

The School Year 1962

- February 6—First term, begins. Roll 712. Barracks Week.
February 12—Barracks Week ends, Rector takes salute at march past.
February 20—Opera group presents curtains for stage.
February 21—Prefects for 1962 announced.
March 7—Annual athletic sports. Six records broken, one equalled.
March 13—Welcome to Mr and Mrs Craig by Parents Association.
March 13-14—First Cricket Eleven play Southland Boys' High School.
March 17—School wins Begg Cup for most points in secondary school section of Otago meeting.
March 22—Oars presented to School Rowing Club by Mr Thorn and Mr Strachan on behalf of Otago Rowing Association.
March 30—Mrs Garrett, Rector's secretary leaves.
March 31—Inter-secondary schools' Athletic Championships at Caledonian Ground
April 2—Mrs Sawers appointed secretary to Rector, vice Mrs Garrett.
April 4-7—Combined Kings-Queen's group present the "Importance of Being Earnest" in King's Hall.
April 7—Inter-secondary Schools' Rowing Regatta. King's take third place in aggregate points.
April 13—Winter sports begin.
April 19—Term tests. Anzac Day service.
April 20-24—Easter break. School firing-party at Anzac Day ceremony at Green Island. School band plays at commemorative service at Anderson's Bay lawn Cemetery. Party of senior pupils attend main Anzac Day ceremony at Town Hall.
April 26-27—First term tests.
April 30—Arrival of student from Tanganyika Shangwe Mdundo.
May 1—Annual swimming sports, three records broken.
May 2—Visit of Mr Heasley, bank education officer, to address selected fifth and sixth forms.
May 3—Annual Cadet Competitions.
May 4—First term ends.
May 22—Commencement of second term. Mr Caigou replaces Mr Bussell on staff.
May 29—Sabin oral vaccine administered to School.
May 30, 31—Life-saving awards mid certificates presented at Assembly.
June 4—Queen's Birthday. Rugby, soccer and hockey matches played against Old Boys' sides.
June 13—Annual fixtures with Otago Boys' High School in rugby, soccer and hockey.
June 18—Messrs Lewis and McDougall replace Mr Caigou on staff.
June 20—Two junior rugby teams visit Palmerston D.H.S.
June 22—Chamber of Commerce certificates for 1961 presented in Assembly
June 26—Assembly addressed by Mr J. C. Leggatt, manager of New Zealand cricket team in South Africa (1961) and chairman, selection committee, New Zealand Cricket Council.
July 3—Southern Comedy Players' Drama Trio presents "The Living Theatre" in School Hall.
July 4—New School Crest presented for Assembly Hall by Mr McCready. Annual rugby, hockey and junior soccer games with Waitaki Boys' High School.
July 9-12—Annual visit of Post-primary Inspectors
July 10—Senior School visits performance by National Orchestra.
July 17—Second Fifteen plays Core High School First Fifteen.
July 25—Annual games in rugby and soccer with Southland Boys' High School.
July 27—Collection for St John Ambulance Association. Lunch-hour table tennis in gymnasium instituted.
July 31—Fourth, fifth and sixth formers attend public farewell to Governor-General in Town Hall.
August 2—Combined King's and Queen's orchestra presents programme at Assembly.
August 6-7—Initial visit by First Fifteen, First Eleven (soccer) and First Eleven (hockey) to Shirley Boys' High School, Christchurch.
August 10-14—Performance of "The Gondoliers" by combined King's-Queen's group in Assembly Hall, Queen's.
August 14—American Field Service Scholars speak at Assembly.
August 15—Staff v School soccer matches.
August 16—Annual rugby games with South Otago High School (Second and Fifth Fifteens visit Balclutha; Sixth Fifteen at King's)
August 17—Second term ends.
August 20-24—Inter-secondary Schools' hockey tournament held in Dunedin. Seminar in orchestral and instrumental music held at King's.
September 10—Commencement of third term, Mr N. P. Sinclair joins staff.
September 20—School party attended performance of "The Merchant of Venice" at Columba College.
September 22—Gala Day at School.
September 24—School party attended demonstration by N.Z. Ballet Trust.
September 28—Mr C. L. Beatson left the staff to enter business Fifth and sixth forms attended performance by N.Z. Players' Drama Quartet at Queen's.
September 29—School dance.
October 2—Cross-country races at Hancock Park.
October 4—School party attended film of "Macbeth."
October 6—Inter-secondary Schools' Cross-country at Hancock Park.
October 14—Fourth form social at Queen's.
October 17—Start of senior school examinations.
November 6—Chamber of Commerce examinations.
November 19—Commencement (of School Certificate examinations and third and Fourth form examinations.
November 26—University Entrance examinations.
December 4 and 5—First Cricket Eleven played Waitaki Boys' High at Oamaru.
December 6 and 7—Second Cricket Eleven played South Otago High School at Balclutha.
December 11 and 12—First Cricket Eleven played O.B.H.S. at Littlebourne. Second Cricket Eleven played O.B.H.S. II at School.
December 13—Prize-giving ceremony at His Majesty's Theatre.
December 14—End of School year.

