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Office Assistant:—Mrs. M. Lucas.  
Caretaker:—Mr. W. J. Forrest.  
Groundsman:—Mr. T. H. Doyle.  
Assistants:—Mr. P. S. Parker, V. N. Hood and A. R. Young.

## PREFECTS

Lynette M. Almond (Head Girl).	Richard L. Bullock (Head Boy).
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## EDITORIAL

### The School's Development

A too frequent and over minute series of surveys of growth can become tedious. The parent who conducts a weekly height and weight check of his progeny usually talks boringly of something which is of interest to him alone. But it is fitting that periodically we should take note of our development, so that in later years those interested should have more than the bare list of chronological events to tell the story.

We have this year completed a cycle. The School is five years old, which means that there is the span of classes from thirds to upper sixth which is the usual complement of New Zealand Schools. This is probably our last year of foundation pupils. Of the 148 who enrolled in 1958 there are now 15 in the upper or lower sixth completing their secondary school course. From now on we shall be sending out annually a contingent of senior scholars to the universities, training colleges, to industrial, commercial, agricultural employment, out of our senior forms.

So that is the first apparent sign of our growth—the 6th forms. Last year we had a lower 6th of 26. This year it was 35 and in the next few years promises to be substantially larger. It seems that we shall be a large 6th form school, which is an aim of all schools.

Proportionately, with the growth of roll there has been a growth of staff. The wide acreage of the staff-room in 1958 has contracted to a small humanity packed room. And this year marks also the first losses from the foundation team, Mr. Forrest to Timaru Boys' High School and Mr. Kinder to retirement. This team has done an excellent job in bringing the school to its maturity. Invaluable reinforcements share in large measure the credit, but a debt of gratitude is felt especially to those who have been with the school from the start.

The most visible sign of growth is the grounds and what they contain. When those, who can, think back, they recall three blocks, one not completed, in a sandy waste, sprinkled with bull-dozers, workmen, building shacks and impedimenta, all this adjacent to a swamp. The 1958 school site was treeless and, in February, oppressive and sun-scorched.

The same site today is a place which would rank high among schools considered beautiful. There are now six blocks (next year seven) and a swimming pool. The playing fields are smooth, firm and green, the terrace is willow-lined, and the lawns, shrubs and gardens are bright, neat, beautiful. Three scenes around the grounds are especially picturesque—the main entrance sweep of flower beds and shrubs, the court yard and the camellia lined vista seen looking

from the court yard to D block. The growth of the School in some ways is commensurate with the growth of trees and shrubs. We are hoping that the long standing promise of the City Council will be fulfilled soon and that the Purnell Street precincts will be made more attractive.

But the most important growth is of things less tangible. Has the School reached maturity of manners, of habits, of ideas? Are the pupils senior in size also senior in character? There are signs of prowess, sports triumphs in fields where competition is with the country's best (as in rowing). There are signs of scholastic achievement such as a good percentage school certificate pass. And there is discernible pupil leadership, which is essential in the good school. How mature, how advanced, how stable, loyal, wise and unselfish is our character must be assessed individually, because this intangible, the character of the School, is the most important foundation quality upon which the future depends.

#### **Mr. Kinder, M.A., Dip.Educ.**

With the retirement of Mr. Kinder the School has sustained its first major loss.

Mr. Kinder's entire teaching career has been served in Wanganui, most of it at the Technical College.

In 1958 he was appointed the first assistant at the School and in the past five years he has played a prominent part in establishing this, our School. In the first year he was not only 1st assistant, but also head of social studies, and when this responsibility was taken over by Mr. Smellie he continued to serve the school by excellent teaching, especially in geography and Latin.

Perhaps his two best known characteristics are his cheerful buoyancy (so well has he concealed his age that many were surprised to hear of his retirement) and his equally cheerful willingness to accept any work or responsibility necessary for the welfare of the School. "I'll do it," has become one of his cliches, and numerous have been the tasks he has discharged. The School has been fortunate in the number of horticulturists on the Staff, and Mr. Kinder's expert knowledge, particularly of shrubs, has been fully exploited. It is a common sight to see him deep in consultation with the groundsman.

In the field of sport he has participated in almost all activities, but his greatest contribution has been to boys' hockey, where he has given hours of his time to moulding the School's 1st team.

We shall not forget him and his manner. His vitality and cheerfulness, his infectious enthusiasm for everything that advanced the welfare of the School and his integrity and impatience with anything dishonest or unwholesome are the qualities that he has imparted and by which we shall remember him.

#### **Mr. W. D. Smellie, M.A.**

We are indeed fortunate to have someone of Mr. Smellie's personality and ability to take over the 1st Assistantship.

Mr. Smellie came to us in 1959 from his position as Head of the Department of English at the Technical College and for the past four years he has had the heavy task of organising the Department of English and social studies. This department now will be divided into two. He has given meticulous, self-sacrificing service in building up a high standard of English and social studies in the School. An excellent teacher himself he has been able to establish sound principles of teaching and study in these subjects and we know that in his new office he will make a major contribution in consolidating the School.

## DIARY OF EVENTS, 1962

6th February. — School opened with a roll of 752, an increase of 100 on last year's opening roll. There were considerable staff changes, 6 teachers leaving and 8 coming. Those leaving were Miss M. B. Bassett, Miss M. E. Farquhar, Miss M. A. Swan, Miss E. R. Davison, and Miss K. Scott; Mr. L. M. Fairbrother, Mr. P. H. Godfrey. New Staff members Miss J. Rogers, Miss P. Earle, Miss P. Thomas, Miss E. Allan, Mrs. J. McDonald, Mr. G. Syme, Mr. P. O'Neill, Mr. D. Millar. In the middle of March, Mrs. Duthie, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs Hulme commenced part-time teaching.

This year marks the completion of a full cycle, a five-year School course, and for the first time there is an upper 6th (not large in numbers). There were 58 School Certificate passes, and 40 of these returned for a year in the lower 6th.

13th February. — The Pople Trio gave a recital at Assembly.

16th February. — Unofficial opening of the School Pool. The School proceeded to the Pool after Assembly, brief speeches were made by the Chairman of the Board and the Headmaster, the Headmaster was thrown in by the boy prefects and the 6th Form given the privilege of the first swim.

19th February. — Prefects appointed.

20th February. — The Southern Comedy Trio entertained the School in the afternoon.

22nd February. — The Inter-House Tabloid Swimming held in beautiful conditions. A win for Ballance.

24th February. — The official opening of the School Pool. This time the Chairman of the Board was thrown in.

27th February. — The first swimming championships held in the new pool. An intensely close finish in the relays give Reeves their first major triumph. Vogel were second in both the championships and the tabloid.

28th February. — Mr. W. J. Forrest, M.A., leaves for a position of responsibility at Timaru Boys' High School. This is the first member of the foundation Staff to depart.

3rd March. — School Gala. This year a two-night venture.

12th-15th March. — The visit of the Departmental inspectors Miss Cruikshanks, Messrs. Mills, J. Hale, J. Cagney, G. Botting, G. Harvey, E. Blampied.

24th March. — A very successful invasion of Karapiro by the School crew and Mr. Pringle. Results: A close 3rd in the Maadi Cup and a victory in the Thompson Cup. A reward for weeks of solid effort.

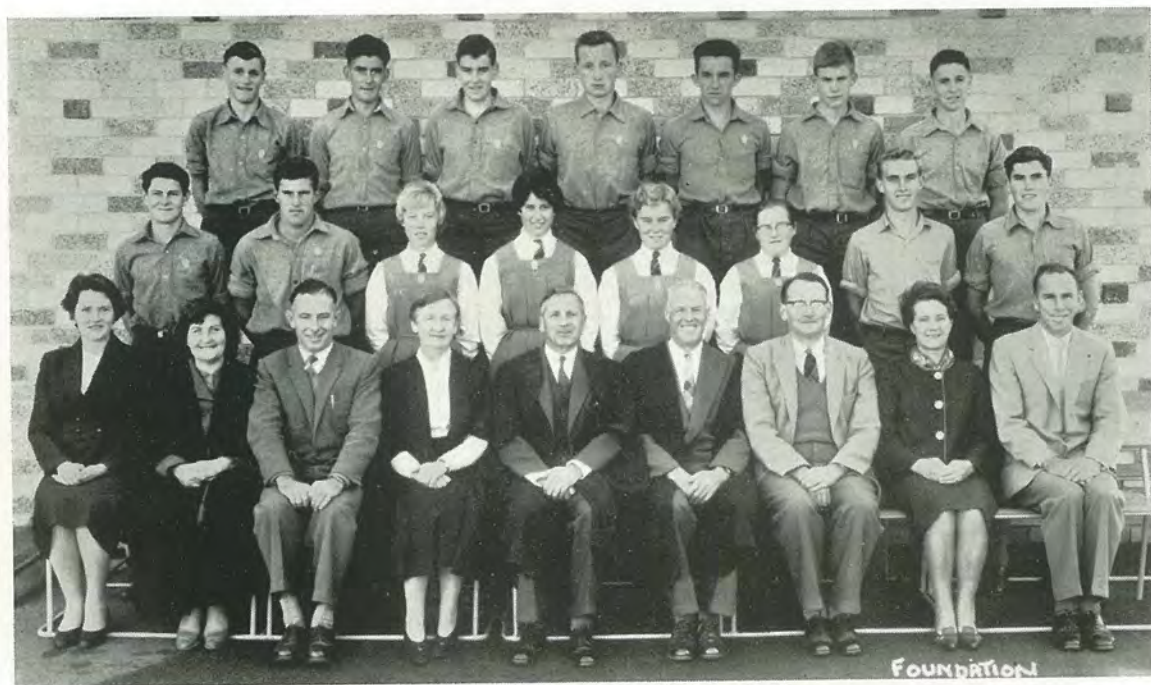
26th March. — The crew was welcomed back and Mr. Byres (coach) attended Assembly.

26th March. — Visit of the Taita Teams. Our most successful Summer fixture so far resulting in resounding victories in both cricket and tennis. A social was held at night.

31st March. — Wanganui Secondary Schools Regatta. School successes—1st in Novice Fours, 2nd in Open Fours, 3rd in Open Eights.

5th April. — School athletic championships. Another beautiful day. The Gray Shield was won by Vogel.

15th April. — Inter-school athletic meetings, we being hosts for the girls. There were good individual performances for School at both meetings.

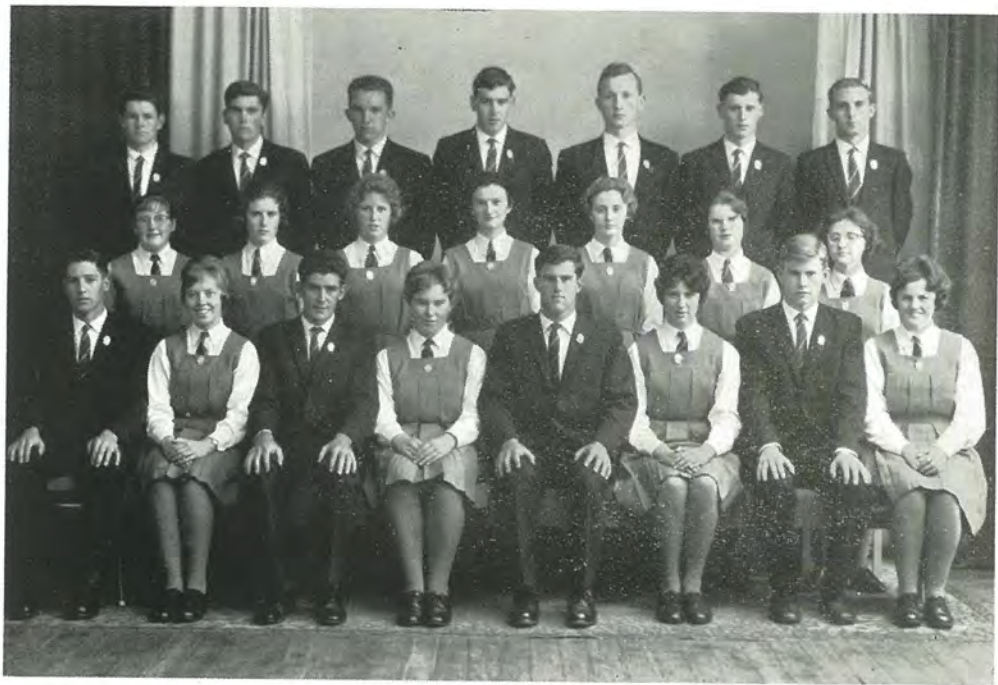


**FOUNDATION MEMBERS — 1962**

**Back Row, L to R:** Paul Thompson, Bruce Spurdle, Brian Wansbrough, Rutherford Ward, Neil Robinson, Barry Sweeney, Malcolm Robins.

**Middle Row, L to R:** M. Pitkethley, Richard Bullock, Pam Penn, Jillian Gibson, Lynette Almond, Glenys Robinson, Howard Brooks, Roderick Dawson.

**Front Row, L to R:** Miss M. Bowler, Mrs. E. Jamieson, M.A., G. Pringle, Miss E. L. Sutherland, M.A., Mr. A. T. Gibson, Headmaster, M.A., Dip.Educ., M. Kinder, M.A., Dip.Educ., J. Caradus, M.Sc., Mrs. J. J. Jones, Dip.H.Sc., G. Wakely.



**PREFECTS — 1962**

**Back Row, L to R:** M. Pitkethley, R. Dawson, N. Robinson, B. Wansbrough, R. Ward, P. Thompson, H. Brooks.

**Middle Row, L to R:** G. Robinson, B. Barlow, S. Wakeling, J. Anderton, R. Gillman, B. Groves, C. Hall.

**Front Row, L to R:** M. Robins, P. Penn, B. Spurdle, L. Almond (head girl), R. Bullock (head boy), J. Gibson, B. Sweeney, P. Wallace.

- 25th April. — Anzac Day. Canon Taepa conducted the School Service after which the seniors attended the Civic Service.
- 1st May. — Mr. Howard Trotman, Corso representative, spoke to Assembly.
- 22nd May. — Commencement of the 2nd Term. Departing Teachers were Mrs. Duthie and Mr. D. P. Millar (for England). We welcomed Mr. E. H. Waitai, Mr. G. Wallace, B.A., Mr. J. B. Dearnaley, B.A. and Mr. B. T. Gray, B.A. (the last two from Britain, to have a Term's observation at Wanganui High School. Mr. Gray is destined for the Girls' College).
- 7th June. — The School assisted with the Corso appeal. An excellent response from the City, and a splendid job done by the School teams.
- 13th-15th June. — Mid-year examinations.
- 25th-29th June. — Visit of American field scholar, Anne Rossi. A pleasant visit which the School enjoyed, and Anne said she enjoyed. One morning she addressed assembly.
- 28th June. — Reverend Robert Lowe of Geraldine gave a memorable talk to the S.C.M.
- 3rd July. — The New Zealand Players' Quartet entertained the School with excerpts from *She Stoops to Conquer*, Major Barbara, *The Taming of the Shrew*.
- 4th July. — The Rangitikei College fixtures. We won 4 of the 6 events but received a salutary lesson from their 1st XV, an excellent School side.
- 4th July. — Open night for parents of 1963 enrolments. A good attendance.
- 6th and 7th July. — The performance of the "Ghost Train" in the School Hall. This was the first major production, and an excellent performance was given. Our congratulations to Mrs. Watts (producer) and the team who assisted her.
- 13th July. — 3rd Form Social.
- 15th July. — Thieves broke in and stole.
- 16th July. — A French dinner in celebration of the French National Day—organised by Mr. and Mrs. Watts and the combined 6th form French classes of the Technical College and School.
- 17th July. — Fixtures v. Technical College and Girls' College, we the hosts to both schools. Good, close games.
- 18th July. — Mufti Day—A pleasant, colourful day which provided £44/14/6½ to the Gymnasium Fund.
- 24th July. — 5th and 6th forms attended the screening of "Macbeth" at the Regent Theatre.
- 28th July. — Tramping Club Social.
- 30th July. — Taita College fixtures — played in the rain at Taita.
- 6th August. — Colenso High School fixtures at home. Visitors were taken to Meat-Packers in the morning and attended our social at night. The Watson Trophy was competed for for the first time (soccer) and won by Colenso.
- 15th August. — 6th Form Physics party.

#### End of Year, 1961

(Not included in last year's Record)

25th September. — Parents' Evening addressed by Mr. Northcroft, Department of Maori Affairs.



27th September. — Mrs. Fancourt, Palmerston North, addressed Assembly on the Rice Bowl Appeal.

9th October. — Death of Mr. L. Davies, our groundsman.

11th October. — Inter-School cross country. We were hosts at a good meeting.

18th October. — Mr. J. H. Doyle appointed groundsman. Writing a year after his appointment, I can say that this was a fortunate appointment for the School. The grounds at present are a picture.

9th November. — Visit of Miss Cotton, S.C.M. Secretary.

10th November. — Our first accredited list for University Entrance announced — 16 pupils.

14th November. — Efficiency decoration presented to Mr. J. N. Caradus by Captain Hockley at Assembly. In the afternoon the School was visited by Commodore Stanners and Commander Harding.

29th November. — Public meeting was held in the Assembly Hall, chaired by Rev. I. Borrie, and addressed by the principals of the three state post-primary schools in Wanganui on the staffing crisis in New Zealand.

30th November. — School display.

4th December. — Summer fixtures v. Colenso High School at home.

7th December. — The School Breakup ceremony held in the Opera House, guest speaker Honourable Mr. N. Shelton, Minister of Health. Our first dux litterarum award, won by Lynette Almond, Head Girl.

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### STAFF NOTES, 1962

As we approach the end of 1962 I take pleasure once more in reviewing the arrival and departure of staff members, and of recording highlights affecting the staff.

On opening day we welcomed Miss E. B. Allan, M.A., a teacher of languages, particularly Latin; Miss P. W. Earle, Dip.Phys.Ed., a keen skier, and taking charge of the girls' sport and physical education; Mrs. D. McDonald, B.Sc., teaching biology; Miss P. R. Thomas, Dip.H.Sc., assisting in science teaching; Miss J. A. Rogers, teaching mainly social studies and Mr. P. O'Neill, B.A., from Australia.

At the end of February we said farewell to Mr. W. J. Forrest who has joined the staff of the Timaru Boys' High School. One of the foundation teachers of the staff, he took a most active part in the countless tasks of getting a new school under way, whether it was planting shrubs, shifting crates or preparing for Gala day. For these jobs well done, for his standard of classroom teaching, and for activities on the sports' fields, we say thank you.

Miss E. B. Wheal cheerfully assisted us for part of the first term as did Mrs. C. M. Duthie and Mr. D. P. Millar who left later for study in England. Our thanks go to these teachers for their term of office with us.

In the second term Mr. G. Wallace, B.A., Mr. J. B. Dearnaley, B.A., and Mr. J. B. T. Gray from England joined the staff. We trust all these good folk are now acclimatised and enjoy themselves so much they decide to stay in New Zealand. Recently Mr. Gray left us to take up full-time teaching in Biology at Girls' College.

We welcomed also at the commencement of the second term Mr. E. H. Waitai who is already very much at home, assisting especially with Maori pupils. His sympathetic and cheerful bearing

have already won him many friends—pakeha and Maori alike. Mr. G. T. Syme, a relieving teacher, has fitted in very well in the position of teaching here. As a keen Rugby man he organised a trip to, and games in Christchurch for the 8th grade Rugby team, to the great delight of that team.

Other relieving teachers who deserve our thanks are Mrs. D. M. A. Hulme, Mrs. M. F. Palmer, and Mr. G. S. Gillespie, all of whom are filling a real need on our staff.

At the end of the second term Mr. P. O'Neill took up a relieving position at Naenae College prior to an overseas trip.

