to scratch. Fortunately there is plenty of keenness among the rank and file, and the band performed very creditably on the Jubilee parade.

Staff-Sergeant Tomlinson has an efficient Orderly Room staff, and has evolved a new platoon card system which promises to work well.

A Signalling Section has been formed, chiefly of non-cadets, but unfortunately they have not had the benefit of a regular instructor.

In conclusion, we may say that the general efficiency of the detachment is slightly higher than last year. "A" company platoons are too small, and as they are invariably depleted by shooting practice, their training is rendered more difficult than it need be.

#### PROMOTIONS.

Second Lieutenants: N. Rankin, N. D. Broom, C. E. Rose-Innes, J. E. Rondi, J. Falcke, O. L. Ward, C. Kantor, D. Barraclough, E. A. Dickson, D. Sboros (Acting).

C.S.M.: C. O. Koelges, C. V. Smith, A. Leveson.

R.Q.M.S.: T. J. Jackson.

C.Q.M.S.: J. L. Waites, B. Rhumer, W. Rubin.

Drum-Major: W. M. Thompson.

Staff-Sergeant: P. Tomlinson.

P.O. Sergeant: A. Little.

Sergeants: D. A. Tully, N. A. Koelges, S. Tron, G. C. Fletcher, D. Leonsinis, A. Habbick, T. A. Robinson, G. Kennedy, G. A. Christos, D. A. Mackay, T. Sawers, P. Stromin, C. Soskolne, B. L. Armitage, I. Jankelewitz.

Corporals: T. H. Roberts, D. L. Quin, W. Brown, L. Stein, J. R. Westmacott, A. Rowan, G. O. Roland, S. W. Bowley, M. Carel, J. R. Basnett, D. Thompson, S. K.



Blake, T. R. Wooldridge, R. F. Ashury,  
D. Skewes, E. Dowell, E. Howes, D. Gibson,  
D. Young, C. Ciorovich, R. Tinker, R.  
Scott, S. W. Bowley, C. Runciman.

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### SHOOTING NOTES.

Perhaps a few extracts from the results of last year's competition for the Imperial Challenge Shield will prove interesting.

South Africa's national team of 3,012 Cadets won H.M. The King's trophy from Canada with an average score of 81.103 per Cadet.

Altogether 98 Detachments from South Africa took part in the competition.

The School Cadets came 19th in the Union with an average score of 81.37 per Cadet, and gained mass efficiency.

16 Cadets from the School were classed as marksmen and 32 as first-class shots.

Rondi, Dowell and James won the N.R.A. medals with scores of 99 per cent.

Our best platoon came tenth in the Union with an average of 94.62 per cent., while our worst platoon averaged 72.2 per cent.

This year Mr. Robson has taken over the School team and expresses satisfaction with their performances.

The members of the Range Staff have proved very willing but must expect to do a great deal more work next term.

### RESULTS OF MATCHES.

*vs. K.E.S.—23rd March, 1935.*

	Del.	Rap.	Total.
Rondi ... ..	48	50	98
James ... ..	49	48	97
Robinson ... ..	47	48	95

Shewell ... ..	46	47	93
Habbick ... ..	46	47	93
Hayden-Thomas ...	38	47	85
Rose-Innes ... ..	35	49	84
Townsend ... ..	42	42	84

Total 729  
Average 91.1%

K.E.S. Total, 745; Average, 93.1%.

*vs. K.E.S.—18th May, 1935.*

	Del.	Rap.	Total.
Robinson ... ..	48	49	97
Rose-Innes ... ..	48	48	96
Madden ... ..	50	45	95
Rondi ... ..	47	47	94
Townsend ... ..	46	46	92
Habbick ... ..	44	48	92
Hayden-Thomas ...	42	49	91
Shewell ... ..	44	46	90

Total 747  
Average 93.4%

K.E.S. Total, 747; Average, 93.4%.

*vs. Forest High—8th June, 1935.*

	Del.	Rap.	Total.
Rose-Innes ... ..	49	49	98
Robinson ... ..	47	49	96
Hayden-Thomas ...	45	49	94
Shewell ... ..	46	48	94
James ... ..	46	46	92
Rondi ... ..	46	45	91
Madden ... ..	46	44	90
Hickman ... ..	47	43	90

Total 745  
Average 93.1%

Forest High Total, 686; Average, 85.75%.

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### THE TRUMPET CALL.

We feel sure we're the best behaved  
form in the School,  
For it's seldom that one of us breaks  
any rule;  
You can see by our looks that we're  
none of us crooks,  
And quite half-a-dozen have most of  
their books.



When the knob's off the door, or  
there's filth on the floor.

It's that ill-mannered bunch

That stays here for lunch:

They're the blot on our otherwise  
blameless escutcheon—

A subject we find most distasteful to  
touch on.

Our future is not very hard to foresee:  
Perhaps we shan't all take an honours  
degree;

But we think, all the same, that you'll  
find every name

Writ in letters of gold in the Temple  
of Fame.

As a proof that we're talented, look  
at this poem,

Which our master desired and we feel  
that we owe him.

Our response was so keen

(As the reader has seen)

And the master so pleased that,  
repressing a groan,

He tore up our efforts and printed his  
own!

W.F.C.

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### DEBATING SOCIETY.

At the first meeting held on 9th February, the following officers were elected for the year:—Chairman, Mr. C. O. Koelges; Hon. Secretary, Mr. C. S. Kantor; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Sherman, S.J.; Members of Committee, Mr. Leveson, A.A., and Mr. M. L. Neppe.

The attendance at the four meetings which the Society has held have been fair, yet we can boast of only one really successful meeting. The Thirds, after being strongly represented on one occasion, seem to have

faded out. The day boys in general have given the Society very little support. At the last meeting held on 8th June, there were about 10 day boys present. The boarders have certainly rallied in strong numbers, but are inclined rather to address one another than the House.

List of meetings held:—

9th March.—Motion: "That the professional man's first duty is to his State." Lost by 26 votes to 6. A poor meeting.

30th March.—There were 90 present and three motions before the House. (1) "That the senior boys lack dignity and a sense of responsibility." Moved and opposed by the Threes; lost by 55 votes to 34. (2) "That the Dramatic Society does not fulfil its purpose." Movers and opposers chosen from Fives. Lost by 61 votes to 25. (3) "That the Cadet Corps is not fulfilling its function." Speakers chosen from the Fours. Carried by 59 votes to 13. A very successful meeting. In all there were 46 speeches delivered, and the house adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

11th May. — Motion: "South Africans are evading the vital issues of their country." Carried by 25 votes to 18. A fair meeting with few speakers.

8th June.—Motion: "The present system of parliamentary government is unsatisfactory." A boarder-day boy debate, carried by 35 votes to 10 owing wholly to the superior numbers of the boarders.

Messrs. Koelges and Neppe have been the most promising seniors to address the house. Mr. Goldblatt is



perhaps the only Third-former willing to speak.

In conclusion, we should like to appeal for heartier support from the day boys, particularly from the Thirds on whom the future of the Society depends to a large extent.

The following have spoken at two or more debates: Messrs. Koelges, C.O., Neppe, Kantor, Carel, Sherman, Leveson, Skok, Runciman, Tainton, Sachs, A.N. Bowley, Haupt, Williams, Goldblatt. (signed) Hon. Sec.

The Secretary has remarked upon the poor support given to the Society by the day boys. It is hoped that the committee of day boys appointed on 8th June will succeed in altering this unsatisfactory state of affairs.

The meetings have not been marked on the whole by any very high standard of speech or debate. As a speaker Koelges, C., has fluency and is usually intelligent, though he is rather like Tennyson's Brook. As chairman he has so far failed to get a clear idea of either his duties or his powers. The secretary has done his work accurately and promptly. So far the treasurer has unfortunately not had much to do. The best speakers have been Neppe, Williams and Skok.

VICE-PRESIDENT.

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### ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

When the momentous decision had been taken to change over to Rugby there were about fifty senior stalwarts who wished to continue with soccer. The lure of the verdant sward, however, coupled with the magnetic attractions of the cinema, consider-

ably depleted their ranks, until senior soccer completely faded out and the front ground assumed at times an unwonted air of dusty desolation. The juniors are still keeping the old flag flying.

#### UNDER 14.

The Under 14 team has played well as a whole during the first round, though the inside forwards are slow in front of goal. Crawford at back and Dowell at centre half have been the most consistent players. The Under 14 Six, as well as the Under 16, proved the winners in the "Six Aside" Competition.

Played, 8; lost, 1; won, 7; goals for, 31; goals against, 7; points, 12.

#### UNDER 13 "B"

At the end of the 1st round the team has played 6 matches, won 2, drawn 3, and lost 1; goals for 11, against 3.

This is a well balanced side and if the forwards would shoot more accurately the results of the matches of the 2nd round will be in our favour.

In a friendly match against K.E.S. Under 13 "A" we lost by 6 goals to 5.

In this match the play was fast and clean and both teams played for the sake of the game and not to gain two points as in the case in league matches.

