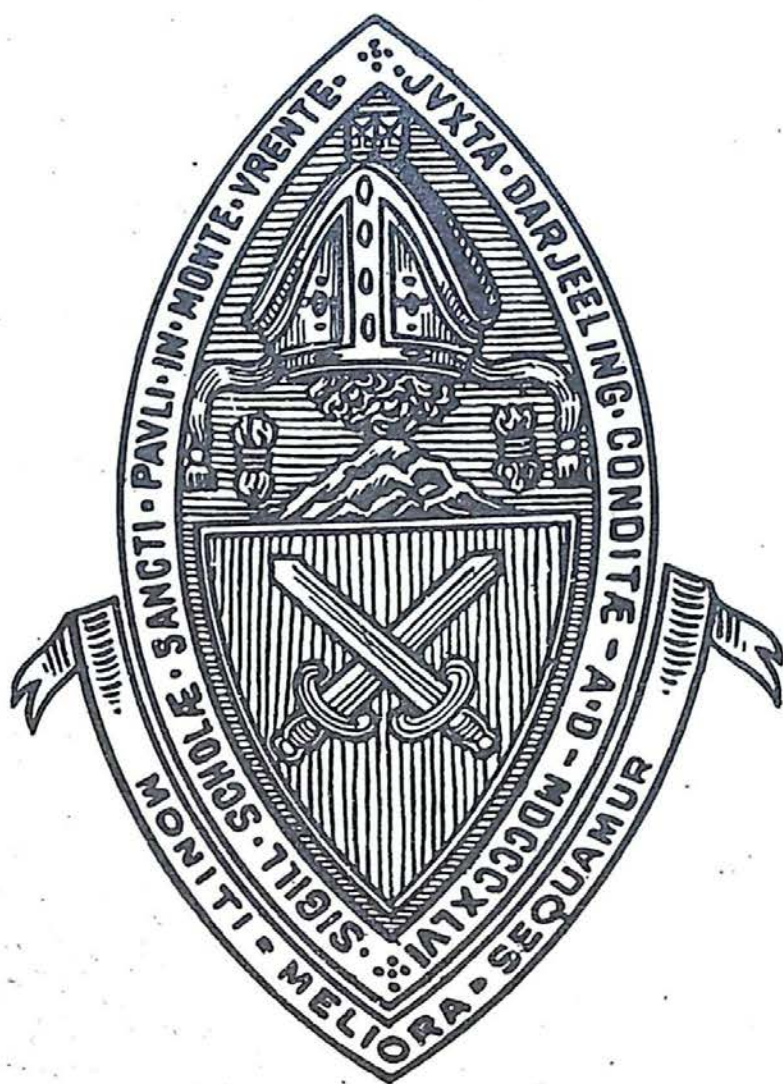


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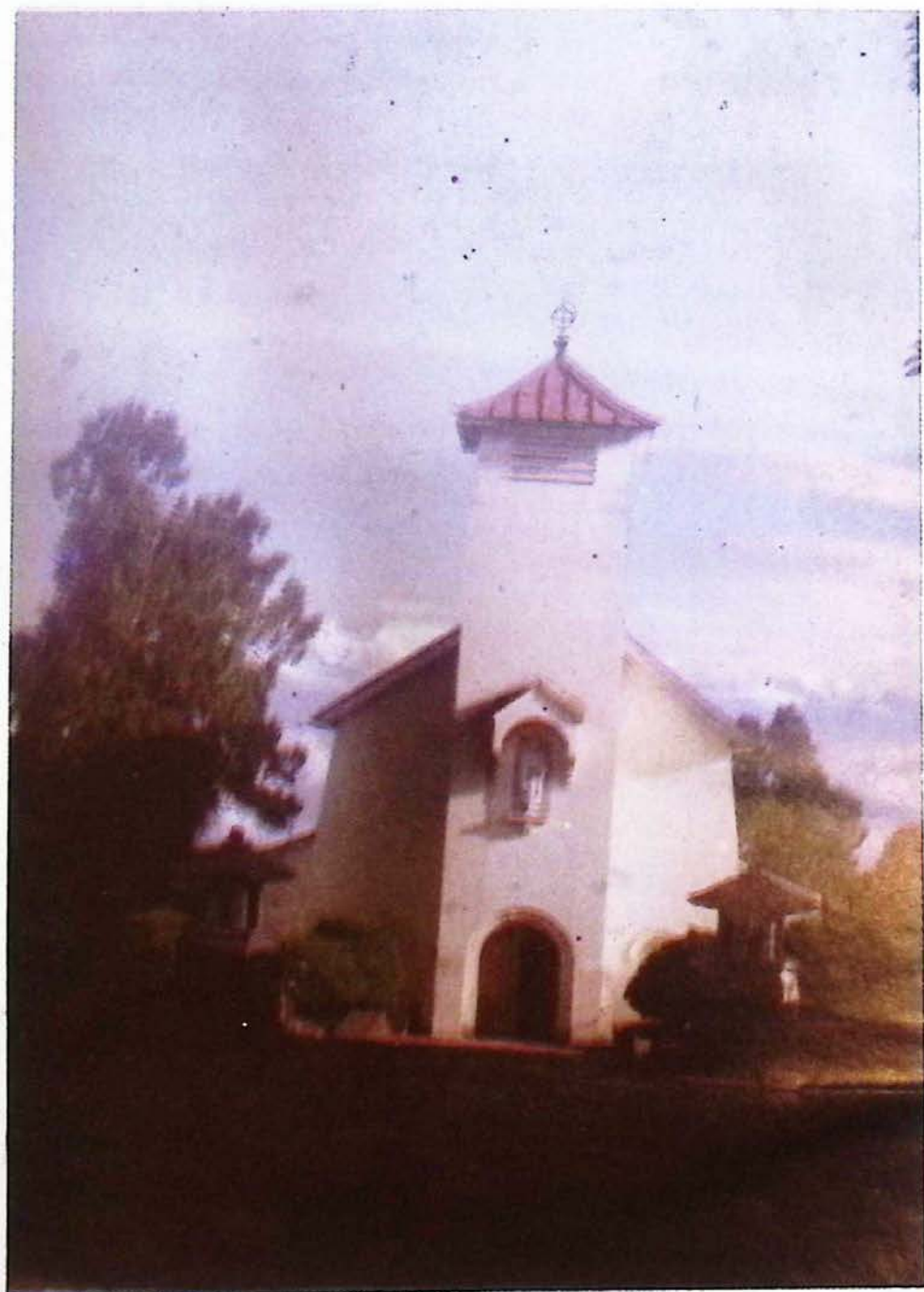
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Editorial

"Positive thinking is looking at events with the knowledge that there will be both good and bad in life, but that it is better to emphasize the good. And as you do that, good seems to increase".

- Norman Vincent Peak

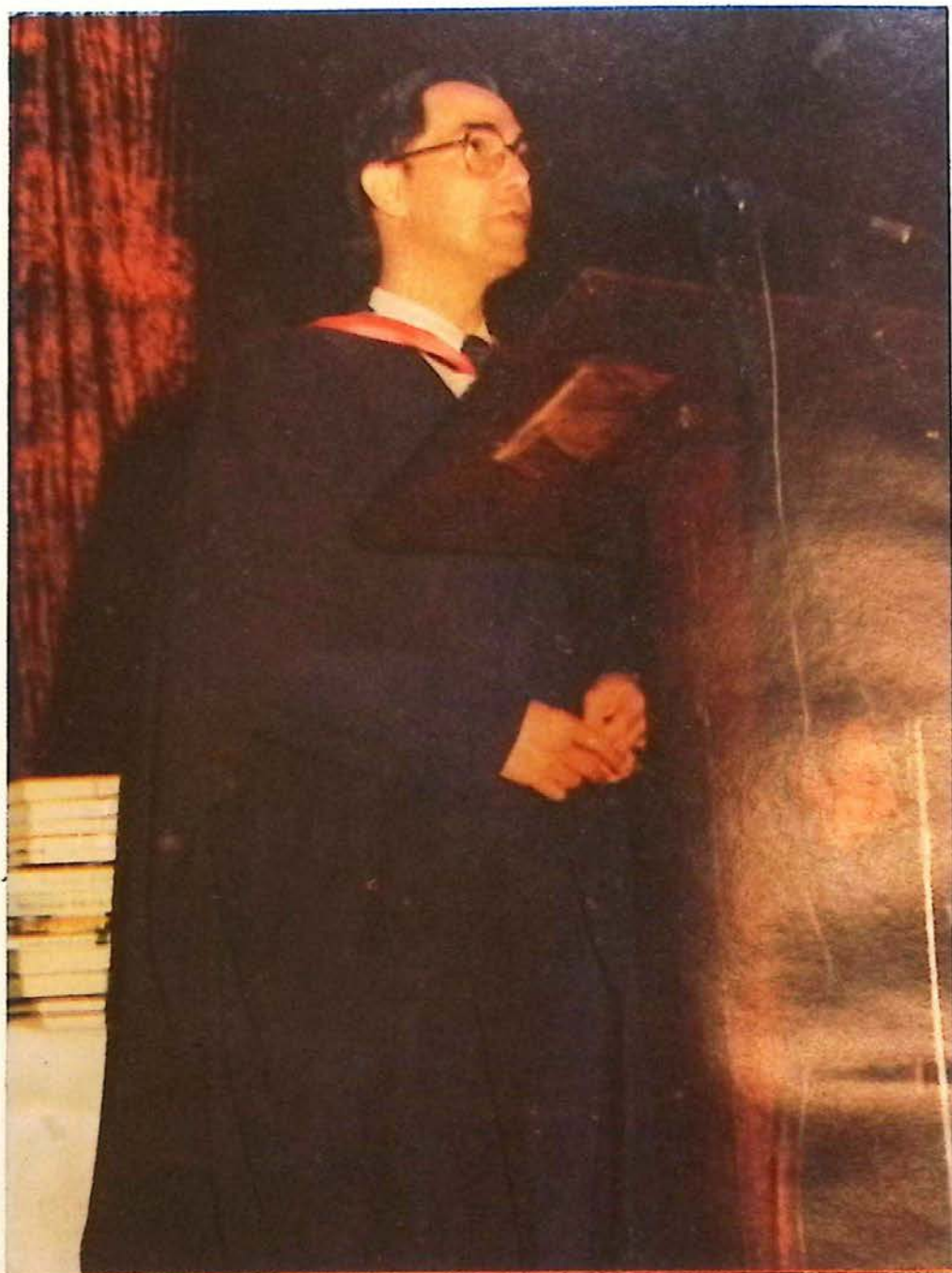
How true of this Chronicle!

1993 has been for St. Paul's, a year of extremes, and as Senior Master, I have been only too aware of the many varied faces of school life. Yet, it has been our constant endeavour to emphasize the positive and the good, while not condoning the negative and the bad. This has, as a result, built up a strong urge and desire, among all sections of the school body, to move ahead positively in the spheres of discipline, academics, co-curricular activities and general administration.

Change for the sake of change is foreign to St. Paul's. Being fashionable at St. Paul's is not what is dictated to us by the mass media and current trends. For us, fashion and style are carrying forward past traditions in so far as they serve as a solid base for the inculcation of new ideas and ideals, while innovations and pioneering are brought in, to make the past traditions more conducive to present living.

This then, is what this chronicle is all about-looking at events and emphasizing the good, so that the good may increase and carrying past traditions forward only so far as they can accommodate the recent and most pressing needs of the hour.

Ian Myers



Mr. D. A. Howard - The Rector

RECTOR'S LETTER

As we review the year of 1993 we are left in little doubt of the massive changes that are occurring in our country, not only in the quality of life as lived by adults but also by the children whom we serve.

The aftermath of the Ayodyha incident in December, 92 was bomb-blasts and riots in Bombay, Calcutta and other places. Increasingly we began to hear of agitations based on caste lines in various parts of the country. National Integration became the catchword in the first half of the year and, fortunately, the collective will of millions of thoroughly decent, law-abiding citizens prevailed to resorted stability and decorum.

Over 1993 the New Economic Policy was spelt out clearly and took shape in a new era of International Business. India has entered a fast-moving world where little can be taken for granted. Exports quality control and free-market forces have dominated the business world displacing conventional ideas on socialism.

Today our students are bombarded with satellite information which includes a life-style often alien to our Indian ethic. However, there is no running away from satellite T.V.-it is here to stay. Uncensored video-movies have replaced the traditional movie hall form of entertainment. Four language and four-letter words are common place. Our children are increasingly exposed to lurid details of violence and sexual degradation. The simple joys of playing hopscotch, seven-tiles, police and robbers has given way to gang-fights and mugging. The intensity increases in the metropolitan cities where each week, we read reports of terrifying murders and atrocities committed by teenagers.

The academic race for high marks for college admission brings inhuman pressures on our young students so that the temptation to use unfair means in an examination is very great. It came to such a pitch that one of our States had to actually legislate against cheating and a recent election manifesto declared that this legislation would be reversed if the party came to power.

What then is the role of a school like St. Paul's set in the relatively remote grandeur of the Eastern Himalayas? This school remains the perfect setting for National Integration in its finest meaning. Drawing students mainly from the commercial world, schools like ours have advantage of using an international language -English and increasingly our boys must learn not only to write the language but to speak it confidently.

To face the problem of dealing with leisure hours it is necessary to strengthen games, hobbies and club activities. We have tried all this with some success. Academic pressures are the best faced with self-motivation rather than constantly competing against others. The need of the hour is the development of moral fibre that will help face the challenges of the future. Such inner strengths are not to be found in selfish individualism but through a reaching-out within the community and learning to play as a team. Above all the ultimate realisation that, in spite of everything, we can achieve nothing unless we have God on our side.

Yours sincerely,

(D. A. Howard)
RECTOR

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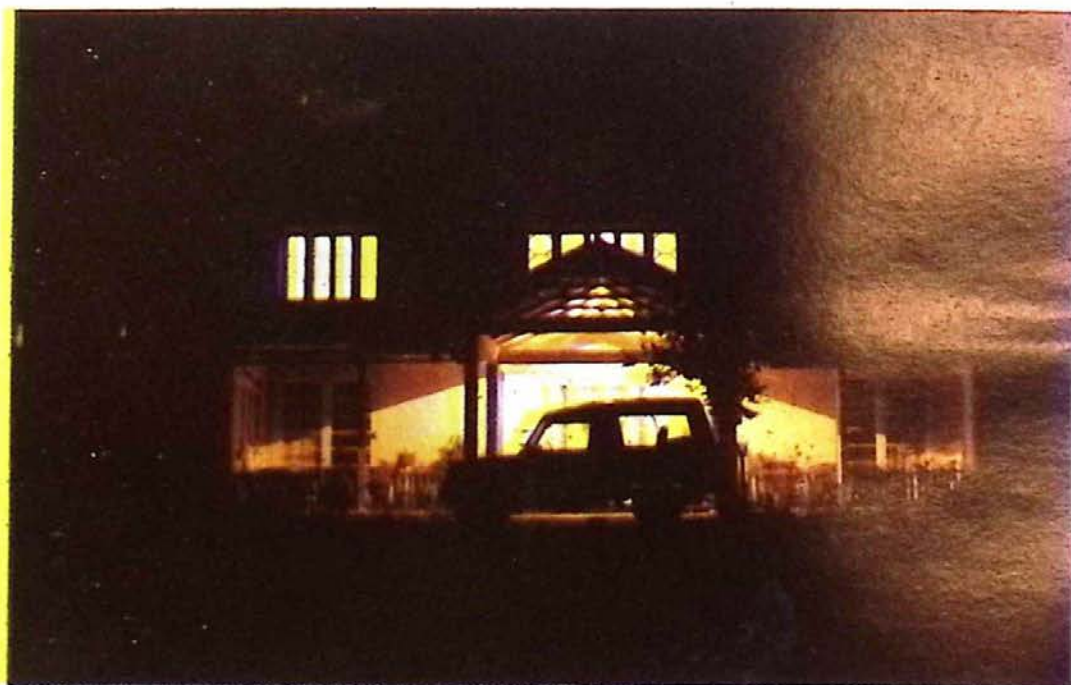
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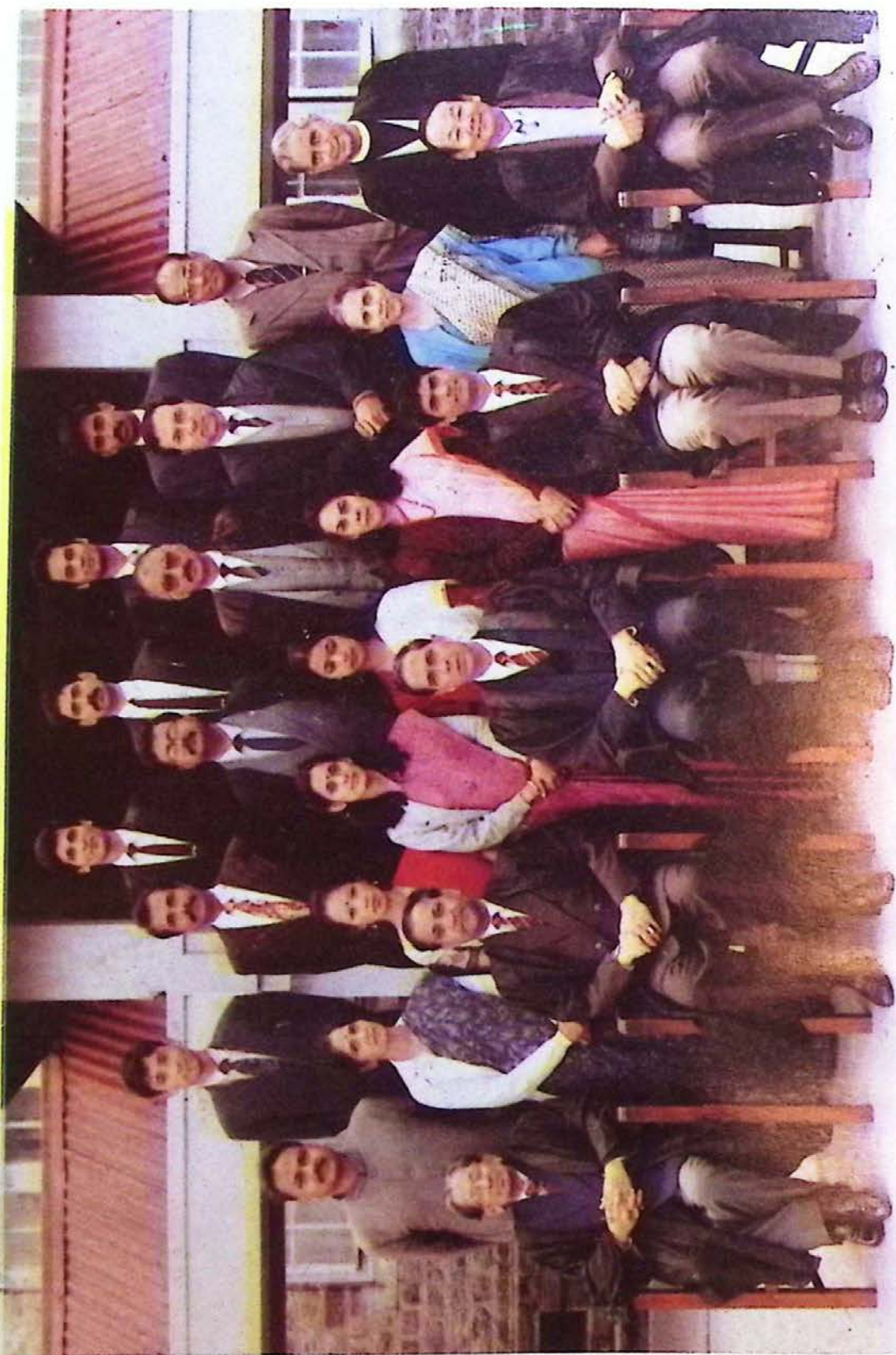
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The Junior School Staff with the Rector & Mr. G. R. Anthony (Head) :



The Primary School Staff with the Rector and Mrs. E. Howard (Head)



The Administrative Staff with the Rector

PREFECTS—1993

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<i>School Vice Captain & Captain of Clive House</i>	Pavan Chand Lall
<i>Captain of Hastings House</i>	Praveen Kishorepuria
<i>Captain of Lawrence House</i>	Gautam Hingorani

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<i>Hastings House</i>	Sanjeev Saraf
<i>Havelock House</i>	Vikramjit S. Grewal
<i>Lawrence House</i>	Bilat Singh

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<i>Football</i>	Lee Hao
<i>Hockey</i>	Rahul Rana
<i>Athletics</i>	Bilat Singh
<i>Basketball</i>	Lee Hao
<i>Volleyball</i>	Sanjiv Saraf
<i>Gymnastics</i>	S. M. Pradhan
<i>Table Tennis</i>	Dipangshu Roy
<i>Squash</i>	P. C. Lall
<i>Eton Fives</i>	Ali Ansari
<i>Boxing</i>	S. M. Pradhan
<i>Marathon</i>	Bilat Singh
<i>Tennis</i>	Shiwalik Ghosh
<i>Badminton</i>	Sujit Acharya
<i>Games Secretary</i>	Dinesh Thapar



The Rector and the School Prefects

RECTOR'S SPEECH - 1993

Mr. & Mrs. Mukerjei, Ladies and Gentlemen,

On behalf of the Staff and Students I warmly welcome you to the 170th Speech Day function of St. Paul's School, Darjeeling. We honour as Our Chief Guest this morning, Mr. S.K. Mukerjei, member of our Board of Governors, and senior retired I.A.S Officer, at one time Secretary to the Governor of West Bengal.