Mr. D. Brewer, B.A., who arrived on 20th September from England is a teacher of English and Geography; we hope he enjoys his stay with us.

We all join in congratulating Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. K. Stevenson, and Mr. and Mrs. I. M. G. Guild on the arrival of sons, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Bowden on twins, a girl and a boy.

The staff room now presents a most animated scene at morning tea time when over thirty teachers are busily engaged in conversation with one another. This is quite a contrasting scene from that of earlier days when a handful gathered in one corner of the large staff room, and when their voices echoed back as they discussed a multitude of topics.

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## PREFECTS' NOTES

This year started off with a splash for the remainder of last year's boy prefects. The baths were to be opened, the baths that took four years of hard work and £7,000 of hard earned money, and it was felt that it should be done with due ceremony. Accordingly Mr. Gibson was seized by the four prefects and with great gusto they threw him far into the water, to the huge delight of the assembled school. The prefects and the rest of the seniors were then allowed to have the first swim.

For a few weeks more, the original prefects struggled on trying to control a new intake of third-formers. However, at last the new prefects were announced and seven new girl and five new boy prefects commenced battle in the constant war against overpowering odds.

After a few weeks Robin Allen left the ranks, probably with a sigh of relief, and was replaced by Sally Wakeling. After this life returned to normal punctuated only by socials and prefects' meetings.

The prefects' rooms also remained more or less the same: the girls' one more tidy, the boys' one less. However, it is surprising to see how quickly the boys' room can be tidied when it is needed for TB. injections or polio sips. Bags are thrown left, right and centre; books are removed from the table and stuffed in lockers and sports gear disappears. However the next day it is the same comfortable homely room.

During the winter two interesting events occurred. Firstly the number of boy prefects was increased by two, the new-comers being Howard Brooks and Roderick Dawson. The other important event was the first mufti day—a day of complete rest from checking uniforms or shoes. We are looking forward to the next mufti day which will be in the summer and which should offer some amusing sights.

However, joking aside, we have had an enjoyable year, even

though we are in the no-man's-land between teachers and pupils and we hope that we have contributed something towards the school.

Finally I would like to thank Mr. Kinder, on behalf of the boy prefects, for the help and advice he has given us during the year, and in some cases for two years. We hope that next year's prefects will find in Mr. Smellie what we have found in Mr. Kinder, namely, a friend and an ally.

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### THE SWIMMING POOL

At last we have it. Perhaps the phrase "at last" is not appropriate, for the raising of funds and building of the pool, complete with filtration plant and seating for 900, has been achieved in a remarkably short time. How many schools after four years of life have acquired an £8,000 asset?

It was with pride that staff, board-members, parents and pupils (particularly those who had worked in the cause from its inception) viewed the pool with its crystal clear water and joyfully christened it by throwing in the Headmaster. Mr. Pitkethley thanked all who had contributed to the construction and thanked Mr. Payne, (the designer) and Emmett Brothers (who built it).

"This is an occasion that we shall remember", said the Head, who was dressed appropriately for the throwing-in ceremony. "Three years ago the pool was just a thought in the minds of men. Now, here it is, concrete, water, filter plant, seating, a reality for our use. I hope you feel proud, as I do, not only to possess and use it, but that we have produced it in two and a half years."

And used it we have. What a joy through the boiling days of February to be able to revel in it. At the time of writing we have just received word that authority has been granted for the physical education block to be built across the eastern end. This will give us changing rooms and showers. And next? One step further east there is the space which will eventually be occupied by the School 'Gymnasium. This is at present just another "thought in the minds of men". How long before it too transforms to reality? The first generation has given us the pool. Will the next give us the gymnasium?

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### LIBRARY NOTES

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.

(Sir Richard Steele.)

We now have over 1900 books on the library shelves — approximately 400 new titles having been added since the beginning of the year. Such growth must continue if we are to keep pace with the steadily increasing school roll. The library is in constant use, both for library classes, and for individual reading and reference work. Pupils are making full use of the available facilities in the lunch hour, when the library is open from 12.30-1 p.m. each day.

Once again, special book displays have been featured from time to time — the major display this year being held in conjunction with CORSO's "Freedom from Hunger" appeal. Two magazines which have been added to our regular subscriptions are the Australian travel magazine "Walkabout", and the National Geographic Magazine. We are very fortunate to receive back numbers of the latter from several people during the long period of waiting before our subscription was approved.

In August, a committee of 20 "assistant librarians" was formed. When the idea of a Library Committee was first presented to the school there was a most pleasing response. More than 175 pupils submitted their names for selection. The task of choosing twenty pupils from among so many with a genuine interest in the work of the library was a difficult one, but finally the following committee was appointed.

**Chief Assistant Librarian:**—Beatrice Groves (Lower 6th).

**Assistant Librarians:**—Carol Hall (Lower 6th), Margaret Nunn (Lower 6th), Margaret Good (5P1), D. L. Duggan (5P1), Elaine Hood (5P2), Chloe Robson (5P2), Helen Tilley (5G1), Patricia Marshall (5G2), Noela Hancox (4P1), Judy Gray (4P1), G. R. Anderson (4P1), Jillian Fletcher (4P2), Kathleen Matson (4P2), Barbara Pound (4G1), Valerie Roddick (4C1), E. J. Williams (3P1), Catherine Spencer (3P2), Shirley Hird (3G1), Joan Knofflock (3C1).

This new venture is still in the experimental stage, but a roster system is already in use so that two members of the committee are in attendance from 12.30-1 p.m. each day, to assist Miss Gaskin in the issuing of books, and in some of the many "behind the scenes" tasks that are so necessary for the efficient functioning of a library.

We are greatly indebted to the many people who have assisted the library during the year. Parents; staff members; pupils; members of the public — all have helped in various ways. Space does not permit of a detailed list of acknowledgements, but we trust that all who have donated books or given help of any kind will be fully aware of our gratitude to them.

Several books have been donated as a "Form Effort". 5P1 presented "Islands of the South Pacific", by Sir Harry Luke.

At the end of 1961, after our last magazine had been printed, we received books from 3P1, who gave "Discovery and Exploration", by Frank Debenham; and 3G1, "The Sciences of Mankind", by Jane Wemer Watson, and "The Giant Golden Book of Mathematics", by Irving Adler. A number of books have been presented by pupils on leaving school. We have greatly appreciated this gesture, and feel that these people should have special mention in "The Record".

They are:

Boys:—R. Clouston; C. Luff.

Girls:—Robin Allen; Janice James; Marcia Gould; Heather Cresswell; Erena Lockett; Laurel Currie; Ngaire Adler.

Among the many people who have given second-hand books to the library we feel that the following deserve special thanks.

Miss J. R. Currie — whose generous donation from her private collection of educational works and English literature has added considerably to our shelves.

Rev. E. K. Orange — who presented a number of books to the school before he left Wanganui.

Mrs. Harrowby — for her donation of a complete set of Dickens' works.

The following is a brief list, chosen at random from recent accessions to give some idea of the wide variety of books which are available from the school library.

**Non-Fiction:**

**General Works:**

032—"Pictorial Knowledge." (10 volumes.)

**Religion:**

220.9—"The Bible as History", by Wemer Keller.

238—"The World's Great Religions", published by "Life".

- 266—"Innamincka", by E. Burchill. (A nurse's account of her experiences in one of the tiny "outback" hospitals founded by the Australian Inland Mission.)  
 291—"Larousse Encyclopaedia of Mythology."

#### Social Sciences:

- 361—"The True Book About the Red Cross", by B. Peacey.

#### Science:

- 526.8—"The Practical Geographer," by Coggins & Hefford. (Presented by Miss Wheal.)  
 574—"Life and Its Marvels." (Presented by Mr. and Mrs. E. Crysell.)  
 591—"Le Monde des Animaux," by Marcelle Verite. (A French language natural history.)  
 591-968—"Serengeti Shall Not Die," by M. and B. Grzimek. (Preservation of wild life in Tanganyika.)  
 610-73—"So You Want to be a Nurse?" by Nourse and Halliday. (An excellent book for girls who are seriously considering nursing as a career.)  
 635-9—"Fun Without Flowers," by Julia Clements. (Presented by Miss E. Brown.)

#### Arts and Recreation:

- 750—"Paintings of the World's Great Galleries."  
 796.5—"Bush Lore", by Tony Nolan. (Handbook for trampers; campers; hunters; and all who find their recreation in the New Zealand bush.)

#### History, Geography, and Travel:

- 910—"The McGraw-Hill Illustrated World Geography."  
 912—"Readers' Digest Great World Atlas." (Presented by Mr. W. J. Hodder—president of the Parent Teachers Assoc.)  
 913—"Atlas of the Classical World." (Presented by Mr. and Mrs. P. Godfrey.)  
 914.71—"Highway to the Wilderness," by W. Bacon. (An extremely well written travel book about Finnish Lapland.)  
 916—"Incredible Africa," by Willard Price. (Latest travel book by this well-known author.)  
 918.66—"Floreana," by Margaret Wittmer. (An account of 27 years of Swiss-Family-Robinson pioneering in the Galapagos Islands.)  
 930—"Life in the Ancient World," by Bart Winer.  
 940.2—"Horizon Book of the Renaissance."  
 940.54—"The Sands of Dunkirk," by Richard Collier.  
 940.54—"The Jungle is Neutral," by F. Spencer Chapman.  
 942—"The Living Commonwealth," edited by Kenneth Bradley.  
 970—"Explorers of the New World," by K. and J. Bakeless.  
 993.1—"A Century's Challenge."—Wright Stephenson's Centennial publication—presented by the firm. (Although the book is primarily concerned with the growth of this well-known firm, it is also a beautifully illustrated record of a century of New Zealand life.)  
 993.1—"Friends in Chains," by Bob Henderson. (A West Coast teamster looks back to the horse and wagon days.)

#### Biography:

- 92 ELI—"Her Majesty," by Helen Cathcart. (Queen Elizabeth II)  
 92 GOR—"Doctor Down Under," by Dr. Doris Gordon.  
 92 GOU—"Before Igor." (Svetlana Gouzenko's memories of her childhood in Soviet Russia.)  
 92 NAN—"Nansen," by Aubrey de Selincourt.

92 SIM—"84 Not Out," by Allan Mitchell. (Sir Arthur Sims—  
cricketer; philanthropist; and financier.)

**Fiction:**

- "An Affair of Men," by Erroll Brathwaite.
- "Shadows on the Rock," by Willa Cather.
- "Crime and Punishment," by Dostoevsky.
- "Rebecca," by Daphne du Maurier.
- "The Man on a Donkey," by H. F. M. Prescott.
- "The Fortunes of Richard Mahoney," by H. H. Richardson.
- "Exodus," by Leon Uris.
- "The Bridge of San Luis Rey," by Thornton Wilder.

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**DRAMA NOTES**

This year the school staged its first major production, "The Ghost Train", a three-act drama by Arnold Ridley, produced by Mrs. Watts. The action of the play takes place at Fal Vale, a small railway station which, according to local superstition, is frequently visited by a ghost train. Mr. Olsen and M. Workman were responsible for lighting and sound effects, both of which were quite spectacular.

The cast were:

- Saul Hodgkin: E. Goldsbury.
- Richard Winthrop: R. Ward.
- Elsie Winthrop: Lynette Flower.
- Charles Murdock: B. Spurdle.
- Peggy Murdock: Denise Barr.
- Miss Bourne: Heather Cresswell.
- Teddie Deakin: P. Till.
- Julia Price: Gaye Fletcher.
- Herbert Price: Wheeler.
- John Sterling: R. Harris.
- Jackson: M. Robins.

We were very grateful to the Wanganui Repertory Society who lent us several flats, and to Mr. Wakely and Mr. Hartnett for their work in erecting and painting the set.

Both the Southern Comedy Players and the N.Z. Drama Quartet visited the school this year, and each gave an afternoon performance in the school hall. They performed excerpts from a wide selection of plays, including "Faustus", "The Taming of the Shrew", "She Stoops to Conquer", "Major Barbara" and "A Phoenix Too Frequent", all of which were very well received by the pupils.

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**S.C.M. NOTES**

S.C.M. opened this year with a social at which Miss Cotton, travelling secretary to the S.C.M., showed slides and spoke about holiday camps for members. The sixth form organised a tea which was followed by games and then a service. A most pleasing feature was the large number of boys who attended.

Weekly study groups were continued, with Mr. Chrystall taking the 6th Form, Mr. Gibson the 5th Form, Mrs. Hulme the 4th Form and Mrs. Watts the 3rd Form group. We are very grateful for the work done by all our leaders, and would especially like to thank Mrs. Hulme for her willing assistance while relieving on the teaching staff.

Nearly two hundred pupils attended a lunch-hour address by the Rev. Robert Löwe of Geraldine who was in Wanganui to conduct Bible Week. He spoke on our duties towards other people, enlivening his address with several amusing anecdotes. Many of our members who had followed the Bible Week studies in study groups, also attended his series of talks held at St. Paul's Church.

Our final social was organised by the 5th Form. Mr. Chrystall showed a film of his recent trip overseas.

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### THE DANCE BAND

During the first five years of the school's history, music for social functions was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Barber; for this we are very grateful. Towards the end of last year a small group of players under the guidance of Mr. Stevenson provided one or two items at the end of year social.

This year the band has been responsible for the music at all three of the socials held. The members of this band are:—Gary Broome—piano, Larry Tasker—cornet, John Newton—trombone, Paul Mill and Lindsay Missen—guitars, and Clive Moon and Graham Brown—drums.

From modest beginnings the group has improved, spending many hours practising after school, until they now produce quite a pleasing sound and a good beat for us to dance to.

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### TRAMPING CLUB

This year the Tramping Club membership has risen considerably, and now has over fifty financial members.

The first trip this year was to Mt. Egmont on a second attempt on the summit. The party slept at Kapuni Lodge on Friday night, and on Saturday morning set off, led by an experienced mountaineer, Mr. Haughey. The trip was very successful and for all we know the High School flag is still flying on the summit rock.

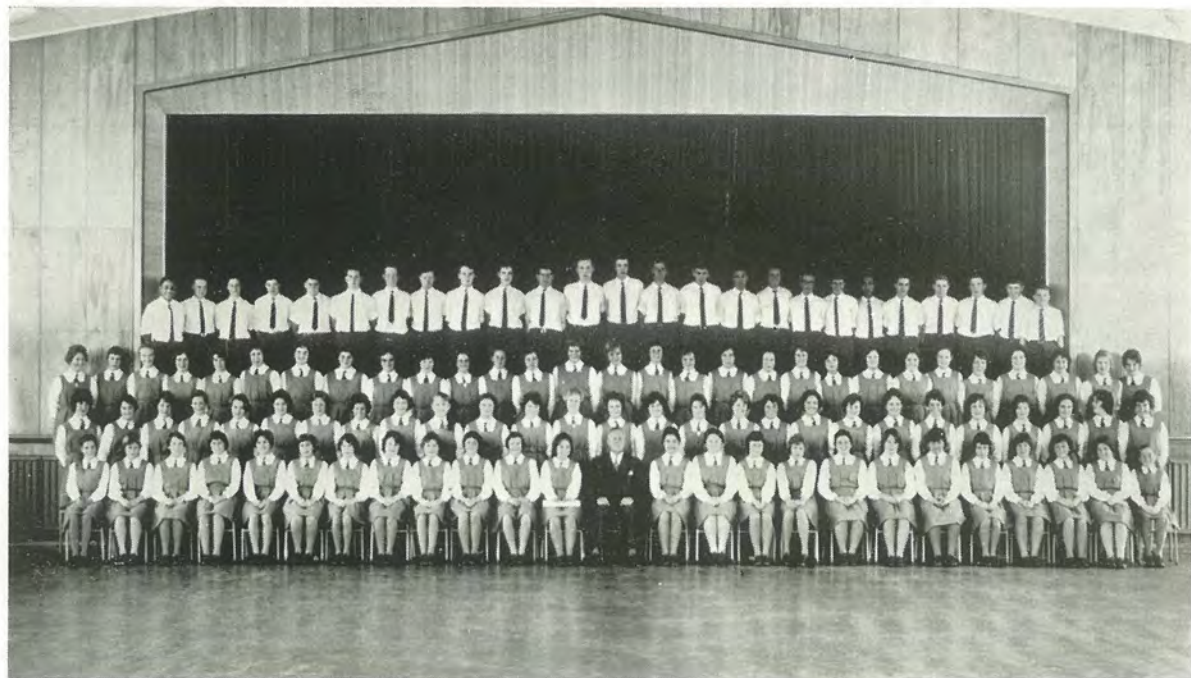
On the second trip in the last weekend of March we had planned to stay at the Mangatepapa Hut overnight and the next day to try and reach the crater of Ngauruhoe via Tongariro. However, unfavourable conditions made this impossible. Even so, everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

In the first weekend of the August holidays a party of eight led by Mr. O'Neill spent three days in the Tararua Ranges. This was principally an exploratory trip for future occasions. The trip was one of the toughest so far encountered.

On the 15th of July two bus loads of seniors and juniors went to the snows above Dawson Falls. The snow was high up, but the more hardy members ventured further up the mountain to slide on plastic bags.

This year, the Tramping Club had their first social on the 28th July. This was a tremendous success and the members look forward to next year's one. There were two pupils' items and an extremely humorous staff item performed by Mr. Lupton, Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Syme. The excellent decorations, supper and band made everything go with a swing.

On the 20th August, there was a trip to the Wanganui Tramping Club Hut in the Mangaturutu Valley, for the senior members. On Tuesday morning, the party split up into two. A party of five, led by Mr. Lupton, tramped the twelve miles to the Chateau to be picked



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**FIRST ELEVEN GIRLS' HOCKEY TEAM**

**Back Row, left to right: J. Ward, W. Clear, S. Cook, S. Hawkins, T. Bott, Miss Earle (coach).  
Front Row, left to right: R. Gillman, M. Cowan, J. Cook, I. Gould (captain), D. Gillman, J. Cowan,  
A. Dinnington.**

up by the rest of the party, which went round by truck from Horopito for a day's sledging in the snow. There was also a day bus trip on the Tuesday which met the other party up the mountain.

The club is indebted to its President, Mr. Lupton, and to the many members of staff who take part in our activities and make these enjoyable trips possible.

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### THE SCHOOL CHOIR

The enthusiasm and interest in the school choir this year has reached a very high standard. A very pleasing feature has been the large number of boys, particularly seniors, taking an active part.

The attendance at rehearsals, the attractive appearance and the high standard of performance has reflected a great deal of credit on the school, and to all concerned.

The Schools' Annual Choral Festival was held in the Opera House on Thursday, October 4th. The following numbers were presented by the High School Choirs.

**Junior Choir:** "Nocturne" Denza, "I Would That My Love" Mendelssohn.

**School Choir:** "The Foeman" Sullivan, "Maori Slumber Song" Alfred Hill, "Ships of Arcady" Michael Head, "Vagabond Song" Friml and "The Lord's Prayer" Malotte.

We feel a great deal of the credit for the performance of the choir must go to our accompanist, Patricia Stodart. Her lovely accompaniments and willing co-operation at all times have been much appreciated by the choir.

With the Festival over we are all eagerly looking forward to the Christmas Pageant to be presented at the end of the year. A special cast has been selected and we feel sure both audience and cast will enjoy this delightful production.

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### CADETS

This year has had its difficulties, especially for the senior boys, as we found ourselves without our specialist units of artillery and signals. We hope that 1963 will find us able to give the senior cadets a more varied and interesting programme. The continued support of the area staff is much appreciated and we would like to extend our sincere thanks to Captain P. R. Hockley and his staff for the excellent work being done with our unit. We would extend a special thanks to W.O. II A. L. Fletcher, Corporal W. D. Smith, L/cp. P. Hunter and Pvte. G. A. Barnes. The A.T.C. have again been fortunate in having the assistance of Sgt. J. Hannaford.