Cadets



March Past



Competitions Day



The School Cadet Battalion



The Brass looks on



Sea Cadets lead by R. McKay



March Past



Rifle Drill



Pipe Band

Athletic Sports

The weather on Sports Day, March 7, was the best we have had for a number of years. The sun shone throughout the day and for once there was no cold wind blowing across the ground.

The Senior Cup was won by R. Tregonning with 18 points. After equaling the 100 Yards record in his heat, he went on to take first place in the 100 Yards, 220 Yards and Long Jump, and second place in the 440 Yards. He was, however, pushed all the way by R. Hislop who ran a very good 880 Yards and broke the 440 Yards record in the excellent time of 52.8sec. J. Robilliard and R. Bryant, competing mainly in the hurdles and jumping events, tied for third place with nine points each.

In the Intermediate section, J. Irvine won the 100 Yards, 220 Yards and 440 Yards, and came third in the Shot Put. This gave him 16 points and the cup. Three points away was W. Gamble, who ran well in the distance events and broke the One Mile record, J. Muir, with 11 points, was third

The Shot Put record was easily broken by W. Gough with a putt of 40ft 8in. Competing by invitation in the senior event later in the day, he just missed a second record. In the E Grade One Mile, J. Isaac ran an excellent race to break the record and return the best mile time of the day, seniors included.

The Junior Cup was closely contested and was finally won by G. Asher with 11 points. 1 Stevenson, by winning the 100 Yards, and 220 Yards, took second place with 10 points. With six points each, W. McKay and I. Reddington tied for third place.

A new event on this year's programme, the House March Past, provided a fitting conclusion to a most successful sports day. Led by Tudor House, the School marched down the 100 yards track and formed up facing the spectators. The winners and runners-up in each section were then presented to Mr. R. Smith, an old boy of the School.



Putting the Shot



Gough



D.E.C. McKechnie



D.N. Andrew



Sandstorm Lampen



A long walk ahead



Roger Lampen in full flight



Russell Tregonning ..UP....UP....and AWAY!!



Presentations



Richie



Edgler



Bryant



Hislop wins again



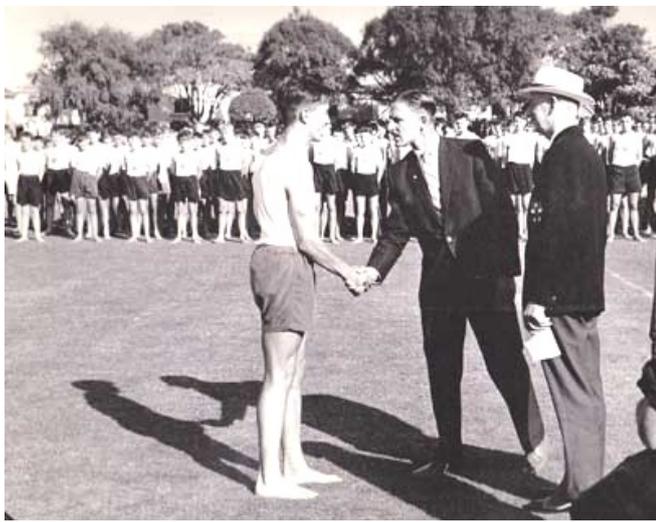
Off to a good start



Tregonning wins again



March Past and Parade



Russell Tregonning receiving Sports Day Honours



Study in concentration



Masters Galore



Don't Bustle me boys



Measure up



Concentration



Will I be accurate



Come on boyss!



Mr. Ockwell—keeper of results



“Well dunn, BrryanT!”

Mr Wrighton’s Puncture

The discovery of a candid photographer



Oblivious of the photographer Mr. Tie put his boot into it.



Arnold Anderson



We wish them well



Aha! The photographer is noticed



“This hot weather gets a man down”



James MacIntosh
McCready



“Go away and leave us in peace.