We are also grateful to Mrs. Mukerjei for being present and for graciously agreeing to give away the prizes later this morning.

I bring the apologies of our Chairman, Bishop Gorai, and the other Board Members for not being present at this occasion, they having urgent work in Delhi.

I also extend a very warm welcome to Bishop Andrews, Bishop of the Eastern Himalaya who has recently taken over from Bishop J.E. Ghose, who retired in June this year. I take this opportunity, on behalf of the Board of Governors, to pay tribute to the work of Bishop Ghose, a member of our Board of Governors since 1972 and who took an active interest in all aspects of the school's progress. We also welcome to our Board of Governors, Mr. Gopal Krishna, I.A.S, District Magistrate, Darjeeling, and Mr. Som, Jt. Secretary, Department of Education.

We have had a number of changes on the staff since last October. Mr. Ranjan Biswas left us at the end of October, throwing us into some disarray in the teaching of Mathematics at the senior level. Fortunately we were able to fill the gap with the lot of extra classes conducted by our present staff. It was with some dismay that on 1st December, 1992 we received the resignation of Mr. D.A.V. Prince our Director of Music. A popular and a well-loved figure on the school campus, Mr. Prince served us loyally for 16 years. His absence left a lacunae in the Music Department which we have filled only very recently. Mr. & Mrs. S. Mallick left our services in June this year as a result of pressing personal problems in Calcutta. Mr. Protap Roy and his wife, Annieta, left us in mid-September, he to become the Headmaster at Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong. At the end of this year we will bid farewell to Mr. Kamlesh Kanti and Mr. K.L. Pradhan. Both these gentlemen are amongst the seniormost on our Staff and the School will miss their mature wisdom as they move into retirement. Mr. Kanti has served us for 22 years as Head of Hindi Department, Housemaster, Second Master and Acting Sr. Master. Under his guidance the Photography Club has reached great heights. Mr. Pradhan has



Rector delivering his report on Speech Day

served us for an equally long period of 16 years. Quiet and unassuming he has cheerfully given a hand in every aspect of school life. I know the Hindi Parishad will greatly miss his valuable contribution for their Hindi Plays.

One of the most difficult aspects of administration in a place like Darjeeling is the recruitment of staff, sometimes at short notice, and more importantly, testing the calibre of the person who can endure the strain of an unbroken nine-month academic year and yet remain cheerful and co-operative. We have been fortunate to find a number of young teachers and I hope that, over the years, we can work together to maintain the great traditions of the school. On the Teaching Staff we welcome Mr. Dilip Kumar, Mr. S.D. Lama and Mrs. Anu Sheela Rai who help with Mathematics and Physics. Mr. O.P. Agarwal, Old Paulite, joined us in March to teach History. Mr. Subir Roy rejoined our services after a gap of five years to teach French and some English. Mr. Gautam Lepcha joined us in March as Music Master in the Pry. Wing. The Rev. Noel Sen joined us recently as Chaplain and Music Master to the School.

On the administrative staff Mr. Brian Cecil joined us in March to take over as Bursar. Miss Bishnu Tamang went into residence as a Nurse in the Pry. Wing. Mr. Asish Chakravarty joined us as Caterer. Mrs. Pooja Thackur, Mrs. P. Bagchi & Mrs. Diana Alva have joined us as Matrons.

With so many changes on the staff it is amazing how we have been able to function smoothly, especially in the classrooms, and I here pay tribute to Mr. I. Myers, Senior Master, Mr. G.R. Anthony, Head, Jr. Wing and Mrs. Howard, Head Pry. Wing, ably assisted by Mr. Thomas Mukhia, our Second Master. I am well aware of the strains they have borne and am deeply grateful for the smoothness with which they have rallied to solve problems. I can assure you that there has been very little disruption in the classrooms. Credit must also be given to the existing Teaching Staff who have rallied brilliantly over the year in the classrooms, on the gamesfield and in supervising all the various cultural activities we hold over the year.

Our academic results at the public exams. of March, 1993 have shown an improvement over the previous year. The ISC (12) exams. results showed all 46 candidates successful, with a substantial qualitative improvement in all subjects, particularly in Mathematics and Science. At the ICSE (X) level 66 out of 69 boys were successful, a great improvement on the year before when we were hit with 13 failures. We have been a little more careful this year

regarding academic achievements in the classroom and must now wait till May next year to see how effective we have been.

In a school such as ours outdoor games play an important part and we have run through the whole gamut of games from hockey, cricket and football to gymnastics, athletics, boxing, Volleyball, basketball, tennis, table - tennis, Eton Fives, squash and badminton. At the Edinburgh cricket games we came second to Mount Hermon School after a spirited fight. Our second game against St. Joseph's School gave us the edge. Since my last report we have had two Inter-School Boxing meets, against Dr. Graham's Homes. The Home's boys fared better on the whole though we were able to increase the number of individual boxers who showed promise for the future. We were unable to hold our annual Gym. display at the Gymkhana Club in May and rescheduled this for 15th August. This year Jr. Wing & Pry. Wing boys added in a mass P.T. with figure formations that was quite impressive.

The NCC has functioned efficiently this year and in addition to the usual marching and guard of honour parade for 15th August, the boys planted over 300 saplings and took part in a week long camp conducted by the NCC Officers at Katakpahar. Debasish Mondal and Abishek Jaiswal were selected as the Best Cadets and move on for a special training that entitles them to take part in the Republic Day Parade. The DEAS expeditions were popular, with treks to Rambh and Sandhakphu. For the Gold Award candidates more arduous treks to Dzongri and the Kanchenjunga Base Camp were organised.

In addition to these outdoor activities there have been various elocution contests in English, Hindi, Bengali and Nepali; Quiz contests in all three Wings, and debating in the Sr. Wing. This year we came second in the N.M. Master Memorial Elocution Contest.

A number of visitors brought in a breath of fresh air. Mr. Cyril Smith from Stratford-on-Avon, spoke to the boys on Shakespeare. With the help of the British Council we recently hosted the Mark Troop Chamber Music Company and were amused when, as a encore, they played a "classical" version of the recent Hindi Pop Song "CHOLI KAI PICHEY KAI HAI ". This week we welcome a team of Professors from Australia who spoke to the boys on educational opportunities in Australia.

We have had a particularly wet year which started sometime in April and carried on through September. You would imagine that with so much rain our water problem would be a thing of the past - quite the contrary. Frequent 'landslides along the pipeline that comes from Sanchel Lake kept disrupting the supply. When the

water was there, there would be no power to pump it up, and when both water and power were synchronised, usually between 3 and 4 a.m, there would be no personel to man the pump! The incessant rain, with very heavy showers in-between, brought disaster to our main buildings. What appeared to be minor leaks the year before turned out to be major water-falls this year. By May the roofing of Milman Hall collapsed and a major renovation became necessary. No sooner had this problem been corrected when Cotton Hall collapsed with some classrooms totally flooded, and the hall grand - pianos drenched by leaking water. By July the side-aisles of the Chapel had turned black with mildew and damp, and all that had to be repaired as well. It did not help when the Rectory building with its attached dormitories also revealed major cracks and leaks. To put this right has cost us a fortune but there was no alternative. If you see the school looking relatively clean and tidy today it is because the boys themselves have cleaned every nook and cranny. I am amazed at their co-operation and cheerfulness under adverse conditions. If all this was not enough, add to it a freak thunderstorm by a bolt of lightening which directly hit the school generator so that the motor and most of its cabling burnt out and then, in August, a major landslide on the north of the Estate which, to repair, would run into lacs. Still we will recover!

I have received news that very recently an anonymous poison-pen letter has been circulated to the parents. This is a sad piece of writing by some disgruntled element, which evokes pity. If the school's income were really three crores in the year we'd have no problems for the next ten years in terms of fees, it is not even half that! Under salaries and allowances we disburse a third of the income, another third on food and the balance on maintenance and other educational expenses. This proportion is about right for a residential institution such as ours.

In an effort to battle against the length of this report it becomes inevitable that I must condense my appreciation to the many persons on the Estate and the School in general who work quietly throughout the year expecting little recognition. The Estate Manager and his Staff, the Caterers, the Matrons, the Office Staff, the Nurses, the Secretaries and the School Doctor, to each of these goes credit for their total devotion to the children of the school. I would also like to commend the Old Paulites who have been so co-operative and helpful and the numerous friends and well-wishers who have assisted us from time to time with material gifts and expert advice. Above all I would like to thank the Board of Governors for their encouragement and understanding.



Address of the Chief Guest Mr. S. K. Mukherjee IAS (Retd.)



The Chief Guests and the Staff on Speech Day

Chief Guest's Speech

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I consider it a special privilege to address this august gathering. St. Paul's, Darjeeling, is a school with a distinguished past and a promising future. By asking me to be the Chief Guest on its Speech Day which is an important annual event in the social life of Darjeeling, Mr. Howard has conferred on me a great honour. On behalf of my wife and myself, I thank him for inviting us to participate in this function.

The surroundings here are delightful indeed. It will, however, be sheer escapism to shut our mind to the horrors to which men are subjecting fellowmen all over the world, be it in course of the ethnic warfare in Bosnia-Herzegovina, the civil war in Somalia and the peace-keeping activities there on behalf of the United Nations, the racial violence in South Africa, the constitutional crisis in Russia, the communal riots in our own country or the sporadic acts of terrorism far and near. Whenever these days we turn on the radio or the television, we come across glaring instances of inhuman conduct all round the globe.



Chief Guest Mr. S. K. Mukerjee, addresses the gathering on Speech Day

A frightening feature of these brutalities is that the victims are mostly innocent women and children. And the irony of this state of affairs is that many of these atrocities are being inflicted in the name of religion. It is as if nation after nation is engaged in competitive cruelty. It will be no surprise if the last two decades of the twentieth century go down in history as a period when religious fundamentalism ran amuck.

Man is now on the threshold of the twenty first century. Are we going to succumb to the orgy of violence that is raging all over the world? Is the final holocaust just round the corner in which mankind will be wiped off the face of the earth in a conflagration of its own making? Or is there any hope for the survival of civilization?

The prospect before us is forbidding indeed. There seems to be darkness all around. Still, to my mind, there will be hope for mankind so long as there is the mother struggling to bring up her children against tremendous odds, there is the teacher trying to instil in his pupils the sense of right and wrong, there is the peasant toiling away to earn a living for his family. They are the salt of the earth. Knowingly or unknowingly, they have decided about their priorities. And the basis of their conduct can only be charity or love, that love which is the core of Christ's teaching and which has been so eloquently expressed in chapter 13 of St. Paul's first letter to the Corinthians:

"THOUGH I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a thinking cymbal.

2. And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing.

3. And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, It profiteth me nothing.

4. Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up.

5. Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil;

6. Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth;

7. Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things.

8. Charity never faileth; but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away.

9. For we know in part, and we prophesy in part.

10. But when that which is perfect is come, then that which is in part shall be done away.

11. When I was a child, I speak as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.

12. For now we see through a glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also I am known.

13. And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity. "

Only love for God and love for fellowmen can save mankind from annihilation.

Thank you, Ladies and Gentlemen, for the patient hearing that you have given me.

SPEECH DAY

LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS

PRIZE LIST - 1993

Class	First	Second	Progress & Application
1	Ayon Chakravorty	Aniruddha Pande	Debashish Karanjai
2	Akshav Yadav	Anil Kumar Roy	Macdonald Dhungel
3A	Mukesh Kumar	Nishikant Gupta	Parthajyoti Changkakoty
3B	Ajitesh Jaiswal	Siddharth Poddar	Rajib Sobhan Miah
4A	Divies Tuladhar	Navin Gadia	Rakib Sobhan Miah
4B	Aman Saraf	Tarak Nand Joshi	Aditya Kunga Gurung
4C	Naresh Rai	Bishnu .Khetan	Sabindhan Tuladhar
5A	Ankur Gupta	Ankit Das	Malveen Fahimul Alam
5B	Abhishek Vishal	Sanjeev Mehra	Abhishek Thackur
5C	Neelay Choudhury	Rishab Himatsingka	Ashish Agarwal
6A	Amber Huria	Vishal Agarwal	Abhinav Jalan
6B	Brajesh Raj Misra	Vazir I. Fatehi	Ujjal Chandra
6C	Soham Chakraborty	Shashank Agarwal	Kunal Choudhury
7A	Aditya Kanoi	Shashank Dubey	Manish Saraogi
7B	Nitin Himatsingka	Aditya Gadia Amardeep Banerjee	Atif Anwar
7C	Gaurav Jain	Samrat Kharel	Chetan Saraf
8A	Kaushik Samaddar	Piyush M. Thakur	Keshab Tandon
8B	Arnab Banerjee	Avinash Agarwal	—
8C	Amit Agarwal	Ravi Garg	—
9A	Abhishek Jaiswal	Neelesh Jaiswal	Rahul Prasad
9B	Gaurav Jalan	Rajeev Saraf	—
9C	Vikash Kr Santuka	Mrinal Kr. Sinha	Rohit Sanghai
10A	Yusuf Manan	Vivek Laha	Singye N. Dorji
10B	Dhiraj Saraf	Vikram Soni	—
10C	Debasish Ganguly	Arvind Modi	Jamyang Gyatsho
11 Com.	Jitendra Baid	Amit Damlia	—
11 Hum.	Imlong Khanyang	Samrat Bhusan	—
11 Sc.	Ashraf A. Siddiq	Soumyabrata Palchowdhury	—
12 Com.	Dinesh Thapar	Rahul Rana	—
12 Hum.	Samarjit Bhattacharya	Neeraj Barkakati	—
12 Sc.	Anurag Goel	Praveen Kishorepuria	—

SPECIAL PRIZES

PRIMARY WING

Class	Good Conduct	Art
1	Anubhav Ghosh	Animesh Tuladhar
2	Vimeyie Zutso	Amar Bajracharya
3A	Anunay Gupta	Eric Manandhar
3B	Lakeesh Gurung	Yuvraj Agarwal
4A	Amir Adeel Khan	Metao Ezung
4B	Eliz Manandhar	Keshab Koirala
4C	Preetam Kumar	Satyabrata Sen
5A	—	Hridya Narayan Singh
5B	—	Yin Chun Hsiung
5C	—	Vivek Gupta
Moore Divinity	—	Neelay Chaudhury 5C
Essay Prize	—	Jullian Kris Sakarai 5A
Jyothi Kundu Memorial Medal	—	Priyank Gupta 5C
Best Actor	—	Gaurav Agarwal 4C
Best All Rounder	—	Abhishek Vishal 5B

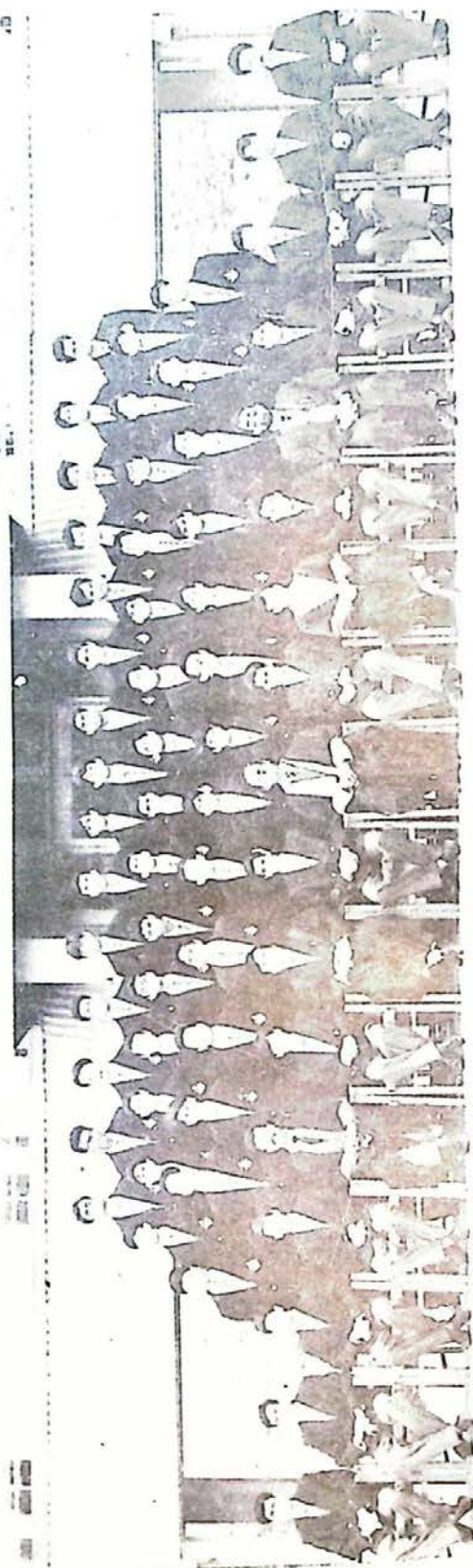
JUNIOR WING

Junior Wing Art Prize	Rajeev Pradhan
B.J. Sharma Prize for the Best Sportsman	Pankaj Agarwal
Jyoti Kundu Prize for Elocution	Avinash Agarwal
Naresh Shanmugam Memorial Medal for Good Conduct in Class 7	Asang Longchar
Disawala Prize for the Best Actor	Saswata Sanyal
K.N. Sahgal Prize for Bible Reading	Vikramjit Bora
Moore Divinity Prize (Junior)	Karam Siddiq
The Gayatri Kanti Medal for consistent Academic Achievement in the Junior Wing	Amit Agarwal
Karanjai Medal for Quizzing	Rajat Kedia

SENIOR WING

Kabra Proficiency Prize (ISC '93)	Vinay Kumar
A.H. Miller Medal for (ISC '93) Science	Satish N. Joshi
Rai Bahadur D. N. Singh Medal for (ISC '93) Humanities	Pranay Gupta
Badridas Modi Medal for (ISC '93) Com.	Vinay Kumar
Leslie Goddard Scholarship & Prize (ICSE '93)	Krishna Modi
Renuka Dang Proficiency Prize (ICSE '93)	Anuj Poddar
Kamlesh Kanti Medal for scoring highest marks in Hindi (ICSE '93)	Mrigank Dubey
K.L. Pradhan Medal for scoring highest marks in Economics (ICSE '93)	Soumyabrata Palchoudhury
Rudra Hindi Prize	Pravash Agarwal
Madhukar Rana Nepali Prize	Pranay Rai
Usha Rani Bengali Prize	Not awarded
Tower History Prize	Samarjit Bhattacharya
Class of '89 Economics Prize	Rahul Rana
Clarke Geography Prize	Dinesh Thapar
K.N. Sahgal Accountancy Prize	Dinesh Thapar
K.N. Sahgal Business Studies Prize	Dinesh Thapar
Anil Chaudhuri Art Prize	Imran Ali Ansari
Moore Divinity Prize	Albert Chiang
Karun Majumdar G.K. Prize	Dinesh Thapar
Saraf Short Story Prize	Pavan Chand Lall
Bhatnagar Medal for "Brain of St.Paul's"	Samarjit Bhattacharya
Carter English Essay Prize	Dinesh Thapar
Nanibala Dey English Literature Prize	Samarjit Bhattacharya
Gal Gregory Maths. Prize	Vishal Agarwal
Majumdar Science Prize	Anurag Goel
Kothari Physical Science Prize	Soumyabrata Palchoudhury
Robin Banerji Life Science Prize	Praveen Kishorepuria
Lav Kumar Ecological Studies Prize	Praveen Kishorepuria
R.S. Prasad Prize for Computer Studies	Anurag Goel

Adam's Music Prize	Anurag Goel
Rahul Music Prize	Kunal Singh
Nilima Gupta Indian Music Prize	Not awarded
G.V. Swaika Medal for Drama	Rahul Rana
Nilima Bose Medal for excellence in Theatre	Samarjit Bhattacharya
Best Actor Prize for 2nd Languages Hindi	Praveen Kishorepuria
	Bengali Navarun Bhomick
	Nepali Sarvagya Mani Pradhan
Bible Reading Prize	Praveen Kishorepuria
Sakraney Medal for Elocution	Samarjit Bhattacharya
Air Force Trophy and Medal for the best Public Speaker	Krishna Modi
N.K. Mitra Prize for Club Activities	Pravash Agarwal
Best Artist Prize for 1993	Imran Ali Ansari
Best Craftsman Prize for 1993 (a) Batik	Bilat Singh Thongram
(b) Woodwork	Kang Hui Lee
Kamlesh Kanti Medal for the Best Photographer of the year	Praveen Kishorepuria
Das Studio Prize for consistent good work throughout the year	Suraj Poddar
Darjeeling Photo Stores Medal for excellence in Photography	Suraj Poddar
General Virendra Medal for N.C.C.	Rahul Rana
O.P.A. Medal for social service shared	Praveen Kishorepuria Bilat Singh Thongram
O.P.A. Medal for the best sportsman	Gautam Hingorani
G.J. Shaw Trophy and Medal for the Best All Rounder in Cl. XI	Not awarded
K.K. Mukherjee Trophy and Medal for the Best All Rounder in Cl. XII	Rahul Rana
School Captain's Medal	Rahul Rana
Rector's Prize	Rahul Rana



Clive House with (L-R : Seated) Mr. S. Chakravathy, Mr. H. N. Stolke, Mr. N. Gomes (House Master),
Mr. B. B. Tamang and Mr. A. Sharma

CLIVE HOUSE REPORT-1993

HOUSE MASTER

Mr. N. Gomes

HOUSE TUTORS:

Mr. B. B. Tamang

Mr. S. Chakravarty

Mr. H. N. Stolke

Mr. A. Sharma

HOUSE CAPTAIN

P. C. Lall

HOUSE PREFECT

Samarjit Bhattacharya

Inevitably, year after year, at the close of the school term, the house captain sits down to do this task, 'The House Report'.