During the August holidays we had eight cadets attending an N.C.O. qualification course at Linton and we are pleased to record that they all qualified. Our own N.C.O.T.U. is in operation for the first time as a separate unit and is proving highly successful.

We would like to extend our congratulations to our R.S.M. Sweeney who has been accepted to attend the permanent officers' training course at Portsea, Australia. We wish him well in his career in the army.

## CADET PERSONNEL

O.C. Major N. J. G. Bowden.  
2 I.C. Captain K. A. Laws.  
R.S.M. W.O. I B. Q. Sweeney.

### A Company

Lieut. G. C. Pringle. C.S.M. S/Sgt. R. Ward.  
**1 Platoon:** **Air Training Corp:**  
Sergeant R. L. Bullock. F/Sergeant M. D. Robins.  
Corporal C. R. Dawson. Corporal D. C. Wheeler.  
Corporal N. R. Robinson. Corporal J. B. Lockett.

### B Company

Lieut. K. R. Stevenson. C.S.M. S/Sgt. G. C. B. Lockett.  
**1 Platoon (N.C.O. Training Unit)** **2 Platoon:**  
W.O. II G. M. Broome. Sergeant B. M. Wansbrough.  
Corporal E. M. Noble. Corporal J. R. McGowan.  
L/Corporal R. M. Collins. L/Corporal D. K. Holford.  
**3 Platoon:**  
Sergeant P. G. Thompson.  
Corporal G. K. Brown.  
L/Corporal J. A. Newton.

### C Company

Lieuts. J. N. Caradus, G. Wakely. C.S.M. W.O. II B. A. Spurdle.  
**1 Platoon:** **2 Platoon:**  
Sergeant T. D. Ferry. Sergeant B. W. Payne.  
L/Corporal N. A. Anderson. L/Corporal B. R. Lucas.  
L/Corporal K. M. Wotton. L/Corporal G. S. Gray.  
**3 Platoon:**  
Sergeant B. J. Coveny.  
Corporal P. J. Anderson.  
Corporal I. R. Harris.

## SPORTS SECTION

### CRICKET

During the 1961-1962 season two teams were entered in the Secondary Schools' Competition which replaced the previous Third Grade Competition organised by the Wanganui Cricket Association. The teams were designated A and B, although they were of fairly similar strength in playing ability. After the Christmas vacation third formers were placed in both teams, to replace boys who had left school, in preference to transferring players from one team to the other. Both teams met with success, the A team winning the competition and the B team finishing second. As a result of their win, the A team became first holders of the Vernon Cup presented to the winner of the Secondary Schools' Competition. For inter-school games the XI was selected from both the A and B teams. Competition and inter-school games were played for the first time on our own school wicket which proved to be completely satisfactory.

### INTER-SCHOOL GAMES:

v. Colenso High School, at Wanganui High School on 3 Dec., 1961.  
This game was won outright by Colenso by an innings and 38 runs. High School bowling and fielding was of reasonable standard but the batting was sadly disappointing.

Colenso					High School							
				1st				1st	2nd			
R. Stewart	....	....	....	42	N. Robinson	....	....	8	15			
M. Johnson	....	....	....	37	B. Sweeney	....	....	8	15			
M. Baker	....	....	....	1	G. Lockett	....	....	9	3			
R. Howell	....	....	....	40*	M. Robins	....	....	4	7			
M. Pleded	....	....	....	19	I. Tempero	....	....	5	0			
J. Howell	....	....	....	5	R. Fleming	....	....	0	4			
D. Palmer	....	....	....	1*	P. Reid	....	....	0	0			
G. Burton †					G. Judd	....	....	0	3*			
R. Wilson †					M. Farrell	....	....	14	4			
P. Cooper †					M. Hogg	....	....	5	0			
S. Robinson †					B. Spurdle	....	....	6*	0			
Extras	....	....	....	22	Extras	....	....	5	14			
Total (5 wkts. declared)					167	Total					64	65

\* Not Out.

† Did Not Bat.

	O	M	R	W		O	M	R	W	O	M	R	W
Reid	16	4	32	3	Cooper	12.5	2	27	3	5	1	7	0
Tempero	10	2	21	1	Robinson	12	1	32	6	6	4	3	0
Hogg	7	0	22	0	Baker					15.1	6	15	6
Robinson	5	0	19	0	Johnson					5	2	17	1
Lockett	6	1	23	0	Burton					5	3	3	1
Sweeney	7	0	28	1	Stewart					3	1	2	0
					Wilson					4	2	4	2

**v. Taita College, at Wanganui High School on 26 and 27 March, 1962.**

This game was won outright by High School by 160 runs. High School was on top throughout, particularly good performances being given by Lockett, Reid and Sweeney. It was very pleasant to see the enterprising batting produced by High School in its second innings.

High School					Taita								
				1st	2nd				1st	2nd			
G. Lockett	....	....	....	14	39	Jackson	....	....	5	5			
B. Sweeney	....	....	....	38	46	O'Flaherty	....	....	0	19			
D. Duggan	....	....	....	1	7	Murphy	....	....	12	10			
P. Reid	....	....	....	3	33	Boyce	....	....	20	1			
I. Tempero	....	....	....	16	23*	Anderson	....	....	1	1			
N. Robinson	....	....	....	6		McNabb	....	....	0	0			
R. Harris	....	....	....	5		Froome	....	....	10	0			
R. Scott	....	....	....	18		Sutton	....	....	0	22			
E. Waitai	....	....	....	0		Hewitt	....	....	27*	0			
D. Wheeler	....	....	....	0		Munro	....	....	8	5*			
M. Robins	....	....	....	0*		Barker	....	....	5	1			
Extras	....	....	....	19	9	Extras	....	....	7	8			
Total					170	4/157 dcl	Total					95	72

	O	M	R	W	O	M	R	W		O	M	R	W
Barker	7.3	2	23	1	5	1	31	0	Tempero	13	2	41	2
Hewitt	14	4	44	4	5	0	32	0	Lockett	12	5	16	5
Anderson	11	1	36	3	6	1	19	1	Harris	3	2	4	1
O'Flaherty	3	0	21	1					Reid	6.4	0	20	2
Boyce	5	0	27	1	2	0	22	0	Waitai	2	0	7	0
McNabb					8	0	36	1	Robinson				
Jackson					1	0	8	1					

## A TEAM COMPETITION GAMES

Regular players for this team were G. Lockett (captain), N. Robinson, B. Spurdle, B. Sweeney, P. Reid, R. Scott, J. Lockett, D. Mills, R. Harman, G. Dyson, M. Hogg, G. Judd, V. Gray, R. Fleming.

Leading scorers among the batsmen were Sweeney (581 runs), G. Lockett (330 runs), Robinson (276 runs), and Reid (241 runs). Leading bowlers were Reid (69 wickets for 367 runs), G. Lockett (43 for 345) and Robinson (25 for 214). Fielding in all games was generally reliable, some catches by the close-in fielders being outstanding.

Results of games were:—

### First Round:

v. **Collegiate A:** High School 57 and 4 for 100 (Reid 28 not out). Collegiate A 113. Lost on First Innings.

v. **St. Augustine's:** St. Augustine's 65 (Reid 5 for 18, Hogg 4 for 19). High School 6 for 73 (Sweeney 29). Won on First Innings.

v. **High School B:** No play on account of rain.

v. **Technical A:** High School 71 and 3 for 53 dec. (Sweeney 26 not out). Technical 27 (Reid 6 for 11) and O for 4. Won on First Innings.

v. **Technical B:** Technical 27 and 45 (Gray 5 for 18). High School 8 for 134 dec. (Sweeney 59). Won outright by 62 runs.

v. **Collegiate C:** Collegiate 65 and 49 (Reid 4 for 11, Hogg 4 for 18). High School 39 and 6 for 80. Won outright by 4 wickets.

v. **Collegiate B:** Collegiate 146 (G. Lockett 4 for 57). High School 100 (Sweeney 41). Lost on First Innings.

### Second Round:

v. **Collegiate A:** Collegiate 126 (Sweeney 4 for 28). High School 112 (Sweeney 37, Robinson 25). Lost on First Innings.

v. **St. Augustine's:** High School 95 (Sweeney 44). St. Augustine's 95 (G. Lockett 5 for 16, Reid 4 for 15). Tie on First Innings.

v. **High School B:** High School A 52 (Reid 30) and 4 for 77 (G. Lockett 30, Robinson 29). High School B 55 (Reid 6 for 9). Lost on First Innings.

v. **Technical A:** High School 103 (Robinson 40 not out). Technical 69 (Reid 4 for 20). Won on First Innings.

v. **Technical B:** High School 5 for 122 dec. (Scott 33 not out) and 0 for 78 dec. (Sweeney 51 not out). Technical 74 (Reid 4 for 20) and 21 (Reid 7 for 8). Won outright by 105 runs.

v. **Collegiate C:** Collegiate 107 and 56 (Reid 4 for 19). High School 4 for 129 dec. (Robinson 42 not out) and 3 for 40. Won outright by 7 wickets.

v. **Collegiate B:** Collegiate 78 (Lockett 9 for 29) and 4 for 124. High School 4 for 163 dec. (Sweeney 57, G. Lockett 53, Reid 33). Won on First Innings.

## B TEAM COMPETITION GAMES

The team consisted of: E. Waitai (captain), C. Bell, R. Collins, B. Coveny, W. Douglas, D. Duggan, R. Foley, R. Harris, R. Noble, R. Philips, M. Robins, I. Tempero, D. Wheeler, E. Williams, B. Williamson.

### First Round:

v. **Collegiate B:** High School B 58. Collegiate B 84 (Tempero 5 for 16). Lost on the First Innings.

v. **Technical A:** High School B 47 and 50 for 6. Technical A 91. Lost on the First Innings.

v. **St. Augustine's:** High School B 171 for 8 delared (Tempero 85, Bell 28) and 71 for 6 (Wheeler 36). St. Augustine's 104 (Tempero 6 for 14). Won on the First Innings.

v. **Collegiate C:** High School B 112 (Duggan 51). Collegiate C 93 (Tempero 4 for 27). Won on the First Innings.

v. **Technical B:** High School B 70 and 61. Technical B 141 for 9 declared. Lost outright by an innings and 10 runs.

**Second Round:**

v. **Collegiate B:** High School B 96 (Duggan 27). Collegiate B 80 (Harris 4 for 8). Won on the First Innings.

v. **Technical A:** High School B 27 and 65. Technical A 84 for 8 declared and 9 for 2. Lost outright by 8 wickets.

v. **High School A:** High Scol B 55 (Tempero 40). High School A 52 (Tempero 5 for 23) and 77 for 4. Won on the First Innings.

v. **St. Augustine's:** St. Augustine's 102 (Waitai 6 for 9). High School B 92 (Tempero 26, Harris 25). Lost on the First Innings.

v. **Collegiate C:** High School B 127 (Harris 28). Collegiate C 84 (Tempero 5 for 39). Won on the First Innings.

v. **Technical B:** High School B 55 and 19. Technical B 47 (Tempero 5 for 9) and 30 for 6 (Harris 5 for 12). Lost outright by four wickets.

v. **Collegiate A:** High School B 134 (Tempero 30). Collegiate A 38 (Tempero 9 for 13). Won on the First Innings.

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## GIRLS' CRICKET

Girls' cricket has become firmly established with about forty players on Tuesday and thirteen regular Saturday players.

Tuesday matches are played between Houses and Saturday matches are played against Girls' College, United and Friends' School. There are no inter-school fixtures at present, but we hope to play regular matches with Taita and Colenso.

Our thanks go to Miss Bowler, Miss Brown and Miss Rogers for giving up their time to supervise our Saturday games.

Individual performances of note are: 52 by Leona Matenga against Girls' College, and four wickets for one run by Jennifer Kenny against the same team; Glenys Harrison, Jennifer Kenny, Sheona Meikle, Leona Matenga, Jill Fletcher were selected for the Wanganui Reps. This team travelled to Wellington but unfortunately rain washed out play after two hours.

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## TENNIS

There is no lack of enthusiasm for tennis, at the beginning of each season. Despite the fact that girls have to have their own rackets, we have more players, than courts to accommodate them all. Thanks to St. Mary's Convent and the Technical College Hostel and Gonville Tennis Club, we were able to take nearly all the girls who were keen to play.

The ladder showed more signs of "life" this season, which is good. There must be individual enthusiasm and the effort made to play ladder matches constantly, in the lunch hour and after school, if the top eight are to be truly representative of the school's best. Perhaps, in the coming season we may be able to run a junior ladder as well as senior.

Each season has shown some steady improvement in the team, some of whom have represented the school since matches began. The Saturday morning school matches continue to be popular and some very exciting matches were enjoyed by all.

Results of the competitions were as follows:—

High School 3	Girls' College 9
High School 7	Sacred Heart 5
High School 5	Rangitikei 7
High School 0	Nga Tawa 12.

Last December our school teams visited Colenso. The results were:

High School	Colenso
Sets — 5	Sets — 11
Games — 125	Games — 170.

This year Taita College brought their tennis team of six here, and there were some close exciting matches.

Results were:	High School	Taita
Singles	6 wins	0 wins
Doubles	3 wins	0 wins
Combined Doubles	3 wins	0 wins
Boys' Singles	4 wins	2 wins

We would like to thank Mr. Bowden and Mr. Olsen for putting in extra coaching time with some of the team. Also, Miss Davison, who concentrated on the juniors, some of whom we hope to see coming to the fore this season. Thanks also to Miss Bowler, Mrs Watts, and Mrs. Jones.

## SWIMMING SPORTS

Another milestone in our sporting history was reached on Tuesday, 27th February, when we held our annual swimming sports in the newly completed school pool.

The interest in the House competition was very keen and Reeves eventually headed Vogel by 11 points for victory.

### RESULTS

#### Boys' Championship Under 14:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, M. Chapman (R); 2, M. Gaskin (V); 3, C. Thompson (R); 4, I. Waitai (V). Time 17.2 sec.  
 55 yards Freestyle.—1, M. Chapman (R); 2, M. Gaskin (V); 3, C. Thompson (R); 4, I. Waitai (V). Time 36.7 sec.  
 110 yards Freestyle.—1, M. Chapman (R); 2, C. Thompson (R); 3, M. Gaskin (V); 4, B. Mullins (V). Time 1 min. 28.8 sec.  
 27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, B. Mullins (V); 2, M. Chapman (R); 3, C. McDonald (B); 4, I. Waitai (V). Time 22.4 sec.  
 27½ yards Backstroke.—1, I. Waitai (V); 2, G. Dyson (R); 3, C. Thompson (R); 4, A. Scarlett (V). Time 23.0 sec.

#### Boys' Open Under 14:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, K. Saunders (V); 2, A. Scarlett (V); 3, K. Aston (R); 4, G. Ansley (V). Time 17.9 sec.  
 27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, A. Scarlett (V); 2, W. Simonson (B). Time 27.5 sec.  
 55 yards Freestyle.—1, I. Graham (B); 2, A. Murdoch (B). Time 58.2 sec.  
 27½ yards Backstroke.—1, W. Simonson (S); 2, N. Gaskin (V); 3, G. Dyson (R); 4, K. Gould (R). Time 22.6 sec.  
 27½ yards Butterfly.—1, W. Simonson (S); 2, F. Frederikse (V). Time 25.6 sec.

### Boys' Championship Under 15:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, N. Anderson (R); 2, D. Boniface (S); 3, R. Barker (R); 4, M. Wotton (R). Time 15.2 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, N. Anderson (R); 2, P. Boniface (S); 3, G. Spittal (R) and E. Waitai (R); 4, R. Barker (R). Time 34.8 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, G. Spittal (R); 2, D. Young (S); 3, R. Barker (R); 4, N. Price (S). Time 19.5 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, N. Anderson (R); 2, G. Spittal (R); 3, D. Boniface (S); 4, M. Wotton (S). Time 19.4 sec.  
110 yards Freestyle.—1, N. Anderson (R); 2, D. Boniface (S); 3, R. Barker (R); 4, J. Lange (V). Time 1 min. 18.1 sec.

### Boys' Open Under 15:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, G. Francis (S); 2, E. Waitai (R); 3, R. Green (R); 4, D. Holford (V). Time 16.8 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, G. Francis (S); 2, J. Melton (V); 3, B. Stewart (V); 4, J. Robinson (S). Time 39.0 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—I. Moore (S); 2, P. Till (V); 3, I. Scott (S). Time 25.1 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, E. Waitai (R); 2, G. Francis (S); 3, G. Valentine (B); 4, R. Green (R). Time 20.7.  
27½ yards Butterfly.—1, G. Spittal (R); 2, D. Young (S); 3, G. Francis (S); 4, R. Noble (S). Time 19.2 sec.

### Boys' Championship Over 15:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, N. Stack (B); 2, C. Anderson (R); 3, J. Wilson (R); 4, L. Hooker (V). Time 17.9 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, N. Stack (V); 2, R. Bullock (B); 3, R. Scott (V); 4, A. Stack (B). Time 33.5 sec.  
110 yards Freestyle.—1, N. Stack (V); 2, R. Scott (V); 3, J. McGowan (V); 4, B. Wenmoth (R). Time 1 min. 20.2 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, B. Wenmoth (R); 2, D. Andrews (R); 3, R. Bullock (B); 4, Mill (B). Time 20.4 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, N. Stack (V); 2, A. Papprell (V); 3, J. McGowan (V); 4, M. Pitkethley (S). Time 16.9 sec.

### Boys' Open Over 15:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, M. Workman (R); 2, R. Harris (V); 3, L. Tasker (S); 4, J. Bullock (B). Time 15.9 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, Taunton (B); 2, R. Harris (V); 3, Ferry (B); 4, Duggan (B). Time 36.8 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, R. Dawson (S); 2, L. Tasker (S); 3, R. Harris (V); 4, K. Brooks (R). Time 22.7 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, E. Workman (R); 2, R. Coley (S); 3, J. Lockett (R); 4, E. Noble (S). Time 20.7 sec.  
27½ yards Butterfly.—1, A. Stack (B); 2, P. Mill (B); 3, B. Wenmoth (R). Time 19.8 sec.

### Girls' Championship Under 14:

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, J. Patterson (B); 2, C. Anderson (R); 3, J. Wilson (R); 4, L. Hooker (V). Time 17.9 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, J. Fletcher (V); 2, C. Anderson (R); 3, J. Wilson (R); 4, P. Christianson (V). Time 40.8 sec.  
110 yards Freestyle.—1, J. Fletcher (V); 2, C. Anderson (V); 3, M. Groshinski (B); 4, L. Hooker (V). Time 1 min. 3.3 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, J. Fletcher (V); 2, J. Patterson (B); 3, C. Scott (S); 4, G. Porteous (R). Time 21.7 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—C. Anderson (R); 2, J. Wilson (R); 3, M. Groshinski (B); 4, J. James (R). Time 23.6 sec.



**Girls' Open Under 14:**

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, G. Miller (V); 2, J. Crabtree (S); 3, G. Lindgreen (S); 4, S. Hardy (R). Time 18.2 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, J. Patterson (B); 2, G. Miller (V); 3, M. Groshinski (B); 4, S. Campbell (B). Time 39.8 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, H. Dellow (R); 2, B. Moore (S); 3, S. Broome (B); 4, D. Hunt (V). Time 24.5 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, S. Mackie (S); 2, J. Gates (S); 3, G. Prater (S); 4, C. Hutchins (S). Time 24.8 sec.  
27½ yards Butterfly.—1, J. Fletcher (V); 2, J. Patterson (B); 3, C. Scott (S); 4, S. Denton (B). Time 20.4 sec.