Teacher Capers



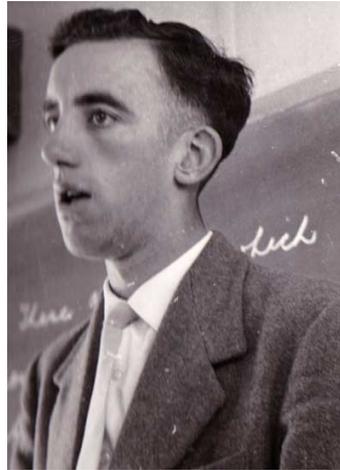
You drivelling jellyfish—Aller takes etre! - Take this (biff, bang, thump! OUCH “Watch out Sir, you will break my rul....” Crack!!



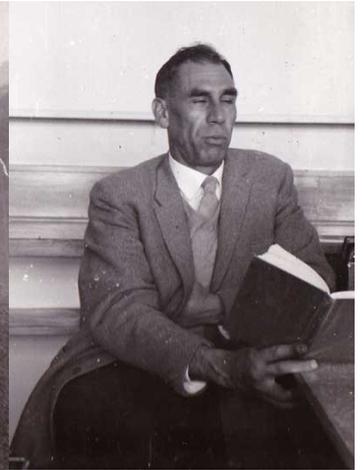
Yes 4C is a joke— really!



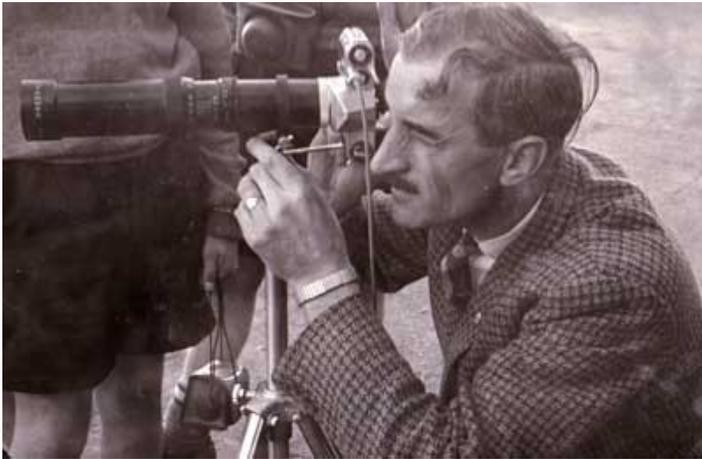
Don't you fellas want to



I don't believe it



Ug—who cracked that pun



The Fiery Demon and his 'Long Tom'



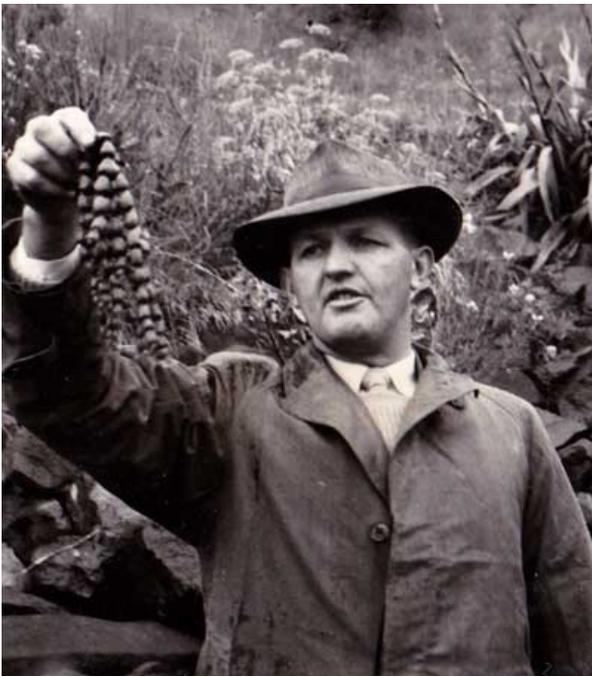
Now smile like this



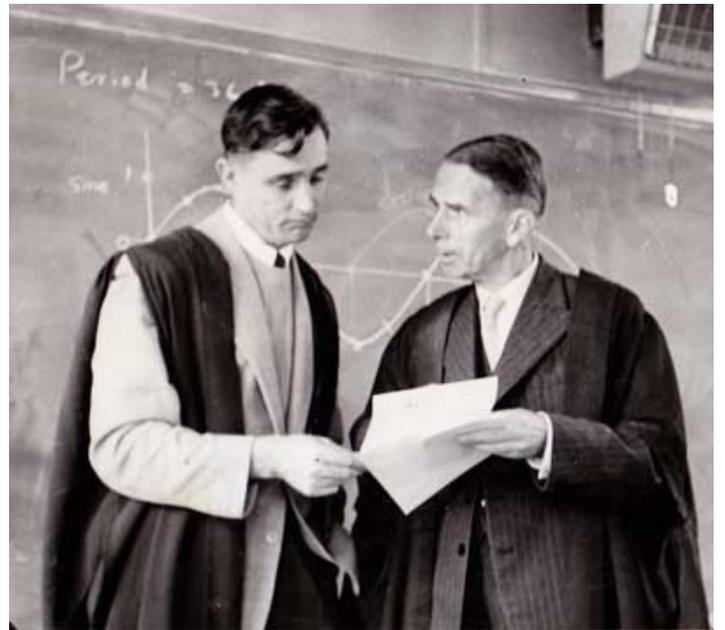
Don't worry Mr. Haase, the 1st Eleven is going to win.