The report for 1993 would be more so on account of the fact that we grabbed nine of the odd twenty-one trophies/cups/shields that were up for the taking.

The year began well with a good batch of boys in Class IX and XI, a good batch of all rounders. However in the very first month or two, which is the cricket season, inspite of playing well, we lost the shield to come second to Lawrence. We quickly regained our footing by winning The Quiz Cup with the help of Deepangsu and Samarjit. Debating was all the way Clive's and the Grindlay's Shield was won by us. The able debators were Krishna, Anuj, Vikram, Samarjit and Dinesh Thapar. This is the second year in succession that we have taken the Grindlay's Shield.

Football was played with undiminished enthusiasm. Although we won The Rain Cup tournament, we narrowly lost out to Hastings to be runners-up in the Inter-House fixtures.

The Season was on for the Hindi and Bengali elocutions which came our way too. In the Hindi elocution Pravash, Vikram and Abhishek Kanoi did us proud by lifting the Cup while in the Bengali elocution we were victorious mainly due to Samarjit, Ranendranath and Debashish Mandal.

In the court games, we finally managed to get the Squash Cup for the second year in succession, after a veritable roller - coaster ride.

After last year's shock defeat, Clive regained its strangle hold on the Athletics Shield. We had some commendable performances put up by Rajdip Ghosh, Karma Legshay and myself, but much of the credit goes to our House Master, Mr. Gomes, who also being the athletics coach, coached us morning and afternoon. The house in general also contributed significantly in helping us to win by 40 points. Credit also goes to Smart Singh, Tshering Thondup, Girish Rajbhandari, Anuj Poddar, Krishna Modi and Brett Howard. At this point of time I would like to add that Class XI's participation greatly emancipated the concept "House Spirit". Don't ever change !

The House concert was an unusual one in that it was the sole effort of Mr. Gomes, he being the writer, director and music compiler of the play "The 3rd of July" coincidentally scheduled for the 3rd of July. The special effects, lighting and music, presence of acting ability, all combined to give what would be modestly called 'a hit'. Our skit was so immensely creative and well received that Havelock even carried on where we had left off.

Shiwalik's lobs, Samarjit's aces and Saurab's volleys helped us cross another mile stone, the tennis cup. English elocution was also ours with the help of Samarjit, Krishna, Vikram and Abhishek Kanoi. The Gymnastics cup came our way when Hao, Depesh and Pema Ladhaki displayed some spectacular gymnastics on the top field.

On the whole we had a successful year and felt winners all the way for this was a house unique in its combination of boys, boys who felt for the house. Before closing I would like to thank the house master Mr. Gomes, for his untiring efforts on and off the field, his undemanding feeling for the house and the creative influence he had on the boys. On behalf of the Sixth formers and Samarjit I would like to wish the house the very best in the years to come and always remember victory is no freak happening or a 'due to fate', it is a result of sheer perserverance and dedication.

P.C. Lall

As house master I would like to sum up the year's performance by saying 'all is well that ends well' and for us what more could we ask for when we were able to lift nine cups and shields. I am proud to say that I did get the co-operation of all 58 boys of my house in all activities, be it on the field or on stage.

The following boys won various prizes on Speech day '93.

Dhiraj Saraf	<i>First in Class 10B</i>
Vikram Soni	<i>Second in Class 10B</i>
Jitendra Baid	<i>First in Class 11 (Com.)</i>
Krishna Modi	(1) <i>Leslie Goddard Scholarship and Prize (ICSE 1993)</i> (2) <i>Air force trophy for the best public speaker.</i>
Anuj Poddar	<i>Renuka Dang Proficiency Prize (ICSE 1993).</i>
Mrigank Dubey	<i>Kamlesh Kanti Medal for scoring the highest marks in Hindi (ICSE 1993)</i>
Pavan Chand Lall	<i>Saraf short story prize.</i>
Pravash Agarwal	(1) <i>Rudra Hindi prize</i> (2) <i>N.K. Mitra prize for club activities</i>
Samarjit Bhattacharya	(1) <i>first in Class 12 (Hum.)</i> (2) <i>Tower History Prize</i> (3) <i>Bhatnagar Medal for 'Brain of St. Paul's'</i>

Dinesh Thapar

(4) Nanibala Dey English Literature Prize

(5) Nilima Bose Medal for excellence in theatre.

(6) Sakranay Medal for elocution.

(1) First in Class 12 (Com.)

(2) Clark Geography Prize

(3) K.N. Sahgal Accountancy Prize

(4) K.N. Sahgal Business Studies Prize

(5) Carter English Essay Prize

(6) Karan Mazumdar General Knowledge

Vinay Kumar
(ISC '93)

(1) Badridas Modi Medal for topping the batch in the commerce stream.

(2) Kabra Proficiency Prize (ISC 1993)

It is with deep sorrow that I write about the tragedy which came upon three of my boys this year.

Pravash Agarwal lost his father

Pema Ladhaki lost his mother

Ranendranath Mukherjee lost his father

The house joins me in condoling the passing away of the father of Pravesh and Ranendranath and the mother of Pema.

N. Gomes



A Scene from the Clive House Concert



Hastings House with (L-R : Seated) Mr. K. L. Pradhan, Mr. A. Thackur (House Master) and Rev. Noel Sen.

HASTINGS HOUSE REPORT-1993

House Master:

Ashok Thackur

House Tutors:

Mr. K.L. Pradhan

Rev. N.S. Sen (Chaplin)

House Captain:

Praveen Kishorepuria

House Prefect :

Sanjeev Saraf

At the very outset I extend a very warm welcome to Rev N.S. Sen who joined Hastings House as a tutor in late 1993. I hope he has a pleasant stay with Hastings House. The success of a House is often superficially measured by the number of Cups the House received at the end of the year. The year 1993 was a year of victories as well as defeats. However, all our losses were neutralised when we won the most prestigious Sikkim Shield of the school. It is awarded to a House for the best Academic performance during the term. It was the cherished dream of Hastings House to be worthy of the most coveted Sikkim Shield. Finally Hastings did it. The dream was fulfilled.

Our overall performance was definitely better than 1992. This year proved to be a good one for Hastings in the field of Academics. A number of boys were commended in the various prize examinations. The Prize winners are as follows:-

Class Prizes:

Gaurav Jalan

1st Position in IX B

Yusuf Manan

1st Position in X A

Vivek Laha

2nd Position in X A

Samrat Bhushan

2nd Prize in XI (Humanities)

S.Paul Chowdhury

2nd Prize in XI (Science)

Praveen Kishorepuria

2nd Prize in XII (Science)

Niraj Barkakati

2nd Prize in XII (Humanities)

Special Prizes:-

Praveen Kishorepuria

-Luv Kumar Ecological Prize

-Robin Banerjee Life Science Prize

-Bible Reading Prize

Praveen Kishorepuria

-O.P.A. Medal for Social Service

-K.K. Medal for the best
photographer of the year.

Albert Chiang
Navarun Bhowmik
Hui Kong Edward Lee
Suraj Poddar

S. Pal Chowdhury

- Best Actor in Hindi Concert
- Moore Divinity Prize
- Best Actor in Bengali Concert
- Best Craftsman in woodwork
- Das Studio photography prize
- Darjeeling Photo Stores Medal for excellence in photography.
- Kothari Physical Science Prize
- K. L. Pradhan Medal for highest marks in Economics in ICSE' 93.

Congratulations! The boys have worked consistently throughout the year, often burning the midnight oil in pursuit of excellence in Academics and other fields.

On the whole our performance was moderately successful on the games field. We did manage to win a couple of shields and were a close second in many a game. Rajesh Ghosh was awarded House Colours in Cricket. We stood a close second in Basketball, Badminton and Eton Fives. We lost our Hockey Shield by half a point. Manoj Dalmia was awarded House Colours in Eton Fives and Rishi Parasramka in Badminton. Rijesh Shrestha was awarded House Colours in Marathon.



A Scene from the Hastings House Concert

We put up our best performances in Volleyball and Football and won the cups. Sanjeev Saraf was awarded House Colour in football & Volleyball, Buddha received it for Football.

Albert Chiang received House Colours in Hockey and School Colour in Football. Hui Kong Edward Lee received School Colours in Football. Sujit Acharya received House Colours in Squash.

In Athletics Rajesh Ghosh was awarded House Colours. Anand Kumar put up a good performance. Bhaskar Sharma came 1st in 800 meters and was awarded the Victor Luodorum in Class I. Congratulations!

Our performance on stage was very encouraging throughout the year. We came 3rd in Hindi Elocution. We also came second in Bengali Elocution. The team consisted of N. Bhowmik, Gautam Ghosh and D. Addya. We shared the English Elocution Cup with Clive House. Congratulations go to S. Bhushan, D. Bhattacharjee, D. Addya and R. Shrestha for the sterling performance.

We came second to Clive in debating. Our debators were - S. Pal Chowdhury, S. Bhushan, D. Addya, R. Shrestha, and Ian Macdonald.

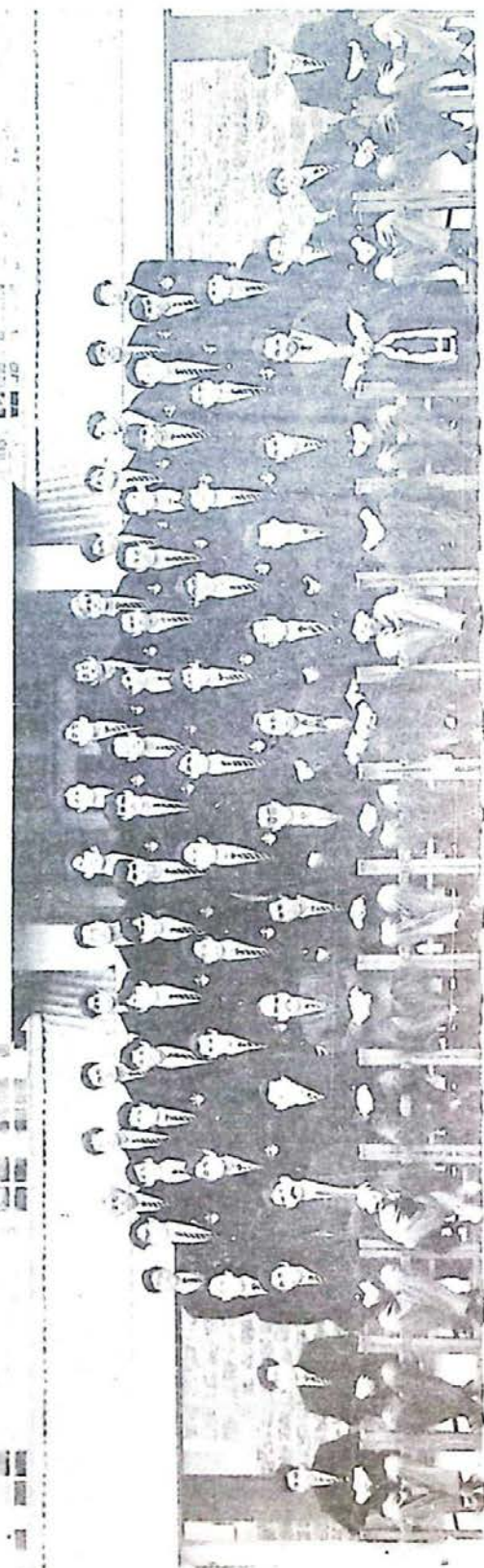
Hastings House put up its Annual House Concert on 7th August and it was a big hit for the year 1993. The play called "Thread 'O Scarlet'" was directed by Mr. A. Thakur. The basic theme was "Blood cries for more blood". The Sixth form put up a skit called "Miss Hastings 1993". Our overall performance was a grand success.

I extend my sincere thanks to Praveen Kishorepuria and Sanjeev Saraf whose unending efforts, and a consistent inspiration to the boys, could give real meaning to our House son "Hastings, Hastings, we're best House in the School."

The Sixth formers need to be especially praised for their co-operation and help, for their dedicated efforts to uplift the spirit of the boys.

This report would not be complete if I failed to place on record the contribution of Mr. K.L. Pradhan to Hastings House. Having been associated with the House for a number of years he has always been available and as he leaves us to enjoy a well earned age of retirement, Hastings House, wishes him all God's blessings for the future. He will always be remembered with gratitude and love by Hastings.

Ashok Thackur



Havelock House with (L-R : Seated) Mr. G. Bhattacharya, Mr. A. K. Dash, Mr. U. K. Dwivedi (House Master),
Mr. D. Pradhan & Mr. K. R. Singh

HAVELOCK HOUSE REPORT-1993

House Master

Mr. U.K. Dwivedi

House Tutors

Mr. A. K. Dash

Mr. M. R. Yadav

Mr. D. Pradhan

Mr. G. Bhattacharya

House Captain

Rahul Rana

House Prefect

V.S.Grewal

1993 has been a year which brought each Havelockian closer to his fellowmen and bound the house with an intangible umbilical cord of Love, Unity and Brotherhood.

The year began on a positive note when we welcomed Mr. D.P. Pradhan as House Tutor. The House-Master Mr. U.K. Dwevidi and all House Tutors, each in his own way, has contributed to the House's success. The boys led by the Prefects - Rahul Rana and V.S. Grewal have put in their best even under the most trying circumstances.

The house concert was a resounding success. We staged a rather thought - provoking play which left behind a message of Love and Sacrifice. The credit goes to each and every boy of the House who contributed a fair share to the success either in front or behind the curtains.

On the games front, Havelock won the Basket-ball and Marathon cups and shared the Eton Fives and P.T. Cups. Although we were not able to win any of the other trophies, nevertheless, I consider my House a success because when it came to all House events such as P.T. and Marathon, we were right on top. The boys who got colours during the course of the year are as follows: Sunil Lath, S.M. Pradhan, Deepanyan Roychowdhury, Patrick Chung and Rahul Rana were awarded School Colours. Neelesh Jaiswal, Deepak Saraf, Bikash Gurung, Vikramjit S. Grewal and Rahul Pradhan were awarded House Colours.

Congratulations to all of them on the academic sphere. We were successful in our own way and many boys were able to give outstanding academic performances. Neelesh Jaiswal, Rajeev Saraf, Mrinal Sinha, Vikash Santuka, Jamgang Gyatsho and Rahul Rana won class prizes.

The following boys won special prizes :

S.M. Pradhan	: <i>Best Actor Prize for 2nd Language (Nepali)</i>
Vishal Agarwal	: <i>Gal Gregory Maths Prize.</i>
Rahul Rana	: <i>Class of '89 Economics Prize</i> <i>G.V. Swaika medal for Drama</i> <i>General Virendra Medal for N.C.C.</i> <i>The best all rounder of class XII</i> <i>School Captain's Medal.</i> <i>Rector's Prize</i>

At the end I would like to say that, although at times our hard work didn't get the desired results, yet the joy of participation and efforts put in did leave us happy and satisfied.

Finally, I would like to thank our House Master Mr. U.K. Dwevidi for his care, guidance and support.

Congratulations and all the very best to one and all "May God Bless us and keep us"

Rahul Rana



A Scene from the Havelock House Concert

LAWRENCE HOUSE REPORT-1993

HOUSE MASTER

Mr. A. D. Jayal

HOUSE TUTORS

Mr. R. S. Baoni

Mr. D. Bagchi

Mr. N. Vincent

HOUSE CAPTAIN

Gautam Hingorani

HOUSE PREFECT

Bilat Singh

Like every year cricket was the first season and each house had to field three league teams. This was started to encourage and enable more boys to play the game properly. At the end it would contribute points for the shield. For the house matches, each house had to field a 1st XI team and a 2nd XI team. Our 2nd XI team did their best and were placed 2nd. Our 1st XI under the captaincy of Gautam Hingorani, swept all their matches and were placed 1st. Thus the cricket shield was won by Lawrence. Credit goes to Gautam, the Cricket Captain, for having enthused the boys to play well.

We did well in Basketball and Volleyball but were placed 2nd in both.

In Football and Marathon we did fairly well and were placed 3rd and 2nd respectively. In Marathon special mention must be made of Bilat Singh who, as the Captain of Marathon put his heart into it and not only ensured that more boys ran but would himself run the full course twice each day. Credit must also be given to Prashant Poudyal for standing first in his division as did Bilat.

In spite of the sincere efforts of the boys, we were placed 2nd for the Athletics Shield. Bilat Singh and Prashant Poudyal were outstanding and were awarded the Victor Ludorum medals in their divisions. However, the reverses were more than made up for by the house winning the Athletics Standards Cup.

The Badminton Cup, Eton Fives Cup, Table Tennis Cup, the Hockey Shield and the Art and Craft Cup were all won by Lawrence. The boys showed great enthusiasm on the field and gave of their best to win these Cups. Congratulations are in order in particular

to Zoesangliana for Badminton, Imran Ansari for Eton Fives, Art and Craft and Debashish Ganguly for Table Tennis. Imran is an excellent artist and not only did he win the Anil Chaudhuri art prize but was also declared the Best Artist for '93. Ganguly plays excellent Table Tennis and in the district championship he not only won the Juniors singles but in the men's category he was the runners up. For a school boy this is no mean achievement. One looks forward to seeing him play at the National level.

In Boxing Ajay Bajla, K. K. Agarwal, Urgyan Sherpa, Bhaskar Saha and Anurag Dalmia were outstanding. Ajay was declared as the best loser. Credit must also be given to Rishi Parveen who being a new boy stepped into the ring.