**Girls' Championship Under 15:**

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, S. Cook (V); 2, G. Price (B); 3, A. Miller (V); 4, A. McDowell (V). Time 17.7 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, S. Cook (V); 2, G. Price (B); 3, J. Scarrow (R); 4, A. Miller (V). Time 39.0 sec.  
110 yards Freestyle.—1, J. Scarrow (R); 2, A. Miller (V); 3, G. Price (B); 4, J. Cowan (S). Time 1 min. 32.2 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, B. Raymond (B); 2, M. Purvis (V); 3, G. Price (B); 4, M. Kitney (R). Time 23.5 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, A. Tulloch (R); 2, J. Scarrow (R); 3, M. Kitney (R); 4, J. Duncan (R). Time 22.3 sec.

**Girls' Open Under 15:**

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, L. Lockett (B); 2, B. Raymond (B); 3, O. Blackmore (B); 4, L. Ngataierua (R). Time 18.4 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, I. Lockett (B); 2, L. Hooker (V). Time 42.0 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, M. Seaburgh (S); 2, M. Fong (S); 3, B. Davis (V); 4, L. Lockett (B). Time 26.3 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, D. Limpus (B); 2, E. McKnight (R); 3, S. Vivian (V); 4, L. Kendall (S). Time 24.5 sec.  
27½ yards Butterfly.—1, S. Cook (V); 2, A. Miller (V); 3, M. Purvis (V); 4, B. Raymond (B). Time 24.0 sec.

**Girls' Championship Over 15:**

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, J. Leach (V); 2, R. Sheehan (R); 3, G. Harrison (B); 4, B. Mellor (B). Time 17.0 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, J. Leach (V); 2, L. Almond (B); 3, R. Sheehan (R); 4, B. Mellor (B). Time 37.6 sec.  
110 yards Freestyle.—1, L. Almond (B); 2, J. Leach (V); 3, S. Borrie (R); 4, G. Harrison (B). Time 1 min. 31.3 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, L. Almond (B); 2, D. Cowan (V); 3, W. Clear (B); 4, B. Mellor (B). Time 20.4 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, R. Sheehan (R); 2, L. Almond (B); 3, J. Leach (V); 4, D. Cowan (V). Time 20.5 sec.

**Girls' Open Over 15:**

- 27½ yards Freestyle.—1, S. Fletcher (V); 2, G. Stevens (R); 3, A. Cromarty (R); 4, L. Hunt (R). Time 18.0 sec.  
55 yards Freestyle.—1, W. Clear (B); 2, G. Stevens (R); 3, S. Fletcher (V); 4, L. Tamou (B). Time 42.0 sec.  
27½ yards Breaststroke.—1, G. Fletcher (B); 2, S. Fletcher (V); 3, G. Stevens (R); 4, K. Johnstone (S). Time 23.9 sec.  
27½ yards Backstroke.—1, C. Bishop (B); 2, L. Hall (S); 3, M. Thomas (S); 4, W. Harrex (R). Time 24.0 sec.  
27½ yards Butterfly.—1, L. Almond (B); 2, R. Sheehan (R); 3, W. Harrex (R); 4, K. Johnstone (B). Time 19.1 sec.

**Boys' Inter-House Relay:** 1, Reeves; 2, Vogel; 3, Seddon; 4, Ballance.  
**Girls' Inter-House Relay:** 1, Vogel; 2, Reeves; 3, Ballance; 4, Seddon.  
**Flying Squadron:** 1, Vogel; 2, Reeves; 3, Ballance; 4, Seddon.  
**House Points:** Ballance 127; Reeves 208; Seddon 74; Vogel 197.

## GIRLS' LIFESAVING

Forty girls have chosen lifesaving as their summer sport. Most of these lifesavers will be entering for their examinations in December, but a few took awards in the first term. The results were:—

Betty Smith (Instructor's Certificate)  
Wendy Clear (Bronze Medallion)  
Sharon Cook (Bronze Medallion)  
Betty Davis (Bronze Medallion)  
Brenda Mellor (Bronze Medallion)  
Beverley Raymond (Bronze Medallion)  
Joan Scarrow (Bronze Medallion)  
Rosalie Sheehan (Bronze Medallion)  
Suzanne Weller (Bronze Medallion).

On March 9th a team entered the Inter-School Competition and was successful in winning the Turnbull Cup, with Nga Tawa as runners-up. The members of the team were:—

Lynette Almond (captain)  
Sharon Cook  
Brenda Mellor  
Gail Windleburn.  
Emergencies: W. Clear, J. Patterson, M. Purvis.

Congratulations go to Lynette Almond especially for winning again the Paterson Cup for the best individual performance.

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## ATHLETIC SPORTS

The annual sports were held on Thursday, April 5th, in excellent weather on the school grounds. The entries were very good in all events and this created the enthusiasm that is good to see on such occasions.

We have reached the stage in our athletic career where we can now establish our own school records for all events and this will be of interest to all those pupils past, present and future who are interested in athletics.

### RESULTS

#### Girls Under 14:

50 yards.—1, S. McDougall; 2, S. Denton; 3, J. Fletcher. Time 6.6 sec.  
75 yards.—1, S. McDougall; 2, S. Denton; 3, S. Simpson. Time 9.5.  
High Jump.—1, S. Mackie; 2, G. Harrison; 3, S. Denton. Height 3ft. 11in.  
Broad Jump.—1, L. Hay; 2, L. Hooker; 3, S. Simpson. Distance 12ft. 7in.  
Hurdles.—1, J. Fletcher; 2, J. Patterson; 3, B. Moore. Time 13.2 sec.  
100 yards.—1, S. McDougall; 2, S. Denton; 3, J. Fletcher. Time 12.1 sec.

#### Girls Under 15:

75 yards.—1, L. Lockett; 2, J. Kemp; 3, L. Bealing. Time 9.5 sec.  
50 yards.—1, L. Lockett; 2, J. Kemp; 3, L. Bealing. Time 6.6 sec.  
100 yards.—1, L. Lockett; 2, J. Kemp; 3, C. Doble. Time 12.5 sec.  
220 yards.—1, S. McDougall; 2, L. Lockett; 3, J. Kemp. Time 27.2 sec.  
Hurdles.—1, L. Lockett; 2, D. Gillman; 3, C. Doble. Time 13.0 sec.  
High Jump.—1, K. la Pouple; 2, J. Cowan; 3, C. Doble. Height 4ft. 3in.  
Broad Jump.—1, D. Gillman; 2, L. Stewart; 3, J. Cowan. Distance 13ft. 2½in.  
Discus.—1, S. Vivien; 2, J. Fletcher; 3, C. Palamountain. Distance 72ft. 6in.

**Girls Over 15:**

- 50 yards.—1, A. Dinnington; 2, I. Thompson; 3, B. Groves. Time 6.9 sec.  
75 yards.—1, S. Fletcher; 2, A. Dinnington; 3, A. Cromarty. Time 9.5 sec.  
100 yards.—1, S. Fletcher; 2, A. Dinnington; 3, B. Groves. Time 12.8 sec.  
220 yards.—1, B. Casey; 2, J. Campbell; 3, J. Moss. Time 30.5 sec.  
Hurdles.—1, S. Fletcher; 2, D. Ruscoe; 3, L. Almond. Time 12.9 sec.  
High Jump.—1, B. Casey; 2, J. Fletcher. Height 4ft. 3in.  
Broad Jump.—1, S. Fletcher; 2, J. Leach; 3, R. Beauchamp. Distance 14ft. 2½in.  
Discus.—1, P. Penn; 2, A. Coker; 3, S. Fletcher. Distances 88ft. 2in.

**Open Events:**

- 3-legged Race.—1, P. Penn & L. Almond; 2, B. Mellor & D. Ruscoe; 3, N. Thomas & C. Goldsbury. Time 15.0 sec.  
15-a-side Relay.—1, Vogel; 2, Seddon; 3, Reeves; 4, Ballance.  
4-a-side Relay.—1, Ballance; 2, Vogel; 3, Seddon; 4, Reeves.  
Boys' 4-a-side Relay.—1, Ballance; 2, Reeves; 3, Seddon; 4, Vogel.

**Boys Under 14:**

- 100 yards.—1, E. Williams; 2, G. Jones; 3, B. Grinstead. Time 12.3 sec.  
220 yards.—1, E. Williams; 2, B. Grinstead; 3, B. Phillips. Time 28.1 sec.  
440 yards.—1, E. Williams; 2, B. Phillips; 3, P. Cooper. Time 65.4 sec.  
880 yards.—1, B. Phillips; 2, K. Aston; 3, P. Cooper. Time 2min. 27.9 sec.  
100 yards Hurdles.—1, G. Jones; 2, C. Thompson and M. Chapman. Time 16.2 sec.  
1 Mile.—1, K. Aston; 2, B. Phillips; 3, J. Barr. Time 5min. 31.9 sec.  
High Jump.—1, Williams; 2, Phillips; 3, C. Mooney. Height 4ft. 3½in.  
Broad Jump.—1, E. Williams; 2, B. Grinstead; 3, G. Jones. Distance 14ft. 11in.

**Boys Under 15:**

- 100 yards.—1, P. Saunders; 2, R. Evans; 3, B. Douglas. Time 12.3 sec.  
220 yards.—1, C. Connell; 2, J. Dunlop; 3, B. Douglas. Time 27.6 sec.  
440 yards.—1, C. Connell; 2, J. Dunlop; 3, P. Saunders. Time 61.3 sec.  
880 yards.—1, M. Gilbertson; 2, J. Milton; 3, C. Connell. Time 2min. 19.2 sec.  
1 Mile.—1, J. Milton; 2, D. Corns; 3, R. Richdale. Time 5min. 14.2sec.  
110 yards Hurdles.—1, R. Green; 2, E. Waitai; 3, N. Anderson. Time 17.3 sec.  
High Jump.—1, N. Anderson; 2, G. Valentine; 3, Blythe. Height 4ft. 5½in.  
Broad Jump.—1, Gilbertson; 2, Francis; 3, Waitai. Distance 15ft. 3½in.

**Boys Under 16:**

- 100 yards.—1, R. Emmett; 2, P. Mill; 3, B. Skelsey. Time 11.5 sec.  
220 yards.—1, R. Emmett; 2, P. Mill; 3, R. Skelsey. Time 25.8 sec.  
440 yards.—1, B. Wenmoth; 2, Burford; 3, W. Goldstone. Time 63.9 sec.  
880 yards.—1, D. Duggan; 2, E. Goldsbury; 3, J. Rhodes. Time 2min. 20sec.  
1 Mile.—1, D. Duggan; 2, E. Goldsbury; 3, D. Fraser. Time 5min. 20.9 sec.  
120 yards Hurdles.—1, P. Mill; 2, G. Brown; 3, R. Collins. Time 19sec.

High Jump.—1, R. Sales; 2, R. Coley; 3, C. Moon. Height 5ft.  
Broad Jump.—1, Emmett; 2, Coley; 3, Moon. Distance 16ft. 4½in.

**Boys Over 16:**

100 yards.—1, B. Spurdle; 2, B. Sweeney; 3, H. Brooks. Time 11.6 sec.

220 yards.—1, B. Spurdle; 2, B. Sweeney; 3, H. Brooks. Time 25.3 sec.

440 yards.—1, B. Spurdle; 2, B. Sweeney; 3, G. Lockett. Time 55.8 sec.

880 yards.—1, B. Spurdle; 2, G. Lockett; 3, R. Gilbertson. Time 2min. 6.3sec.

Mile.—1, G. Lockett; 2, P. Thompson; 3, N. Robins. Time 4min. 50.6 sec.

120 yards Hurdles.—1, G. Lockett; 2, B. Sweeney; 3, R. Glenny. Time 20.1sec.

High Jump.—1, R. Glenny; 2, M. Workman. Height 5ft. 2½in.

Broad Jump.—1, R. Bullock; 2, H. Brooks; 3, Sweeney and Gilbertson. Distance 16ft. 6in.

Shot Put Open.—1, Harris; 2, Bullock; 3, Spittal. Distance 35ft. 9in.

**Final House Points:**

1, Vogel 259; 2, Ballance 195; 3, Reeves 139; 4, Seddon 127.

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### INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS — BOYS

These were held on the Collegiate School ground and we would like to extend our thanks to our host school for a most enjoyable and successful afternoon of competition. This could possibly have been our most successful year so far.

We would like to extend our congratulations to all the winners and at the same time congratulate Spurdle who created a new half mile record in the senior event. This record had been standing since 1939.

The following boys gained places:

**Under 19:**

B. A. Spurdle: 1st 880 yards, Time 2min. 3.2sec. (Record).

M. J. Workman: 3rd High Jump.

**Under 16:**

R. P. Mill: 3rd 220 yards; 3rd Hurdles.

**Under 15:**

R. E. B. Green: 3rd Hurdles.

**Under 14:**

E. J. Williams: 1st 220 yards; 2nd 100 yards; 3rd 440 yards.

G. E. Jones: 1st Hurdles.

B. G. Phillips: 3rd 880 yards.

J. K. Aston: 3rd Mile.

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### INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS — GIRLS

The Annual Inter-School Athletic Sports were held this year at the High School on Wednesday, 18th April. Teams from Wanganui Girls' College and Sacred Heart Convent competed in the three grades. Congratulations go to Girls' College for their win in both the Intermediate and Senior Section, whilst the High School gained the greatest number of points in the Junior Section. Competition was keen and the standard high in all events and several records were broken by athletes from each school.

The following girls gained places in events for the School.

**Junior Section (under 14):**

Shirley McDougall: 50 yards; 100 yards.  
Susan Denton: 50 yards.  
Patricia Anderson: Cricket Ball.  
Jillian Fletcher: Hurdles.  
Lynette Hay: Long Jump.

**Intermediate Section (under 15):**

Lesley Lockett: 75 yards; 100 yards; Hurdles.  
Janice Kemp: 75 yards.  
Susan Vivian: Discus.  
Denise Gillman: Hurdles; Long Jump.  
Kathryn La Pouple: High Jump.

**Senior Section (over 15):**

Suzanne Fletcher: 100 yards; Hurdles; Long Jump.  
Arlene Coker: Discus.

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## ROWING

Rowing in the school has this year enjoyed a very successful season.

Thanks go to Mr. Pringle and Mr. Olsen, who again were in charge of the rowing group, and who, along with Mr. Jack Byres, our coach, built up an excellent spirit.

We were somewhat unfortunate that the motor coaching boat was not serviceable when our training was at its most serious; however, we did not disgrace ourselves, as the record shows.

On February 10th, at the Wanganui Championship Regatta, we entered a crew in the schoolboy Four, and we were a clear second with less than 100 yards to go when we tangled with the W.T.C. crew.

Our first race in the eight was on the Wanganui river against W.T.C. and Collegiate School. In this there was a false start when Collegiate broke an oar. It was a thrilling race and we finished second to W.T.C. by a canvas, with Collegiate some lengths back.

In the next regatta at Waitara on 10th March a school crew consisting of J. Bullock (stroke), R. Bullock (3), H. Brooks (2), and R. Ward (bow) had the first win in the short history of our rowing (a heat in the schoolboy fours), and came third in a close finish in the final.

On March 22nd we travelled up to Hamilton for the Maadi Cup. We had a light paddle next day to familiarise ourselves with the course and to loosen up. Saturday 24th was the great day. The first race was for the Thompson Memorial Shield which we comfortably won by several lengths.

In the Maadi Cup we took an early lead, but with a quarter of a mile to go, were overhauled by New Plymouth Boys' High School and King's College. By a sustained effort at this stage we retained our third position beating last year's winners, Mt. Albert Grammar, by a canvas.

Next Saturday we again rowed against New Plymouth Boys' High School, Wanganui Technical College, Collegiate School and Wellington College on our own Wanganui River. This time the finish was even closer, New Plymouth Boys' High heading off Wanganui Technical by one foot with three feet back to us. On the same day a rowing four consisting of W. Skelsey, B. Stewart, J. Dunlop and

A. Minnell won their race by five lengths from New Plymouth Boys' High.

Here is the personnel of the school eight: R. Bullock (stroke), R. Dawson (7), H. Brooks (6), R. Ward (5), J. Bullock (4), E. Noble (3), W. Skelsey (2), N. Campbell (bow) and A. Nimmo (cox).

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## CROSS COUNTRY

The School cross country was held over the St. John's Hill course on Tuesday, October 2nd, in fine conditions. Results are as follows.

### UNDER 15:

1st	B. G. Phillips	Vogel
2nd	R. G. Lawton	Reeves
3rd	J. K. Aston	Reeves

### House Points:

Ballance 97; Reeves 81; Seddon 100; Vogel 187.

### UNDER 16:

1st	J. B. Melton	Vogel
2nd	R. E. Benefield	Ballance
3rd	D. L. Duggan	Ballance

### House Points:

Ballance 35; Reeves 142; Seddon 138; Vogel 150.

### 16 AND OVER:

1st	G. C. B. Lockett	Ballance
2nd	B. A. Spurdle	Reeves
3rd	B. Q. Sweeney	Seddon

### House Points:

Ballance 60; Reeves 160; Seddon 86; Vogel 159.

### Aggregate House Points:

Ballance 225; Reeves 380; Seddon 339; Vogel 451.

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## GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY

This year those girls who wished to run entered a race set round the London Street, Grey Street, Parson Street, Carlton Avenue block. Approximately a hundred girls competed; some very good times were recorded. Results are:

### UNDER 14:

1. Shirley McDougall
2. Cheryl Crutchley.
3. Leslie Hooker
4. Diane Rohloff

### UNDER 15:

1. Lesley Lockett (fastest time)
2. Janice Kemp
3. Kay Barns
4. Mary Fong

### OVER 15:

1. Cherie Hawkins
2. Barbara Casey
3. Irene Thompson
4. Suzanne Fletcher

## INTER SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

This year's event was run in ideal conditions from St. Augustine's ground in Peat Street. There were three very interesting courses through farms and down Virginia Road. There were some good individual performances, but our teams were not as well placed as they should have been.

The following boys were the first three of our runners in each team to finish.

### UNDER 14:

B. G. Phillips — 3rd.  
R. G. Lawton — 6th  
K. F. Saunders — 16th

### UNDER 15:

J. B. Melton — 9th  
D. L. Duggan — 11th  
J. G. Rhodes — 12th

### 16 AND OVER:

G. C. B. Lockett — 4th  
B. A. Spurdle — 6th  
B. Q. Sweeney — 24th

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## RUGBY

We fielded five teams in Saturday competition throughout the season and all teams acquitted themselves well. This year's 1st XV team started off in surprisingly good form playing in the fourth grade competition for the first time and winning its first three matches. However the shortage of sufficiently experienced players led to the loss of a number of games later in the season.

### 1st XV

Our first interschool match was against Rangitikei College, who unfortunately for us had a very fast and skilled team. The Rangitikei backs passed the ball well and their backing up was excellent and they scored some fine back tries. When the final whistle went, Rangitikei were leading by fifty-nine to three.

Our congratulations to Rangitikei on a very fine team.

The team against Rangitikei was: N. Stack, J. Newton, H. Brooks, B. Sweeney, I. Tempero, G. Lockett, G. Broome, B. Spurdle, J. Lockett, R. Ward, B. Dustin, G. Gemmell, R. Jones, R. Bullock (captain), R. Dawson. P. Reid replaced B. Sweeney for the last ten minutes of the match.

We were the hosts this year in the annual fixture against Technical College, and the game was played at school in perfect conditions. Both teams were evenly matched and the Technical College were the eventual winners by eleven to nine. For School, R. Bullock kicked two penalties and B. Spurdle scored a try.