Come in—I've been thinking about you



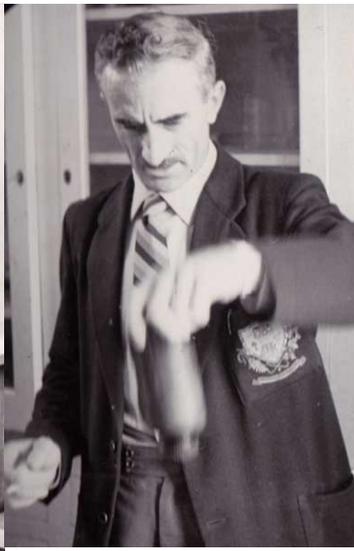
No! You fellows are not right, this is *Hormisira banksii*



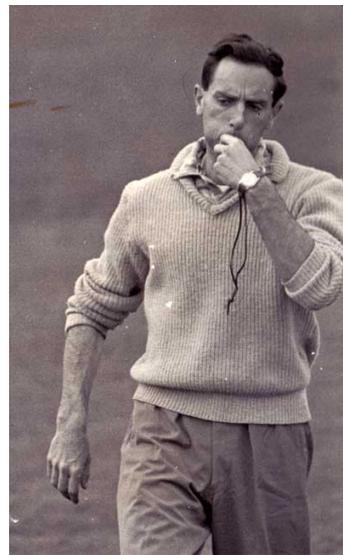
No Mr. Hayes, I think we will expel him and be done with it



Friends! Romans! And Country men!



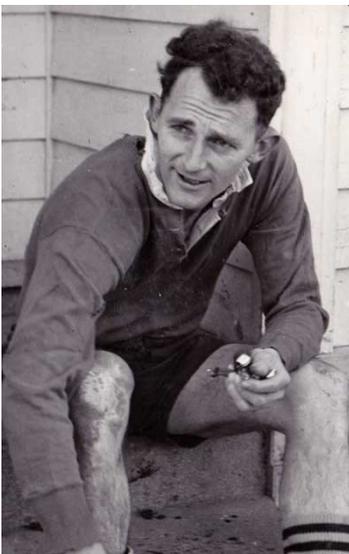
Blood, guts, and damnation!
Who's been fiddling with my
99.9% pure Borax?