The goal scorers in this match were: Fullerton 2, Lewin 2 and Broadfoot 1.

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### MAGAZINES RECEIVED.

Aliwal North High School, Athlonian; Barrovian, Barrovian (I.O.M.), Diocesan Rondebosch, Epsomian, Forrestonian, Forest School, Heidelberg Volks, Helpmekaar, Hiltonian, Jeppe G.H.S., King Edward VII School, Maristonian, Mooi, Parktonian, Plumtree, Potchefstroom G.H.S., Pretoria Afrikaans Seunsskool, Pretoria Girls, S.A.C.S., St. Bees, St. Michael's Chronicle, Sir John Adamson.





Typical "Botha" Cadet.

### LIFE ON S.A.T.S. "GENERAL BOTHA."

[Being extracts from the letters of a New Chum.]

On Saturday mornings we get up at 6 a.m. and scrub upper deck and main deck till breakfast. After that we spend from 8 till 11 a.m., without a break, scrubbing the mess and quarter-deck. Strange as it may seem, we look forward to school on other days, if only for the pleasure of sitting down. I have been to the fo'cs'le for my weekly hot bath. In the after-

noon (Saturdays) we are more or less free.

I have made friends with some of the "old salts," who say I am fagging for them when another old salt wants to fag me.

We play cricket and football matches against Bishop's and Sacs as well as box them. There are different cutters' crews each morning to bring stores from shore. This is not a popular job. When I was told to throw some ropes over, i.e., on to, the rail, I dumped about six coils overboard. I am in the band now and get off a bit of scrubbing besides getting 1s. a month.

The grub here is quite snappy, consisting of steak and kidney pie, cottage pie, flapjacks, fritters and onions, etc. Of course these are not all in one meal. All the same, I often feel hungry. Every Thursday we have a bioscope (silent); on other nights we dance to a piano.

We had an 'abandon ship' fire drill to-day. It took 20 minutes to pump water; give up attempt to put fire out; fall in and abandon ship; row round the ship; get aboard; hoist up two 30-foot cutters and one skiff, and coil ropes down.

We go about with bare feet except when cutter's crew, when we wear deck-shoes, and in uniform, when we wear black shoes. It costs a penny to get anything left lying about out of the 'scranbag.'

I got off scrubbing to-day because before breakfast I "couldn't find" a scrubber, and after breakfast I cleaned three drums and some bugles.

Every week two mess cooks are told off to lay out the cloth and gear and sweep up the mess. They also scrub



the "tablecloths." When "cooks" is blown they have to muster on the mess-deck at the double.

Last Tuesday I was mate of the deck. I had to enter up in the log-book everything that happened, answer the telephone, re-call any boats from shore and send boats off. Unfortunately I recalled the skiff without the mails, sent the cutter away without the Chief Officer, and rang eight bells instead of six. But that is nothing to what some new chums have done.

Last Monday, while the old salts were in prep., the "emergency cutter's crew" was piped to man the boat. They charged to the upper deck, walked the boom, down the ladder, hauled the cutter alongside, waited for orders, shoved off, picked up a lifebelt about 25 yards away, and were back alongside in five minutes. Next time they will be expected to do it in  $3\frac{1}{2}$  minutes!

At early P.T. we are divided into five parties—club swinging, box horse, skipping, activity exercises and jumping. We change from one to the other by whistle.

At "divisions" one morning nine boys were picked out for dirty ears, and so the whole "top" had to go through showers. One of the minor punishments is to climb up the rigging and over the masthead. I nearly lost my nerve the first time.

When it is added that we have about the same number of school hours as the ordinary high school boy, it will be seen that the life on the "Botha" is a very full one, and that a loafer very soon finds that he does not fit into the scheme of things.

## THE SAILOR'S LAMENT.

"Return," the call of waves is ever  
nigh,  
"Return," the sea is e'er advising  
me;  
About my ears through day and night  
'tis there.  
I hear the bells resound my watch at  
night,  
And up I start to answer duty's call  
To find, alas, again I've been de-  
ceived.  
A lump is ever in my throat, and  
back  
To sea I long to go. My hair is grey  
And age decrees that I at home must  
stay.  
Yet yearns my heart to leave this life  
on land,  
I want to hear the cry of gulls again,  
To smell and breathe the bracing  
ocean air;  
And as I think of all the mighty ports,  
The wanderlust again within me  
burns.  
"Return," the call of waves is in my  
heart. . . .

M. L. NEPPE (VB).

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## LETTERS TO EDITOR.

Mr. A. J. Atfield, our first cricket pro., writes:

It was a pleasure to see amongst my Xmas mail the School Magazine, which is still very interesting to me, and to read of the success of the team in going through the second half unbeaten; especially as it was due to the play of the whole eleven and not one or two members. It is a great credit to those who coach them.

I am sorry to see that "Cricketer" complains that the umpiring is not good. If every player had to umpire before he played he would never complain. I remember when I was umpiring in first class matches I sometimes had to give an England player out, much to his disgust. Later on he be-



came an umpire and told me that he was sorry he had ever complained of bad umpiring.

I am looking forward to seeing the S.A. players over here and hope that there will be no unpleasantness over such things as bodyline bowling.

[Mr. Atfield has evidently taken "Cricketer's" letter to refer to School matches. There were no junior House-ties in his time.]

The Editor,

Dear Sir,—I wish to bring to your notice the fact that most of the boys attending this School would appreciate earlier hours.

Those boys who attend after-school games—and who live some distance from the School—arrive home too tired to do their homework well.

Therefore if we started School at the usual time had ten minutes break after both the third and the fifth periods, we could come out at 1.30 (we would still have  $\frac{3}{4}$  hour periods and thus have nothing to lose and everything to gain).

#### POP-EYE.

[The chief objection to the single session is that those day boys who take little interest in School affairs would take even less. Now they have at least to put in an appearance in the afternoon.]

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#### WINNERS OF LAZARUS SHIELD FOR LIFE SAVING.



L. V. Silverthorne, V. J. Richards, F. J. Brewis, C. J. Munro.



### SWIMMING NOTES.

The Cinderella of our School Sports must have a good fairy godmother, for without the lavish attentions bestowed on our sister sports we thrive and prosper and have for some years maintained a good position in the swimming world. A thoughtful analysis of results for the past few years will show that the School has every reason to take notice of our achievements. In our matches we beat Marists and Houghton, but were beaten by King Edwards. The last was a most interesting match in which our senior team beat the existing open team record for the K.E.S. bath, though they won the match.

During the season Maxwell and Thompson each put up season records for long and short distances respectively.

In the Inter-High Gala King Edwards, with a magnificent team, were first, and the School second. It is interesting to note that we have never come lower than second at this meeting. Parktown, Houghton, Marists, Athlone and Technical High Schools entered this year, though, like ourselves, handicapped by having no school bath.

In the Life-saving competition we were first, and now hold the Lazarus Shield. Mr. S. Richards, an old boy, coached our team, of which his brother, V. Richards, is captain, the other members being Silverthorne, U.; Munro, C.; Brewis, F.; with Shepherd, C. E., and Cowan, D., as reserves.

The School team consisted of:—Maxwell, A. (captain) and Thompson, M. (colours); Ortlepp; Munro, C.;

Braithwaite; Tinkler; Howes, A.; Munro, K.; Jackson, T. J.; Dennis; Silverthorne; Robinson; Richards, V.; Brewis; Fels; Mearns; Moyes; Dowden; Sawers; Cowan, D.; Roos. Mr. Robson took a keen interest in the coaching.

The School Gala was held on Thursday afternoon, 31st January. The usual large crowd of swimmers turned out in the balloon race, won by Jackson, T. J., but the fancy dress event was poorly supported, the prize going to Leveson, J.

The result of the House competition was as follows:—

	Points.
1. Koodoo ... ..	62
2. Duiker ... ..	21
3. Eland ... ..	15
4. Impala ... ..	10
5. Tsessebe ... ..	5
6. Oribi ... ..	4

In the House team race the order was: 1, Koodoo; 2, Duiker; 3, Oribi.

Successful competitors were:—Koodoo: Daniels, Dowden, Barraclough, Thompson, Ortlepp, Braithwaite, Maxwell, Munro, K. Duiker: Pragg, Fichardt, Bowley, Silverthorne, Dowell. Eland: Brewis, Richards, V., Dennis, Moyes. Impala: Els, Greig, Collins. Tsessebe: Mearns. Oribi: Jackson.

The House Life-saving competition resulted as follows: 1, Koodoo (Dowden, Munro, C., Barraclough, Gowan); 2, Eland; 3, Tsessebe; 4, Duiker; 5, Impala; 6, Oribi.



## CATASTROPHE

### Or "The Origin of the Noble Art of Crooning."

One afternoon as I sat meditating on the futility of existence in this corrupt sphere, the peaceful quiet which had induced my reverie was shattered by an unearthly sound such as is emitted by fat men who are forcibly prodded in the abdomen. This strange moaning issued from the radio set in a corner of the room, and, swearing volubly, I arose, intending to reduce that offending machine to a state resembling the disintegrated raw material, when a friend of mine entered and stilled my wild rage. Of such importance is the question to modern civilisation, however, that I cannot do it justice in mere prose.