The team was: N. Stack, J. Newton, H. Brooks, B. Sweeney, I. Tempero, G. Lockett, G. Broome, B. Spurdle, R. Ward, B. Dustin, J. Lockett, G. Gemmell, R. Jones, R. Bullock (captain), R. Dawson.

We travelled to Taita for the match against Taita College, which was played in the wettest conditions possible. In places the field was six inches under water. In spite of conditions our backs spun the ball and at half-time we were three nil down. In the second half we continued to spin the ball and two errors on our part led to Taita kicking the ball ahead to score two tries, and the final score was Taita nine, School nil.

The team was: I. Tempero, J. Newton, H. Brooks, B. Sweeney, N. Stack, P. Reid, G. Broome, B. Spurdle, G. Gemmell, R. Ward, D. McLeod, G. Spittal, J. Lockett, R. Bullock (captain), R. Dawson.

In the final game of the season versus Colenso, we were the hosts. The match was played in good conditions after a very wet weekend. The team gave away a number of penalties in the first half and could not make up these lost points. In the second half Colenso scored two very good tries to give them victory by 15 points to nil.

The team was: N. Stack, J. Newton, G. Ansley, B. Sweeney, I. Tempero, P. Reid, G. Broome, G. Spittal, B. Spurdle, R. Ward, B. Dustin, G. Gemmell, R. Dawson, R. Bullock (captain), J. Lockett. B. Knowles replaced Newton during the last fifteen minutes of play.

#### 2nd XV — 5th GRADE

**Personnel.**—G. Brown (captain), B. Dustin (vice-captain), I. McDonald, M. Murdock, J. Fraser, E. Noble, P. Reid, J. Bullock, C. Hedges, G. Spittal, R. Hardie, D. Ansley, G. Wilson, B. Knowles, J. Hemi, R. Hemi, P. Mill, K. A. Laws (coach).

With only a limited number of players to call on throughout the season it was to be expected that the second fifteen would find it hard to compete with the other fifth grade teams. Judged on bare statistics this was not a successful season, but in willingness, improvement in skills and narrow defeats it could be called a satisfactory achievement. Dustin, Brown, Reid, Wilson, Mill, Fraser and Spittal were selected for the Wanganui 5th Grade Reps, whilst Dustin captained this team.

The only inter-school game was against Waverley District High School. This was not one of the team's best games, with poor handling and a lethargic display by the forwards. At half-time Wanganui led 9-3 (a try by Mill and two penalty goals by Spittal), but had no counter for the spoiling tactics of Waverley in the second half and was finally defeated 11-9.

#### SOUTH ISLAND RUGBY TRIP

During the August-September vacation our eighth grade Rugby team, with Mr. G. Syme, visited Christchurch as the guests of the Linwood and Merivale Rugby clubs, to take part in some Junior Rugby Games.

All players were billeted in private homes and made many friends during their eight day visit to Christchurch.

The occasion marked the opening of the Merivale Rugby Club's new £18,000 gymnasium and clubrooms. Two boys, Eion Fredrickson and Glynn Jones, were fortunate enough to attend the opening social on the Saturday night.

The team took part in two matches. The first game which was played on the Saturday was lost 11-13 after a tense, exciting struggle.

The second game was played the following Wednesday and resulted in a 16 all draw. This was a particularly fine effort on the part of our boys as with only ten minutes left to play they were down 6-16, but turned on a spirited burst of Rugby to draw the match in the last minutes of the game.

Highlights of the trip included visits to several factories and the Canterbury Museum, The Christchurch Winter Show, canoeing on the Avon River, ice-skating, witnessing the Canterbury versus Australia Rugby game at Lancaster Park, and an official function held at the Linwood Rugby Club's rooms.

Perhaps the best feature of the tour was the bright brand of Rugby our boys played and the spirit in which they played it.

The boys all returned with many pleasant memories and in good health, after what had been a most eventful and worthwhile tour.



## BOYS' HOCKEY

Two teams from the School were entered in the local club championships. The First XI was promoted to play in the senior reserve grade, the 2nd XI played in the junior grade.

Personnel of teams:

1st XI.—D. L. Duggan (captain), M. B. Pitkethley (vice-captain), P. O. Bertie, N. B. Campbell, O. W. Burford, R. S. Harman, R. M. Collins, R. W. Gilbertson, P. R. Jamieson, T. D. Ferry, R. J. Scott, C. S. McDonald.

2nd XI.—B. M. Wansbrough (captain), B. Benefield, N. Benefield, N. A. Anderson, J. S. Hodder, W. J. Wilde, W. F. Frederikse, B. Lethbridge, D. P. Forman, W. J. Rosoman, B. D. Basham.

The First XI played some good games during the season, winning some and being narrowly defeated in others. It performed quite creditably against school teams in the annual fixtures.

The results of these games were:—

**Versus Wanganui Technical College.** Lost 1-3. This was a good game where the School lacked scoring ability in spite of a number of opportunities. Both R. J. Scott and R. W. Gilbertson revealed real drive in their play.

Against **Taita** the 1st XI lost 1-8. This game was played under very wet conditions, and the team was unable to adapt its play to meet such a situation.

In the game against **Colenso**, the score at half-time was 1-2 in favour of Colenso, then in the second spell, School slipped in its defence and Colenso rattled in four more goals, to make the score 1-6.

In the final school game against **Hawera**, the School team won 5-3 in a very even and excitingly contested game.

Congratulations should go to the Captain, D. L. Duggan, for his excellent play and good leadership, and to the team for ably supporting him.

Although the second XI was not as strong as could be desired, the team performed very ably on a number of occasions. It was capably led by its Captain, B. M. Wansbrough, throughout the season. The team would like to thank Mr. W. H. Olsen for the time and effort he spent on coaching and training it.

An appreciation is also recorded for the help of Mr. I. M. Guild and Mr. P. O. O'Neill in supervision and coaching.

In closing these notes I would stress the great need for full attendance at all practices. Only by such attendance can a team become really proficient and able to meet and perhaps beat its opponents.

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## GIRLS' HOCKEY

This year five teams were entered in the local Saturday competition. On Tuesday afternoon a total of over 80 girls participated in hockey, and our thanks go to Miss Allan, Miss Thomas, Mrs. Jones and Miss Earle, for their coaching and assistance throughout the year.

Our A team played in the Senior Grade whilst the B, C, D and E teams played in the Junior Grade. Although the victories were not frequent every team played with enthusiasm, and with each game added to their knowledge and improved their skills of the game.



The Chairman of the Board takes a bath at the official opening of the swimming pool.



Our headmaster goes for a swim to christen the baths.



Mr. Matson demonstrates to the Tramping Club how to make a stretcher from Mr. Wallace's shirt.



High School on ice.



Cooking under ideal conditions.



It's in the bag!



Concentration in the school library.



Dealing with the world's problems in a geography class.



**1st HOCKEY ELEVEN**

**Back Row, L to R:** M. Pitkethley, N. Campbell, P. Bertie, O. Burford, C. MacDonald, Mr. M. Kinder  
(coach).

**Front Row, (L to R):** R. Scott, R. Gilbertson, T. Ferry, D. Duggan (captain), C. Hodder, P. Jamieson,  
R. Harman.

## 1st XI

Irene Gould (captain), Wendy Clear, Marion Cowan, Sharon Cooke, Ann Dinington, Janet Cowan, Raewyn Gillman, Cherie Hawkins, Denise Gillman, Jennifer Cook, Jennifer Ward. Reserve—Tonii Bott.

With only three of last year's team, most of the players were new to the 1st XI, consequently the girls had to work extra hard to develop the team-work and the understanding necessary for the match play to reach a good standard.

Although results on paper appear poor, and with variations in the standard of play, the girls nevertheless achieved an excellent team spirit, which prevailed throughout all their games. Attendance on the whole at extra fitness classes before school, and at the regular daily practices was good, and although not victorious the girls benefited from the experience and skill of their opposition. Next year with most of the 1962 team returning we hope to combine fitness, skill, team spirit and have first class team results.

We had several trips away to play various clubs and schools, and we thank sincerely those parents who assisted to make these trips possible.

Congratulations to the following girls who gained representative honours: Irene Gould, Denise Gillman, Ann Dinington, Marion Cowan, Sharon Cooke, Janet Cowan, Jennifer Cook.

Congratulations also to the whole team, who by the end of the season had all been awarded School Sports Blazers.

## INTER-SCHOOL FIXTURES

**v. Rangitikei College 16/6/62, lost 2-0 (home).**

This was an extremely good game with both teams very evenly matched.

**v. Wanganui Girls' College 17/7/62, lost 5-0 (home).**

With a very strong team this season and good positional play, Girls' College proved themselves to be the superior team.

**v. Taita College 30/7/62, won 2-0 (away).**

The teams played in the pouring rain with mud literally above their ankles. At one point a Wanganui player was seen to bend down and pick the ball out of the mud, as it had disappeared from sight—needless to say she was penalised. The first goal was scored by left-wing Cherie Hawkins after about ten minutes play, and then after the game had see-sawed up and down the field in the second half Irene Gould shot a goal from a penalty corner. All in all a most enjoyable trip.

**v. Hawera Technical High School 11/8/62, lost 4-2 (home).**

A close match with the visitors showing more accuracy and speed in the goal circle. Goals were scored by centre-forward Jennifer Cook and inside-left Denise Gillman.

During the season a third form hockey match was played against Girls' College who after a hard match proved themselves superior by winning 1-0.

The season closed with a seven-a-side tournament on Saturday, 22nd September. Results:

A TEAM  
Lost 1 match  
Drew 2 matches  
Won 3 matches

B TEAM  
Lost 2 matches  
Drew 2 matches  
Won 1 match



### **"A" TEAM GIRLS' BASKETBALL**

**Back Row, L to R: M. Weatherall, L. Lockett, J. Leach, A. Cromarty.  
Front Row, L to R: S. Campbell, L. Almond (captain), S. Wakeling.**



## BASKETBALL

This season we entered sixteen teams in the Saturday competitions. Play was of a high standard throughout and we are proud of all teams, particularly those who won their grades. The most noted achievement of the season for the A Team was their victory over St. Mary's A in the Glover Cup Tournament. Trophies won by successful teams were:

**A Team** — Glover Cup.

**B Team** — Opening Day Tournament for the Senior Reserve grade.

**D Team** — Junior Championship, Queen's Day Tournament for the Junior grade; Woolworth's Cup for best points average in lower grades.

**M Team** — Opening Day Tournament for Fourth Grade.

**O Team** — Fourth Grade Championship.

Towards the end of the season the A Team made themselves green gyms which distinguish them well from the other teams, and made them the envy of the lower grade teams.

We wish to thank Mrs. J. Skelsey, Miss M. Skelsey and Mrs. P. Keats for refereeing our inter-school matches, and Mrs. M. Richdale who represented the school on the executive of the Wanganui Basketball Association. We also offer congratulations to our girls who were selected to play in representative teams:

**Senior A** — Lynette M. Almond

**Senior B** — Alison M. Cromarty

**Senior Reserve** — Barbara Casey  
Arlene S. Coker  
Ann L. Miller.

**Junior** — Jillian A. Fletcher  
Brenda Mellor  
Dawn M. Ruscoe  
Cheryl F. Ryland

**Third Grade** — Cheryl W. Gibson  
Susan L. Hardy  
Christine M. Smith

The following representative games were played.

**Taita College v. High School** at Taita. Won 38-19.

This game was played in very wet, miserable conditions. Because the school team had superior control of the ball they managed to draw away to a comfortable win. Sandra Campbell did much to aid Wanganui's win, for, in the second half she did not miss a goal. Taita played well but were not as capable under the conditions.

**Colenso v. High School** at home. Won 38-9.

The 4th August saw a very fast and exciting game against Colenso, although marred somewhat by the wind. Wanganui capitalised on the high, slow passes used by Colenso. Marie Weatherall shot well for the Wanganui team and the Colenso Goal Attack played an outstanding game. Lynette Almond made some spectacular interceptions and Alison Cromarty worked tirelessly throughout the game. The teams were more evenly matched than the score would indicate.

**Rangitikei v. High School** at home. Won A Team 31-14

B Team 25-10.

On 4th July, the A and B teams played Rangitikei College and won both matches. Although it was a fine afternoon a very strong wind limited play and made goal-shooting rather difficult. The A Team wore their new green gyms for the first time and looked very smart.

**Wanganui Girls' College v. High School** at home. Won A Team 30-22  
B Team 20-19.

On 17th July the A and B Teams played Girls' College in two very good games. At half-time the A Team was leading 13-10 and finished by winning 30-22. At half-time the B Team were down 12-9 and after a most exciting second half won by the narrow margin 20-19. Once again a very cold wind prevailed and limited the play to short quick passes.

A TEAM: Lynette M. Almond (captain), Sandra M. Campbell, Alison M. Cromarty, Judith Leach, Leslie B. Lockett, Sally A. Wakeling, Marie L. Weatherall.

B TEAM: Pamela A. Wallace (captain), Barbara Casey, Jennifer T. Cathro, Arlene S. Coker, Suzanne M. Fletcher, Ann L. Miller, Pamela G. Penn.

**Waverley District High School v. Wanganui High School**

Won C Team 39-11  
D Team 30-11.

The Wanganui High School C and D Teams played Waverley on 14th August with the D Team playing Waverley A. Both games were played under excellent conditions. Waverley, in the first game won the toss but Wanganui soon went into the lead. Play was very fast but both teams lacked positional play.

The second game, between Wanganui C and Waverley B was played in the best of spirits. Shooting well, Wanganui were in the lead 20-4 at half-time and finally won 39-11.

D TEAM: Susan M. Borrie (captain), Kay L. Barns, Rebecca Beauchamp, Jillian A. Fletcher, Brenda Mellor, Dawn A. Ruscoe, Cheryl F. Ryland.

C TEAM: Jillian M. Gibson (captain), Jennifer J. Campbell, Cheryl D. Doble, Beatrice S. Groves, Lynette M. J. Hall, Glenys I. Harrison, Barbara J. Morgan, Cynthia K. Shearer.

Our grateful thanks are extended to Mrs. E. Mahoney who generously gave time and effort to coach the A and B Teams. We also thank the other coaches, Miss Bowler, Mrs. Richdale, Mrs. McDonald, Miss Brown, Mrs. Krenek, Miss Rogers and Mrs. Hulme for their efforts throughout the season.

The basketball season was concluded by inter-house basketball matches, results of which were as follows:

Ballance 27 points, Vogel 22½ points, Reeves 13½ points, Seddon 9 points.

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## SOCCER

Soccer continued to be a popular game in the school. Six Saturday games played throughout the season, the First and Second XIs in the Senior Competition and the remaining four, designated Rovers, Rangers, Wanderers and United in the open schoolboy grade. Seven of our boys represented Wanganui in the under-sixteen representatives, which reached the North Island tournament final. W. Skelsey was chosen to represent the North Island in the under-sixteen team. Seven of our boys represented Wanganui in the under-fourteen team which lost 2-0 to Auckland in the final.

The First XI playing in the Third Division lost only one competition game — to Tech A by the narrow margin of 3-2. Later in the season our promotion to the Second Division made competition tougher and several games were lost.

Inter-school games resulted as follows:—  
**Against Wanganui Technical College.** Lost 1-0.

A strong wind and the spoiling tactics of both teams made this game disappointing. The one goal was a scrambled affair and a draw would have been a fairer result.

**Against Rangitikei College.** Won 4-0.

Much improved from last year with two experienced Nigerian players, Rangitikei gave us an entertaining game in spite of our clear win.

**Against Colenso.** Lost 5-3.

A good game. Colenso showed us how to score goals by banging in four without reply in the first half. School came to life in the second half and played good football to reduce the deficit.

Two friendly games were also played against Palmerston North schools.

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Goals	
					For	Against
First XI ....	23	16	6	1	97	26
Second XI ....	13	0	13	0	13	52
Rovers ....	13	11	1	1	85	10
Rangers ....	11	6	5	0	22	13
United ....	9	2	6	1	12	30
Wanderers ....	9	2	6	1	6	30

The season ended on a high note. The last two games resulting in a 5-4 win against Athletic and a 4-3 victory against Technical College to win the Second Division knockout tournament.

W. Douglas with 32 goals was the top scorer for the season.

## VISITING SPEAKERS

### CANON TAEPA

On Anzac Day this year, we were very fortunate in having Canon Taepa to address our pupils. It was purely by accident that he chose his theme, our school motto: "That we might have life", and he, like us, thought it was a happy coincidence!

He gave us some very good illustrations of courage and sacrifice, made by servicemen during the war on behalf of their country. He told us that on one occasion a group of British soldiers, having been cornered by the enemy, found that the only way by which they could get an important message to headquarters was to join up their broken communication line. Despite the fact that the enemy lay waiting to shoot down any man who endeavoured to join this cable, one by one they made this attempt, and one by one they were shot down. Such dauntlessness was at length rewarded and, for one brief moment, a man managed to bring the cable's ends together, thus enabling the message to get through. After death he was found still grasping it in his rigid hands.

This and other incidents illustrated the spirit of sacrifice which so distinguishes men's lives in wartime. Those who died gave up their lives "that we might have life". Are our lives worthy of their sacrifice? Canon Taepa exhorted us to take the responsibility of preparing ourselves at school, so that we may prove worthy when our time comes to serve. He quoted in Maori a fine message to the youth of New Zealand from Sir Apirana Ngata (1950):

"E tipu, e rea, mo te ra o tou ao;  
(Grow tender plant to fulfil your generation's destiny;)  
To ringa ki nga rakau a te Pakeha hei ara mo tou tinana;  
(Your hands to the skills and professions of the Pakeha meet for  
your advancement;)  
Te ngakau ki nga taonga a o tupuna Maori hei tikitiki mo tou  
mahuna;  
(Your heart to your ancestral culture for a plume upon your head.)  
To wairua ki te Atua nana nei nga mea katoa.  
(Your soul dedicated to God, Author of all things.)

It was also good, at the close of the service, to hear Canon  
Taepa pronounce the Benediction first in Maori and then in English.  
B. GROVES.

### MR. HOWARD TROTMAN

Speaking in morning assembly on the 1st May, Mr. Trotman, the CORSO representative, asked us if we were aware how lucky we were to be in New Zealand. Most New Zealanders, he said, had ample food, clothing, and comfort, and because of this we were in danger of neglecting the needs of underprivileged countries. He asked us if we were aware that two thirds of the world were hungry. Indeed if one could line up all the hungry people round the world, two feet apart, they would circle the earth many times, and it would take three and a half years to drive around them, by which time a great many more would have been added to the number.

After this graphic illustration, Mr. Trotman went on to tell us what was done with the money raised by CORSO. It was not, he said, used directly to buy food, because this would soon be exhausted and would cause no lasting change. Instead the money is used to buy land, machines, fertilizers and to train men in modern farm techniques.

He ended by exhorting us not to neglect the needs of these people, so much more unfortunate than ourselves. He asked that, if possible, we should help with the CORSO collection, but that, in any case, we should give generously to such a worthy cause. He repeated the date on which the appeal was to be held and asked us to make a note of it, in more than one way.

C. HALL.

### ANN ROSSI

Ann Rossi, an American Field Scholar who was attending Otahuhu College, spent a week with us during the second term. As she was in the first-year sixth, she spent most of the periods with sixth forms, either speaking to the class or answering questions about the United States in general. She also gave a talk in assembly one morning in which she compared our education system with the American system, told us about the life of an average American teenager, and a little of the American way of life.

As she had temporarily moved into the girl prefects' study, her hostesses there were fortunate enough to hear a little more about her personal life. We found out interesting facts about American dress, teacher-pupil relationships, school discipline, and about how little Americans know of New Zealand. Everyone was fascinated by

Ann's accent and it was not long before several of the girls were trying to copy it, much to the amusement of all.