A whistle blower



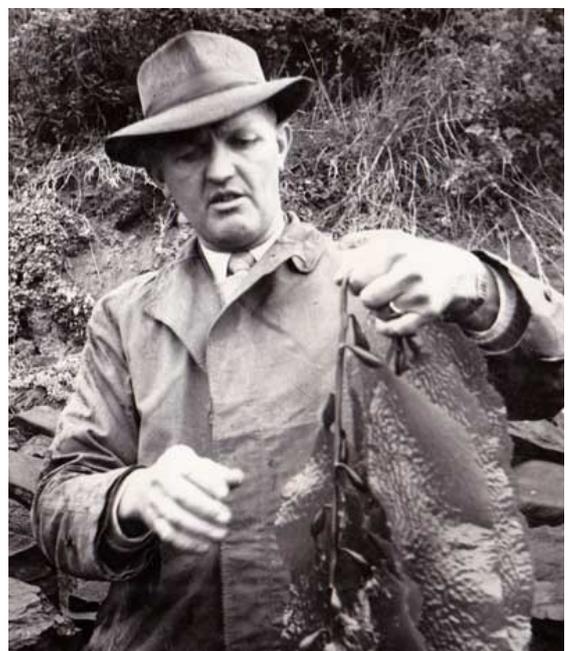
Pentax with operator



Nonsense—we didn't play to win



This could explode—get behind the back, boys



Now, this is *Durvillia antarctica*

Around and about



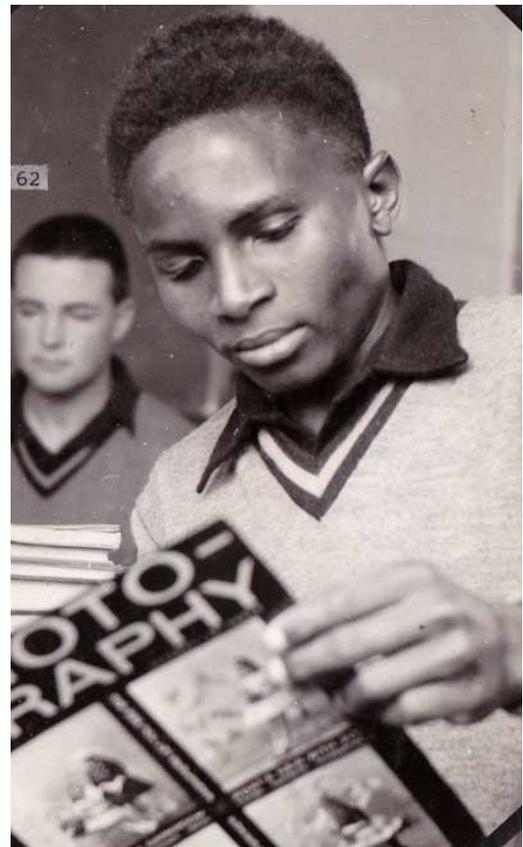
The long, the short and the small



The caring attitude of senior pupils

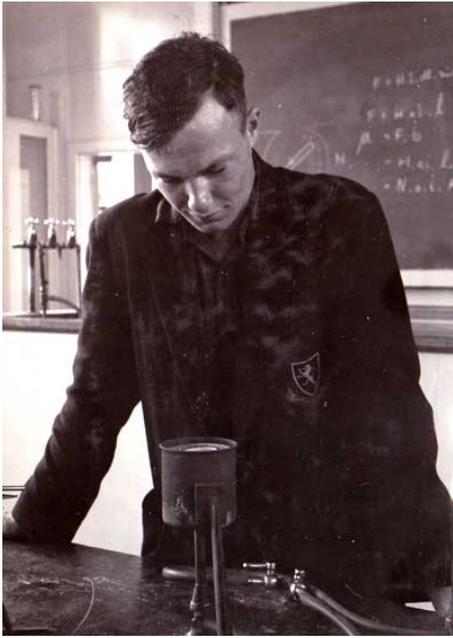


Cleaning up the darkroom



An enthusiastic Camera Club member (Shangwe Mdundo)

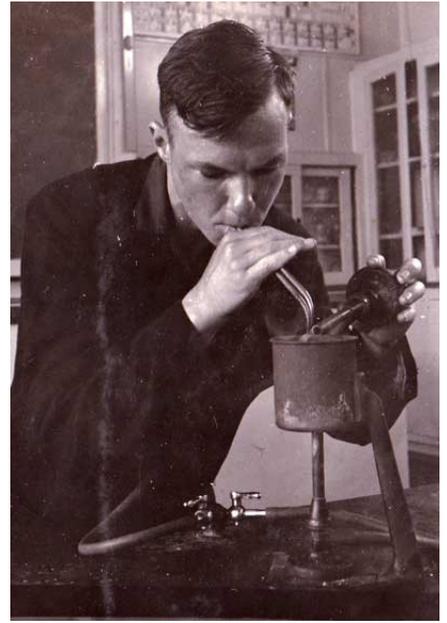
The Amies Process (Silver Extraction)



“Hmm, not quite hot enough!”



Maybe a blowpipe”



“Another”



“Perhaps if I use four!”



“At last! Bad luck about the crucible though”



“Bad luck Jon! It’s LEAD!”