"What ails you now, O friend of mine?" he said.

To him I made reply, "Would I were dead,

In everlasting peace, and drowsy rest,  
Instead of living, fated now to hear  
Always this raucous, sold-destroying  
row,

For crooning is the curse of modern  
man,

More potent far than Egypt's deadly  
plagues.

Escape is closed, and fearful torture  
rife."

"O tell me more of crooning,  
friend," he said,

"As I would know who introduced  
this art,

For surely he was tainted in his  
wits."

With eyes half-filled with tears, I  
answered him:

"'Twas on a day so sunny and so  
fair,

As maketh men, like birds, rejoice in  
song,

That some misguided youth, with  
look distraught,

Began, instead of singing decently,  
To make a strange and unmelodious  
sound,

Which sent small children, pale and  
sick with fear,

A-sobbing, wild with terror to their  
dams.

The youth, who emanated from the  
land

Discovered by Columbus—woe the  
day!—

Continued moaning in this fearsome  
strain,

And many others caught the vile  
disease,

For which there is no cure. The  
noisome plague

O'erspread this vale of woe, until,  
to-day,

The crooner's hailed as public enemy,  
Foe number one. Let's drink to his  
destruction.

MELETAVIS.

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## KOODOO KETTLEDROM.

*In hoc signo vincemus.*

Consider history with the beginnings  
of it stretching dimly into the remote  
time . . .

Thus spoke Carlyle and without a  
doubt history has lately received a  
great deal of consideration. The  
exams. always make us considerate in  
that way. Now however we turn to  
a brighter aspect of history—a record



of the activities in our own little world. For we have ended the half-year on a note of triumph, and with none of the hollowness that it might have had in previous years.

As it is rather a painful business handing out bouquets we will cut a long story short. Rose-Innes is to be congratulated on his appointment as our prefect and also head prefect of the School. The sub-prefects Barraclough, Jacobson, Koelges and Ralston (whose reappearance was rather mysterious), and the linesmen, Maxwell, Kantor, Thompson, Kennedy and Cavanagh, have contributed towards the smooth running of the House. We had the bad fortune to lose Mr. Acheson early in the year. Our loss is somebody else's gain however, and we must offer him our warmest congratulations and our best wishes for the future.

In the sporting world we have fully established our place in the sun. Among those who have made music with the willow and leather are Jacobson and Barraclough, our representatives in the First XI., Rose-Innes, James, Kantor and Kennedy in the Second XI. of which Rose-Innes is captain, besides a strong representative contingent in the Third. Our Junior Team has completed the first half of the year without a single defeat. The only team to score over a hundred against it was Tsessebe!

There is a phase of school life in which our strong men are not silent. The triumvirate of the Debating Society has been supplied by Koodoo. Koelges, Kantor and Sherman fill positions of Chairman, Secretary and the Treasurer respectively. Into the hushed precincts of the library Koodoo

has insinuated herself in the persons of Kantor, Sachs, A. N., Sherman and Koelges, the junior librarians, and on the dusty parade ground we have easily swung into step with the rest. Rose-Innes, Maxwell, Ralston, Kantor, Dickson and Barraclough have been appointed second lieutenants while Koelges has been our representative among the C.S.M's, to say nothing of the inevitable "fair sprinkling" of N.C.O's.

The summer being unusually warm, Koodoo betook herself to the water. The results were gratifying. We had a field day at the Gala and won comfortably. Thompson (capt.), Ortlepp, Munro and the life-saving team were chiefly responsible for our success. The Sports, too, added to our laurels. Ralston (capt.), Maxwell and Rose-Innes among the seniors and Munro, Fletcher and Broadfoot were outstanding. It is due to them chiefly that we won the shield.

During the winter months the springy turf of the Rugby field proved an irresistible lure to our enthusiasts. We have supplied three members to the First XV. in Rose-Innes, Barraclough and Murrow, Rose-Innes being elected captain, while Koelges has captained the Second XV.

We must crave our readers' indulgence if they should be disposed to cavil at what might appear to be a note of complacency in the foregoing remarks. The fact is that this is Koodoo's year and we are not ashamed of it. Does not the School poet bear our our contention in his inimitable fashion?



Koodoo,  
 You've a hoodoo  
 On all the other Houses.  
 Few do  
 What you do  
 When strife your mettle rouses.  
 Tell us—  
 We're jealous—  
 The secret that has made you  
 So zealous.  
 Just tell us  
 How you've beat 'em all who've  
 played you.

Far be it from us, however, to withhold their just meed of praise from our Housemasters, Mr. Acheson and Mr. Robson, for their inspiration and practical interest in our affairs. Nor must we forget those fellows who have given us their loyal support although their names do not appear in print.

OTHO.

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## ELAND ECHOES.

*Semper Parati.*

Prefect: P. Tomlinson.

Sub-prefect: H. Daniel.

Linesmen: J. Brittan, C. L. Hewitt,  
 D. R. Hickman, A. Joffe, H. C.  
 McCall.

During this half we have endeavoured to live up to our motto, but it is one thing to be prepared and another to find the material with which to make preparation. It must be admitted that we have not shone in any department of School life, albeit we have managed to avoid the wooden spoon in the various competitions.

In cricket about 30 Elands turned out to a trial game and there was more enthusiasm shown than we have

seen for years. The fielding has certainly improved and Lacey and Artus have made some good scores. Allison (capt.) and Artus sen. have bowled well, while Artus jun. covered himself with glory by taking five wickets in one over (7 for 10) against Koodoo, the champions. The batting broke down, however, in this match, which was ignominiously lost. Lacey has done well in the Second and Allison in the Third Eleven.

At the Swimming Gala Dennis and Robinson, E. M., were chiefly instrumental in gaining third place for us.

In the Athletic Sports our juniors were up to the standard, Segal being well to the fore with a win in the Under 16 hundred and quarter and a third in the mile.

The less said about our seniors the better.

Although Rugby is new to the School, the House is well represented on the field, and we hope to put up a good performance in the House Ties next term. Hickman, Gray and Soskolne have played well in the First XV. while Thompson, Robinson, E. M., and Tomlinson represent the House in the Second, Robinson, T. E., in the Third, and Karson in the Fourth.

Our prefect, Tomlinson, ably presides over the orderly room on Thursdays.

We congratulate Perry, the smallest boy in the School on winning the 1,000 yards and second prize in the Jubilee essay competition.

We are sorry to lose Mr. Candy, our House Master, who is shortly sailing for England on three months' leave. The House wishes him *bon voyage* and a pleasant holiday.



We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Manduell on the birth of a daughter.

The imminence of the June exams. reminds us that our late prefect, G. D. Goodman, and Dungan gained firsts last December. Who is going to emulate them this year? [Who, indeed? Ed.]

P.E.A.T.

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### DUIKER DOINGS.

*Nemo me impune lacessit.*

Do we need a Dictator? If not, we should certainly like to see some genuinely enthusiastic House spirit arise during the next half year.

If we are to be proud of our House, our members must show enthusiasm and take interest in the activities of the House, both in the classroom and on the playing fields. We have the material; what we want is team spirit. Let us have a little more of this next half, please, Duikers.

We take this opportunity of welcoming Mr. van Wyk as an assistant house-master and feel that his services, especially on the football field, will be invaluable.

Our Prefect, Thompson, has been ably assisted by Sub-prefects Rhumer and Little, and Linesmen Hudson, Dellow, Rondi, Sboros, and Silverthorne.

The School Sports provided perhaps our outstanding performance of the year. This was chiefly due to the efforts of Dellow and Dowell, the former in spite of an injured ankle.

Evidently the brains of the School have found their way into our ranks. We had two successful competitors in the Jubilee Essay Competition, in

which Ward and Neppe secured second prizes.

This year the cricket team is much below the standard in spite of the able captaincy of Little. We were represented in the First XI. by Rhumer and Shoros; in the Second by Little, and in the Third by Mitchell and Rondi. Unfortunately Thompson was unable to play owing to an injury.

Our representatives in the Cadets are Drum-major Thompson, Second Lieutenants Shoros, Ward and Rondi, the latter being our only representative of the shooting team.

We failed to maintain our former prestige at swimming in spite of the efforts of Silverthorne, Fichardt, and Bowley.

We have only two supporters of the Debating Society, namely Neppe and Carol, and hope to see these numbers increase during the next half. We are unrepresented in the Rugby XV. and shall have to rely chiefly on the support of Little, Hudson, Silverthorne, and Sischy in the House-ties next term.

We hope to see many Old Duikers supporting our annual reunion, which will take the form of a dance this year, and would further like to add that up to the present there have been few supporters of this meeting, which is the only one of its kind in the School. We wish our Housemaster and his campers a pleasant holiday during the forthcoming vacation.