Among the other boys who distinguished themselves in sports were Devesh Hingorani and Neel Kamal Devnath. Gautam Hingorani was awarded the OPA medal for the best sportsman for '93.

House colours were awarded to the following boys:-

Badminton	-	Devesh Hingorani. Gautam Hingorani
Boxing	-	Ajay Bajla K.K.Agarwal
Gymnastics	-	S.M. Pradhan (Jr.)
Basketball	-	Bilat Singh
Volleyball	-	Imran Ansari

School colours were awarded to the following boys: -

Cricket	-	Gautam Hingorani
Hockey	-	Gautam Hingorani
Marathon	-	Bilat Singh
Badminton	-	Zoesangliana Chhakchhuak.

Congratulations to all of them.

Apart from an excellent year for Lawrence in sports, it had a good academic year also. The prize winners were:

Khanyang Imlong	-	<i>1st in XI Hum.</i>
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Sadiq Ahmed	-	<i>1st in XI Sc.</i>
Amit Dalmia	-	<i>2nd in XI Com.</i>
Debashish Ganguly	-	<i>1st in X C</i>
Arvind Modi	-	<i>2nd in X C</i>
Abhishek Jaiswal	-	<i>1st in IX A</i>
Rahul Prasad	-	<i>P & A in IX A</i>
Singye Dorji	-	<i>P & A in X A</i>
Anurag Goel	-	<i>1st in XII Sc.</i>
	-	<i>Karun Majumdar Science Prize</i>
	-	<i>R.S.Prasad Computer Studies Prize.</i>

In the field of music we had two very talented boys. Anurag Goel who plays the digital horn and the Saxophone very well, won the Adams music prize. He was able to assemble a band for the School. The second boy is Kunal Singh who practised painstakingly and won the Rahul music prize.

A very prestigious award is the OPA medal for social service. It was very creditable that the House Prefect Bilal Singh was awarded this. Well done!

Our debating team did not fare well this year and lost to skilled debaters from the other houses. In the English elocution, although the boys tried hard, they were unable to win the cup. In the Bengali and Hindi elocutions also it was the same story.

This year Lawrence was the first to stage its house concert. We staged three plays - two in English and one in Hindi. The two English plays were 'Legend', 'The Rehearsal' and the Hindi play was 'Akhbari Vigyan'. They were enjoyed by everyone. Bilal Singh, Imran Ansari, Akhlesh Kumar and Abhishek Jaiswal acted splendidly. Anurag Goel and Abhishek Jaiswal entertained the audience with their saxophone recitals, Khanyang Imlong sang two songs which he composed himself. The evening went off well and ended with a grand dinner. We would like to thank Mr. J. Myers and Mr. K.L. Pradhan for their co-operation and help.

In the Brain of St. Paul's Quiz, Lawrence did well. A. Rangoonwala stood 4th and Prashant Poudyal 5th.

Finally, we would like to thank Our House Master Mr. A.D.

Jayal who encouraged and guided us through the year. Thank you very much Sir. We would also like to thank our House tutors for their help from time to time.

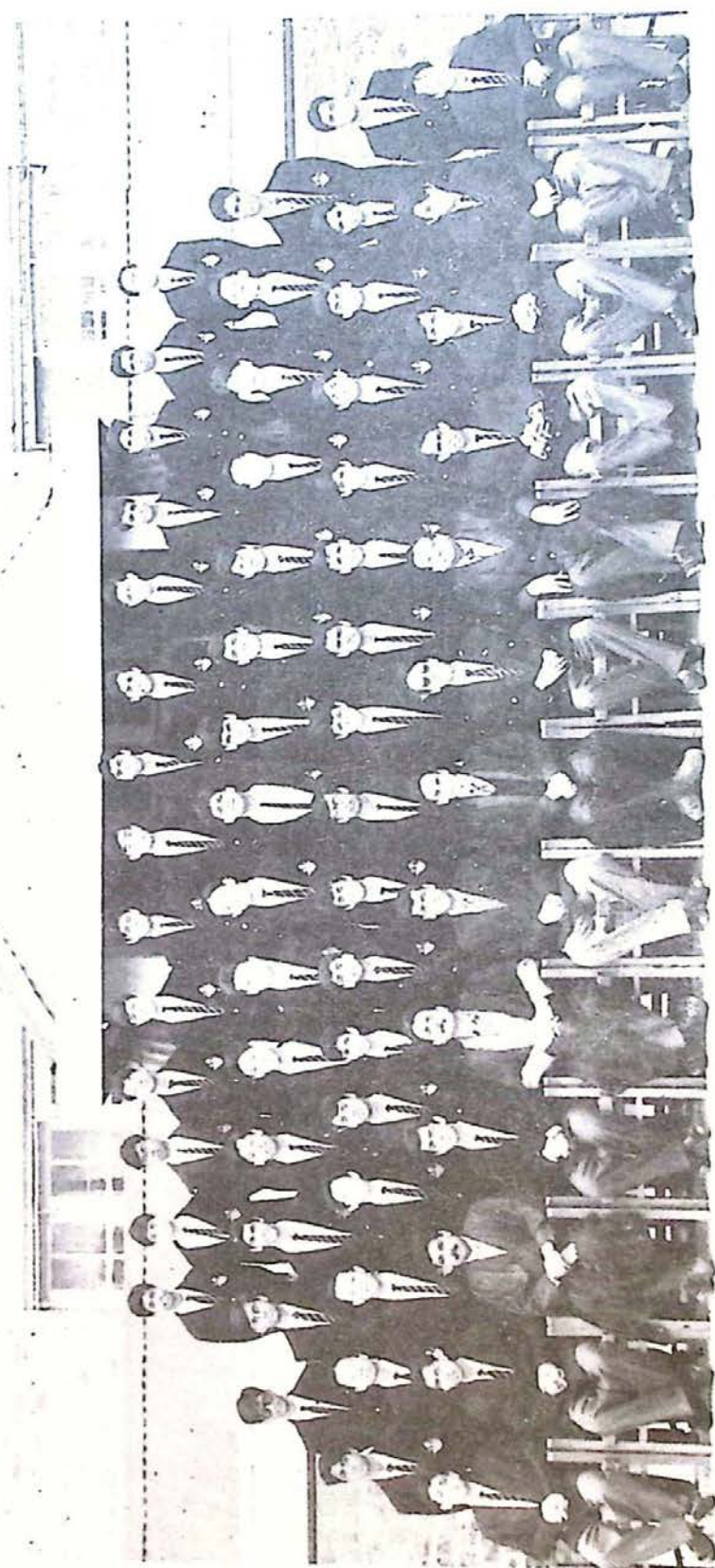
I would also like to thank my house prefect Bilat Singh and the sixth formers for their co-operation throughout the year. I hope that Lawrence does better in the years ahead.

MONITI MELIORA SEQUAMUR

Gautam Hingorani
Captain of Lawrence '93.



A Scene from the Lawrence House Concert



Lawrence House with (L-R: Seated) Mr. N. Vincent, Mr. R. S. Baoni, Mr. A. Jayal (House Master) & Mr. D. Bagchi

JUNIOR WING NOTES

The JW boys returned to school on 15th of March with a renewed expression of vigour showing clearly on each face. The new extension of the Rectory dormitory welcomed the class VI boys. In this block, there are no double decker beds and thus it is not congested and the boys can move freely in the dormitory. Class VI boys are very fortunate to have a nice place to live. The financial strain for this construction was undertaken by Mr. S. Karanjai. We are extremely grateful to Mr. Karanjai for improving the living conditions of the Class VI boys. We are looking forward to some more generous parents who would help us to improve the living conditions of Cl. 7 & 8 boys as well. A few new boys have joined in the JW and have already adopted to the new school routine.

Mr. & Mrs. Prince decided to leave us at the end of the last year and it came as a surprise to all of us. Mr. Prince was our Director of Music for about 16 years. Mrs. Prince looked after class VI boys as a Matron in the Rectory dormitory. We are definitely going to miss them. We wish them all the best in their future endeavour. We welcomed Mrs. P. Thackur as a Matron of Johnson Hall in the Jr. Wing. We also welcomed Mr. B. Subramaniam and Mr. D. Kumar in the Department of Science and Mathematics and Mr. O.P. Agarwal, an Old Paulite (1979) to teach History in the Jr. Wing. I am sure these new staff members are enjoying the work in the Jr. Wing.

We had a special opening of Term Service with the Investiture Ceremony of Prefects on the 20th of March where the names of the JW Monitors were also announced. The Jr. Wing monitors were as follows:-

Anderson:	1., Karma Tenzing 2. Umangdeep Sharma.
Bettan	1. Avinash Agarwal 2. Kapil Chhetri
Cable	1. Amit Agarwal 2. Ritesh Pandey
Westcott	1. Saswata Sanyal 2. Siddarth Chand Lall.

Mr. Subramaniam left us sometime in May, we welcome Mr. S.D. Lama in his place to teach Science in the Jr. Wing.

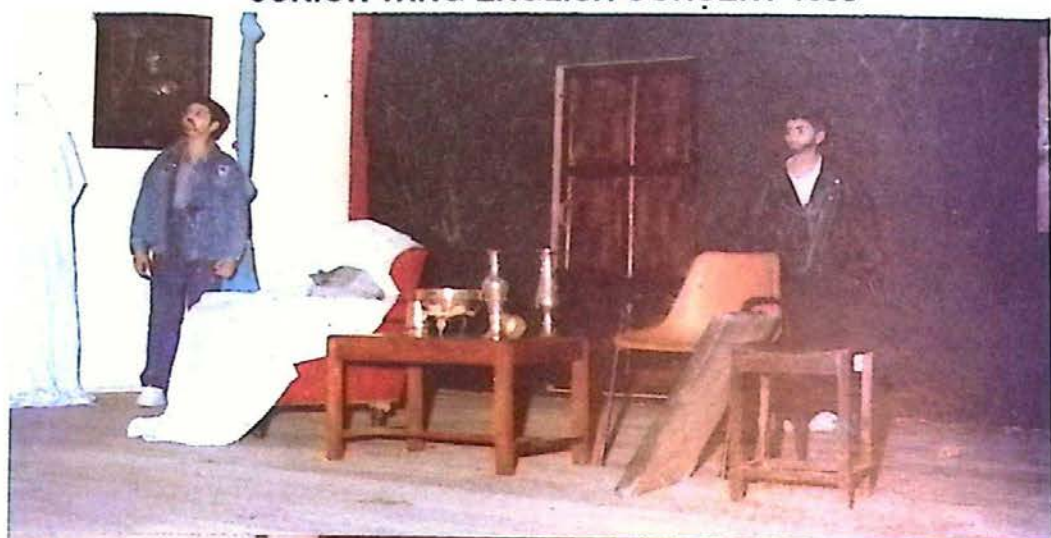
We reintroduced the old league system this year. In this system, practically every boy has the opportunity to play any game and thus is not dejected during the games time. The cricket season began with league matches being played carefully. Every house had three teams, 1st XI, 2nd XI and 3rd XI. These league matches were important as the points were counted for each league match. A number of Inter School matches were conducted. There were two cricket teams, Junior Wing team which comprises boys of Class 8 and the under 7 team which consisted of boys of Classes 6 & 7. The Junior Wing team played against Mt. Hermon and won while the under 7 team played two matches against St. Joseph. Unfortunately we lost both the matches. The May holidays marked the end of the cricket season. At the Inter-House level Cable and Westcott shared the Cup this year after a grim struggle.

Volleyball and Basketball house matches were also conducted. Mr. Lama helped with volleyball and Mr. M. Calvert in basketball. Ultimately Westcott took the cup in both the games. Squash house matches were also completed and once again Westcott won the cup.

After the May holidays the football season started. The sets were made, the new form of team games started this year was followed. The league games were followed by a cake tournament and then finally the house matches. A number of Inter-School fixtures were there. We had three Inter-School teams this year, the Jr. Wing team, the under seven team and 4' 10" team. the Jr. Wing team lost 5-0 to North Point. This was the only match they played. The Under Seven team too played one match against North Point in which N.P. emerged victorious. The 4' 10" team played 2 matches. They lost one to North Point and played the other with Mount Hermon. Luckily our team won this game. The football season came to an end with the Inter-House matches. The cake was taken away by Westcott but the cup was bagged by Cable.

The Boxing season began with the football season. Boxing was also taken seriously under the supervision of Mr. M. Calvert. A number of enthusiastic boxers tried their luck. The preliminary bouts, having been fought well in advance, the finals were held on the 21st of August. On the 28th of August the Inter-School Boxing Championship against Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong was hosted by St. Paul's. Class 8 and below only were eligible to participate in this championship. This took place amidst a lot of noise and

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cheering and it was nice to see our boys filled with the enthusiasm and spirit needed for the occasion. The bouts were of a very high standard.

The Marathon season has always been the most tiring one and it is not popular with the boys. In spite of this the boys went for regular practices amidst heavy rain. This year we had 4 divisions namely the Pry., Junior, Intermediate and Senior. The first of these comprised boys from the Primary Wing while the remaining 3 divisions were made up of boys on the basis of the points obtained by taking their ages, heights and weights into account. All the races were no doubt, equally competitive. My congratulations to Praveen Choudhury (We). Raj Kumar (Ca) as they came first in Junior and Intermediate divisions respectively. Once again Westcott grabbed the cup.

Table tennis house matches were held in the Jr. tuck hall and Cable walked away with the cup. Badminton and Lawn Tennis Cups were also won by Cable house this year.

The Athletics season began soon after Marathon. On dry afternoons, practices were conducted for the sports day as well as the Inter-School competition. It was heartening to see young athletes of the JW training very hard for the competition. Mr. N. Gomes and Mr. J. Singh worked very hard with the boys. Heats were conducted soon after the standards were finished before the Sports Day. I must congratulate Pankaj Agarwal as he was declared the Best Sportsman in the JW this year. The Inter School meet was held in Kalimpong this year. Our boys from C, D and E divisions did very well in St. Augustine's School and brought the shield home.

The Annual Gym. Display which was scheduled for the 15th of August was held later due to the interruption caused by the rains. It was eventually staged and completed on the following day. The mass P.T display performed by the J.W was among the major attractions of the programme. The boys conducted it well with the school band. The School Mitre was formed at the end. The display was watched and enjoyed by one and all. My sincere thanks to Mr. J. Singh for this wonderful display, and for the hardwork he has put in with the boys for the daily morning P.T. We had two P.T competitions and Avinash Agarwal (Be) was declared the Best P.T commander for 1993. Congratulations!

Hockey has been the shortest season in St.Paul's School. We had leagues which resulted in Westcott standing first. This was shortly followed by the house matches and Westcott bagged the trophy.

However, it was not only in the games sphere that the boys excelled. Academics and other extra curricular activities saw a great improvement. Various hobbies were carried out in the JW. Heavy preparations were on for the exhibition. The Mascot, this year, being Spider Man, a lot of scraping, scrubbing and painting was also done by class 8 boys. The Science exhibitions were, as usual, held in the JW Art room. The hobbies this year were string Art, Photography, Mosaic work, Macrame, Batik and Art, Fabric painting, Tie and Dye, Tile painting, Fret work, two new hobbies - Gardening and Thermocol work were introduced. The JW exhibition was a grand success. In the wing among other hobbies the Scouting hobby was taken by the Rector Mr. D. A. Howard. Mr. Lawrence and Mr. S. D. Lama helped the Rector.

We bade farewell to Mr. & Mrs. S.Mallick in the middle of June. They decided to be with their parents in Calcutta as Mr. Mallick's mother was not well. We wish them all the best. Mrs. Dash moved to the Rectory dormitory in place of Mrs. Mallick to look after class 6 boys. Mrs. P. Thackur was asked to look after the King Arthur and 8th dorms. We welcomed Mrs. D. Alva in the Jr. Wing, as a Matron of Johnson Hall in September. We warmly welcomed back Mr. S. Roy, our former French teacher. He had left us in 1989 due to some health problem. We also welcomed Rev. N. Sen who has joined as the Chaplain. He is teaching English and Moral Instructions in the JW and helping us in Chapel with music and sermons. He has prepared the JW choir for carol service.

My congratulations to Siddarth Chand Lall who was selected for a scholarship in England in ' Oundle School' - He will study there for the next five years. Sumit Pal Singh Bali was appointed Westcott House monitor in July in place of Siddarth Chand Lall.

Entertainments have been many and varied. This year the system of combined house concerts was reintroduced. The first such concert was staged in April with Anderson and Betten houses combining their skills. In July the other two houses Cable and Westcott put up their concert. These were enjoyed thoroughly. In May the boys put up two very enjoyable plays for the Jr. Wing

concert. They staged an English play called 'There is a Ghost in the Basement M'Lord. It was a comedy directed by Mr. N. Lawrence. Aditya Kanoi, Vikramjit Bora and Saswata Sanyal acted well. There was also an entertaining one act play in Hindi named Parda Uthao Parda Girao. This was directed by Mrs. G. Kanti. Parul Agarwal, Ravi Garg and Pankaj Agarwal performed well. Saswata Sanyal was chosen for the school play cast - evidently in one of the major roles. My heartiest congratulations to him for his excellent acting. The boys saw several video films and movies in the Prep. Hall for their entertainment. These were immensely enjoyed by them. There was a magic show organised for the boys in June and in the month of September the chamber music company sponsored by the British Council performed at a concert which was thoroughly enjoyed by the boys.

This year was a very engaging one in co-curricular activities. The Hindi Elocution contest held sometime during the month of April was a very challenging one as Cable, Anderson and Westcott shared the first place. Harsh Deorah, Aditya Kanoi and Parul Agarwal stood first in the poetry, drama and prose sections respectively. My heartiest congratulations to all of them. I would like to thank Mrs. G.Kanti for helping us out.

In the Inter-House English Elocution competition the young elocutionists participated in a spirit of healthy rivalry. My congratulations to Brajesh Raj Mishra, Prince Khetan, Umangdeep Sharma, Saswata Sanyal and Ravi Garg, who came first in the Poetry, Prose, Drama and Declamation sections respectively. The Cup was taken away by Westcott. My sincere thanks to Mr. M. Calvert for organising the competition. I would also like to congratulate Avinash Agarwal and Brajesh Raj Mishra at their performance in the N.M. Masters Shield Inter-School English Elocution contest. Soham Chakrabarty, Kapil Chhetri, Brajesh Raj Mishra, Harsh Deorah and Parul Agarwal need to be congratulated at their remarkable performance in the Inter-School Elocution (2nd languages) programme.

Quizzing continues to be an essential part of the co-curricular programme and its importance in this competitive world has been well understood by our boys. After two vigorous rounds of quizzing, it was Rajat Kedia who was declared the winner of the Karanjai

Quiz Prize, There is a new prize given to the J.W. from this year. Cable House won the Quiz Cup. My sincere thanks to Mr. N. S. Lawrence and Mr. B. Cecil for their help. Immediately after the Puja break we had to hurry with the debate contest. After a keen display of oratory skills, Westcott took the cup and the best overall speakers position was shared by Saswata Sanyal, Brajesh Raj Mishra and Vikramjit Bora. I would like to thank Mr. T. Calvert who was in-charge of debating this year.