Boys around the School



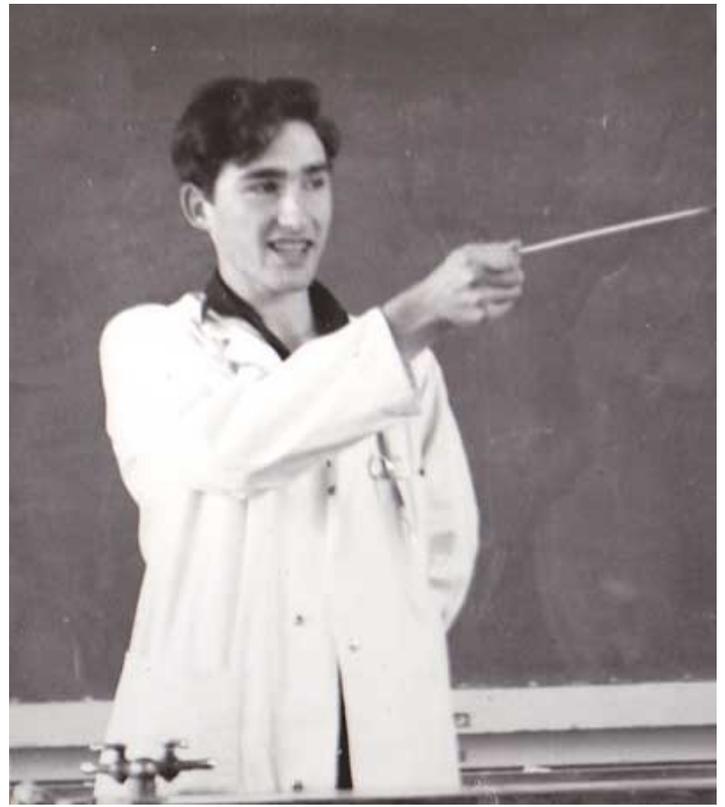
Note Claridge’s seductive look



Some of the 6B louts



Sizemore at it AGAIN! A pity Mr. Emslie didn't see him



Our President haranguing the Camera Club again



The Bell-ringing device



The Alchemists League at work



Are you sure it won't explode Ned?



The only time 6A worked this year!
(Renovating the Rifle Range)

CAMERA CLUB

This year the Camera Club consisted of about 40 enthusiastic members. During the year lectures on various aspects of photographic technique were given by Mr Graham, Mr Lockhart and K. McGrath, and those proved particularly useful to both senior and junior members. The annual outing this year was to Tunnel Beach and Blackhead. It was a particularly successful day and the weather was perfect. The major end of year activity consisted of work on the Camera Club Record and in this respect K. McGrath, R Mitchell and J. Cashman are to be thanked.



Mid-day sustenance at Tunnel Beach



Winning photo from the Tunnel Beach area—D.N. Andrew



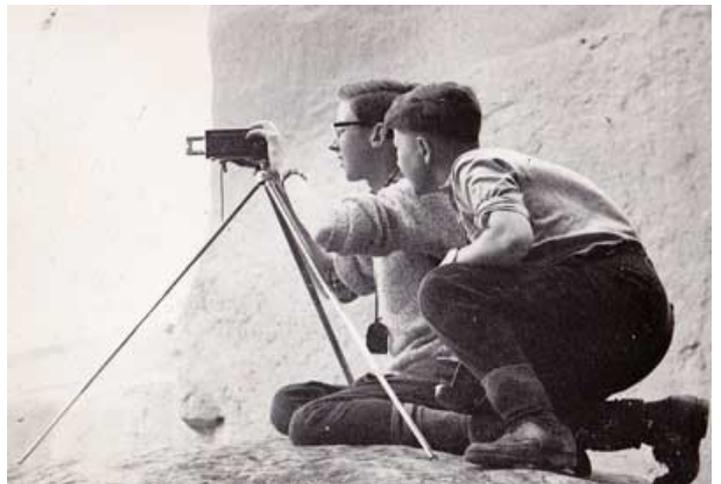
What's the tin can for Mr. Graham?



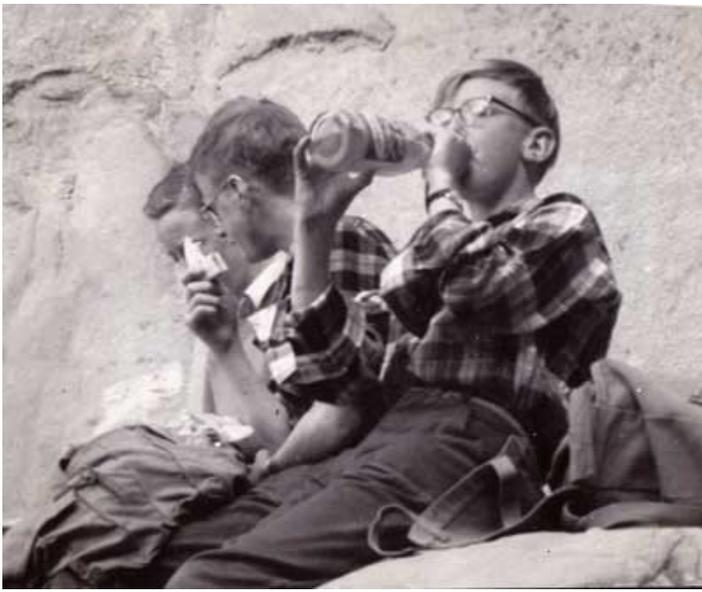
Candid photography— Ad absurdum! All the fellows on the