W. M. T.

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### ORIBI ORACLE.

*Virtus Nescia Vinci.*

Once again Time and the Editor's inexorable decree have forced our



noble scribe to seize his pen and record the events of the past half year. We returned at the beginning of the year to welcome Mr. Jones, and a term later Miss Nicholson, who have come to assist us in solving our domestic problems. However, under the able leadership of our prefectorial staff, little trouble has been encountered, save a broken leg and an unfortunate epidemic of mumps.

As usual, in the field of sport our banner has been proudly flying. In cricket, Shewell and Jackson have played for the First, Hayden-Thomas for the Second, and Broom, Wooldrige, and Leveson for the Third. Our junior cricket team, under the captaincy of Broom, now lies second in the log. At the swimming and athletic meetings, however, our banner was lowered considerably. Indeed, it might be said that it was trailing in the dust. With the introduction of Rugby our prestige has been restored, for we are able to boast of Falcke, Hayden-Thomas and Leveson, as well as Broom, the vice-captain, in the First XV. We also contribute many members to other teams.

On the parade ground Oribis are again conspicuous, having three officers and many N.C.O's, and last but not least we have the captain and one other member of the School shooting team.

Our stars, besides shining in the field of sport, glimmer in the classroom. In the Debating Society we are represented by one committee member and a host of debaters. Congratulations to Swersky on winning a prize in the recent Essay Competition.

"If music be the food of love" our worthy Cook, instead of performing "Night and Day" would only have to perform once in a "Blue Moon," thus preventing "Smoke from getting into her eyes." The reason for this is that there are three wirelesses and four gramophones in the House. The result of the above combination is undoubtedly "Jazz too bad."

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Manduell on the birth of a daughter.

We hope that Miss Jackson is spending an enjoyable holiday overseas and will return in the best of health.

*We hear that—*

Mr. von Linsingen's car runs very well.

Mr. Jones takes a size ten rugby boot.

*We believe that—*

A fly spray is a cure for mumps.

There is still Hope for J—n.

Sm-th turns brown when blushing. Behrman "nose" Red Rhinos are dangerous.

TRIUMVIRATE PLUS ONE.

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## IMPALA IMPRESSIONS.

*Nulli Secundus.*

It is with more optimism than of yore that the scribe has taken up his pen to chronicle Impala's activities during the last six months. That faint cynicism, with which Impalas once regarded the efforts of their officers to better the position of their House, both in the physical and intellectual side of School life, has faded.



For Impalas are beginning to make an impression. Opening the new year, our junior cricket team did quite well. We had one representative in each of the three Elevens; Allen, Murray and Sawers, in order of importance.

There were no outstanding Impalas at the Swimming Gala, and so we had every reason to be satisfied with our position on the log.

The result of the Sports proved a big surprise, particularly to the Impalas themselves. It was mainly due to the sterling efforts of the juniors that Impala obtained the third place. Amongst these Els, van Heerden and Murray were specially prominent. Lane and Tainton did good work in the senior events.

With the advent of Rugby, Impalas have proved unusually lucky. We can boast three members of First XV., namely Koelges, Lane and Sawers, while we are well represented in the other senior XV's. We also have a good crop of juniors performing lower down.

The attendance of Impalas at both cricket and rugby matches is deplorable. This complete lack of interest is also shown by those attending the School debates. The colossal figure amounts to 5! But all minds, these days, carry but a single thought. The Exams.! Let us hope all Impalas will live up to their motto: "Nulli Secundus." [A difficult task! Ed.]

N. A. K.

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### **TSESSEBE TSUMMARY.**

*Vita sine litteris mors est.*

We hail the coming July holidays with the usual mixture of feelings.

Anxiety concerning the results of the approaching examination and satisfaction on the score of a well-filled term, are further complicated by certain spots on the sun. We are extremely dubious about the weather prospects for the holidays, especially those of us who are going coastwards; we hope that some parts of the south coast have not been washed away.

We wish Armitage, our Prefect, and Rankin, Gren and Waites, our Subs, a good year. We also welcome the new boys. Seventeen joined us this year, so that "full house" is the order of the day.

At cricket we carried on the good work of last year by contributing no less than five members to the First Eleven, they being Armitage (captain), Waites (on the selection committee), Rankin, Roberts, and Tully. Townsend and Vines played for the Second, while Theron and Thorburn were included in the Third. We congratulate Theron on the able manner in which he has managed the Junior House team; its position at present is second. By the end of the year we hope that it will be second to none. [You have a hope! Ed.]

In the field of athletics we can boast one achievement which seems to us more important than our successes at the meeting. If the game is worth more than the prize we may be pardoned for our pride in the fact that every boy in the House entered for the Sports. Our chances of winning the shield were considerably reduced by an epidemic of mumps, so we were perhaps fortunate in attaining second place. Waites (*victor ludorum*), Rankin, Runciman, Kennedy, Thorburn, and Bonner did us yeoman service.



We heartily congratulate Koodoo on their well-deserved victory.

If a number of us have developed limps, aches, bruises, and other minor disablements, we must attribute these to growing-pains. Jeppe rugby was born at the beginning of the term and seems to be developing at an astonishing rate. This new departure has kept us all very much occupied.

One of our landmarks, the summer-house, no longer graces our gardens. It now overlooks the rugby field in a very inviting fashion, constituting a supplementary tuck shop.

The House concert was as successful and enjoyable as ever; much of our success being due to Mr. Dashwood, who was untiring in his efforts to make this annual event a success.

The School radio league ought to be grateful to its Tsessebe members, whose payment of their subscriptions in a lump sum enabled the league to purchase a record-player.

We regret the passing of Rex, Mr. Childe's spaniel. He was an 'Mpiti for many years and a Tsessebe for two years. We all miss him. The prefects also regret the loss of their coats and shoes.

Good luck to Tron on his visit to England. We hope that he will be afforded the opportunity of seeing the Jeppe Old Boys in action in the home country.

We congratulate Mr. Manduell on the birth of a daughter.

In conclusion we wish all an enjoyable holiday.

CLARENCE.

## THE JEPPE—PARKTOWN CAMP.

The annual Jeppe-Parktown Christmas camp was situated at Lakeside. Once again we have to thank the Attwell Baking Co. for the loan of their admirable camping-ground. The cooking arrangements were exemplary despite the fact that the cook had to cater for 85 boys. The campers were well disciplined and controlled by Prefects McAlpine, Rhumer, Armstrong and Rubenstein (Jeppe); Barlow and Robins-Brown (Parktown). The cricket team under the leadership of McAlpine played two matches—one against the Navy and one against Western Province "B." Although the team was defeated on both occasions it was in no wise disgraced.

The campers greatly enjoyed an excursion to Simonstown, where they were shown over the "Dorsetshire." The railway and bathing facilities were appreciated, as also were the services of the trained nurse in attendance.

Several of us, including our O.C., climbed Table Mountain, and back again, in record time as a heavy mist descended. It was great fun, and almost as thrilling as bob sleighing without a sleigh.

In conclusion (at least till next year) we should like to thank our O.C. Captain Cheeseman and Mr. Marshall for their work to make the camp enjoyable. The campers presented their O.C. with a razor. (No reflection was intended).

J. WILLIAMS.





SOME OF THE XMAS CAMPERS AT LAKESIDE.

### PREPARATORY NOTES.

The half year at the Prep. has been full of activities; during the early part of the year the School was enthusiastic over swimming. House matches were arranged and were a great success. On the 27th February these matches culminated in a swimming gala at which all the Houses competed. The programme was varied and had diving events, back stroke, breast stroke, crawl and a final Relay race. The Kiewieties carried the honours of the day and were awarded the Murgatroyd Swimming Trophy presented by Mrs. Murgatroyd. The results were:—

Kiewieties	...	...	46½	points.
Tingtinkies	...	...	33½	„
Sakabulas	...	...	28	„
Rooibekkies	...	...	23	„
Hoopoes	...	...	13	„

During this term the Barnato Park Prep. challenged the Preparatory to a swimming match. The result was very satisfactory, Barnato Park winning by one point only.

On 12th March the two Standard V's entertained the Young Australian League for the afternoon. A very pleasant time was spent in the school grounds. Denys Spargo welcomed the visitors on behalf of the school and



presented them with the House badges mounted as a memento of the visit.

The Annual Sports were held on 30th March on the "Murton" Ground. The accommodation this year was much improved, the terraces have been broadened, the lawn laid, and the visitors' enclosure levelled. Mrs. A. H. Childe kindly came to present the prizes. The Iddles Cup was won by the Tingtinkies with 52 points, the Boys' Relay Cup by the Rooibekkies and the Girls' Relay by the Kiewieties for the fourth year in succession. The Houses stood as follows:—

Tingtinkies ... ..	32
Kiewieties ... ..	24
Hoopoes ... ..	19
Rooibekkies ... ..	14
Sakabulas ... ..	14

We would like to thank the Committee, judges, clerks, recorders and whips for their help and the ladies who so kindly organised tea and gave refreshments for it.