It was a sad occasion when Ann finally left but we hope that she enjoyed her short stay here and has taken pleasant memories of us back home with her.

P. WALLACE.

### MR. ROSE

Mr. Rose, General Secretary of the United Nations Association in New Zealand, came to speak to the fifth and sixth forms on Thursday, 27th September.

He spoke for about forty minutes on the functions and growth of the United Nations and the work it does, explaining also such related institutions as the International Court of Justice and the International Postal Service. Also he talked about earlier organisations, for instance, the Holy Alliance of 1815, which were designed to maintain peace. He spoke of how, before the first World War, in the process of trying to prevent an arms' race, the nations were working towards a war, rather than preventing one. Then he described how the League of Nations was set up after the first World War and how the United Nations superseded it after the second World War, the League of Nations handing over to it, all its facilities.

When the United Nations meet and discuss their problems, five main languages are used: Russian, English, Spanish, Chinese and French, interpreters being employed to translate and transmit the speeches as they are being spoken. The main aim of the United Nations is to achieve a world of peace, without famine or hunger, illiteracy or preventable diseases.

Richard Bullock thanked Mr. Rose for his very interesting and informative address.

G. ROBINSON.

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## ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

### MR. X

Mr. X is well known for his jokes such as what he saw on the back of a wedding car — AISLE ALTAR HYMN. He is also noted for his paragraphs, "Forgetfulness of homework is a habit that I must cure and in particular I must advise the master concerned at the beginning of the period without waiting to evade the issue" — is a short example of this.

This teacher has a blind spaniel which persists in scratching the wallpaper. When he was down in the South Island he had a terrier which had a fight against a truck it did not like. It went between the front wheels and came up with a "who done it?" look on its face. It was coughing blood so Mr. X rushed for the shovel, his wife to the dog, and neighbours collected. He thought his dog would be dead by morning, but as he went in the dog lifted its head and put it down quickly again as much as to say, "I'm a sick dog, I am".

The dog recovered and they brought it up to the North Island. It sat sniffing all the new smells as it came north. (Here we received an example.) It settled down and Mr. X had to take it for a walk

each morning until it met a sheep down on the beach and the last thing he saw of it was the sheep disappearing into the sea with the terrier attached to its tail.

I imagine that these early morning walks must have been replaced by the strenuous exercise of biking to school!

J.C. 5W.

### THE THINGS THAT MAKE LIFE WORTHWHILE

To live amongst people, but to have no real friends or family, can make one desperately lonely and unhappy. Indeed, it is often such people that commit suicide. Take the life of Marilyn Monroe as an example. She was adopted as a child, but she worked her way to the top of her field. She had wealth, beauty and fame, but she was not happy. She was married several times, but was not successful in any of her marriages. She shocked the world when she took her life.

But some people may not have been surprised. Her life lacked security and love. Money is not happiness, but love is. It gives one a thrill to help someone else and to know that they love you in return. Even a new-born baby can sense whether he is loved or not. It is also comforting to know that someone depends upon you — no man is an island. If a kind, happy person died, many would miss him or her.

A simple life is the happiest. Jesus said that "it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of Heaven". Rupert Brooke portrays his simple tastes in one of his poems, "The Great Lover". If a man would set less value on material things, his spirit would benefit and he would be happier.

S.B. 4P2.

### THE PREFECT SYSTEM FROM INSIDE

I remember writing a magazine article last year about the prefects: how they shoved us out in the biting wind, and gave us lines if they suspected we were even thinking of talking in assembly. Having now entered the ranks of the privileged few, I can see it all from a different view. Those people on whom you have to employ bulldozer tactics to get them outside, and those who WILL talk in assembly, but who always stop just as you have decided that the next time they open their mouths you will jolly well give them fifty lines, daily put the stability of your blood pressure to the test.

I have come to the conclusion that the secret of being a prefect is to learn to look on things from the funny side; and there usually is a funny side, even if it a bit hard to find sometimes. There was a time when my mate and I were on duty for the first time. We found cases strewn all over the corridor in B block.

She said, "Look at those cases".

I said, "It's disgraceful".

She said, "Miss S told everybody where to put them only yesterday," with which she grabbed a case in either hand and trundled off. I did likewise and put a satchel under my arm for good measure. We dumped them in the study and dashed back for another load. There was not a case in sight.

Our prefects' meetings usually provide the laugh of the fortnight.

"Miss S, I have told X half a dozen times to get her hair cut. But she won't."

Miss S sighs and confides that for her part she would like to get some scissors and chop it off. But she would have to get the mother's permission, otherwise she could be charged with assault. "Things aren't what they were in the old days, you know."

I remember Miss S at the beginning counselling us on the Prefects' Code: "Now girls, remember: Always be calm and dignified, never stoop to arguing with them, never lose your temper, and never lay your hands on them." I guess we shall be world champions in self-control by the time we have finished.

C.H. 6B.

### RETRIBUTION

An English class,  
Sought to surpass,  
Its teacher one fine day,  
But the result, lead to the halt  
Of freedom and of play.

The class disputed,  
Yelled and hooted,  
As to whether "I" or "Me".  
The peace uprooted,  
The teacher tooted,  
"Silence," thus spake she.

A boy, a joke,  
So up he spoke,  
The "I's have it", said he.  
For this sly poke,  
The witty bloke,  
A poet now must be.

So as a warning,  
To ye scholars,  
Seeing cause for wit.  
Ye'll be a mourning,  
Comes the dawning,  
The consequence of it.

R.G. 4G1.

### SEASCAPE

The waves crashed, the sea roared, and I sat down to think. The soft, white sand glittered in its pure, untouched state — no footsteps marred its smooth path — I was alone. The sun beat down with merciless heat, lulling me to the land of peace so seldom reached. Wave upon wave broke upon the shore, splattered into foamy, salty tears, and, soaked up by the pores of the land, was gone forever. Yet still I sat, my mind at one with the beauty around me. I thought of life and how it resembled the scene before me. The smooth, unlined sand is the unproven path of life which stretches

before us, which we must carefully tread, for our every move will be revealed and enlarged.

The thundering waves which crash so sadly to foam are the unwitting mistakes which we inevitably make, and the salty tears are those we shed in bitter disappointment at our shortcomings. These acts of ours cannot be recalled, but are gone forever—lost in the hubbub of our lives—to be remembered later, and regretted.

For on the horizon, I could see a graceful white yacht serenely sailing the distant bay. I thought, that is our Utopia—so far away, so hard to attain, but so desired.

Still I sat, while the flaxen grasses blown by the soft seabreezes, whispered and murmured to me, lightly and magically: "No regrets, no regrets, never look back but forward, no regrets."

C.S. 5W.

### THE CROSS-COUNTRY

The air is filled with excited shouts and exclamations of wonder, as a mass of excited chattering boys stand sprawled out along the starting point for the start of the annual cross-country event. Two or three depressed teachers have been assigned the job of controlling the muster of noisy, athletic runners. Faintly, above the excited chattering of the ambitious runners, a whistle can be heard and soon the race is under way with the resounding stampede of pounding feet.

During the early stages of the race, while coming out of the renowned Grannie Dalton's Lane, some the ambitious, well known runners can be seen bounding ahead to take a long lead over the rest while others may be seen by the wayside, placidly resting in the long grass. As the event progresses the gap between the leaders and the stragglers widens considerably.

After a mile or so the strain of the long race starts to take its toll; the excitement is lost in a mass of flying feet and the energy of many athletes begins to fail. Some get a stabbing pain under the ribs and drop by the wayside, wearily complaining of the stitch.

The last stage of the event is a period of torture. The effects of the strenuous journey can now be clearly seen on the expressions of the runners who have stood the distance. The minutes drag by like ages, and the finishing point seems never to come within sight. Their bodies cry out to them to stop, but something urges them onwards until finally the finishing point comes into view, and a welcome rest is their due reward.

W.G. 4P2.

### THE ESSENTIALS OF LIFE

In my opinion the most important aspect of a worthwhile life is a happy home. Most of us are fortunate to be secure in this and able to appreciate the fact that we have parents who love and care for us. Brothers and sisters prevent one's life from being a boredom, and help us to be sharing, helping and kindly towards one another.

The attitude of the world would be entirely different without the friendly atmosphere made by so many people. It is pleasing if we are in a different town, when complete strangers show friendliness by directing us with a friendly smile to interesting places to see.



Education is another of life's important factors. It enables us to appreciate the enjoyment of reading and to express our thoughts in writing. It helps us to live better lives, and it increases our knowledge, giving us a broader outlook on life, along with new interests.

Life would be rather exhausting if there were no recreation. Sport comes in many different codes and proves to be the most favoured of all pastimes. We New Zealanders are most fortunate to have splendid scenery within easy reach. We are able to spend many a leisure hour in driving around the country taking in the beautiful surroundings.

Some people live only for the social side of life, spending many a late night at parties, movies, or dances. These, especially going to the pictures, should be taken in moderation, as one's mental outlook is liable to decline and the thrill or excitement of having a night out now and then wears off if one has too much of it.

Summing it all up, I would like to say that the things one can enjoy in life are not the most expensive or the hardest to obtain, but the simple things one can enjoy if one looks at life in a more realistic manner, remembering that life does not last for ever and one should make the most of all the worthwhile things it has to offer.

D.E.L. 4P2.

### CASTLECLIFF

Overhead the sea-gulls screech,  
And angry waves pound on the beach,  
Casting debris, foam, and spray,  
Wood is mounting more each day,  
But comes summer's gentle sun  
And to the beach flocks everyone.  
Then wood-smoke on the air is borne,  
Using the spoils of winter's storm.

L.H. 3CH1.

### WHAT IS BEHIND IT ?

What is the story behind the caskets in the "Merchant of Venice"?

Perhaps they were all empty, and when the right suitor came, Portia put in each of the three a portrait of herself.

Did Portia's personal maid know that or didn't she? Ask yourself. Perhaps she was ignorant, or perhaps she hid her knowledge well. Perhaps Portia's father thought out the plan to be operated by Portia, who having a mind of her own, would very much want to choose her own husband. Notice how she asks Bassanio to delay his choosing. That could have been to give her more time to know him better and more time for her decision of placing the portraits. Portia did not hesitate to trick the court. Would she be content to sit back and accept any husband?

What do you think?

C.S. 3P2.

## A MEETING TO DISCUSS THE PRESERVATION OF TOURIST RESERVES IN WELLINGTON

Official cars had been arriving at the Hotel Dominion for hours on end in almost a continuous stream. Out of each stepped three or four businessmen carrying small leather briefcases and wearing the traditional black trousers immaculately cleaned and pressed. Each one walked briskly in through the large glass doors without one look down the promenade at the roaring seas pounding in a turmoil of frenzied waves onto the sand. On the richly decorated carpet the visitor paused, looked anxiously around for something, and walked quietly but briskly to the reception office where a young damsel looked over her spectacles, smiled sweetly and said:

"And sir, what can I do for you?"

To which the businessman would say, "Where is it, the conference?"

The girl would smile, adjust her spectacles, smile again and reply, "The conference about the 'Preservation of the Beaches, Reserves and Tourist Centres for the general usage and enjoyment of members of the society and for the citizens of Wellington?" She would then pause, take a breath, point a finger towards a long dark passage and say, "Second set of double doors on your left, thank you". The gentleman would express his thanks, smile, and with his briefcase tucked under his arm would walk down the passage watching the floral carpet gradually unfolding before his eyes. Arriving at the door, he would briskly open the door, let himself in and announce, "Good afternoon, gentlemen, I have arrived."

Gradually the room filled with businessmen lounging in their comfortable chairs, smoking pipes and watching their tobacco smoke rise in wreaths towards the ceiling. A fire glowed cheerfully in the fireplace, a strong contrast to the somewhat bleak conditions dimly visible through the thick muslin curtains covering the large bay windows. From a dais the noise of a small tin hammer being struck violently on a table brought silence to the room; the conference had begun.

"And I move that more care be taken over . . ." began one man, who was hastily interrupted by a more anxious speaker. The table was struck again with the little hammer.

"Speak, Mr. Jones, speak," called one man in the back row. Slowly an old white haired man rose from the depths of a chair.

"Gentlemen," he said, "It gives me much pleasure to address you this afternoon. As you are undoubtedly fully aware, the condition of our tourist reserves is far from satisfactory. But do you realise that this state of affairs has affected the entire popularity of Wellington as a holiday resort? This is a disgrace to our city and our constituency. To think that we, as citizens of the town, find it too much work to carry out small tasks and to make small donations and sacrifices for the well-being of the town. It is disgraceful! Furthermore do you realise . . ."

And so the afternoon wore on, proposals being put forward and rejected, speeches being made and applauded. Just after five o'clock the conference ended and delegates departed. As each filed past the reception desk the young girl in the office smiled, adjusted her spectacles, and smiled again.

Out in the cool air a breeze whistled past. Cars came and went with a roar of engines and the glare of headlights. As the last of the cars took their leave, the young girl at the office came out to

the door and peered over her spectacles just in time to see the red tail lights of the last car turn a corner some four hundred yards along the road.

A.H. 3P1.

### THE SONG OF THE SEA

I stood alone upon the shore,  
The world was dark and grey;  
I listened as the tide crashed in,  
And seemed to hear it say:—

Before mankind walked on the Earth  
The world belonged to me,  
I ruled the land, the stars, the sky,  
The air was fresh and free.  
But then, they came, the weak and small,  
They lived a lowly life,  
And brought as well, things I knew not,  
Like greed, and war, and strife.  
But — When man draws his final breath,  
When empires start to crack,  
When cities fall, and chaos reigns;  
I'll get my kingdom back.  
Until this day of reckoning  
I'll brood, and plan, and scheme,  
Then when at last the earth is pure,  
I'll reign again, supreme.

C.L. 3P1.

### " MENS SANA - - - "

Mr. W had a cold. Never before had such a cold threatened any mortal. It was the cold of all colds! When he walked into the classroom on thursday morning, he tried to act normally even though his head was spinning with abnormal violence. As usual he ordered the windows to be opened as wide as possible, and the louvres "just a fraction". In gushed the cold crisp air. "Ah, deah boy," gasped Mr. W, addressing the window opener, "there is nothing like fresh air". He began to tell an anecdote, on the beneficial effect of fresh air but his head was still spinning crazily, and he didn't do justice to it. Then suddenly, he began to feel cold. The colour drained from his face, and a sudden stiffness marred the effect of his gesticulations, as he reached the climax of the anecdote. How he longed to order the windows be closed; how he wished he had taken his wife's advice and put on that extra woollen vesty. It would be a foolish thing to do, to order the windows be closed, he reasoned, especially after telling that anecdote about fresh air. He would just have to freeze slowly. He clenched his teeth, to stop them chattering, and then, by some miracle, the cold feeling left him. Ah, he thought, that just shows the effect of a little will power.

He was now dictating a short note to his class. He looked around, hoping none of his pupils had guessed as to his condition. All seemed to be well so he lowered his eyes to resume dictation, but alas, he couldn't get the words in focus, and suddenly he broke

into a fiery sweat. He felt his face flush uncontrollably, and desperately he stripped off his sports coat and vesty, hanging them up on the window hook. As he made his way back to the desk, he felt something welling up inside him — it was all over in a second — the biggest and best sneeze recorded at the High School for the year 1962. The class drew back, repulsed, as tiny streptococci and staphylococci polluted the air. Mr. W was frantically searching for a handkerchief, but none of his pockets yielded one. He looked around desperately for something else that might fill the bill — his eyes alighted on a white drill sock outside the window, which apparently had been dropped by some pupil. He sighed longingly — so near, yet so far. Then he noticed the class were a bit restless. He forced a smile and said "Pardon me! It seems I've caught a cold. Perhaps it would be better for you all to-to-to-to shift back a few desks."

The class needed no second bidding. They fought for the back seats as if possessed by demons. Once seated, however, they seemed happier, and Mr. W vainly tried to resume the lesson, still feeling the need for a handkerchief. It was just as the bell rang that he felt the icy cold feeling displacing his fever. He dismissed the class abruptly, put on his coat and vesty, and with a last longing look at the drill sock made his way to the staff-room.

The next day he stayed in bed. At school on Friday, his absence was mourned by many. Thanks to the gentle nursing of his wife, his cheerful personality arrived at school in the car on Monday morning, complete with extra vesty and several handkerchiefs.

R.J.G. 6A.

## THE THUNDERSTORM

There are few sights in nature more awesome than the thunderstorm. Nor has familiarity with this phenomenon bred contempt in the heart of man. The same sight which sent the savage of ten thousand years ago grovelling before his totem pole still causes many people in this "enlightened" age to hide in a cupboard or under their bed. Even those who do not actually fear storms seldom feel anything other than a fascination, scarcely a liking, for such a picture of violence unleashed. I was beginning to be blasé about the storm until one day a large flash touched the pole transformer opposite my home. The simultaneous thunder was absolutely deafening and the incident reminded me forcibly that one does well to respect lightning.

It is easy to see how the thunderstorm played its part in the rise of many beliefs concerning gods and devils. Picture a little hut on a hill. Inside, crouched round a smoky fire is a family of nomadic shepherds; simple people, who know nature in most of her moods, but this is one they cannot understand. Through the flapping skin door they watch the flash and play of lightning across the black, tortured sky. After a particularly loud crash of thunder one of them stirs uneasily and mutters, "That sounded a bit like someone talking. You don't think that there is anything in what the old holy-man told us about the gods shouting to each other across the sky sometimes, do you?" The others say nothing but move closer to the fire. Again the lightning and above the banshee wail of the wind one of the women shrieks. "Oh, that thing in the sky. I saw it lit up by the last flash. I wonder if it was — a demon!"

Well perhaps it was just a weird cloud formation, but the little scene was intended to show how easily imagination will make respect grow into fear and fear into mortal terror.

As much as lightning and thunder helped form primitive religions it applies to religion today for science has demonstrated that wild though storms appear they strictly follow natural laws, which had to be laid down by someone and it is strange indeed that otherwise brilliant people can examine many phenomena of nature and yet deny the possibility that they were anything but spontaneously created. I heartily agree with the hymn which says:

In reason's ear they all rejoice  
And utter forth a glorious voice,  
Forever singing as they shine  
The hand that made us is divine.

This is away a little from the subject, but it is still the truth I think.

S.B. 4P1.

### GUY FAWKES' DAY

The skies were a blazing fiery mass  
That showered the heavens; all over  
The little streaks of scarlet ash  
Reached down to the cliffs of Dover.

The crackers sparkled in frenzied delight,  
The children danced with glee,  
The bonfire crackled out into the night,  
And the sparks bounced into the sea.

Furiously trying to devour the effigy  
On top of the bonfire heap  
The raging flames, wasting their energy,  
Just roar and flicker and leap.

The flames bent low and sparks died out,  
The children turned to wave,  
Then yelled in a cheerful, gleeful shout  
"Old Guy Fawkes is in his Grave!"

C.S. 4CH2.