Winning photo from the Tunnel Beach area—R.W. Mitchell



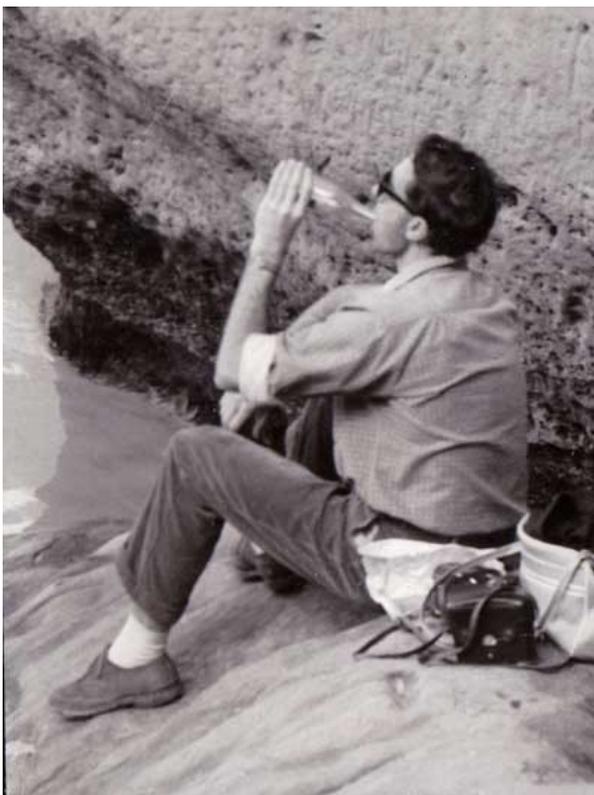
One of the Plate photographers at work



Lunchtime drinks at Tunnel Beach



The shutters never stopped clicking.



Mr. Graham quenches his thirst

OPENING OF THE GYMNASIUM

A good crowd of parents and friends attended the opening on the afternoon of April 26. Following opening remarks by the Chairman of the Combined Committee, Mr F L. Berry, and by Mr J. Davidson, of the Otago High Schools' Board, a hymn was sung. Mr W. A. Fraser, M P. for St Kilda, gave an address, after which the Rev. A. F. Duffy dedicated the building. The official party, prefects and Form Captains then moved from the front of the Hall to the Gymnasium Where Mr Fraser officially opened the building. The President of the Old Boys' Association, Mr T. F. C. Geary, then unveiled the Memorial Wall, which - was dedicated by the Rev. Duffy. Wreaths were laid by Old Boys, staff, Parents' Association, and the School, after which the Gymnasium was open for inspection by



Hon. William Fraser M.P. Officially opens the Gym



The official party viewing the new gymnasium

SWIMMING SPORTS

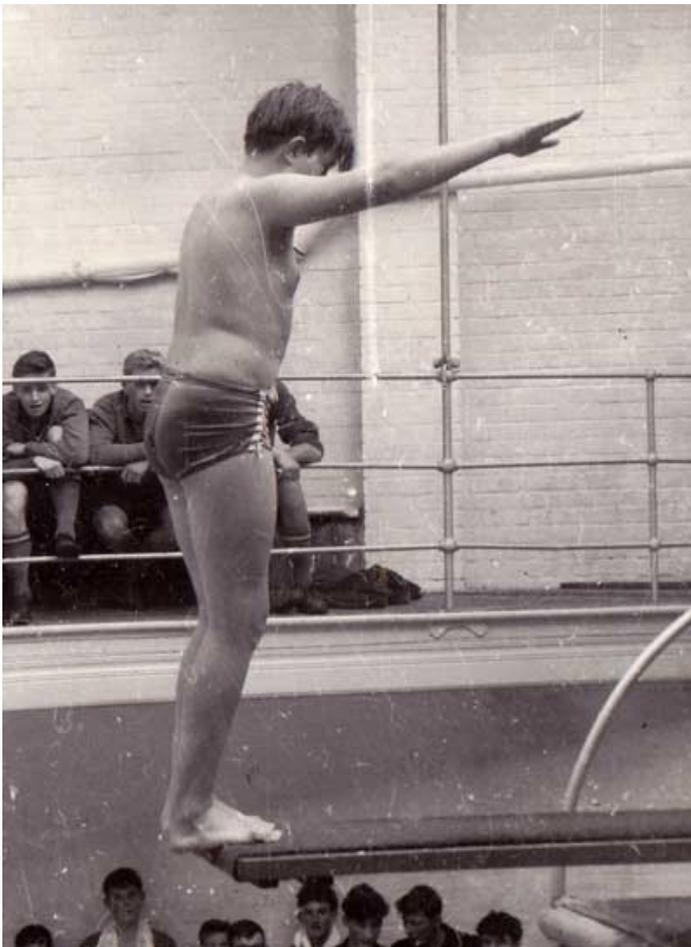
The twenty-seventh annual swimming sports were held on Tuesday, May 1962, at the Municipal Baths. Entries were slightly in excess of previous three years, approximately 125 boys competing in an average of two events. The senior school were given the privilege of attending as spectators this year.