It was decided to spend the Municipal grant given in honour of the King's Jubilee on a wireless with gramophone attachment. This was presented to the school by Councillors Gray and Thorburn.

The Preparatory took its part in the fête organised by the Girls' High School for the Cripples' Home on 11th May. Miss Bredell convened the Prep. Stall and the children provided a great deal of produce for it. Miss Secretan helped further to raise funds for the stall by a concert. This was unique in staging the first performance of Standard II's Brass Band. It was greeted with great applause. Mr.

Drummond Bell kindly brought his choir and Miss McLaren's pupils gave several excellent items. The sum raised by this concert and the stall at the fête was £42.

The Staff has had two changes this term as Miss James and Miss Black are spending their well-earned leave in Europe. Miss Taaffe left in May for an overseas trip. The temporary vacancies have been filled by Miss Scott, Miss Harvey and Mrs. Jakins. In January we welcomed Miss Janet Jarvis to the permanent staff in place of Miss Gray.

### Hockey.

The School is lucky in having obtained the services of Mrs. J. Jakins, Secretary of the Southern Transvaal Women's Hockey Association, to take the girl's sport, and together with Miss Matschke's assistance, the team should be ready to tackle anyone next term.

### Tennis.

The team entertained Barnato Park Prep. Team and, although we were beaten, the girls spent an enjoyable afternoon.

### Boxing.

For the first time the Prep. entered a team of six boys for the Schools' Boxing Association Competition. Lewis and McLean put up a splendid round, Paxton drew a bye and Goldberg got into the semi-finals. Unfortunately, George Hunter, who would have done well, could not compete owing to illness.

### Football.

#### FIRST ROUND.

Jeppe Prep.—

vs. Yeoville

vs. K.E.S.

Lost 0—1

Lost 0—4



vs. Norwood	Won	2—0
vs. Orange Grove	Lost	1—2
vs. Parkview	Lost	0—2

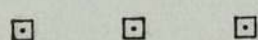
## SECOND ROUND.

Jeppe Prep.—		
vs. Yeoville	Draw	0—0
vs. K.E.S.	Draw	0—0
vs. Norwood	Won	6—0

## FRIENDLIES.

Pridwin vs. Jeppe Prep.	Lost	1—2
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The team is definitely improving.



## GEMS OF GENIUS.

The dark clouds of the political situation threatened to undermine the government.

And may his predecessors ever follow in his footsteps.

Glorious Rome lasted for a considerable number of palmy days, but eventually succumbed to the contortions of fate.

The time comes that every man, woman, and child in the British Empire throws aside *armour propé* and sings the Royal Anthem.

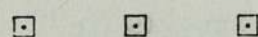
The parachutes dropped many constellation prizes.

The land of Pallas—Palestine.

Homer is an imposition in English schools. It is sometimes called Homer sapiens.

Two battles in the War of the Spanish Succession were the Peasants' Revolt and the Wars of the Roses.

Luke Hazy was a cocky, high-hatted bootlegger.



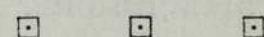
## LIBRARY NOTES.

Gifts of books are gratefully acknowledged from R. E. van de Pol (J.O.B.), the Students of the Normal

College who did their practical work at Jeppe, and E. D. Snow (IIB), R. Madden. From time to time, in previous copies of the magazine, an appeal has been made to boys leaving school to present a book or books to the Library. It is pleasant to record that within the last twelve months there have been three such presentations; but one cannot help feeling that there must be more boys than this who have derived sufficient pleasure and profit from their life at school to warrant making some little return for all they have received.

It would be a splendid means of adding to our stock, if we could expect at least one book from every boy who reaches the Fifth Forms. Moreover, even though we should be glad to receive books for which boys have no further use (assuming always that they are in suitable condition), it is surely not too much to ask that there might be presentations of new books for either Reference or Lending. The Librarian will always gladly advise any boy who wishes to make such a presentation as to a suitable choice.

Will those concerned please think this over in the course of the next six months?



## FARRAGO.

*Gaudia, discursus, nostri est farrago libelli.*—Juvenal.

The Silver Jubilee of King George V. and Queen Mary was celebrated on 5th May by the Presentation of Colours to the 64th Detachment by the Chairman of the Governing Body.

The occasion was marked also by the gift of one shilling per pupil by the City Council to all schools. The



Headmaster decided to devote our share of the money partly to prizes for essays on "The Significance of the Silver Jubilee to the Empire." The names of the winners are recorded elsewhere and we hope that His Worship the Mayor will visit the School next term to present the books chosen by the successful essayists.

The remainder of the money will be spent on pictures of famous buildings connected with His Majesty's reign.

On 6th April Mr. Acheson was married to Miss Mervyn-Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Acheson are at present visiting Europe and Canada with Bridget, and we wish them a very pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Candy will leave for England in July on a short visit. John Candy joined the S.A.T.S. "General Botha" in January and is in the ship's football and cricket teams.

Mr. J. E. Fischer, M.A., formerly of Standerton School, is assisting us in the English department for two terms.

Heartiest congratulations to the Headmaster and Mrs. Manduell on the birth of a daughter in England on 17th May. John Manduell has been perfecting his French in France. We hope to see them all back next term.

Congratulations to Mr. Nitch on his election as chairman of the Johannesburg branch of the Transvaal High School Teachers' Association.

In connection with the Jubilee every boy received a bronze medal struck at the Pretoria branch of the Royal Mint.

D. Gibson made history on 8th May by scoring the School's first try on the new rugby ground against King Edwards' Under 15 B.

The Tsessebe summer-house has accomplished its second migration and has been re-erected with great skill by Mr. Marshall near his cottage. It is intended for a subsidiary tuck shop, chiefly for rugby players and spectators, who can obtain a most acceptable cup of coffee from Mrs. Marshall for the modest sum of one penny.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. van Wyk on the arrival of a son on 19th June.

Mr. Marshall is establishing a nursery for Maginnes grass, as used on the Wanderers main ground, in preparation for the gigantic task of grassing the front ground. It seems that nothing is impossible these days.

The new rugby stocking is very neat and looks much better when it is not used as an ankle bandage, as seems to be the custom at present.

The School dance, held at the end of the first term, was, as usual, a most delightful affair. Our Head Prefect, C. E. Rose-Innes, and N. D. Broom, Oribi Prefect, assisted mainly by the indispensable and indefatigable Oribis, made the hall a veritable bower of beauty.

Playing against Koodoo, Artus jun. took 5 wickets in his first over and 2 in his second.

Owing to the unusual incidence of Ascension Day (on 30th May) we had a four days' holiday. Indeed, we had to be satisfied with six whole school-days in the fortnight. Some of us were.

There will be no Shakespearian play this year—chiefly because it was found impossible to produce "Hamlet" in the absence of the Prince of Denmark. He is, apparently, still at



school at Wittenberg—at any rate he is not at Jeppe.

We are grateful to an old boy, C. F. B. Locke, for the two excellent snaps of the Jubilee parade.

The bass drumsticks, which were missing for two parades, have been returned by the people who “borrowed” them for “noises off” at a certain dramatic entertainment about a month ago. We have not yet discovered who lent them, but we apologise humbly to other suspects.

Editor's House notes award:—Tsessebe.

T. H. Roberts, L. Snell and S. Murray are representing Southern Transvaal in the Schools soccer tournament at Port Elizabeth in July.

Our artist, C. R. Kruger (who, by the way, is a descendant of Dick King) assures that not only his sketch but also his spelling is original.

We are obliged to Capt. Cooper of Athlone H.S. for the loan of 4 drums on 5th May.

A spate of verse from a certain Boarding House had been predicted but their domestic muse seems to have eloped with their poet laureate.

The Editor has received welcome clerical assistance from A. Leveson.

T. W. Fraser, a former Head Prefect, played in the Freshmen's match at Cambridge.

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## NEW BOYS.

### Duiker House:

Abelson, N.; Baker, D.; Berman, N.; Bowman, A.; Bolton, G.; Bricknell, R.; Cuffley, B.; Du Plessis, P.; Feinstein, A.; Fuchs, H.; Gill, R.; Howe, S.; Jackson, C.; Lamont, C.; Lagerwall, H.; Levit, S.; Levenberg,

A.; Lipkin, L.; Maxwell, R.; Pragg, S.; Revow, S.; Ralphs, R.; Rosen, A.; Reid, M.; Snell, L.; Schonberg, S.; Shearer, J.; Vermeulen, F.; Webb, H.

### Koodoo:

Ayliff, F.; Barlow, O. D.; Boyd, B. L.; Broadfoot, E.; Budd, D.; Clark, E.; Clark, W.; Douglas, J.; Duke, K.; Fullerton, G.; Geary, J.; Gooch, S.; Green, A.; Griffiths, J.; Hogan, R.; Hooper, A.; Jackel, H.; Lloyd, O.; Maguire, J.; Moskovich, S.; Munger, D.; Miller, D.; Nosworth, S.; Oates, C.; Plewman, R.; Rabe, B.; Reid, M. J.; Roberts, A. C.; Ross, J.; Trenchard, C.; Van Wyk, W.; Wedderburn, B.