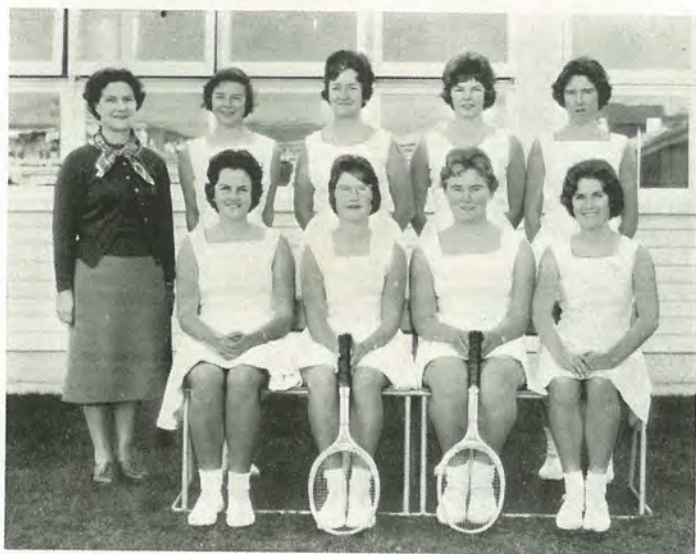
### THE THINGS THAT MAKE LIFE WORTHWHILE

One of the main things which makes life worthwhile is one which, in my opinion, many of us take far too much for granted. It is the privilege and the pleasure of being able to see the beauty of the mighty world around us. Many people, on reading such a statement, would immediately turn on the author and sarcastically remark that they have not often seen anything of extraordinary beauty. Perhaps they do not think so. There is a very simple reason for that: they have become so used to seeing the same everyday things that instead of seeing in them great beauty, they see them as commonplace, if, indeed, they see them at all.



### FIRST ROWING EIGHT

Back Row, L to R: Mr. G. Pringle, H. Brooks, J. Bullock, J. Newton,  
N. Campbell, Mr. A. Byres.  
Front Row, L to R: W. Skelsey, R. Ward, R. Bullock (stroke), E. Noble.  
Seated: A. Nimmo (cox).



### "A" GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM

Back Row, L to R: Mrs. J. Jones (coach), L. Stewart, M. Weatherall,  
J. Campbell, B. Casey.  
Front Row, L to R: P. Wallace, B. Groves, L. Almond, B. Barlow.



**1ST CRICKET XI**

Back Row, L to R: M. Robins, B. Sweeney, R. Harris, I. Tempero, E. Waitai, Mr. K. Stevenson (coach).  
Front Row, L to R: D. Duggan, D. Wheeler, R. Scott, G. Lockett (captain), N. Robinson, P. Reid,  
B. Spurdle.

Try to visualise what it would be like to be blind. However, vivid imagination one might possess, it is utterly impossible to know exactly what it would be like in a world in which one could not tell where one was, or what anything looked like, only by touch, or by what one was told by other people. If suddenly a blind person gained his sight, he would be set gasping at the beauty of many of the things we are so used to that we call them commonplace. Perhaps some people find the day dreadfully boring, but if they were to reflect on how much more boring it would be if one could not see anything they would begin to realise how fortunate they are to possess the power of sight.

The things which are most worthwhile in life cannot be bought with money. They are such things as happy homes and good, faithful and lasting friends. These are the things which should be cherished most because they are relatively scarce and they are also priceless. These then, coupled with the peace of the world, are the things which, I think, make life most worthwhile.

B.P. 4P2.

### THE LEGION

The sunlight falls on crimson crests,  
On burnished breastplates flashing fire.  
Six hundred men go marching through  
Our town on feet that never tire.  
Six hundred men in martial cloaks,  
With short, broad, swords and silv'ry shields,  
And lances tipped with metal points,  
Go marching through our new-ploughed fields.

These conquerors of untold lands,  
These Roman soldiers marching by  
In pomp and glory, seem to say,  
"This is the manly way to die.  
In orderly ranks, staunch arm to arm,  
Stout shield to shield, sharp spear to spear,  
And fighting for our fatherland,  
To build a Rome ALL men shall fear."

L.F. 4P1.

### A DESCRIPTION OF A WILD STALLION AND HIS HERD

Cantering freely across the vast plains, leading his magnificent herd, is the wild palomino stallion, his flowing silver mane glittering in the early morning sunlight and his beautiful tail trailing gracefully behind him, stirred by the fresh, nipping breeze. Every muscle in his strong, golden body ripples under the strain of leadership, as he thunders on through the tussock and clay, with large clods of soil flying from beneath his cutting hooves.

The most favoured of the stallion's young, a sturdy bay colt, trots awkwardly but swiftly near his father, trying his very hardest to keep up with the spectacular pace of the beautiful beast so as to please him, and keep up the position of favourite. Already the young colt is brimming full with want for adventure, which shows itself clearly by the quivering nostrils and occasional bursts of speed.



The fresh breeze from the west helps the herd in sensing any immediate danger and also helping them is the brilliant morning sun lighting the way to where the end of their day's journey will lead them.

L.C. 3P1.

### EXAM BLUES

Can't think, brain dumb,  
Inspiration won't come.  
No ink, pen dry —  
Want a drink? So do I.  
English paper makes me blue,  
Arithmetic and history too.  
French is hard. Geography!!!  
Ten forty-five: Teachers' tea.  
Chewing gum gets so stale  
I could almost eat a whale.  
Feet rush up the corridors,  
Wish that I were out of doors.  
When it's done, I have to wait,  
Trembling, till I learn my fate.

J.F. 4P2.

### IMPRESSIONS

Nearly over the last dune; soon the blue-green water will be visible. Sand blowing, climb faster. On top of the dune now the charcoal-grey sand stretching before, and the white tops of the breakers far out at sea. Down the side of the hill, squeeze through a place in the rows of cars parked along the seafront. An old man in front, a quick swerve to miss his small mongrel (shaggy after a dip in the sea), running gaily after him. People stretched out eating ice-cream, small children playing in the sand, the sound of blaring transistor from not far off along the grey expanse which makes up the shore. More slowly now, the cold wind sending a shiver over my body. Down to a walking pace, threading a way through small children busily building a castle or digging a dam. The water at last, very cold, a wave; jump up! I shall soon be downed by this big breaker, a quick breath, and my body gets bowled and tossed back a few yards by the whirling torrent. Wade out once more, under the next line of breakers and back again to get thrown about by another farther out . . . Going back to the shore now, a good swim, a stomach full of salt water. I trudge back up the sand, the breeze, with its tiny particles of sand, stinging my body.

"A bottle of coke please." Back up at the small shop, then sitting on a log watching others meet the same cold welcome by the sea, and drinking a bottle of coke. Warm sun, a good swim, the two ingredients of a pleasant afternoon at the beach.

G.C. 4P1.

## HOLIDAY

I was wakened by the sun streaming in through the window, onto my pillow, split up by the glass into many small spectra. Looking in also was Ruapehu: a golden iceberg riding on a silver sea of mist—pushing mist from its path and throwing it idly at the sun.

The insect hum outside was pierced by cries from magpies, tuis, bellbirds and other commoner birds. The smell of sizzling bacon wafted into the room from the kitchen, and the sound of buckets clanging came from the yard. My sister entered with a cup of steaming tea. I got up, fed the lamb, fetched the milk, and then went for a ride on the horse.

Afterwards, we went to the beach for a swim. We picnicked on the sandhills and played softball on the sands. Then, tiring of this, we went for a run up towards Kai-Iwi beach and swam back.

All this time we were aware of the cry of the gulls, the crashing of the waves, and the salt smell of the sea. The colours of the grasses, cliffs and sea blended together to paint a beautiful picture.

All these things are commonplace and ordinary, but without them much that is worthwhile would be lost from life.

D.L. 4P2.

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## ANNUAL PRIZEGIVING — 1961

### OPERA HOUSE — DECEMBER 7th

The chairman of the Board, Mr. B. Pitkethley, addressing a few words of welcome to parents and friends packing the Opera House called on the Mayor, Mr. E. A. Millward, to say a few words.

The Mayor congratulating the school on its rapid growth, and on its scholarship as shown by the many prizes to be presented, said that he regretted that this occasion would be the last on which he would be addressing parents and children of the school as Mayor but that he wished it well for the future.

The school then rose and entertained the audience with some choral items, which were received with appreciative acclamation.

Following on this, the headmaster, Mr. A. T. Gibson, presented his Annual Report including such important matters as next year's upper 6th form, the great difficulty secondary schools were experiencing in obtaining adequate and well trained staff, the desirability of some test to limit new entrants to secondary schools, in view of the shortage of teachers.

At the conclusion of the Headmaster's Report, the School Choir from the stage sang some items which again were loudly acclaimed by the audience.

The guest speaker for the evening Mr. N. L. Shelton, then rose and addressed the assembly. Taking for his topic "The Reading of Books", he stressed the value of such books as "The Bible", "The Works of Shakespeare", "The Life of Dr. A. Schweitzer", "The Life of Helen Keller". Such books he said should serve as an inspiration to all. He concluded with advice to the pupils, that when they had secured a position of their choice, they should stick to it resolutely, and work assiduously to achieve success.

Mrs. N. L. Shelton, the wife of the M.P. then graciously presented the prizes, to the fortunate prize winners. The highest award, Dux of the School, was won by Lynette Almond.

A most pleasant function ended with the singing of the National Anthem.

# WANGANUI HIGH SCHOOL PRIZE LIST FOR 1961

## DUX LITTERARUM MEDAL — LYNETTE ALMOND

### Sixth Form:

1st: Lynette Almond.  
2nd: Malcolm D. Robins.  
3rd: Jillian M. Gibson.

English Prize: Margaret C. Crotty.  
History Prize: Margaret C. Crotty.  
Geography Prize: Robin S. Allen.  
Physics Prize: Malcolm D. Robins.

### 5P:

1st: Carol Hall.  
2nd: Raewyn Gillman.  
3rd: Margaret Nunn.

Chemistry Prize: Marcia Gould.  
Merit in French: Beatrice Groves.  
General Improvement. W. Vigil.

### 5G1:

1st: Joy Anderton.  
2nd: David Wheeler.  
3rd: Russell Shannon.

### 5G2:

1st: Brian Payne.  
2nd: Alan Stack.  
3rd: Murray Murdoch.

### 5T:

1st: Murray Springer.  
2nd: Richard Lett.  
3rd: John Groves.

### 5C:

1st: Jennifer Gray.  
2nd: Laurel Currie.  
3rd: Diane Gordon.

### Merit:

Commercial Practice: Barbara Luff.  
Typing: Yvette Falconer.  
Shorthand: Margaret Edwards.

**Special Prize:** Merit: Lois Chesswas.

### 5H:

1st: Jill Anderson.

### 4P1:

1st: Gregor Ewart.  
2nd: Wendy Harrex.  
3rd: David Duggan.

### 4P2:

1st: David Leitch.  
2nd= Cheryl Robson.  
2nd= Chloe Robson.

### 4G1:

1st: Irene Gould.  
2nd: Helen Tilley.  
3rd: Jennifer Cook.

### 4G2:

1st: Lorraine Hunt.

2nd: O. Burford.

3rd: Ann Hills.

**Merit:** R. W. Gilbertson.

Sylvia Praeter.

### 4T:

1st: J. L. Bullock.

2nd: J. Chester-Freeman.

3rd: R. Hardie.

### 4C1:

1st: Carol Barnes.

2nd: Alison Cromarty.

3rd: Olga Bridges.

**Merit:** Valerie Tarry.  
Esther Cowling.

Judith Leach.

Susan Gilberd.

**Commercial Prize: Special:** Alison Cromarty.

### 4C2:

1st: Jennifer Frederickson.  
2nd: Gillian Shaw.  
3rd= Margaret Tomlin.  
3rd= Dawn Ruscoe.

### 4H:

1st: Robyn Priestly.

2nd: Audrey Mundy.

**Merit:** Heather Lucas.

**3P1:**

1st: David Andrews.  
2nd: Brian Knowles.

**3P2:**

1st: Shirley Bowen.  
2nd: Kathleen Matson.  
3rd= Yvonne Blyde.  
3rd= Richard Sales.

**3G2:**

1st: Lynette Stewart.  
2nd: David Blyth.  
3rd: Gayle Porteous.

**3C1:**

1st: Sandra Slocombe.

**3C2:**

1st: Pamela Knuth.  
**Merit:** Rosalie Sheahon.

**3H:**

1st: Mary Fong.

3rd: Susan Bindoff.

**Merit:** Bryan Wenmoth.

**3G1:**

1st Susan Hart.  
2nd: Denise Gillman.  
3rd: Karen Spooner.

**3T:**

1st: Bruce Foster.  
2nd: John Knuth.  
3rd: Murray Gilbertson.

2nd: Louise Feeney.  
3rd: Valerie Roddick.

2nd: Dorothy Cantwell.  
3rd: Alison Laird.

Diane E. Burt.

2nd: Kathleen Hammond.  
3rd: Kay Barns.

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### SCHOOL MAGAZINES RECEIVED

Ashburton High School.  
Colenso High School.  
Hawera Technical High School.  
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Marlborough College.  
Nelson College.  
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Rangitikei College.  
St. Augustine's College.  
Wanganui Collegiate School.  
Wanganui Girls' College.  
Wanganui Technical College.  
Pollokshields Secondary School (Glasgow).

# Annual Report of the Wanganui High School Home and School Association

**Introduction.**—This report covers the period ending April 12th, 1962.

**General Meetings.**—During the period under review there have been four general meetings of the Association, the average attendance being 95. At these meetings after the transaction of business, there have been addresses as follows:—

Mr. Emmett — A Trip Overseas (illustrated by slides)

Mr. Smellie — Social Studies in the School.

Mr. Lupton — Activities of the School Tramping Club  
(illustrated by slides)

Mr. Pringle — Careers (After this address parents had an opportunity to discuss mid-year reports with Staff)

Mr. Northcroft — Problems facing the Modern Maori.

Thanks are due to those who have addressed meetings, the ladies who have assisted with serving suppers, and all parents who have supported the Association by their attendance at meetings.

**Executive Meetings.** — The Executive has met on six occasions throughout the year, its main activities relating to organising the general meetings and to raising money for the swimming baths. Members have regularly supported these meetings, often at short notice and inconvenience to themselves.

**Money Raising Efforts.**—All money raised has been for the Baths Fund. This fund was established on July 23rd, 1959, and since that time approximately £5,000 has been raised. The major money raising efforts have been as follows:—

**DONATIONS BY PARENTS:** Near the end of the second term a circular was sent to all parents, seeking donations to the Baths Fund in order to have the Baths opened debt free. Many donations were received as a result and near the start of the third term members of the Executive and Board of Governors canvassed parents who had not then made a donation. Donations by parents totalled approximately £500 during the year and it is interesting to note that since the Fund was established the majority of parents have contributed.

**J.C. MARKET DAY:** This was held on October 27th, in the Memorial Hall. The Association hired a stall and sold poultry, cakes, sweets, produce etc. donated by parents. Our thanks are due to the ladies and gentlemen who worked on the stall and to those parents who donated goods for sale.

**GALA DAY:** This was held on Friday and Saturday, March 2nd and 3rd and was the big money raising effort for the year. This proved very successful although takings were lower than in previous years. The major attractions were the Marathon Dance Contest, Philpott the athlete, and axemen. Thanks are due to all who assisted, particularly:—

Convenors and members of various sub-committees

Stallholders, sideshow operators and their assistants

Those who assisted at working bees

Those who donated goods (very few families failed to assist in this direction)

Those who provided entertainment and displays, and those who took part in and organised the Marathon Dance.

The Gala Day again stood out as an example of co-operation between parents, pupils and teachers.

# WANGANUI HIGH SCHOOL ROLL

1962

\* Form Captain

† Form Representative

†Broome, G. M.

\*Bullock, R. L.

Allen, Robyn.

Brooks, H. V.

Clayton, G.

Coveny, B. J.

Dalgleish, J. N.

Dawson, C. R.

Ferry, T. D.

Anderton, Joy M.

Barlow, Bronwyn E.

Canham, Elizabeth M.

Cowan, Marion.

Cresswell, Heather.

Gillman, Raewyn J.

Groves, Beatrice S.

Austin, G. S. M.

Anderson, P. J.

Bertie, P. O.

Clear, A. M.

Collins, R. M.

Bealing, Linda M.

Brady, Edna.

Bootham, Valerie.

Campbell, Dorothy.

Campbell, Jennifer.

Clear, Wendy.

Fletcher, Gay.

Brown, G. K.

Coley, R. L.

Davis, K. A.

Fraser, J. B.

Harrison, J.

Holford, D. K.

Barr, Denise.

Borrie, Susan.

Bishop, Cheryl.

Budge, Glenys.

Cowan, Doreen.

Crowe, Lesley.

Anderson, N. A.

Anderson, T. L.

Connell, G. L.

Emmett, R.

Glenny, B. R.

Hodder, C. J. W.

## UPPER 6th BOYS:

Robins, M. D. W.

Robinson, N. R.

## UPPER 6th GIRLS:

Almond, Lynette M.

## LOWER 6th BOYS:

Goldsbury, E. J.

\*Lockett, G. C. B.

Lockett, J. B.

Melton, E. O.

Payne, B. W. F.

Pitkethley, M. R.

## LOWER 6th GIRLS:

Hall, Carol.

Hall, Lynette M. J.

Hannan, J. Judith.

Harrison, Glenys I.

Hogan, Raewyn B.

Huff, Janice A.

Hunt, Beverley A.

## 5P1 BOYS:

†Duggan, D. L.

Ewart, G. D.

Gould, J. A.

Harris, I. R.

## 5P1 GIRLS:

\*Foote, Diane.

Good, Margaret.

Harrex, Wendy.

Hasler, Dora.

McFarland, Heather.

McLeod, Janice.

## 5P2 BOYS:

Leitch, D. M.

McKnight, D.

Missen, L. L.

\*Moon, C. A.

Noble, E. M.

## 5P2 GIRLS:

Dyhrberg, Dorothy.

†Fletcher, Suzanne.

Hood, Elaine.

Kenny, Jennifer.

Kitney, Heather.

McInnes, Jean.

## 5G1 BOYS:

Lucas, B. R.

McDonald, D. A.

Melton, J. B.

Mill, P. R.

Murdoch, J. M.

Robinson, M. G.

Spurdle, B. A.

Ward, R.

Gibson, Jillian M.

Rayner, J.

Robertshawe, M. B.

Sweeney, B. Q.

Thompson, P. G.

Wansbrough, B. M.

Wheeler, D. C.

James, Janice M.

Nunn, Margaret L.

Penn, Pamela G. H.

Robinson, Glenys A.

†Wakeling, Sally A.

Wallace, Pam A.

Weatherall, Marie L.

Murray, C. J.

Newton, J. A.

Papprill, A. J.

Tasker, B. L. G.

Rule, Jennifer.

Scott, Heather.

Shand, Lorraine.

Smith, Christine.

Spurdle, Lynne.

Thomas, Maxine.

Reid, P. J.

Skelsey, W. G.

Springer, M. C.

Wotton, M. K.

Gray, G. S.

Mailman, Heather.

Meikle, Sheona.

Mellor, Brenda.

Robson, Chloe.

Scarrow, Joan.

Smith, Betty.

Scott, R. J.

†Stack, A. G.

Stack, N. S.

Tempero, I. J.

Fraser, D.

Gemmell, G.

### 5G1 GIRLS:

Aitcheson, Jillian.  
Barns, Jane,  
Bott, Tonii.  
Bowmar, Valerie.  
Casey, Barbara.  
Cathro, Jennifer.  
Coker, Arlene.

Cook, Jennifer,  
Dinnington, Anne.  
\*Gould, Irene.  
Johnson, Sandra.  
Johnston, Kathleen.  
Kitney, Mary.  
Matenga, Leona.

Morgan, Barbara.  
Nunn, Christine.  
Sanson, Maureen.  
Tilley, Helen.  
Wansbrough, Judith.  
Ward, Jennifer.  
Wiseman, Lynn.

### 5GT BOYS:

†\*Bullock, J.  
Burford, O. W.  
Campbell, N.  
Chester-Freeman, J.  
Chew, C. R.  
Dustin, B. R.  
Duxfield, R. G.

Gilbertson, R. W.  
Hardie, R. A.  
Hedges, C. D.  
Koro, T. H.  
Lambert, N. F.  
McDonald, I. G.  
McGowan, J. R.

McMeekin, M. R.  
Morris, A. T.  
Rayner, H. A.  
Scarlett, R. T. I.  
Smith, W.  
Taunton, R.  
Workman, M. J.