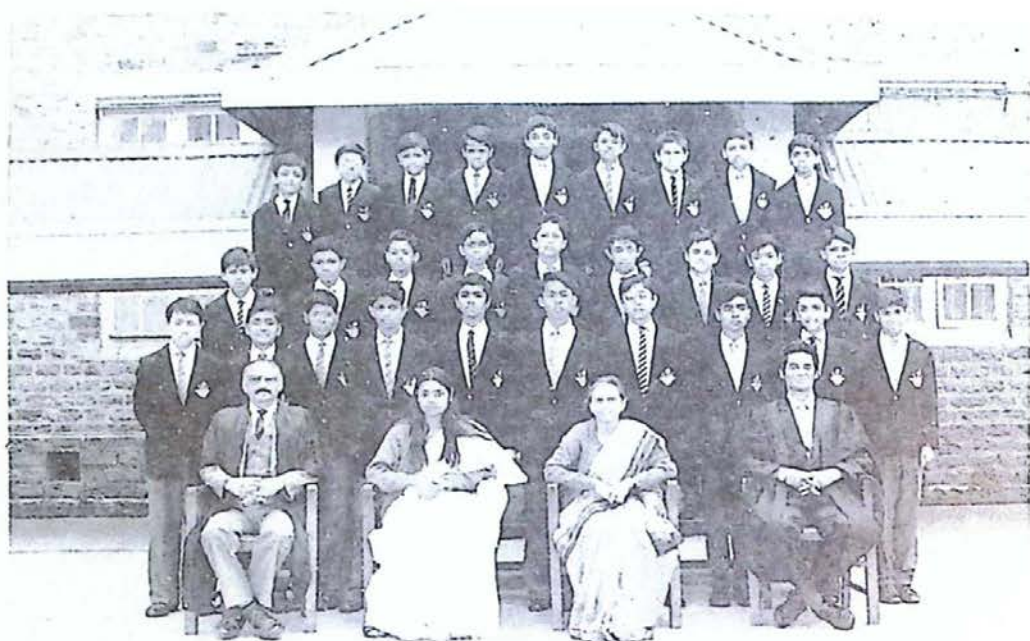
I would like to thank Mrs. A. Rai who joined us to teach science in the JW. My sincere thanks are due to Mrs. V. Mimani, Mrs. N. Sharma and Mr. P. Tamang for their help with some classes in the Jr. Wing.

Lastly, I am grateful to all staff members who have provided help in various fields this year. I am specially grateful to the Rector for having offered a helpful hand in some grave difficulties. Without the help of all, this year would not have been as successful as it has been.

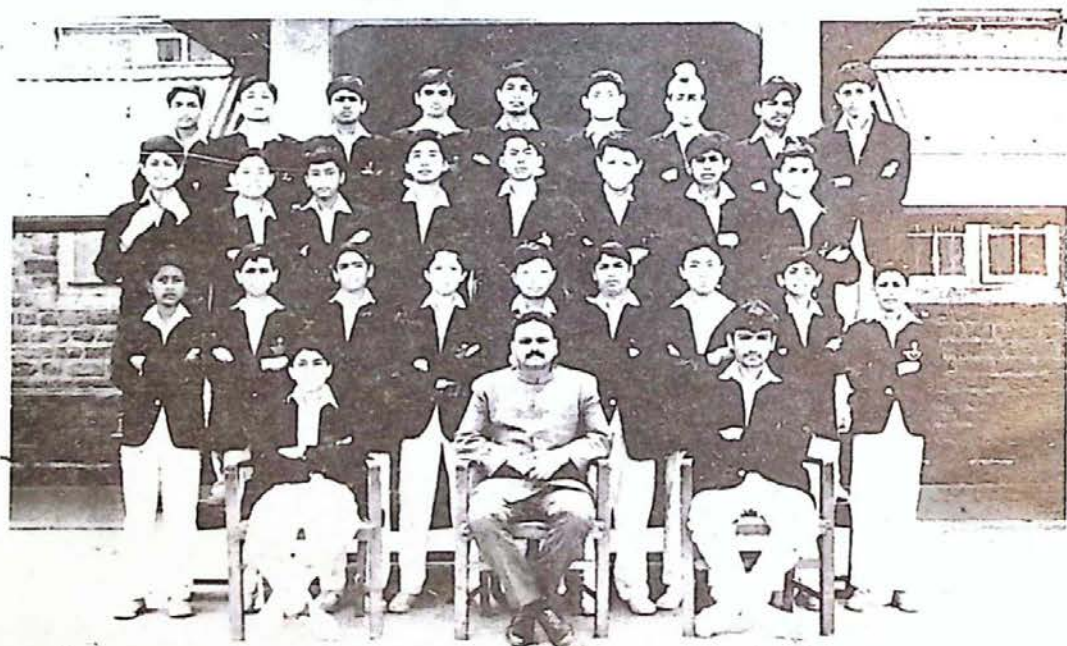
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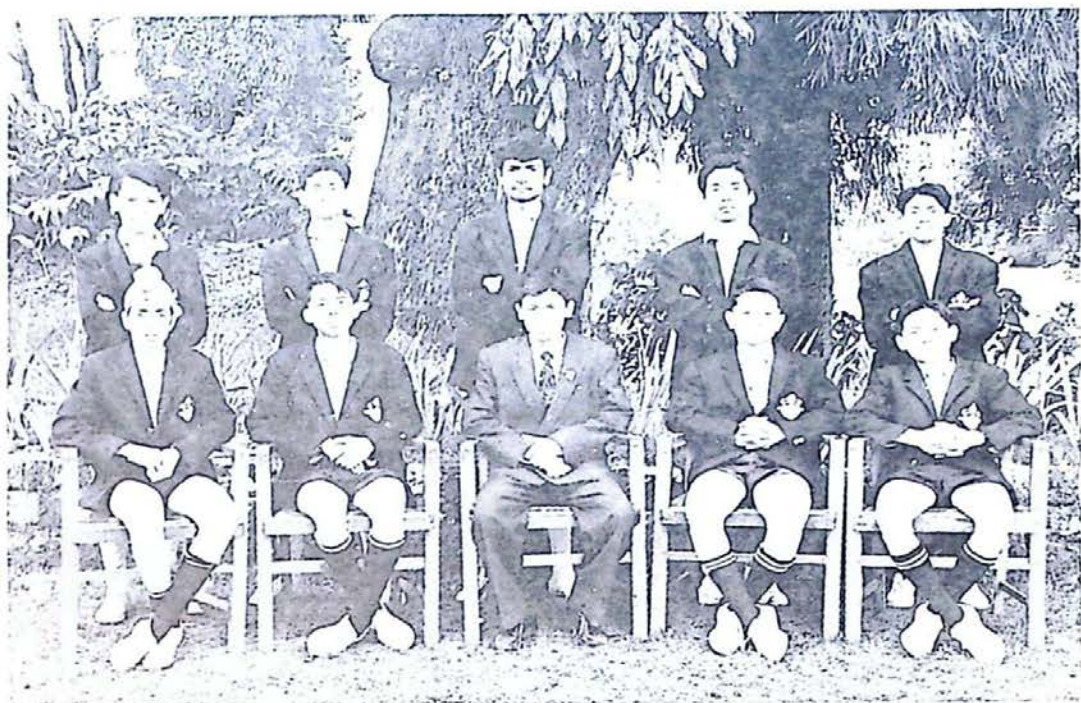
The Junjor Wing Monitors with the Head of the Wing.



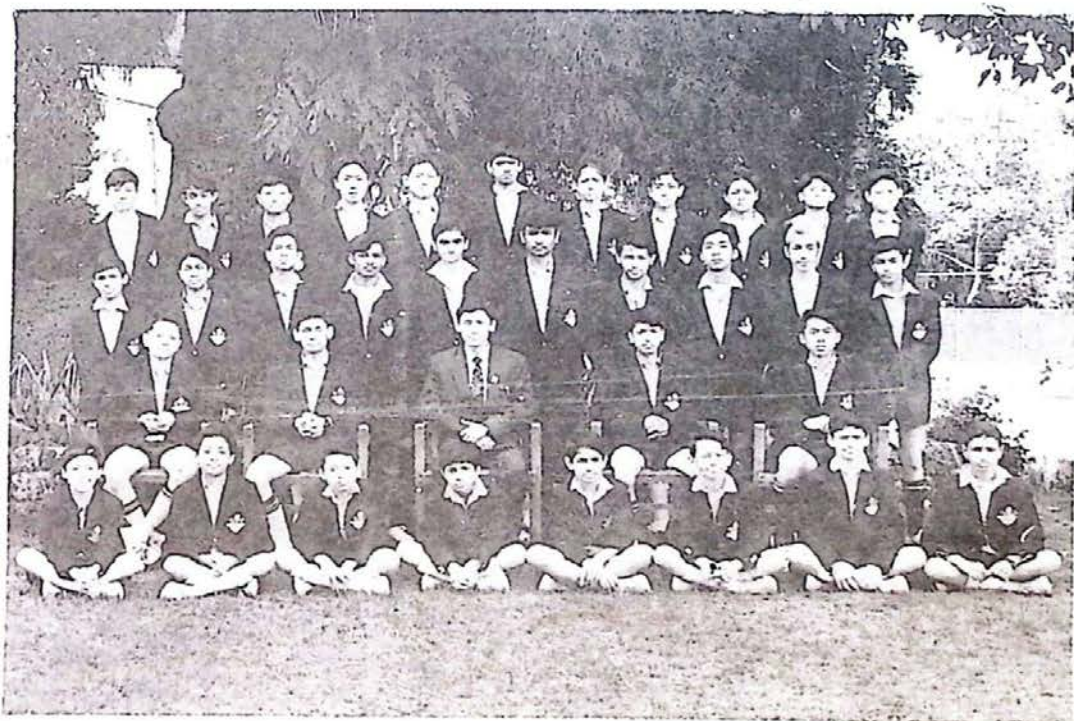
The Junior Wing Maggi Quiz and Elocution Team with (L-R : Sitting)
Mr. S. M. Pradhan, Mrs. G. Bhattacharya, Mrs. G. Kanti and Mr. M. S. Calvert.



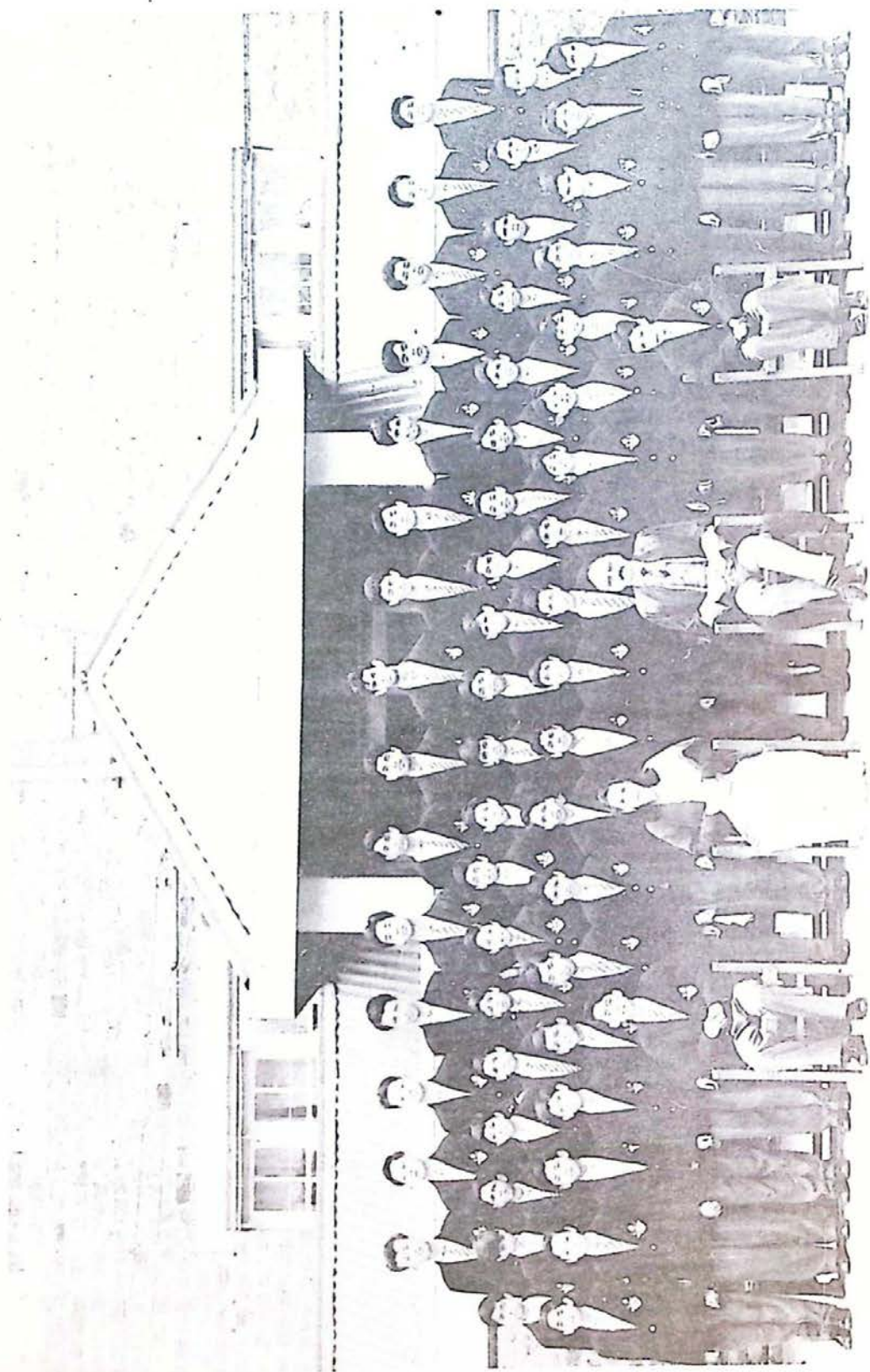
The Junior Wing Cricket Team with Mr. J. Singh



The Junior Wing Volleyball Team with Mr. S. D. Lama



The Junior Wing Football Team with Mr. S. D. Lama



Anderson House with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. R. Anthony and Mr. S. M. Pradhan (House Master)

ANDERSON HOUSE REPORT-1993

House Master

Mr. S. M. Pradhan

House Monitors

Karma Tenzing

Umangdeep Sharma

House Tutors

Mrs. R. Anthony

Mr. M. Mendoza

Mr. O. P. Agarwal

Anderson House began its year splendidly, sharing the Hindi Elocution Cup with Cable and Westcott. Thanks to Parul Agarwal and his team for their splendid achievement. The next in line was Cricket, unfortunately we were unable to get the cup but never the less we put up a brave fight against our opponents.

Though we had the best team on paper for volleyball, misunderstanding on the court cost us the cup and we came 2nd to Westcott.

The house monitors for the year were chosen in the month of April and they were Karma Tenzing and Umangdeep Sharma. Both of them carried out their duties with utmost sincerity and loyalty through out the year.

The 24th of April was perhaps the greatest day for the Andersonites. On this day was staged the first combined concert of Anderson and Betten House. This year the two houses staged "The Ghost of Jerry Bundler". On the whole it was a great success with all putting in their best efforts.

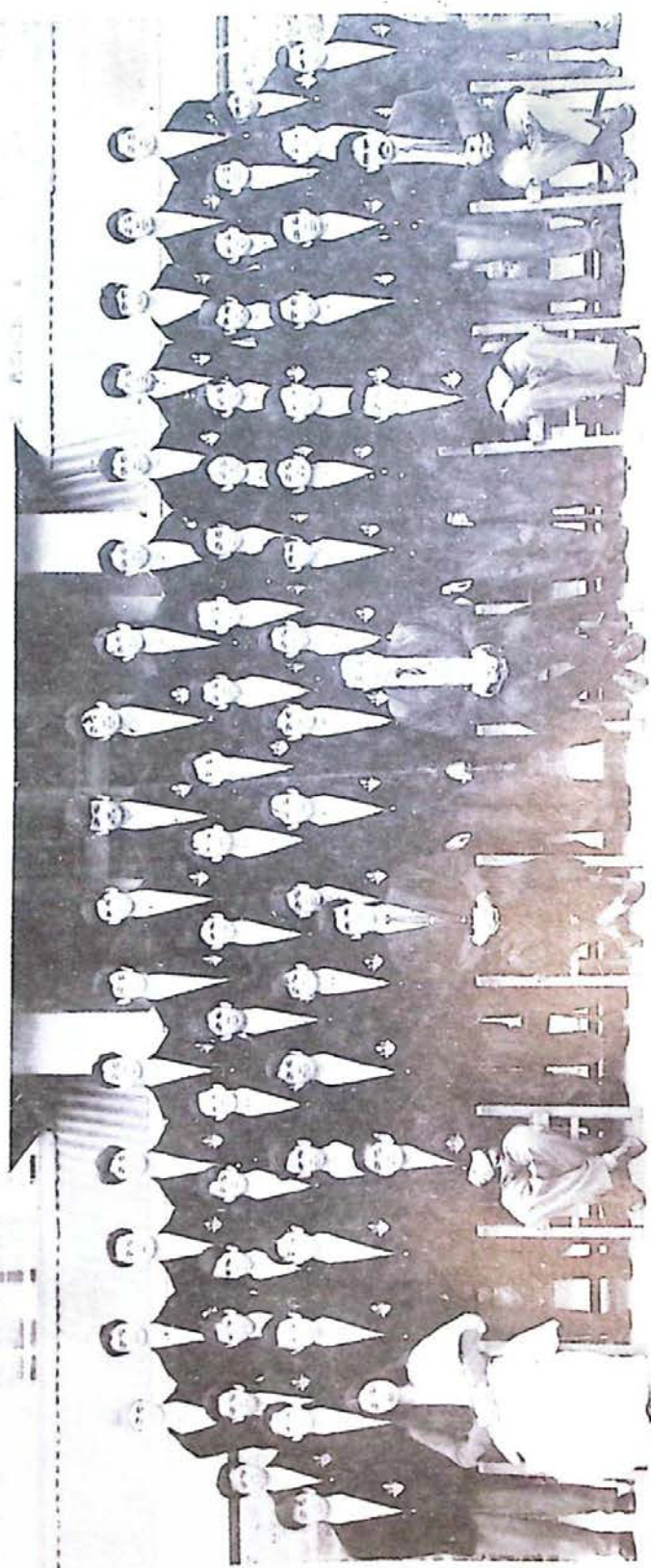
Lady Luck deserted us this year and the Athletics shield slipped out of our grasp.

However the boys were not disheartened and struggled to win the Lawn tennis cup. We were not so lucky in table tennis losing to Cable House by a narrow margin. Umangdeep Sharma, G. Sobti and K. Tenzing need special mention for their outstanding performance and Shashitbrato Ghosh for his Badminton skill, other activities were Debating and Quizzing. The Quiz was a great disappointment because we lost by just half a point. Credit goes to K. Tenzing, J. Sharma for this splendid performance and especially to R. Kedia who was the first to win the Karanjai Medal in the J.W.

On Speech day A. Longchar, R. Kedia and K. Siddiq made us proud by winning the Naresh Shanmungam Medal for Good Conduct, the Karanjai Medal for Quizzing and the Moore Divinity Prize respectively.

The House report finally comes to an end by wishing a warm farewell to all the valetes and a very warm welcome to the salvetes.

Mr. S. M. Pradhan



Betten House with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. P. Bhattacharya, Mr. T Calvert, Mr. N. S. Lawrence (House Master)
and Mr. N. Kumar

BETTEN HOUSE REPORT-1993

House Master:
Mr. N.S. Lawrence

House Monitors:
Avinash Agarwal
Kapil Chhetri

At the end of another academic year, it's time to take stock of the year's events, to bury the tomahawk, to smoke the 'Peace-pipe' and to enjoy a blissful respite.

As I sit at my desk to write this report, I look out of my window at the empty precincts that comprise the Junior Wing, a curtain of silence has descended all around, and on this, dismal morning, another page of history for Betten House is written.

With the re-introduction of the league system, more opportunities for participation were provided to each boy. The competitive spirit received a new impetus. Betten House did its best to perform in the true spirit of sportsmanship, but victory always appeared too far an end to get to. It was a year in which the house experienced a reversal of fortunes, and in comparison to the previous year, it had to be content with bringing up the rear.

Avinash Agarwal and Kapil Chhetri, worked very hard as the monitors of the house and despite failures and disappointments, they struggled till the end with alacrity and the tenacity of pupose.

On 24th April, Anderson and Betten worked together to provide the entertainment for their house concert. The English play in one act entitled, 'The Ghost of Jerry Bundler', was so brilliantly carried through that even during a power failure, which the audience was oblivious of, conditions on the stage were accepted as part of the stage-setting. A Hindi skit entitled, 'KHILOUNA', a farce on conditions in our country, was a thorough success. Four songs in Nepali, Bengali, Hindi and English formed the concluding part of the programme.

The P.T. Cup was the only trophy which the house was able to clinch, but besides this, the house was also lucky enough to win cakes for the P.T. Competition, for the 20 X100 m relay, for marching on Sports Day and for winning the 'Standards' in Athletics in 1993, - Better late than never. Avinash Agarwal was adjudged the best commander in both P.T. Competitions. Along with this, he was also awarded the prize for the 'Best Elocutionist' in the

Junior Wing. Vikramjit Bora was awarded the prize for Bible reading.