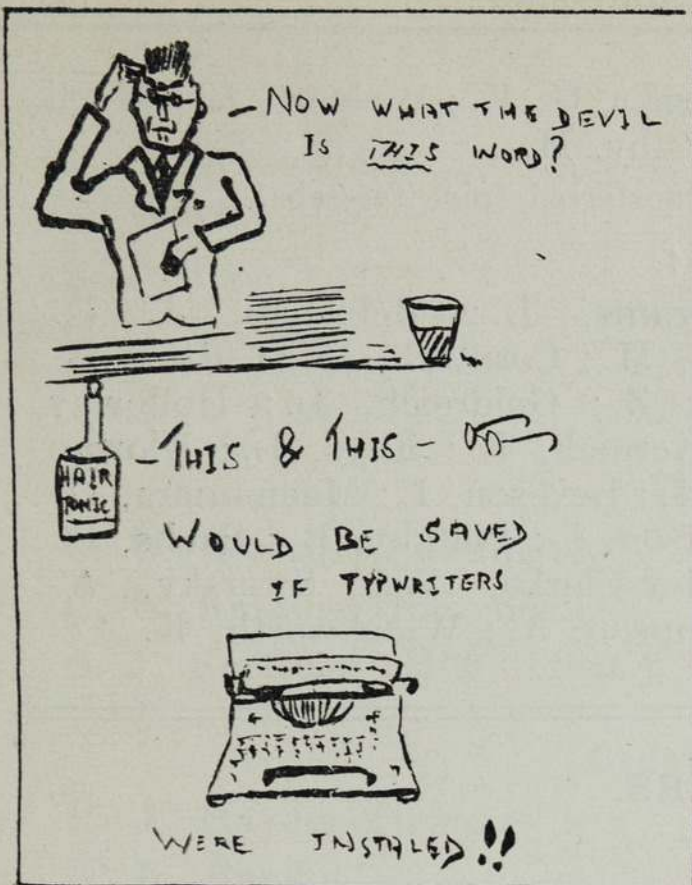
### Elands:

Anderson, H.; Baard, W.; Bell, D.; Beuthin, B.; Bollours, H.; Boxall, E.; Cohen, M.; Fletcher, D.; Goldberg, L.; Goldman, L.; Groom, C.; Hall, M.; Hamilton, I.; Healy, P.; Hellyer, P.; Hickman, H.; Hill, D.; Hopgood, R.; Jacobs, R.; Gurgenson, E.; Lipkin, E.; Lowe, L.; Melvin, J.; Newberry, J.; Parry, D.; Perry, F.; Radus, S.; Resnick, M.; Russell, J.; Schmidenburg, R.; Scott, B.; Scott, I.; Senderowitz, M.; Stafford, L.; Towns, D.; White, D.; Wing, G.; Yudeiken, E.

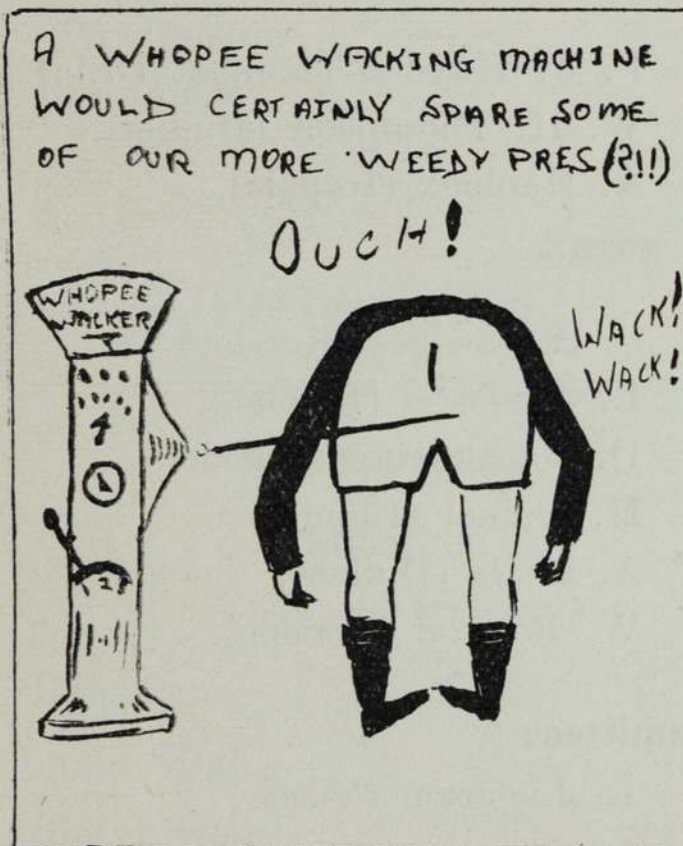
### Tsessebe:

Bonner, L.; Braudo, L.; Church, E.; Copelaus, J.; De Jager, T.; Edelstein, A.; Friedburg, D.; Hardwick, A.; Harrison, C.; Hart, E.; Kier, E.; Lockwood, J.; Prangley, W.; Roberts, R.; Stipcich, J.; Taitz, S.; Udwin, S.





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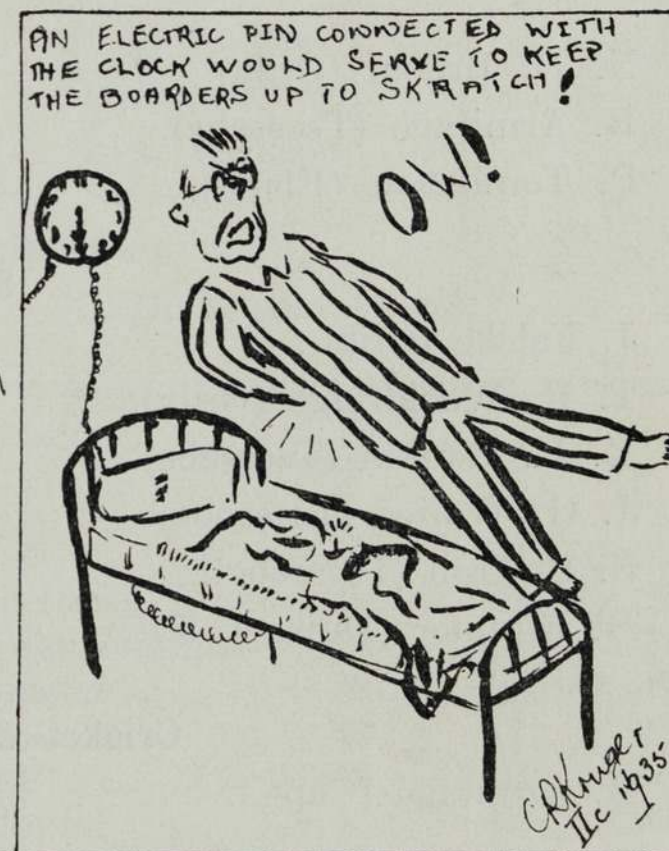


THE SAD TALE(?) OF A SCHOLAR —

SOME SUGGEST I  
FOR A  
HAPPIER &  
BETTER  
I.H.S



OUR MASTERS —



& LAST BUT NOT LEAST  
INNOCENT LITTLE ORIBI &  
TSESSEBE !!



**Impala :**

Bowman, R.; Braidwood, D.; Bru-  
kin, M.; Cahill, L.; Collins, J.;  
Colombick, C.; Cooper, H.; Davies,  
W.; Deakin, D.; \*Druion, B.; Goller,  
M.; Grigg, E.; \*Haupt, R.; Horvitch,  
E.; Kilg, R.; Klein, H. F.; Linsley,  
R.; Macdonald, G.; Macdonald, K.;  
MacLennan, J.; Martin, J.; Nielsen,  
W.; Rowan, A.; Smith, N.; Smith,  
C. J.; Smith, W. B.; Taylor, G.;  
Taylor, W.; Trather, W.; Wallis, G.;

Wepener, G. E.; Wolpert, L.; Wood,  
P.; Zilby, H.

\* Transferred from Tsessebe.

**Oribi :**

Abrams, L.; Behrman, J. D.;  
Broll, M.; Cornwall, R.; Cutten, R.;  
Datt, Z.; Goldreich, L.; Holloway,  
J.; Kernick, E.; Keys, L.; Klowan-  
sky, I.; Leveson, I.; Macnamara, D.;  
Paterson, I.; Platzky, B.; Sachs, B.;  
Stanley-Clarke, W.; Swersky, A.;  
Thompson, A.; Winckworth, K.

**SCHOOL OFFICERS.****Head Prefect :**

C. E. Rose-Innes.

**Prefects :**

N. D. Broom (Oribi).  
B. Armitage (Tsessebe).  
P. Tomlinson (Eland).

P. J. Hayden-Thomas (Oribi).  
W. H. Thompson (Duiker).  
A. Habbick (Impala).

**Sub-Prefects :**

J. Falcke (Oribi).  
T. R. Wooldridge (Oribi).  
N. K. Rankin (Tsessebe).  
J. G. Waites (Tsessebe).  
S. P. Tron (Tsessebe).  
B. Rhumer (Duiker), *left*.