### 5GT GIRLS:

Blackmore, Rae.  
Gedye, Kathleen.  
Hall, Rosemary.  
Hills, Anne.  
Hunt, Lorraine.

James, Diane.  
Mailman, Carol.  
Marshall, Patricia.  
Odlum, Margaret.  
Potaka, Jennifer.

Reremoana,  
Wikitoria.  
Ruscoe, Anne.  
Kelsey, Jeannette.  
Watson, Raewynne.

### 5C1 (ALL GIRLS)

Adler, Ngaire.  
Barnsley, Carol.  
Beauchamp, Rebecca.  
Bridges, Olga.  
Brown, Ria.  
\*Chesswas, Lois.  
Cowling, Esther.  
†Cromarty, Alison.  
Duggan, Francis.

Fredrickson, Jennifer.  
Gibson, Cheryl.  
Gilberd, Susan.  
Glasgow, Shirley.  
Hale, Rimini.  
Haynes, Jillian.  
Hawkins, Cheryl.  
Hird, Bonnie.  
Leach, Judith.

Moss, Jeannette.  
Murray, Christeen.  
Sheridan, Alison.  
Stevens, Glenda.  
Tarry, Valerie.  
Wadey, Sandra.  
Willcox, Carol.  
Willcox, Diane.

### 5C2 (ALL GIRLS)

Apou, Rahira.  
Maskell, Stephanie.  
†Ruscoe, Dawn.  
Shaw, Jillian.

Shaw, Shirley.  
Stevenson, Diane.  
Stone, Janet.  
Tamou, Agnes.

Tomlin, Margaret.  
Thompson, Carole.  
Ward, Vivienne.

### 5H (ALL GIRLS):

Crysell, Janice.  
Ellwood, Judith.  
Fong, Dolly.

Hankey, Bernice.  
Lucas, Heather.  
Mundy, Audrey.

Priestly, Robyn.  
Rukuwai, Pamela.  
\*Thompson, Irene.

### 4P1 BOYS:

Anderson, G. R.  
\*Andrews, D.  
Collins, W. G.  
Foley, R. P.  
Francis, G. F. R.

Jamieson, P.  
Knowles, B. H.  
Loveday, A. S.  
Moore, I. A. M.  
Waitai, E.

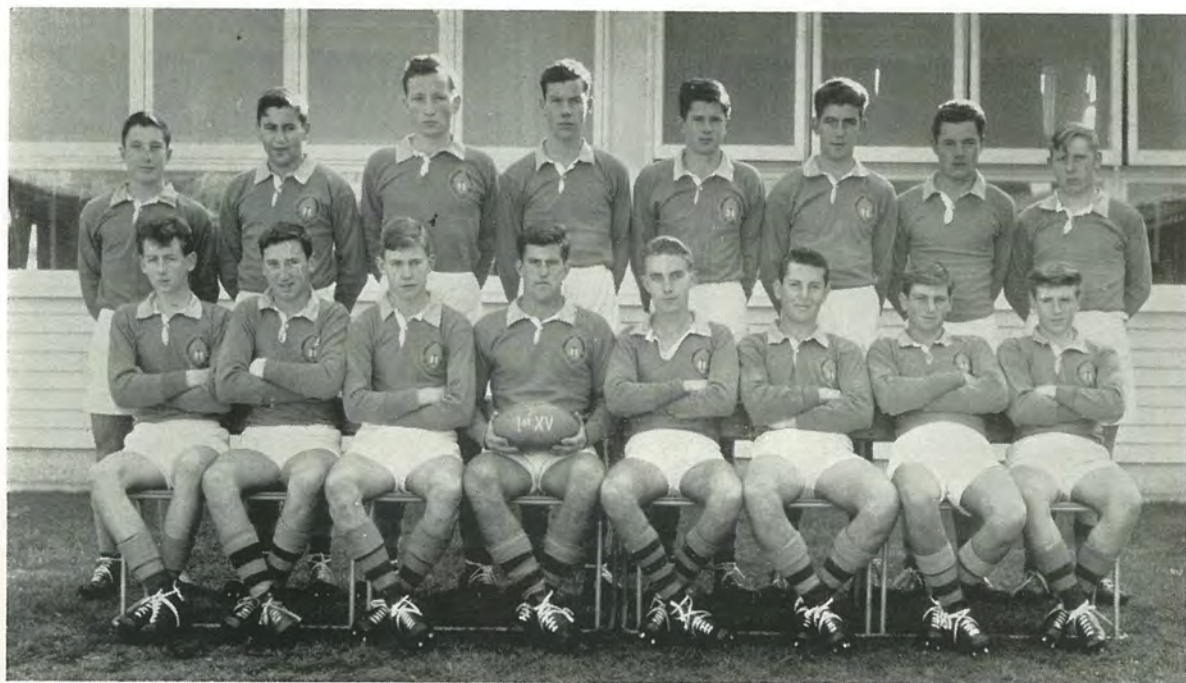
Wakely, J. R.  
Wenmoth, B. A.  
Whitlock, D. R.  
Young, D. C.

### 4P1 GIRLS:

Beadle, Judith.  
Bindoff, Susan.  
Climo, Janis.  
Faigan, Eileen.  
Flower, Lynette.  
Foote, Christine.  
†Gray, Judith M.

Gregory, Susan.  
Hancox, Noela.  
Lockett, Lesley.  
McKnight, Eileen.  
Miller, Anne.  
Miller, Linda.

Moffett, Wendy.  
Norris, Jennifer.  
Potts, Diana.  
Rule, Jillian.  
Stodart, Patricia.  
Williamson, Stella.



**1ST RUGBY XV**

**Back Row, (L to R):** D. Ansley, P. Reid, R. Ward, D. McLeod, B. Dustin, B. Spurdle, G. Spittal, R. Jones.  
**Front Row, (L to R):** J. Newton, I. Tempero, B. Sweeney, R. Bullock (captain), H. Brooks, G. Gemmel, N. Stack, G. Broome.





**FIRST SOCCER ELEVEN**

**Back Row, L to R:** D. McKnight, D. Leach, G. Ewart, C. Moon, M. Springer, R. Taunton, Mr. Lupton (coach).

**Front Row:** H. Rayner, R. Coley, D. Wheeler, N. Robinson (capt.), W. Skelsey, E. Waitai, W. Douglas.

**4P2 BOYS:**

Clark, M. J.  
Coutts, B. S.  
Gifford, J. A.  
Goldstone, W.  
Gordon, J.  
Haig, B. D.

House, C.  
Hoyle, J.  
Kellaway, P. R.  
Lupton, D.  
Noble, A.  
Pedersen, B.

\*Sales, R.  
Stinson, L. J.  
Taylor, L.  
†Till, P.  
Valentine, G.  
Wilson, D. J.

**4P2 GIRLS:**

Blyde, Yvonne.  
Boosey, Lorraine.  
Bowen, Shirley.  
Clark, Ann.  
Crawford, Diane.

Denton, Elizabeth.  
Fletcher, Jillian.  
Guy, Jenny.  
Hunt, Adrienne.  
Limpus, Dawn.

Matson, Kathleen,  
Vivian, Susan.  
Wakeling, Judy.  
Warren, Jannis.

**4G1 BOYS:**

Ansley, G.  
\*Green, R.  
Lawton, R.

Nicholas, R.  
Rhodes, J.  
Ruby, W. D.

Saunders, P.  
Wilson, G.

**4G1 GIRLS:**

Basham, Marlene.  
Blackmore, Claire.  
Brown, Jane.  
Check, Raewyn.  
†Cowan, Janet.  
Day, Sally.  
Deardon, Carol.  
Doble, Cheryl.  
Farr, Glenda.  
Ferry, Margaret.  
Flynn, Lois.

Gibbs, Suzanne.  
Gillman, Denise.  
Goldsack, Beryl.  
Hart, Susan.  
Henry, Gail.  
Johnson, Sandra.  
Lane, Jacqueline.  
McCabe, Jocelyn.  
Nunn, Alison.  
Palamountain, Carol.

Pound, Barbara.  
Ryder, Lesley.  
Sheahon, Jill.  
Sinclair, Judith.  
Spooners, Karen.  
Stevenson, Pamela.  
Tindle, Ann.  
Tuffin, Helen.  
Wallace, Kathleen.  
West, Susan.

**4G2 BOYS:**

Ansley, D.  
Benefield, N.  
Benefield, R.  
†Blythe, D.  
Corps, O.  
Forman, D.

Hemi, J.  
Hutchins, A.  
Jones, R.  
Kirkby, E.  
McLeod, K.

Minnell, A.  
Robinson, J.  
Russell, W.  
Taunton, L.  
Wiseman, D.

**4G2 GIRLS:**

Bull, Kay.  
Calkin, Ann.  
Hepburn, Barbara.  
Hogan, Ruth.  
Hood, Carol.  
Jenkins, Wendy.  
Lansdown, Glenys.

Lovell, Marilyn.  
Martin, Denise.  
Nepia, Mary.  
\*Porteous, Gayle.  
Robb, Sandra.  
Rockwell, Annette.

Stewart, Lynette.  
Sullivan, Paula.  
Tauroa, Gaye.  
Thompson, Robin.  
Valentine, Gail.  
Waitai, Erena.

**4T (ALL BOYS):**

Candish, T. A.  
Cantell, J. A.  
Casey, R. L.  
Cornes, D. W.  
Cosford, D.  
Douglas, W.  
Dunlop, J.  
†Foster, B.  
Gilbertson, M. G.  
Greenlees, I.

Healey, D. S.  
Hemi, R.  
Hodder, J. B.  
Kendall, A. L.  
Kenny, P.  
Knuth, J.  
Milham, B.  
Price, M. L.  
Richdale, R. W.  
Ross, R.

Scott, N. W.  
\*Spittal, G. B.  
Springer, P. D.  
Staines, D.  
Stewart, B. J.  
Taylor, M. R.  
Tarry, K. J.  
Warren, G. J.  
Woon, V. T.  
Filer, R.

#### 4C1 (ALL GIRLS):

Annabell, Carol.	Gubb, Alison.	Roddick, Valerie.
Brider, Patricia.	Gudsell, Pamela.	Raymond, Beverley.
Budge, Anne.	Head, Jennifer.	Scott, Brenda.
Burt, Diane.	Ingram, Margaret.	Slocombe, Sandra.
Cowan, Judith.	James, Margaret.	Staines, Barbara.
Duncan, Janet.	†La Pouple, Kathryn.	Vincent, Gloria.
Ferry, Valerie.	McDowell, Anne.	Ward, Alison.
Gilligan, Rosalie.	Mitchell, Susan.	Ward, Kerry.
*Gordon, Aileen.	Morgan, Diane.	White, Pauleen.
Greathead, Dianne.	Pritchard, Faye.	

#### 4C2 (ALL GIRLS):

Andrews, Hera.	Dew, Margaret.	Quirk, Jennifer.
Avison, Lynda.	Fairbrother, Julia.	Sheahon, Rosalie.
Cameron, Georgina.	Forsythe, Ngairé.	Steele, Valerie.
Campbell, Sandra.	*Knuth, Pamela.	Stuart, Shirley.
Cantwell, Dorothy.	Laird, Alison.	Tulloch, Annice.
†Cooke, Sharon.	McClelland, Eola.	Sullivan, Julia.
Couchman, Denise.	O'Kane, Margaret.	Weller, Suzanne.
Cromarty, Sonia.	Price, Gail.	Windelburn, Gael.
Daly, Beryl.		

#### 4H (ALL GIRLS):

*Barns, Kay.	Davis, Elizabeth.	Pokiha, Pamela.
Berridge, Lorraine.	Durston, Jane.	Porter, Maureen.
Brown, Jennifer.	Eaton, Anne.	Pye, Jennifer.
Chesswas, Colleen.	Fong, Mary.	Shearer, Cynthia.
Christie, Andrea.	Goldsbury, Carolyn.	Stewart, Lynette.
Clouston, Vivienne.	†Hammond, Kathleen.	Thompson, Glenys.
Coker, Diane.	Jeffrey, Barbara.	Watson, Elspeth.
Collins, Diane.	Jenkins, Elaine.	Wright, Carol.
Cosford, Vivienne.	O'Keeffe, Beverley.	Young, Colleen.
Davey, Margaret.	Perfect, Maureen.	

#### 3P1 BOYS:

Aston, P.	Grinstead, B.	Mills, D.
Chapman, M.	Harman, R.	Scott, I.
Clayton, P.	Hodder, A.	Taylor, A.
Dalcom, M.	Hodder, M.	Wilde, W.
Dyson, G.	Lawrence, B.	*Williams, E.
Ghent, A.	McGregor, B.	

#### 3P1 GIRLS:

Barnes, Kathleen.	Garner, Ruth.	Newton, Susan.
Brassell, Diane.	Hall, Linda.	Patterson, Judith.
Cavell, Lynsey.	Hankey, Alwyn.	Ruston, Mary.
Crabtree, Jane.	Hawkins, Sharyn.	Richards, Marilyn.
Crawford, Lynne.	Hill, Christine.	Simpson, Suzanne.
Evans, Gaylene.	Jones, Kaye.	Walker, Jeannette.
†Groshinsky, Margot.	Lindgreen, Christine.	

#### 3P2 BOYS:

Canning, P.	†Hart, S.	Philips, B.
Frederikse, F.	Jones, G.	Price, R.
Geddis, W.	McDowall, T.	Waitai, I.
Harrex, I.	Matthews, G.	

### 3P2 GIRLS:

Brockway, Diane.	Hardie, Susan.	Rohloff, Diane.
Brown, Laurelle.	Jack, Lucilla.	Scott, Carolyn.
Darbyshire, Fiona.	Mayson, Jennifer.	Spencer, Catherine.
*Denton, Susan.	Power, Jeannette.	Stone, Margaret.
Dillon, Lee.	Robertshawe, Sue.	Syme, Maeva.
Gates, Jackie.	Rockell, Janice.	Sutherland, Bridget.
Goldsbury, Diane.		

### 3G1 BOYS:

Bonniface, D. J.	Gaskin, N. A. L.	†Mullins, B. W.
Dewson, M. R.	Lethbridge, B.	O'Neil, A. J.
Evans, A.	Lowe, B. J.	Thompson, C. H.
Ewart, R.	McLeod, R.	Thompson, G. S.

### 3G1 GIRLS:

Brider, Jeanette.	Flyger, Diane.	Symons, Lynette.
Broome, Shirley.	Hird, Shirley.	Reweti, Dixie.
Budge, Lynley.	Hood, Zena.	*Richdale, Leslie.
Calman, Maureen.	Howard, Margaret.	Trass, Susan.
Christiansen, Pamela.	Hughes, Judith.	Westrupp, Darlene.
Doig, Catherine.	Kirk, Francis.	West, Janice.
†Dowdal, Janet.	O'Brien, Susan.	

### 3G2 BOYS:

Absolom, W.	†Humphreys, N.	Robins, G.
Barr, G.	MacDonald, C.	Stephenson, R.
Basham, B.	Murdoch, A.	Watson, R.
Farrell, D.	Murray, D.	Ward, A.
Fredrickson, E.		

### 3G2 GIRLS:

Armitage, Linda.	Harrison, Carol.	Ulstad, Gloria.
Butler, Sharyn.	Holloway, Janet.	Van Leeuwen, Neil.
Crutchley, Sheryl.	*Hutchins, Cynthia.	Wadsworth, Judith.
Delbw, Heather.	Johnson, Diane.	Williamson, Susan.
Hair, Marita.	Lightband, Kay.	Woodhouse, Sandra.
Harper, Thomasina.	Toop, Judith.	Durston, Marie.
Harris, Judy.		

### 3G3 BOYS:

Barker, R. J.	Davidson, N.	Mooney, E. C.
Bristol, A. G.	Frith, B. V.	Papprill, D. F.
Cooper, P. W.	Kula, A.	Syme, F. A.
Couper, J. A.	McAvoy, G. C. H.	Warahi, W. W.

### 3G3 GIRLS:

Barns, Kitty.	Kani, Judy.	†Saunders, Beryl.
Black, Patricia.	Meremere, Victoria.	Seaburgh, Marian.
Edwards, Ira.	Moore, Beverley.	Teua, Sandra.
Head, Elizabeth.	Ngataierua, Lavinia.	Thomas, Natalie.
Hunt, Diane.	*Potaka, Noleen M.	Toa, Marlene.
Johnstone, Anne.	Ryland, Sheryl.	Torbett, Sandra.

### 3T (ALL BOYS):

Blackmore, G.	Graham, A.	McClintock, J.
Bleackley, E.	†Groves, K.	Mayes, L.
Buchanan, N.	Hartley, R.	Myhill, A.
Chadfield, D.	Hawkins, K.	Nimmo, A.
Chapman, V.	Jackson, N.	Rosoman, W.
Collins, W.	Keenan, B.	Saunders, K.
*Cornor, B.	Kendall, M.	Scarlett, A.
Cox, R.	Lambert, G.	Simonson, W.
Evans, R.	Langé, J.	Stampa, R.
Fowler, D.	Lett, W.	Terrey, R.
Gordon, W.	Lewer, B.	Veale, G.
Gould, K.	Lewis, K.	Walpole, E.

### 3C1 (ALL GIRLS):

Adamson, Judy.	Head, Yvonne.	Robinson, Barbara.
Anderson, Cynthia.	Kench, Marion.	Rowe, Christine.
Anderson, Patricia.	Knofflock, Joan.	Russell, Catherine.
Annabell, Pauline.	Lucas, Barbara.	Shearer, Judith.
Beauchamp, Anne.	McDougall, Shirley.	Scott, Kathleen.
Benbrook, Joy.	Mackie, Sandra.	Sullivan, Judith.
†Cosford, Kira.	Middleton, Colleen.	Swallow, Maureen.
Cornes, Linda.	Norman, Beverley.	Taylor, Corinne.
Cudby, Lorraine.	O'Leary, Jewell.	Train, Ann.
Hammond, Sherry.	Peapell, Sandra.	Wills-Johnston, Diane
Hawkins, Leecia.	*Pepper, Linda.	Wilson, Janice.
Hay, Lynette.		

### 3C2 (ALL GIRLS):

Aiken, Phillipa.	Hall, Valerie.	Praeter, Gail.
Brooks, Ann.	Hooker, Leslie.	Pritchard, Leonie.
Bryant, Christine.	James, Jillian.	Price, Carolyn.
*Chesswas, Marilyn.	Kawana, Erina.	Purvis, Donna.
Carrig, Rosalie.	Kemp, Janice.	Purvis, Marie.
Colechin, Christine.	Kendall, Linda.	Quirk, Francis.
Douglas, Jeannie.	Knapp, Diane.	Tamou, Linda.
Edwards, Anne.	Lindsay, Margaret.	Tangaroa, Leonie.
Ford, Patricia.	Miller, Gael.	Thornton, Pam.
Gilberd, Claire.	Milne, Jennifer.	Russell, Lydia.
Gilberd, Diane.	O'Keefe, Kerrie.	†Waitai, Linda.
Graham, Jacqueline.	Palmer, Lorraine.	Watson, Jillian.

### 3H (ALL GIRLS):

Adams, Rosalind.	Karatau, Annette.	Minnell, Kerrie.
Cameron, Avon.	Kendrick-Hunt,	Puketapu, Mirie.
Clarke, Iris.	Winifred.	*Robertson, Judith.
Cooper, Shirley.	Kitney, Rae.	Sklenars, Sally.
Craig, Lynette.	Knowles, Freda.	†Springfield, Marilyn.
Gedye, Elaine.	Lett, Lynley.	Thomas, Judith.
Hedges, Olive.	Mailman, Anne.	Warbrick, Lorraine.
Hughes, Susan.		