In conclusion, I wish to thank our house tutors-Mr. T. Calvert and Mrs. P. Bhattacharya for all their timely support and encouragement during the year. I thank the monitors and the boys of class eight too, for upholding the dignity and prestige of the house, for instilling the virtues of loyalty and harmony amongst the boys throughout the year. On behalf of the house, I wish them happiness and prosperity in the years ahead.

Deo Gratias.

N.S. Lawrence



Cable House with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. A. Rai, Mr. S. D. Lama, Mrs. G. Kanti (House Mistress) and Mr. S. Roy

CABLE HOUSE REPORT-1993

House Mistress

Mrs.G.Kanti

House Tutors

Mr.S.D.Lama

Mr.S.Roy

Mrs.A.Rai

House Monitors

Amit Agarwal

Ritesh Pandey

The year 1993 marked the beginning of another competitive year for Cable House. After the long winter holidays, the boys were filled with vigour and were full of enthusiasm to do their best. Amit Agarwal and Ritesh Pandey were appointed the Monitors of the House.

The year, as any other year, began with the Cricket season. From the very beginning of the Cricket league matches until the last house match, the Cablittes kept striving to achieve the best results. Cable House played its last Cricket match against Betten. Betten put up a difficult target of 149 runs. All the players did exceptionally well. Pankaj Agarwal's splend 37 helped Cable to achieve victory. The overall result was that Cable shared the Cricket Cup with Westcott.

The J.W. Inter-House Hindi Elocution contest was soon to follow on 28th May. After the regular practice of many days, Cable did their best and succeeded in getting the cup with Anderson and Westcott.

At the end of May the 1st Quarterly Examinations were held. Surprisingly, there were at least 2-3 students in the top five ranks of every section of the J.W.

After the May break, the football season began. There was excitement in every heart for the game. Cable was in full form and spirit. From the very start of the practice matches, Cablittes were brimming with determination to win the cup. They began their venture from the very first league match. All our teams lived upto our expectations. The team won many matches in succession. We ultimately achieved success. The cup was ours.

This success was followed by the J.W Inter-House English Elocution contest. Cablittes put up a splendid team spirit. Prince Khetan did exceedingly well. Cable was on the whole, positioned

2nd in the contest.

Cable along with Westcott produced a marvellous concert on the evening of 24th July, titled 'The Lotus'. The play dealt with India's problems and ways of overcoming them. Every one acted very well. More than 30 boys were involved in helping while about 40 boys went up on the stage. A lot of splendid chart work was put in as well. India's map with a flag in the background, the emblem, the National animal-The Tiger, The National Bird, The Peacock and of course the National Flower-The Lotus were liked by everyone.

The Marathon season was soon to follow. Cablittes ran on the 24th August with a splendid performance from Rajkumar, Amit Agarwal and Alif Anwar the house was positioned 2nd.

After Marathon, the Table Tennis House matches were conducted. Pankaj Agarwal, Amit Agarwal and Gautam Jagwani played with unbounded excitement. They won every opponent player they met. We came out victorious eventually.

Athletics, the most awaited-for season followed Table Tennis. Many Cablittes did superbly on Sports Day. Pankaj Agarwal was selected the best Athlete from his division and was awarded the Victor Laudourm Award. We came 2nd in the 20X100 m relay and 1st in the 4 X 100 m relay. Overall we came 2nd for the Athletics Cup.

Cablittes contributed efficiently towards the class work cup. The following boys were honoured with prizes on Speech Day:

Amber Huria	6A	Vazir Fatehi	6B
Ujjal Chandna	6B	Kunal Choudhury	6C
Shashank Dubey	7A	Atif Anwar	7B
Gaurav Jain	7C	P.M. Thackur	8A
Arnab Banerjee	8B	Amit Agarwal	8C

Rajeev Pradhan 8A got the J.W. Art Prize while Pankaj Agarwal 8C got the B.J.Sharma Prize for the best Sportsman. Amit Agarwal 8C also got the Gayatri Kanti Medal for consistent academic achievement in the Junior Wing.

Badminton and Lawn Tennis came next. Lawn Tennis was won by three Houses including Cable. Pankaj Agarwal, Ritesh Pandey and TIM Shaniur Nabi played exceptionally well and won the Badminton Cup as well.

The J.W. Inter House Quiz contest was held in the month of

October with the magnificent team of Ritesh Pandey. Cable won the Quiz Cup without much difficulty.

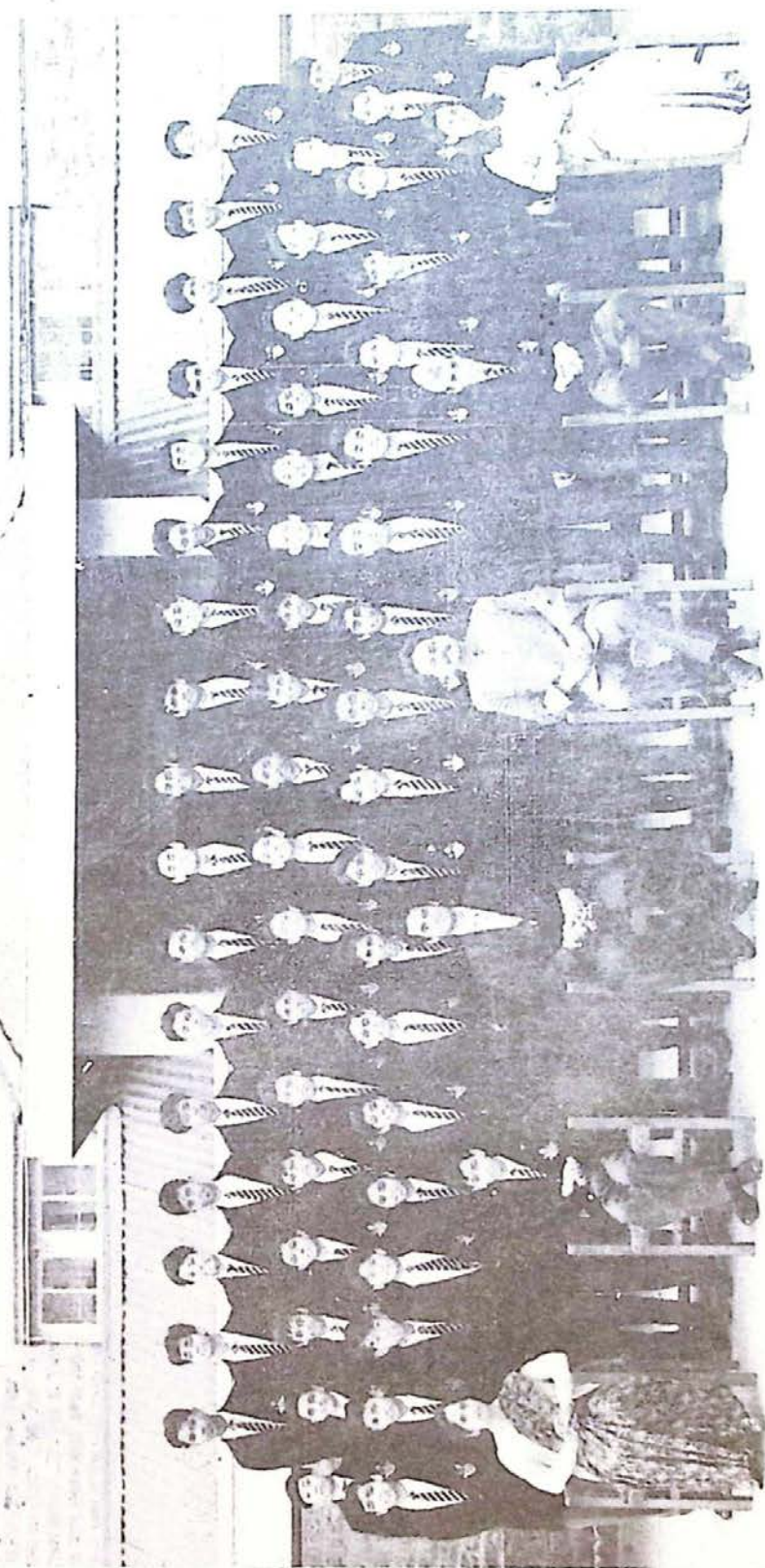
We bade farewell to Mr. S. Mallick and welcomed Mr. S.D. Lama, Mrs. A. Rai and Mr. S.Roy to the House.

In the end, I personally wish to thank all the Members of Cable House and Mr. G.R. Anthony (Head J.W.) for all the help and guidance throughout the year.

Mrs. G. Kanti.



A Scene from Cable and Westcott House Concert.



Westcott House with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. U. S. Baoni, Mr. M. S. Calvert (House Master), Mr. J. Singh and Mrs. Dwivedi,

WESTCOTT HOUSE REPORT-1993

House Master:

Mr. M.S.Calvert

House Tutors:

Mrs. S.Dwivedi

Mrs. U.Baoni

Mr. J.Singh

House Monitors:

S.Sanyal

S.C.Lall(till mid July)

S.P.S.Bali (July to Nov.)

The School should always have as its aim that the young man leave it as a harmonious personality, not as a specilaist. It is for this very reason that St. Paul's stresses the development of general ability for independent thinking and judgement. To help in this education process the school has a wide range of activities which transcends the classroom and encourages the student to acquire an understanding of and a lively feeling for values. At the close of this year I can confidently note that the boys of Westcott House have benefitted a great deal from such an education and will continue to derive the best of what is offered at St. Paul's.

The house embarked on a fruitful year with S. Sanyal and S.C.Lall leading the team as monitors. A few months later S.C.Lall was withdrawn from the school and S.P.S. Bali comfortably fitted into his shoes. The house records with pride that S.C.Lall won a scholarship and was sent abroad to England to study in Oundle School.

The year was indeed a bright one for the house. The boys showed their prowess on the field right from the word 'go'. They began on a good wicket by scoring away to victory in cricket. They dribbled their way to second position in football and first position in hockey. S.P.S.Bali, R.Risal, S.Tulachan, I.Jaiswal and a host of others need to be commended on their brilliant performance.

On moving to the courts, Westcott once again displayed a spirit which eventually brought home the Basketball and Volleyball Cups. In the Racquet games the house came second having come first in Squash and Tennis. At the P.T.competition also the house came second.

The Marathon finals was a proud day for the house when the boys ran in first leaving the other houses way below in the tally of points. It must be noted that in Div. A seven of the first nine were Westcottiens. They were as follows: P. Choudhury (1st); S.Pradhan (2nd), A.Gurung (3rd), S. Rana (5th). S.Modi (6th),

K.Shah (7th),and K. Tashi Sherpa (9th). The Athletic Standards Cup and the Athletics Cup were also won by Westcott. In addition to the above boys there were others like V. Agarwal, K. Kabir, R. Jaiswal and R. Risal who contributed greatly and made this possible. V. Agarwal was the proud recipient of the Victor Ludorum in Div.B.

In the art of public speaking Westcottians were no simpletons. A.Behl,B.R.Mishra, A Kanoi,R.Garg and S. Sanyal confidently executed their oratory skill in an august gathering to secure the first position in the Hindi and English Elocution and also in Debating. B. R. Mishra and S.Sanyal were two of the three who were adjudged as best speakers.

A new feature this year was the combining of two houses to stage a concert, On the 24th of July, Cable and Westcott jointly produced "The Lotus". a trilingual play recalling India's past greatness and bringing to light the various problems faced by Indians and the solutions to these problems. The audience also got a glimpse of the rich cultural heritage of which we are so proud, through songs, dance and drama. The house places on record its gratitude to Mr. G.Bhattacharya who not only wrote the Bengali script but also spent many evenings helping and directing. Mrs. Kanti is also to be thanked for contributing and helping with the Hindi script. For the boys of Cable and Westcott this was an ideal opportunity to be involved in something different. The audience appreciated the efforts of the young actors. It is to be noted that S.Sanyal was chosen to take a major role in the school play -Ten Little Indians and was well rewarded when he was given the best actor's prize.

On Speech Day, besides other awards collected by Westcottians, there were B.R. Mishra and A.Kanoi who were given the first prize for their academic achievement and V. Agarwal, A. Banerjee and R. Garg were given the second prize. These and many other boys contributed greatly towards the winning of the Class-Work Cup.

Given the roaring success the house met with during the course of the year it was only natural that they were awarded the most coveted and prestigious trophy, the Solomon Cup. The boys were jubilant, and rightly so, for they had indeed worked conscientiously and diligently to earn it.

In conclusion the house would like to thank Mr. S.Dwivedi, Mrs. U.Baoni and Mr.J.Singh for their help and support through the year.

Mr. M. S. Calvert

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRIMARY WING-1993

Term began on 14th March and throughout the day many of the local boys and those escorted privately arrived during the day light hours. It was not till around 7 p.m. that the main parties from Calcutta and Gauhati came in three buses. The boys looked sleepy and exhausted yet with enough energy to cling tightly to their massive tuck parcels. Whilst the boys greeted each other jubilantly and moved off to dinner, it was left to the staff to deal with such mundane things as the luggage, passports, tuck, extra money and medicines. By the end of the month we had our full total of 231 boarders plus 15 staff children.

This year we had a responsible group of House Monitors who were very helpful throughout the year when ever needed. These monitors are:

Everest : Abhishek Vishal and Mayang Longchar

Hillary : Ankur Gupta and Jyoti Prakash

Hunt : Yin Chin Hsiung and Anil Kumar

Tenzing : Ankit Das and Sarfaraz Alam

We were unfortunate not to have a full staff attendance at the beginning of the year. Mrs. Paulose was ill and did not report till September. I would like to thank Miss R. Rai for stepping in as an effective substitute. Mrs. Yadav took leave to complete a degree and Mr. Bastian to get married while Mrs. P.P. Tshering visited her son in Australia. We are grateful to the students from the Mt. Hermon Teachers' Training College for their help. In September Miss Rozario had to suddenly leave to tend to her ailing mother. Our deepest sympathies went out to Miss Rozario with the sad demise of her mother in late September. Mr. J. Roy helped out during this absence. On a brighter note we were happy to have with us Mr. G. Lepcha as our music teacher and Sister B. Tamang as our resident nurse.

Our weekly Chapel services were held on Saturday and the children learnt a number of choruses with accompaniments on the piano and guitar. Towards the end of the year we were happy to welcome our new Chaplain, the Rev. N. Sen, who was in time to help us with a sprightly carol service including a traditional tableau of the nativity story.



PRIMARY WING CAROL SERVICE-1993



The library was reorganized by the Senior Librarian to include some newspaper and magazine stands. A number of new books were added to the library. The damp monsoon months were largely occupied with Hobbies. These activities culminated with a splendid exhibition on the Annual Speech Day. The items displayed included woollen soft toys and mats, weaving, mobiles, leafprinting wall-hangings, embroidered bags, string art, greeting cards, collage pictures ingeniously contrived with toothpicks and ice-cream sticks, stamp collection. This year some boys attempted to learn the violin and guitar as part of the activities under Hobbies.

PW Annual Concert 1993 - contributed by Miss Rozario

RUMPELSTILTSKIN : As always the Primary Wing succeeded in involving as many children in our annual concert held on May 29th. This times effort involved a choir of some 50 children and narrators of another 30, all rendering in song or rhyme the story of the magician dwarf Rumpelstiltskin mimed by Amar Bajracharya in the title role.

Rumpelstiltskin helps a poor miller's daughter (Amanbir Grewal) to spin straw into gold for the greedy king (Kris Sakarai) and becomes his queen. But not before she promises Rumpelstiltskin her first born. The dwarf isn't all wicked though. He agrees to forget the deal on condition that the queen discovers within 3 days what his name might be which she does with the help of several huntsmen. This so angers Rumpelstiltskin that he stamps his way through the floor and is never seen again.

Credit must go to the little folk who mimed the additional parts of millers and courtiers, the smart dancers in their high boots and red jackets, the little street urchins without whose support the leading characters could not have shone.

Quizzing : contributed by Mrs. Seal and Mrs. Sharma.

The first round of the quiz competition got off to an exciting start on 8th May with all the students of class IV and V participating. The second round which was held on 7th August comprised the ten best participants from each house. The final round on 25th. September saw each team being represented by the best three participants. Both Hillary and Everest emerged a joint first. However, the tie was broken and Everest retained the Quiz Cup. Neelay

Chowdhury (HI) was adjudged the best quizzier. We are thankful to Mr. B. Cecil, our Bursar, who conducted the final round.

Cubbing: Contributed by Miss A Tshering and Mrs. A. Calvert.

This activity takes places in the first term and helps the new children to get to know their teachers and to mingle freely amongst themselves irrespective of classes. The cubs are divided into 13 packs. The senior cubs help and guide the little ones in their care, teaching them the law and promise, the dances and games, and the tests to win a FIRST STAR BADGE. The Grand Rally was held on 1st May and the results are as follows:

Post Office Relay won by Mowgli Pack.

Rolling the Ball under the Bridge won by Kaa Pack

Lime and Spoon Race won by Sambhar Pack

Piggy Back Race won by Mang Pack

Quick Dressing won by Sambhar Pack

Observation won by Mor Pack

The Queen of Sheba won by Kaa Pack

The final score placed Kaa and Sambhar as joint winners. Chocolates were distributed as awards and a special lunch with Ice-cream ended the occasion.

On Independence Day the Head Sixer, Sandeep Tuladhar lead with a renewal of the cubs promise in the presence of Colonel V.Badgel, C/o Territorial Army. They then went on to sing a rousing song "My Strangest Dream" in two-part harmony.

Prize examination : Contributed by Mrs. Mukhia & Mrs. P. Calvert.

The Art Competition was held in April on a clear sunny day. The contestants had a varied choice of subjects and colour medium. The best works of Art were displayed later. Everest House came first with Tenzing, Hillary and Hunt following close behind.

The Moore Divinity Prize Examination was keenly contested and the final result showed Neelay Chowdhury(HI) as winner and Sanjeev Mehra (EV) placed a close second.

The Essay Competition was held on the 4th of September. Twelve boys from each house participated from classes IV and V. Kris Sakaria stood first having written on the topic. 'I am an old Umbrella'.



The Primary Wing Football Team with Mr. A. Alva.



The Primary Wing Gymnastics Team with Mr. P. Nedumaran

Elocution: contributed by Mrs. Yadav and Mrs. Lawrence.

The Inter House Elocution Competition held on 31st July evoked an excellent response and was keenly contested. Our Chief Guest on this occasion was Mrs. D'Silva. This year too, the competition included choral speaking in addition to individual recitation. This gave the contest more scope and made it for more exciting as it enabled all students from the wing to participate in his own varied style. In the individual group, there were four participants from each class representing their respective houses.

The Best Elocutionist from class 1 -3 was Philip Roy (Ev) and from class 4-5, it was Nabamita Bagchi (Hl). in the choral speaking, Tenzing bagged the laurel in class 3; Hillary and Hunt shared the honours in class 4; and Hillary was first in class 5 as well. The overall house positions were - Hillary first followed by Everest, Tenzing and Hunt.

Drama: Contributed by Mrs. Paulose and Mrs. Mukhia.

The Inter - House Drama Competition was held on 18th of September, All the four houses put in their best so much so; the Judges had a difficult time grading them.

Hunt was adjudged the Best House, who put up "My Son, The Prince" in which the King (Gaurav Agarwal) was disappointed with his three sons, particularly in the choice of their brides! Gaurav was awarded the Best Actor's Prize.

Tenzing House staged "Two Blind Men and a Donkey" in which the two blind beggars (real crooks and cheats) depicted how some beggars resort to cheating in the name of begging!

Hillary House presented "The King's Pocket Knife" in which the forgetful King made his entire Kingdom search for his pocket knife in vain, only to find it in his own pocket after all the search.

Everest House staged "The Dear Departed" depicting human greed to grab wealth even in the midst of grief and sorrow.

The Inter - House Drama Competition 1993 maintained the high standards set by the Primaries in previous years and was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present at the function.

Games & Sports : Contributed by Mr. Bastian, Mr. Alva and Mr. Nedumaran.

Cricket: Played during the fine weather of the first term, this game generates a great deal of enthusiasm. Three Inter-school fixtures were played by the "F" team.