C. O. Koelges (Koodoo).  
L. Jacobson (Koodoo).  
D. Barraclough (Koodoo).  
H. Daniel (Eland).  
A. Little (Duiker).  
W. Ralston (Koodoo).

**Cricket Selection Committee :**

B. Armitage (Capt.).

L. Jacobson (Vice).

J. G. Waites.

**Cricket Colours :**

B. Armitage (Capt.).

L. Jacobson (Vice).

J. G. Waites.

H. Daniel.



**Junior Librarians:**

T. R. Wooldridge.	S. J. Sherman.
S. Bowley.	O. L. Ward.
S. P. Tron.	C. S. Kantor.
C. O. Koelges.	S. Rubenstein.
	A. N. Sachs.

**Debating Society:**

C. O. Koelges (Chairman).	A. A. Leveson (Mem. Com.).
C. S. Kantor (Hon. Sec.).	M. Neppe (Mem. Com.).
S. J. Sherman (Hon. Treas.).	

**Cadet 2nd Lieutenants:**

P. J. Hayden-Thomas.	J. E. Rondi.
N. K. Rankin.	O. L. Ward.
C. E. Rose-Innes.	A. D. Maxwell.
N. D. Broom.	D. Sboros (Acting).
W. Ralston.	C. S. Kantor.
J. Falcke.	D. Barraclough.
	E. A. Dickson.

**Rugby Selection Committee:**

C. E. Rose-Innes (Capt.).	N. D. Broom (Vice).
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**STOP PRESS.****Shooting.****DISTRICT BISLEY.**

Helpmekaar .....	776	97%
Jeppe High .....	762	95.25%
King Edwards ...	754	94.25%
Forest High .....	746	93.3%
Parktown High ..	712	89%
John Mitchell ...	414	51.75%

**SCHOOL.**

	D.	R.	
James .....	50	50	100
Rose-Innes .....	49	49	98
Hayden-Thomas	48	48	96
Robinson .....	48	48	96
Townsend .....	48	47	95
Rondi .....	46	49	95
Hickman .....	46	47	93
Shewell .....	46	43	89

381      381      762

Average 95.25%.

James was the only boy to score a possible.



# OLD BOYS' SUPPLEMENT.

*June*



*1935*

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## JUST ODD BITS.

### Registration of Colours.

After many years of endeavour on the part of the Old Boys and kindred clubs and associations, a bill has at last been passed by Parliament whereby colours and badges may be registered. The provisions of the Act differentiate between badges, blazers, colours, etc., and consequently the cost of registering all the Club's various distinctive uniforms, etc., would be particularly high. As a result, the Council has decided to arrange for the registration of the Club blazer and badge, especially in view of the fact that the hockey teams play in the School colours, and the football jerseys may probably cease to be used in a few years' time now that the School has definitely taken up Rugby, and the soccer nursery has ceased to exist.

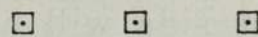
### Old Boys Ties.

The Club recently took over a large stock of Club ties from one of the local firms, and members are notified that these ties can now be obtained from the Secretary of the Club at a cost of 3s.

### Programme of Functions.

With a view to avoiding an overlap in connection with the dates of functions organised by the different sections of the Club, the Council has decided that, at the beginning of each year, sub-sections, in collaboration, prepare a programme for the whole year, and that this be published in the Magazine to give members ample notification of such functions. This policy will ensure that Old Boys will

receive ample notice of functions and the old excuse of ignorance will no longer hold good.



## THE SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKET TEAM IN ENGLAND.

The South Africans have always enjoyed a considerable degree of popularity in England, but from the following extract taken from a Worcester paper, it appears that this year the side has broken records in this respect:—

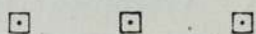
“ The South African team has just arrived to play their first game against the county. Outside the station was a crowd even greater and more excited than that which greeted the Australians a year ago, and it was plain that the South Africans did not expect anything of the kind. From the station to the hotel—nearly a mile—the streets were lined with cheering people. One of the party who had been here previously said: ‘ We have never had anything like this before.’ The welcome was the more remarkable because the team arrived two hours late, an official function in London having delayed their departure.”

In referring to the tour Cyril Vincent writes:

“ We have had a terrible time with the weather, it has been real winter, and several matches have been continually interrupted by a succession of light showers. It rained all yesterday (Sunday), and I doubt if we will play to-day. Just our luck. We never seem to bat on anything but difficult wickets. This is a jolly good side, and may easily spring a surprise pro-



vided, of course, the weather rains to suit us for a change. We have so often had the sticky end of things, that its about time our luck changed. Half the Test side will have to fight and fight hard to get in, and this is all to the good, showing as it does how well everyone is playing."



### HOCKEY.

The 1935 season has so far proved extremely successful.

The Transvaal League team has played more than half its matches, and at the time of writing has been beaten only once. It is four points ahead of its nearest rival—Berea Park. This is the best chance our senior team has had of winning the League; let us hope it will carry on the good work.

The First Johannesburg League team has a number of very promising players, and it is well up in its section, in spite of many players being on the injured list.

The Thirds have done remarkably well, when one takes into consideration the fact that members of this team have repeatedly been called upon to make good deficiencies in the Second. Their best performance was against Zoo Lake, last year's knock-out winners, when they were unlucky to lose by one goal.

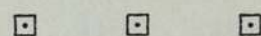
The Fourths, although reasonably well up in their league, have not entirely fulfilled the promise showed last season. The reason probably is that members of this team have either been promoted or continually called upon to fill gaps in the higher teams.

Generally speaking the standard of our hockey is high, but we would like

to see the forwards make more use of their opportunities in the circle.

Our only regret is that the section is handicapped by a shortage of members. It is not uncommon to see the Fourths turning out short. Juniors, this team is run specially for you! Why not become active members of this section now?

H.A.D.



### FOOTBALL SECTION NOTES.

The season is now half way through and although it would be hazardous to forecast the final results in the various leagues a resume of the section's activities may be of interest.

Last year's experiment of a non-playing selection committee has not been continued and the captains of the teams and the managers have acted instead. As there were a great number of doubtful starters teams were entered in only three leagues—the Southern Transvaal First Division, the Wit. Alliance, and the Under 20. Friendly matches, however, have been arranged for members not playing in the league teams and prove a useful recruiting ground for the other sides. The captains of the teams are J. Morrison, Allen Whytock and Gordon Cutler.

The position in the logs of the teams is as follows: The Southern Transvaal, First Division, is sixth out of 10; The Wit. Alliance, eighth out of nine; the Under 20 tenth out of 11.

The greatest difficulty is experienced in building up teams which can play regularly every Saturday. Casualties occur, friends or friend's friends will get married, holidays are taken and even work sometimes interferes. This latter we cannot understand.



Members continue to fight shy of practices, except for a stalwart few who never miss. Until players make the endeavour to get themselves fit the Club can never hope to build a name for itself in soccer as it has done in other games.

It is hard to understand why the Under 20 side has not been more successful. On paper the team is good but on the field it is disappointing.

A redeeming feature of the section is the spirit of the teams on the field. At times it almost appears that the players like one another and from the Club's point of view this is a more satisfactory feature than success in the logs. The Secretary's thanks are due to those players who on frequent occasions turn out for the Club at a few minutes notice.

This report would not be complete without recording the debt that is due to the senior members of the club, who have given up their Saturday afternoons to manage the teams. We know the fish are glad of one member's sacrifice in the interests of soccer.

Members of the club are asked to make a note of the Section's Dance to be held on Saturday, the 7th September, at 8 p.m., in the Kensington Hall. An enjoyable evening is assured.

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### **JEPPE HIGH SCHOOL OLD BOYS AND GIRLS AMATEUR DRAMATIC SOCIETY.**

The third annual entertainment by the Society, consisting of a three-act comedy, was presented in the Girls School Hall on the 21st and 22nd of June. The audiences were disappoint-

ing in so far as numbers but their appreciation of our efforts was very pleasing. In fact we have heard nothing but praise since the final curtain fell on Saturday night, and it is rumoured that certain members of the cast are expecting a "fan" mail at any moment.

Our heartiest congratulations must go to Miss Jessie Bell (Mrs. Roy Bryant) for her success in turning us into something much more like actors than we have ever been before. It is still a mystery to us how she does it, but it is our sincerest hope that she will continue to mystify us.

The Society is again indebted to Miss McLarty for allowing us the use of the School Hall for rehearsals and for the production, and we tender her our sincerest thanks for everything she has done for us. We have to thank all those who helped us in so many different ways, with the tea arrangements, stage furniture, lighting and a hundred and one little things that are so necessary for the successful production of a show.