No new records were created in the competition for the Senior Cup, but I. M. Brown emerged clearly as School Champion with 18 points. I. M. Turfus was second with 12 points and D. Kilpatrick was third with 10 points.

Competition for the Junior Cup was keen, and with ten contenders, swimming was arduous, leading to the setting of three new records. First to go was the 1960 record of D. Kilpatrick of 35.0sec in the 50 Yards Backstroke which was lowered to 34.4sec. by G. C. Sydney. Next went the 34.1sec for the 50 Yards Butterfly set in 1960 by I. M. Turfus when P. R. Smith reduced the time to 33.6sec. G.R. French captured the third record in the 50 Yards Breaststroke when he took 2.2sec off the 1960 record of I. M. Turfus.

The Junior Championship Cup was won by P. R. Smith (19 points) with C. R. French second (15 points) and A. R. McKerrow third (5 points).

The Open Diving Championship was again won by M. C. Bell, thus creating the outstanding record of five consecutive wins. Murray Bell scored 19 points and the next three competitors each scored 11 points. An extra dive resulted in the placings—second, S. B. Robertson, third, R. L. Garland, and fourth, G. S. Dyer.



An inward dive



The Officials and gallery at the Swimming Sports

School Gala Day



The tug-of-war team

The Daimler SP250 on display

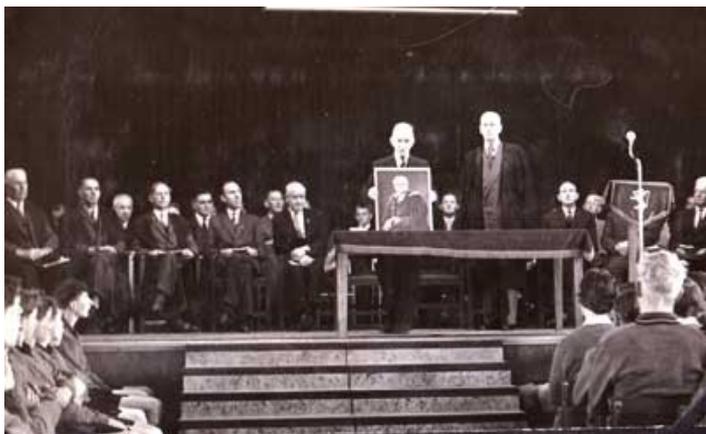


The Band gives a recital



The throwing games attracted a lot of luck-seekers

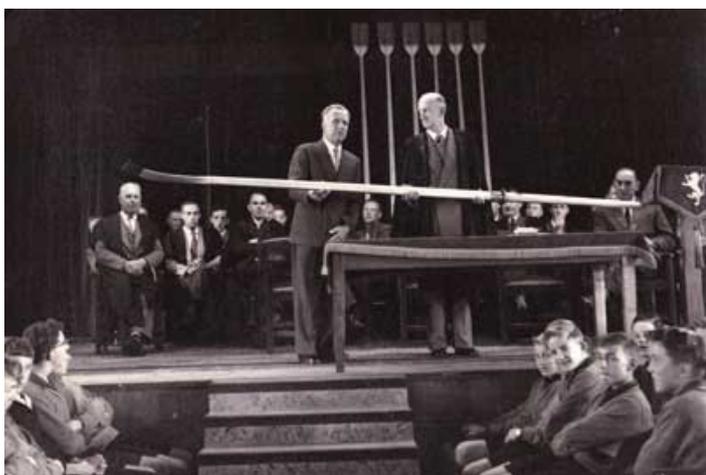
Presentations



The Chairman of the Board of Governors, Professor William Morrell, presents a framed picture of the second and previous Rector, Mr. William Lang M.A.



The combine King's and Queen's High School Madrigal Group entertains the School Board of Governors and the School.



The presentation of a set of oars by Mr. Thorn and Mr. Strachan on behalf of the Otago Rowing Association

ANZAC DAY SERVICE, 1962

The Anzac Day Commemoration Service was held on the afternoon of Thursday, April 19. Following hymns and readings there was an address by Associate Professor J. B. Mackie of the Faculty of Technology at Otago University. The Last Post and Reveille were played by B. A. McBride, and after another hymn and the National Anthem, visitors, staff and the prefects moved to the entrance foyer where the President of the Old Boys Association, Mr T. F. C. Geary, laid a wreath beneath the Memorial Tablet



Professor Mackie delivers his address