Vs St. Joseph's (away)	- we lost
Vs Mount Hermon (away)	- we won
Vs St. Joseph's (home)	- we lost.

The Inter-House Cricket matches were keenly contested with the Cricket Cup finally going to Hunt House.

Table Tennis: Each House nominated its four best players for the Inter-House Championship. The final match between Vikash Atal (Tz) and Yin Chin Hsung (Ht) was a memorable one with each player being equally good till, at the very end Yin Chin won the last game by a slender two point margin. Hunt House won the trophy.

Football: The football season is normally played in the first term. We lost all our Inter-school fixtures against St. Joseph's and Mount Hermon though the boys put up a spirited fight. A friendly match arranged between the PW team and Class VI of the Jr. Wing ended in a draw. The Inter-House games saw Hunt House win convincingly. Some boys who have shown exceptional talent are Sandeep Tuladhar, Vivek Risal & Vivek Thapa, the latter being congratulated by teachers from other schools when he took part in the 4' 10" and under team at Goethals.

Basketball: Training began in the first term though the House matches were not played till the end of the year. The children enjoyed playing on the resurfaced PW Court and a number of them show promise for the future. The final House positions are as follows: First Hunt followed by Everest, Tenzing and Hillary.

Hockey: The delayed Puja Holidays forced this season into a meagre fortnight before the final exams. As a result the children did not get enough time to learn the finer points of the game, rushing straight into the Inter-House fixtures after a few days of practice. Tenzing House won the Hockey Cup.

Marathon and Athletics: Most of August is devoted to the Running Season and the boys repeatedly practised the run from Jalapahar down to school so as to build up their stamina. The finals of the marathon were held on the 24th of August and, on a clear afternoon Eric Manandar (Tz) breasted the tape as a clear winner.

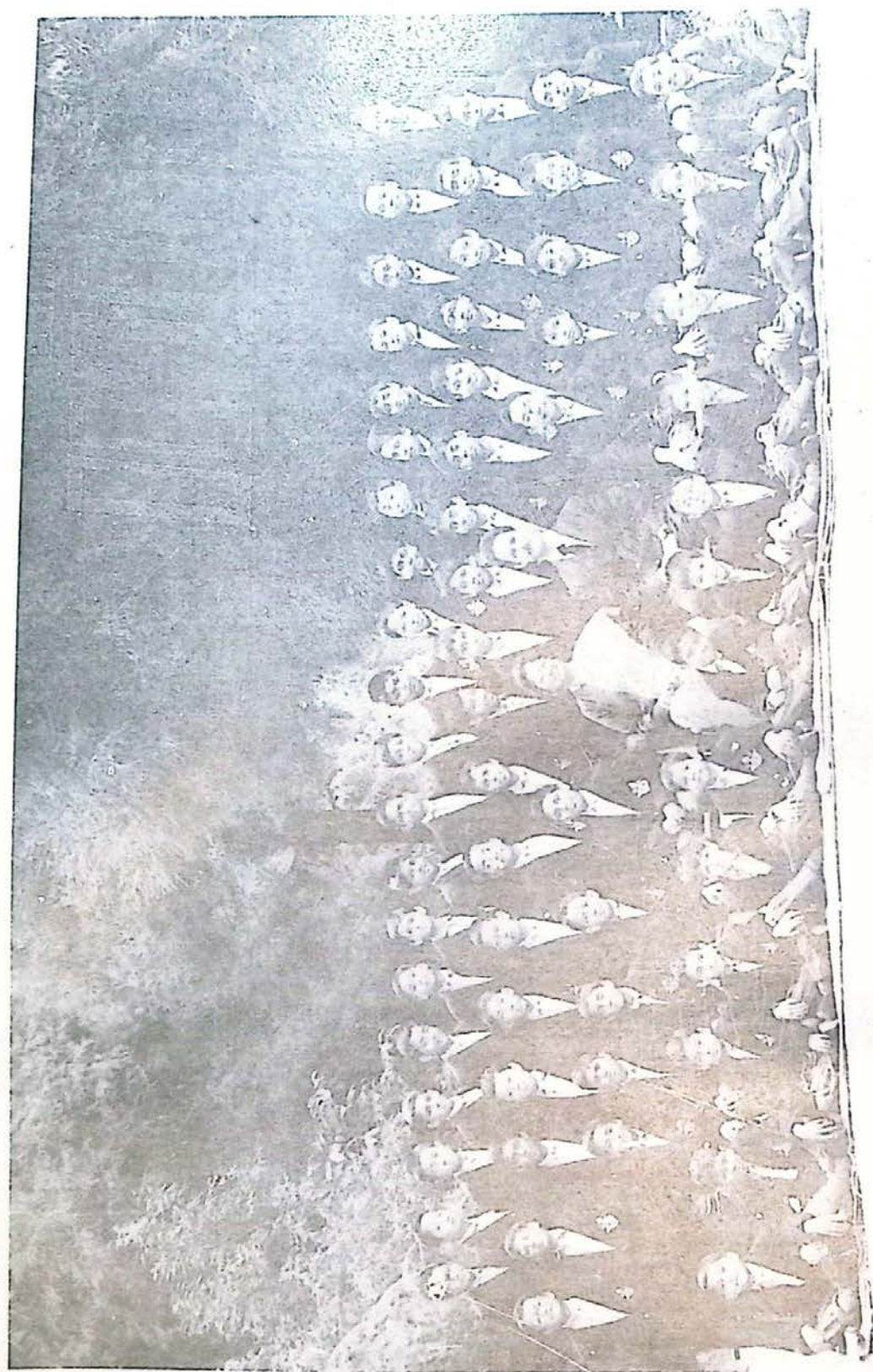
Tenzing House was also adjudged the winner of the Marathon Cup. The Athletics season followed immediately after this with the House Standards providing sufficient practice. Tenzing edged to the top of the table and retained this position to receive the coveted Athletics Cup on Sports Day. The Best Athlete in the PW was Limathung Ezong(Ht).

Concluding Remark: Our efforts in the Primary Wing have always been shouldered jointly by all the members of the staff and I take this opportunity to thank the Matrons, the Caterer, the Nurse, the Office Staff and above all the Teaching Staff for their devoted service to the children under our care.

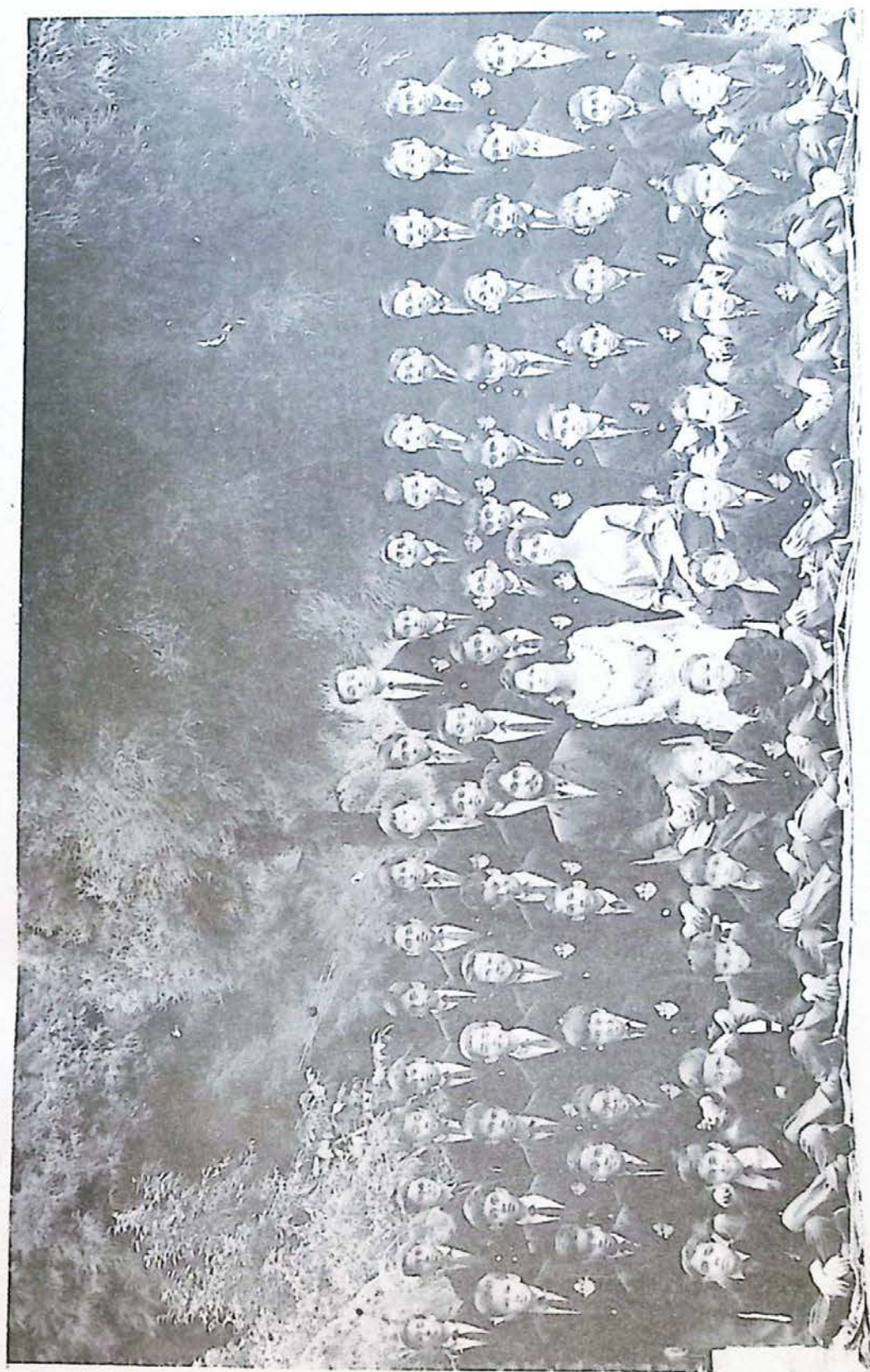
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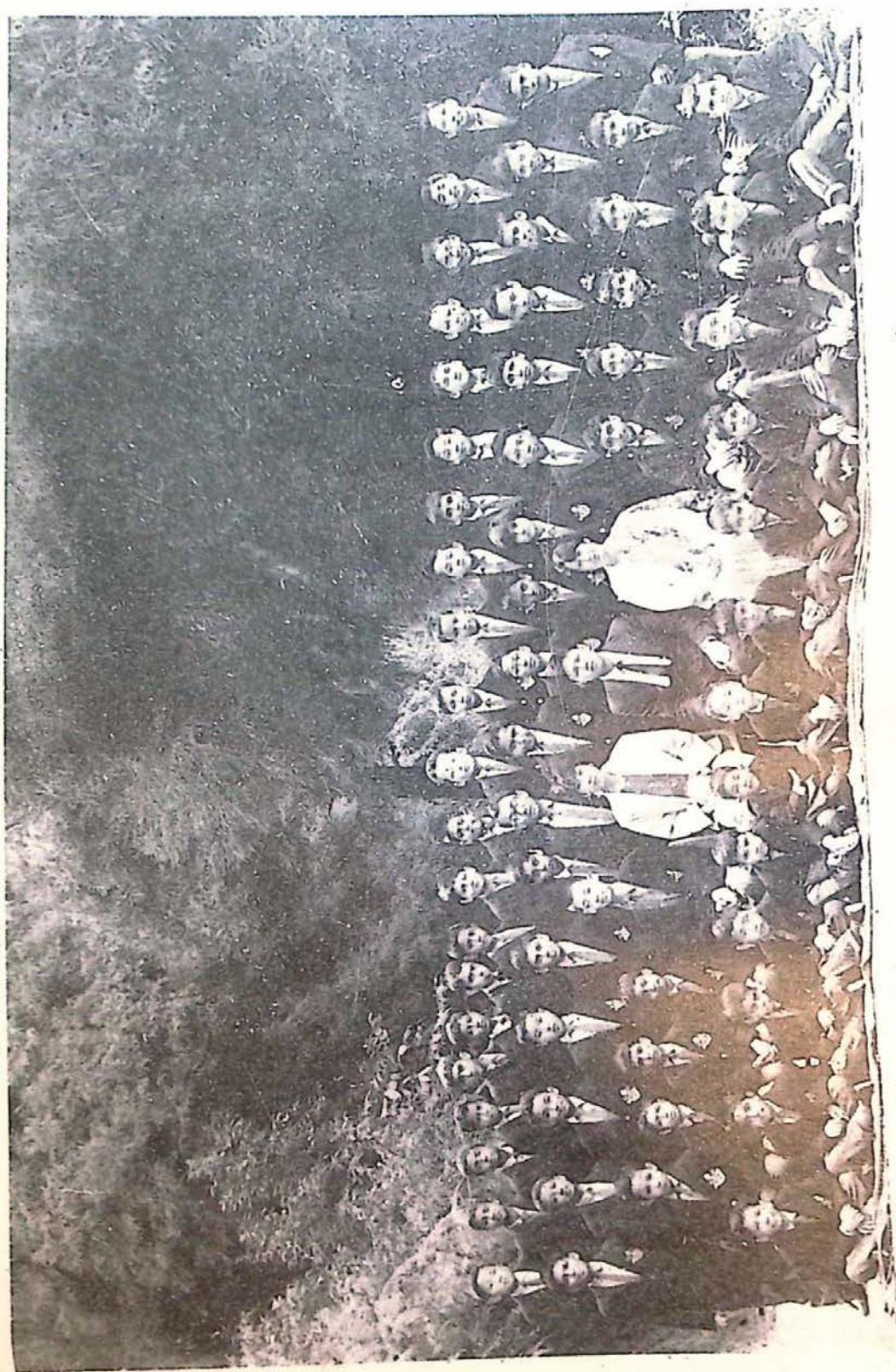
Primary Wing Monitors with Mrs. E. Howard (Head)



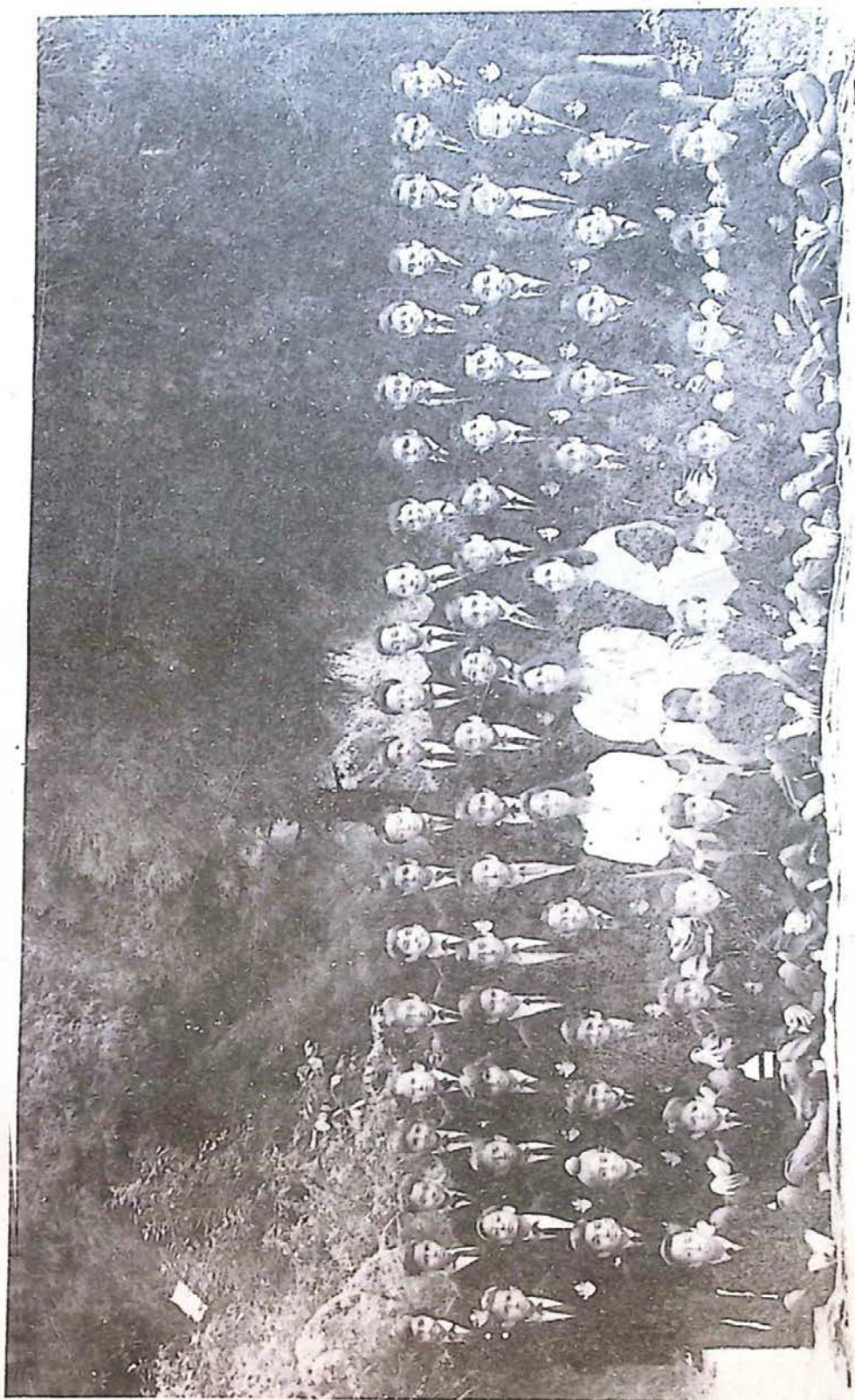
Everest House with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. D. Paulose (House Mistress) and Mr. A. Alva



Hillary House with (L-R : Seated) Mr. J. Bastian, Mrs. C. Lawrence (House Mistress) and Mrs. P. Calvert.

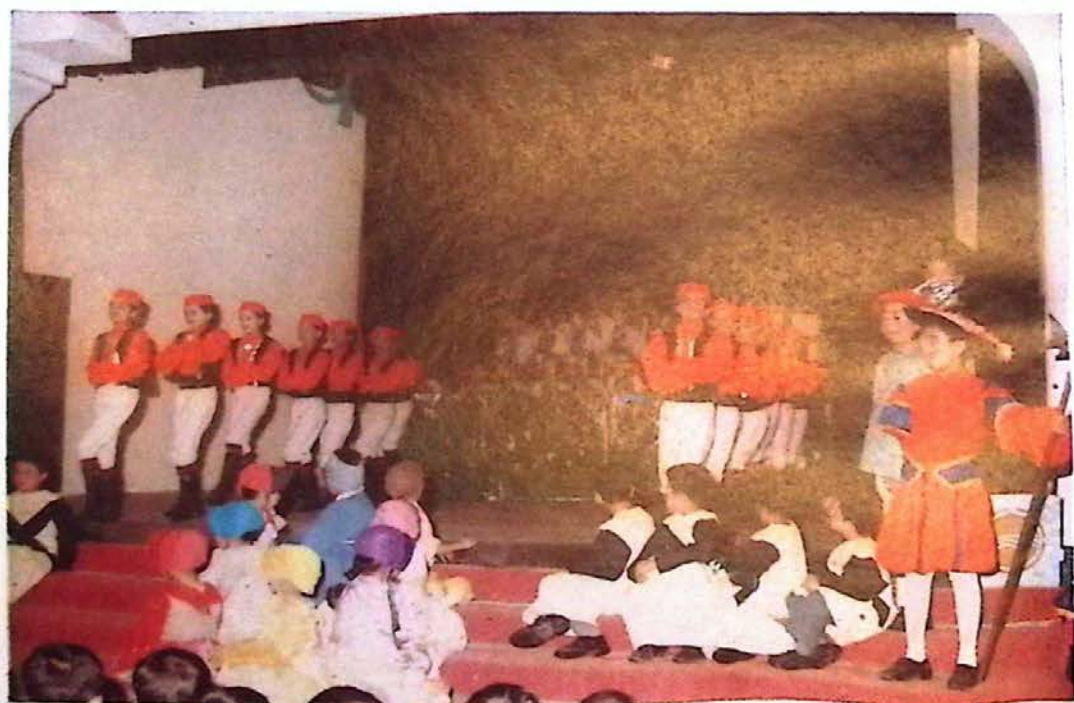


Hunt House with (L-R : Seated) Miss A. Tshering and Mrs. S. Mukhia



Tenzing House with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. A. Calvert, Mrs. R. Yadav (House Mistress) and Mrs. M. Sharma

SCENES FROM THE PRIMARY WING CONCERT





The Primary Wing Cricket Team with Mr. J. Bastian

ENGLISH LITERARY SOCIETY

Master-in-charge
Mr. P. K. M. Roy
Mr. D. A. Howard

Secretary:
P. C. Lall

This composite report not only Chronicles the activities under English but also some items that do not find space elsewhere but are of a literary nature. Through the year the Society was guided by Mr. P. K. M. Roy, and, after September, by the Rector.