That the production was so successful is all the more remarkable considering that rehearsals only commenced five weeks prior to the first night. This in itself is a high tribute to the hard work put in by our producer and the conscientious efforts of the cast. When these people do their utmost, especially in the name of the Old Boys and Old Girls it comes as rather a bitter disappointment when the support from the club is so poor as was evidenced by the number of the audience on Friday and Saturday, the two nights of the show. It can hardly be expecting too much for the members of our club to give one night a year in order to encourage the efforts



of our Society. Let us hope that the Old Boys will awake to their responsibilities in future.

In conclusion, I must make the usual appeal for more male members. Those of you who wish to join us please let me know, don't just mumble something to this effect to anybody who happens to be standing around; let me, or some member of the committee know, and at the same time give us your name and address. Don't forget, although many "husbands are a problem," many more members will ease the difficulties of the committee in casting future shows and play-readings. Look out for the next play-reading which will take place during July. Look out for our next show, and "look out" to such good purpose that we have not to raise our voices in a cry of "where are our supporters."

A. H. WIGGAN,

Hon. Sec.

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### TENNIS.

The entry for the 1935 Annual Tournament, if not a record, was one of the best in recent years, and affords welcome proof that the section is indeed heading for better times.

A feature of the tournament has been the prominent part played by junior and scholar members. The standard of play has generally been fairly good, and the section is fortunate in possessing so many promising young players.

It will not be out of place here to repeat the appeal made by Mr. A. H. Childe to the juniors. The section is doing all in its power to encourage

them and to improve their play, and it is only fair they remain faithful to the club. Doubtless it will seem at times that advantages might be gained by joining this club or that, but in the final analysis it will be found the old club has the greater claim.

Membership has increased during the year, but nevertheless the courts are not sufficiently patronised.

Owing to Ascension Day occurring during a long week-end, it was decided to cancel the Annual Re-Union Tournament this year, but the juniors, captained by Miss Olive Booth, arranged a picnic at Beau Valley with such success that it is hoped further outings of this nature will be planned for summer.

A dance was held in the Girls' School Hall and, although poorly supported, resulted in a small surplus. Better success attended an all-day mixed doubles tournament held during March, the opportunity being taken to present a small gift to Mr. K. E. Acheson, in appreciation of his splendid work on behalf of the section.

An endeavour has been made to stage matches against local clubs on Sunday afternoons. Two have been played, and in all probability several will be arranged for July and August. These matches, whilst giving an added zest to an afternoon's tennis, are excellent practice.

Four league teams were entered last season. A second, two thirds, and a ladies third. The second league side did poorly, but were undoubtedly out-classed in the top division of their league. The third league senior side were expected to have done better,



and their failure may be attributed to lack of practice. It is imperative the couples understand each other, and those taking part in league tennis during the coming season are expected to put in plenty of hard work on the courts at an early date. The ladies team, although a good team on paper, did not produce fireworks. The third league junior side did very well, and were unfortunate to lose by one game to Hampton Court in the quarter finals. They are to be congratulated.

There appears to be some feeling against any proposal to split up the junior team. Nothing has been decided, but it is felt that whatever the composition of next season's teams, it will be appreciated the best interests of the section as a whole must come first. It would be a great pity were a matter of this sort to upset the harmony and good feeling which exists to-day, and for the sake of the section an appeal is made to those effected to stand by the selections of their committee.

The courts are playing well, but a background of hessian or canvas is required for the northern ends. The finances of the section are healthy and it may be possible for the council to grant a sum for expenditure in this direction.



### BASEBALL.

The baseball section has certainly not achieved any degree of success this season. At the time of writing the senior team has lost more matches than it has won, and at the moment is very despondent. They have suffered good, sound defeats at

the hands of teams over whom, last year, they had excellent victories. This team is not playing good baseball. For the first four or five innings they certainly hold their own, but afterwards they crack up as if unable to stand the pace. Ridiculous mistakes are made; mistakes that normally they would never do. It is true they have had numerous men on the injured list, which has had the effect of disorganising the positions of play. But after three years of baseball each player should be capable of filling a vacancy with at least some degree of success.

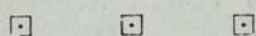
The second team stands midway in its competition. Its play has not shown any marked advancement. All the baseball players are good fielders, and have maintained a consistent degree of form in this department of the game. Running between the bases has improved, thereby showing the ability of the players to absorb baseball technique. Sliding is bad. In fact, apart from one or two members of the senior team, nobody has ever attempted to "take the plunge." Hitting is the essence of baseball, and is our greatest weakness. The players still indulge in swiping at the ball. Safe hits are few and far between; as for bunting, why, it is never dreamt of in our philosophy. If the players would only understand and realise the significance of one run each inning, swiping would soon become unpopular. If you can hold your opponents, nine runs is sufficient to do you credit.

Practices for the junior side is still a thing of the past, and except for one or two players who have been guilty of having been seen on the



grounds, practices for them never have existed. Many senior players have improved their play through practice. In the pitching sphere, we have been dealt a sad blow. Lyon's arm having gone at last after a really magnificent long spell of pitching. Our reserve pitchers have not found their form as yet, and one must certainly hope that they will soon regain their old high standard of pitching.

Perhaps it will be in this second round that our baseballers will show their improvement and play baseball as they should and can play the game.



### BLACK AND WHITE.

M. Hyde, who is at present overseas studying dentistry at Liverpool University, created a record for the number of subjects in which he passed during his first year.

Lou Goldblatt, who has been unfortunate this season in suffering a number of accidents on the sports fields, is, we are glad to report, recovering from his knee trouble, brought about as a result of a baseball accident.

We are pleased to see that our cricket selectors overseas appreciated the value of Old Boys, and included all the Old Boys in the team for the first Test. On that occasion, Cyril Vincent was responsible for the best bowling performance, Horace Cameron made the second highest score and kept wicket magnificently, while Eric Rowan played a big part in holding-up the English attack at a critical stage of the game. The fourth Old Boy, R. Crisp, who is

unfortunately not a member of the Club, obtained the best bowling figures despite a blistered heel.

We would congratulate Ken Ireland, Roy Bryant and Artie Collins on being selected to represent the Witwatersrand in the Annual Intertown hockey match against Pretoria. All three, together with Horace Bryant, have been chosen to take part in the hockey trials for the selection of the Transvaal team to participate in the Inter-Provincial Tournament.

Captain Wing, whose physical exercise classes have served to keep many of our members fit, has now commenced operating as a masseur, and Old Boys who spring a muscle or strain a tendon will now have someone with the interests of the Club at heart to attend to them.

Jimmy Barbour has been a busy man recently, as he is one of the members of the Southern Football Association's Emergency Committee whose duty it is to keep the tour of the United Services team running smoothly.

Our very heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Manduell on the birth in England of a daughter. We are looking forward to Mrs. Manduell's early return to South Africa with the new arrival.

Although one of our golfers still has to win the "Open," several of our representatives are well to the fore in leading competitions. Basil Hall and Len. Alexander recently finished fourth in the South African Teams Amateur Championship, where they represented Kensington.

We were very pleased to see Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cooper and Ronnie



up in Johannesburg again, when in the course of one of their periodical visits they took the opportunity to make a number of trips to the Old Boys' ground.

Lou Eekhout has returned to Johannesburg and we hope that he will again link up with the Club, of which he was before his migration to Port Elizabeth so energetic a member. He is at present in the Kensington Sanatorium receiving treatment.

G. E. (Stiffy) Lowe is on a visit to England with his family, and has made a point of seeing the Springboks during their tour. We hope to hear Stiffey's views on his return. He watched the Surrey match with Cyril Vincent.

Horace Cameron made cricket history when he lead the South African team on to the field at Northampton for the match against the county, in that he became the first man ever to have captained a South African team in four countries. He has captained Springbok cricket teams in Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and England. Our heartiest congratulations to him.

Bollie Sieff, who is studying for his F.R.C.S. in London, intends to take a short trip to America before sitting for his examination. He managed to find time to see the Old Boys in the Springbok team during their match against Surrey.

Our congratulations to Joe Mengens on qualifying in his examination

under the South African Pharmaceutical Board.

Alec McMillan has been transferred to Mombasa, where he is in the Union-Castle office. Old Boys travelling up the East Coast should look out for Alec at Mombasa.



## DOMESTIC NEWS.

### BIRTHS.

Vic. White has a daughter.

Mick Whipp has a son.

### ENGAGEMENTS.

Basil T. Hall to Ann Howie Campbell.

Chas. Stirling Gray to June Attwell.

Henry John Gill to Norah Martin (Bunty) Smith.

### MARRIAGES.

A. J. Cutten to Caroline Mary Gaynor on 27th April.

Maxwell Warren to Irene Mavis Lawrence on 25th May.

### DEATHS.

Our sincerest sympathy goes out to Frank Armstrong and his mother on the sad loss suffered by them in the very sudden death of Mr. Armstrong on the 22nd April, 1935. Mr. Armstrong was a very regular supporter of the Club in all its sporting activities, and many will be those who will miss his cheery greeting and his keen support.



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