The year began with some enthusiastic debating by Samarjit Bhattacharya, Rahul Rana and Krishna Modi. The beautiful Grindlay's Shield was won by Clive House. The Air Force Trophy for the Best Public Speaker went to Krishna Modi.

The Inter-House Elocution Contest was carefully prepared for and revealed a high level of expertise. The system was slightly modified this year to bring the selection of pieces into closer alignment with the demands of the Inter-School Competition. Thus class IX and X performed extracts in Drama and Extempore Speech eliminating poetry and prose, and this was repeated by the boys of XI & XII. The House trophy was won jointly by Clive and Hastings. Details of the results are:

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|--------------------------------|---|
| Junior Div. (Drama) | 1. R. Shrestha (Hs)
2. R. Mehra (CI) |
| Junior Div. (Extempore) | 1. D. Addya (Hs) and
A. Kanoi (CI) jointly |
| Sr. Div. (Drama) | 1. R. Rana (Hv) and
S. Bhattacharya (CI) jointly |
| Sr. Div. (Extempore) | 1. S. Bushan (Hs)
2. K. Modi (CI) |

The Sakraney Medal for elocution was awarded to Samarjit Bhattacharya. The Inter-School Elocution Contest for the N.M. Master Memorial Shield was held at Loreto Convent and marked the highlight of activities in Elocution, being the most prestigious of the challenge trophies. This year we came 2nd on the whole, losing to St. Josephs, but the team put up a very creditable performance.

The participants were:

Junior :	Brijesh Raj Mishra	- 1st
Intermediate :	Avinash Agarwal	- 2nd
Senior (Drama) :	Vikram Soni	- 2nd
Senior (Extempore) :	Christopher Stolke	- 4th

Mr. Saxena visited the school in May and spoke to the boys about emerging trends in world history. In October a team of visiting Australian Professors spoke to the seniors on technical education opportunities now available in Australia. In November the students of Literature were invited to Loreto College to view a photo exhibition on trends in Modern British Drama, mounted by the British Council, Calcutta. Among the memorable quotes was "Among a thousand people, there are nine hundred in commerce, ninety - nine who are scientific, and just one Lucky fellow-the artiste".

The Senior School boys presented their usual four House Concerts and the talent revealed finally culminated in the presentation of the School Play, "Ten Little Indians" by Agatha Christie. More details are found elsewhere in this Chronicle, suffice it to say that the play was a success. The G.V.Swaika Medal for Drama was given to Rahul Rana and the Nilima Bose Medal for excellence in theatre to Samarjit Bhattacharya.

The results of the Prize Exams are as follows:

The Carter English Essay Prize was won by Dinesh Thapar.

The Nani Bala Dey Literature Prize was won by S.Bhattacharya

The Saraf Short Story Prize was won by P.C.Lall.

A special word of thanks goes out to the Paulite Editors who have worked hard over the year and, in particular, to Soumyabrato Palchowdhury who has assisted me throughout the year. I would also like to thank Mr. P. K. M. Roy and the Rector for their guidance and encouragement.

P. C. Lall
Secretary



Paulite Editors with Mr. G. Bhattacharya, Mr. S. Chakravarthi, Mrs. G. Kanti and Mr. B. B. Tamang.

SCHOOL PLAY (TEN LITTLE INDIANS)



Mrs. Rogers, the first to die, on Indian Island.



Anthony Marston, the next death while the others read
"TEN LITTLE INDIANS".

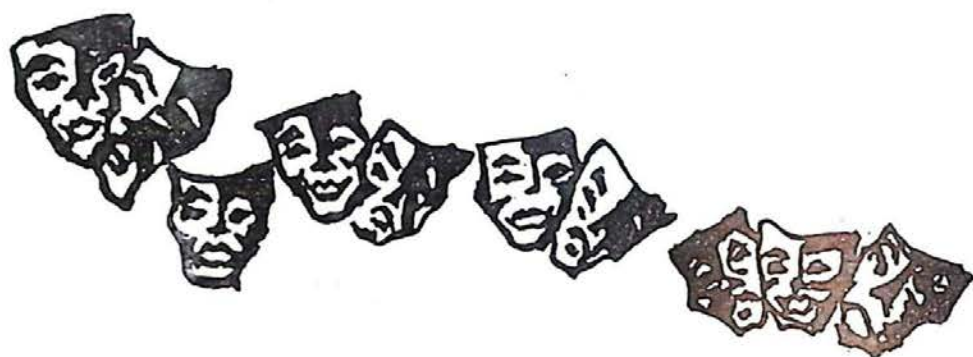


St. Paul's School, Darjeeling

Presents

THE SEVEN

INDIANES



By

Agatha Christie

on

14th & 16th October, 1993

in

the School Hall

“TEN LITTLE INDIANS”

Ten little Indian boys
Going out to dine
One choked his little self
And then there were Nine

Five little Indian boys
Going in for Law
One got in chancery
And then there were Four

Nine little Indian boys
Sat up very late
One overslept himself
And then there were Eight

Four little Indian boys
Sailing out to Sea
A red herring swallowed one
And then there were Three

Eight little Indian boys
Going down to Devon
One got left behind
And then there were Seven

Three little Indian boys
Going to the Zoo
A big tiger swallowed one
And then there were two

Seven little Indian boys
Chopping up Sticks
One chopped himself in half
And then there were Six

Two little Indian boys
Sitting in the Sun
One got frizzled up
And then there was one

Six little Indian boys
Playing with a hive
A bumble bee stung one
And then there were Five

One little Indian boy
Left all alone
He went and hanged himself
And then there were none

SETTING

The Scene of the play is the living - room of
the house on Indian Island, off the coast of Devon.

SCHOOL PLAY (TEN LITTLE INDIANS)



Miss Emily Brent and Vera Claythorne in a serious moment of discussion.



Sir Lawrence Wargrave, in the final moment of his death with Vera Claythorne

TIME

ACT I

An evening in August

ACT II

Scene 1 The following morning

Scene 2 The same day, afternoon

ACT III

Scene 1 The same day, evening

Scene 2 The following morning

TEN LITTLE INDIANS

CAST

(in order of their appearance)

Rogers	...	Krishna Modi
Narracot	...	Rajeev Mehra
Mrs. Rogers	...	Roktim Jyoti Barua
Vera Claythorne	...	Saswata Sanyal
Philip Lombard	...	Samarjit Bhattacharya
Anthony Marston	...	Anuj Poddar
William Blore	...	Pavan Chand Lall
General Mackenzie	...	Dinesh Thapar
Emily Brent	...	Samrat Bhusan
Sir Lawrence Wargrave	...	Rahul Rana
Dr. Armstrong	...	Debraj Bhattacharya

***Produced and Directed by
Rector — Mr. D. A. Howard***

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Prompters : Soumyabrata Palchoudhury; Jitendra Baid

COSTUMES

Ms. S. Sobti

SETS

Mr. Gokul Chettri & his team

ART WORK

Mr. R.S. Baoni

With

Imran Ali Ansari, Dipesh Thapa, Nawraj Pradhan, Ashish Bhattarai, Jigme Tshultrin, Khanyang Imlong, Yusuf Mannan, Pranay Rai.

Stage Work & Props

Mr. H.N.. Stolke

With

Siddhant Pradhan, Rajat Jain, Ashwin Sethi, Devesh Hingorani, Sumeet Ghosh, Ajay Mehra, Tabrez Ahmed, Ranendranath Mukherjee, Zafar Rehman, Rahul Pradhan, Sandeep Singhal.

Lighting Effects

Mr. M.P. Yadav

With

Bilat Singh, Ashish Bhattarai, Santosh Nepal

Make Up

Mr. K.L. Pradhan, Mr. S.M. Pradhan, Ms. G. Kanti, Ms. R. Anthony
(The entire production team wishes to acknowledge the enthusiastic help of all estate workers, tailors, electricians and carpenters.)

THE SCHOOL PLAY

-a review

One of the highlights of the academic year at St. Paul's is the School Play. Our school has a tradition of brilliant acting and able direction, and this year was no exception.

In 1993, we did not have any pontificating about 'causes' to be upheld or subtle 'messages' to be conveyed. Instead, this year's School Play, a murder mystery, based on Agatha Christie's "Ten Little Indians", provided sheer entertainment and kept the audience spell bound in suspense until the very end. The dialogue was simple and straightforward, the direction and production under the Rector, Mr. D. A. Howard, very competent, and the acting by the eleven performers, a treat to watch. Although suspense was the watchword, there were intermittent doses of situation comedy and the humorous dialogue to provide comic relief. These served to heighten the overall effect.

The plot goes like this ten men and women, each of whom is suspected of having taken a human life at some stage in his or her life, are trapped in a house on an uninhabited island. As in the well-known nursery rhyme, each 'Little Indian', one by one, meets with his or her death, until there are only a few left. Each of those who die goes out in his own peculiar way, and no two deaths are repetitive. The murderer is a very clever but deranged person. The end comes as a surprise, after a rough and ready sort of poetic justice is meted out to each of the 'Ten Little Indians'.

Special mention needs to be made of the acting of Samarjit Bhattacharya, Samrat Bhusan, Saswata Sanyal and Rahul Rana. The stage setting was typically English and modern. The huge background painting of the sea, done by Mr. R.S. Baoni was breathtaking. The sound effects of the seagulls and the storm were quite slick, too.

Unfortunately, on the day these reviewers watched the play, the tape-recorded voices were a bit muffled and the pistol shots, flat. The scene in which there is a murder during a blackout tended to be a bit confused, and matters were made worse by the momentary power cuts in the Prep Hall.

Credit for this successful production goes not only to the Rector

and the boys, but also to all those in charge of prompting, costumes, sets, art work, stage work, props, lighting effects and make-up. The workers from the Estate Department who helped to set up the stage, tailors, electricians and carpenters must be commended for their untiring co-operation.

This year's production may have been a 'light' one, but it was by no measure any less impressive than those put up in the recent past. Congratulations to all concerned once again. In watching the play, we noticed there was much promise to be seen for the future, and we have already begun to look forward to next year's major production.

Mr. Subir Roy and Mr. Sunirmal Chakravarthi.



The Living room of the house on Indian Island - Guests on arrival.



Cricket match : Old Paulites Vs. School.

AUDIO VISUAL CLUB REPORT-1993

Master-in-charge:
Mr. M. P. Yadav

Student Secretary:
Bilat Singh

The Audio Visual Club took on its hectic work like the other years. The team consisted of the following members;

Bilat Singh (XII), A. Bhattaria (XI), Urgyan Sherpa(XI), T.Gyalzen (XI), A. Singh(X) J. Gyatsho (X), Santosh Nepal(X) G. Jalan (IX), S. Basnett (IX) & R. Shrestha (IX). The number of members was increased, thus making work easier because it was divided among all. With their co-operation and sincere work all the programmes e.g. the School Play, House concerts of all the three wings, sports day and various other programmes held in the school auditorium went through smoothly.

The 35 mm projector functioned smoothly throughout the year. We were able to screen a number of films during the weekends to entertain the Paulites after their hard week of academics and other activities. A few films were also screened on the 16 mm projector. The following is the list of the films screened over the course of the year :

- March:** Zone Troopers, Spies Like Us, Golden Seal.
- April:** Apradhi (Hindi) , Short Circuit, Baux Bandits, Gonjan (Bengali), They Call Me Trinity.
- May:** Little Mermaid, Robin Hood, Author Author, Green Ice (16mm), Wild Beasts.
- June:** Ransom, Vendetta of a Saint(16mm), The Hunk (16mm).
- July:** National Lampoon's Vacation, Madame Sousatzka.
- August:** Sir (Hindi).
- September:** Goonies, Pascali's Island, 1001 Nights, Frantic, Beetle Juice.
- October:** Électric Dreams, All Quiet On the Western Front, Saajan (Hindi), Zero.
- November:** King Kong, Chamatkar (Hindi), Police Academy 6, City Under Seige, Borderline, Rocketeer.

New megaphones and microphones were added to the stock of the club and it helped us throughout the year. The AVC is still expecting some more equipment in the near future.

Finally, I take this opportunity to thank Mr. M.P. Yadav and Shri Ram Kumar for the constant help they have given us throughout the year and I hope that the members of the club strive and aim for perfection.

Bilat Singh



The Audio Visual Club with Mr. M. P. Yadav

WESTERN MUSIC NOTES

Master-in-charge:
Rev. N.S. Sen

Secretary:
Anurag Goel

This year our fingers went to work in the beginning of April, playing happily, filling in the quiet and sleepy surroundings with cheerful tunes.

Our early practices were a bit sluggish due to the vacuum created by the resignation of Mr. D.A.V.Prince, our music instructor for several years. He was an institution in himself. His resignation sent shock waves around the school. He had become a rare unifying force, and St. Paul's reacted as one, with surprise, admiration, understanding and dismay. He had a special gift which he gave to the school in its entirety, and we didn't even get a chance to say 'thank you'. Among the boys there were predictable expressions of praise, regret and understanding and we know that wherever he goes, St. Paul's will always remember him for his measureless contribution.

There were no newcomers this year because of the lack of an instructor. Our total strength was twelve (in the band) out of which three were from the Junior Wing. It looked weak, but with the co-operation, understanding and enthusiasm of all involved, we went on to play successfully for many events. It was only from October, 1993, that Rev. Noel Sen joined the staff as the school Chaplain and to teach music (piano and violin).

As it has always been, House Concerts provided an excellent place to exhibit the talents of our young musicians. This challenge was eagerly faced and overcome by many. The proof of this lies in the success of the three hour long musical evening held in mid - July. All the boys hopped at any chance to play and this enthusiasm bore fruit. The boys were able to churn out a rare blend of emotion and music to produce music of a high standard and each boy deserves congratulations.

After a gap of two years, the Adams Music Prize was awarded to student secretary, Anurag Goel. The Rahul Music Prize was awarded to Kunal Singh.

After long and strenuous practices the band played for the Independence Day and Sports Day events. Our performance on Independence Day was greatly appreciated. After our success on that occasion we did not look back and went on to play for the March Past on Sports Day.

We hope the society regains its strong foothold next year and wish it all best for the years to come.

Anurag Goel



Rev. Noel Sen with the School Band

HINDI PARISHAD

Master-in-charge
Mr. G. R. Anthony

Secretary
Pravash Agarwal

St. Paul's School's Hindi Parishad, like the previous years functioned with a high degree of success. With the combined effort of teachers and students, the Hindi Parishad was able to organize many activities.

The J.W. Inter-House Hindi Elocution was the first of its activities which was held on 28th April, 1993. The results were as follows:-

Class 6

- 1st :- Harsh Deorah
2nd :- Akshat Behl
3rd :- Sandeep Agarwal
4th :- Sambhaw Kumar

Class 8

- 1st :- Parul Agarwal
2nd :- Raza Ali
3rd :- Amit Agarwal
4th :- Ravi Garg

Class 7

- 1st :- Aditya Kanoi
2nd :- Rajat Kedia
3rd :- Prince Khetan
4th :- Sandeep Jaiswal

House positions

- Anderson
Cable
Westcott
Betten.

The Rudra Prize Examination was held on 29th April . This prestigious prize was won by Pravash Agarwal.

After a gap of many years, the junior boys of the Hindi Parishad entertained the boys and the parents who were here in the school for the May Break with a hilarious? Comedy "Parda Uthao, Parda Girao" a one act play, written by Upendra Nath Achak Produced by the Hindi Parishad and directed by Mrs. G. Kanti. Our thanks to all who came to help especially Mr. M. S. Calvert.

The long awaited S.W. Inter House Hindi Elocution contest was held on the 19th of May. After the conclusion of the show there were no doubts regarding the high standard of Hindi in our school. The results of the contest were as follows:-

Poetry Section

- 1st :- Prabhat Khetan
2nd :- Abhishek Kanoi
3rd :- Mrinal Kr. Sinha
4th :- Akhilesh Kumar

Prose Section

- 1st :- Vikram Soni
2nd :- Arvind Modi
3rd :- V.V. Agarwal
4th :- Barish Chowdhury

Drama Section

- 1st :- Rahul Rana
2nd :- Pravesh Agarwal
3rd :- Krishna Kr. Agarwal
4th :- Praveen Kishorepuria

House Position

- 1st :- Clive
2nd: - Hastings
3rd :- Havelock
4th :- Lawrence

This year the Inter School Hindi Elocution was held at St. Joseph's School. This is not held on a competitive basis. Our speakers Harsh Deorah, Anil Agarwal, Vishant Agarwal and Pravash Agarwal were outstanding.

On the eve of Independence Day, the senior members of the Hindi Parishad, staged a one act play "Purana Marz; Naya Elaz", written by Vinod Rastogi. The play was enjoyed by one and all. The cast consisted of Pravash Agarwal, Praveen Kishorepuria, Krishan Kr. Agarwal. Vishal Agarwal. Krishna Modi, Akhilesh Kumar, Prabhat Khetan and Govind Arora. The prize for the best actor was awarded to Praveen Kishorepuria. The play was directed by Mr. G.R. Anthony.

On the occasion of the Independence Day Pravash Agarwal delivered a speech in Hindi to the School.

This year, the Hindi Parishad, under the guidance of Mr. Kanti was able to put up a Hindi exhibition before the Puja break, which was appreciated by all the visitors, staff and students.

The Hindi Parishad of St. Paul's School will greatly miss Mr. K. Kanti and Mr. K. L. Pradhan, the two senior members of the Hindi Parishad. who will be retiring later this year.

At the close I would like to thank Mr. G. R. Anthony, Mr. K. Kanti, Mrs. G. Kanti, Mr. & Mrs. K. L. Pradhan & Mrs. S. Dwivedi members of the Parishad without whose guidance and co-operation, the Hindi Parishad would not have been able to function.

Pravash Agarwal



The Hindi Society with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. Pradhan, Mrs. Kanti, Mr. G. R. Anthony (Head), Mr. K. Kanti and Mrs. S. Dwivedi



The Bengali Society with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bhattacharya



The Hindi Society with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. Pradhan, Mrs. Kanti, Mr. G. R. Anthony (Head), Mr. K. Kanti and Mrs. S. Dwivedi



The Bengali Society with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bhattacharya

BENGALI SOCIETY - 1993

Master-in-charge

Mr. G. Bhattacharya

Secretary

Nabarun Bhowmik

It would be no exaggeration to say that the year has been a year of success for this society. All the members took active interest in the work of the society.

As in preceeding years, the Sr. Wing Inter-House Bengali Elocutionists spoke with eloquence and expression. Clive was declared the winner. The results are stated below.

Class IX Poetry Section.

1st (joint) Goutam Ghosh (Hs) & Debasish Mondal (Cl)

2nd Bhaskar Saha (Lw)

Class X (Prose)

1st Debasish Ganguly (Lw)

2nd Ranendranath Mukherjee(Cl) and Debraj Addya (Hs)

Class XI and XII (Drama)

1st - Samarjit Bhattacharya (Cl)

2nd - Nabarun Bhowmik (Hs)

3rd - Imran Ali Ansari (Lw)

In the inter-school elocution also our school team performed extremely well. We hosted the programme this year in our school Prep. Hall. Our heartiest congratulations to all the participants.

On the eve of 15th August, the Bengali Society was proud to present this year's successful one act play "Bhagaban Vandana" (praise the Lord) which was written and directed by Mr. G. Bhattacharya. Here was a lot to learn from this serio-comedy. By being honest and truthful, one cannot get success in his life, he has to do "base Spaniel fawning" for every inch of it. Nabarun Bhowmik, Imran Ansari, D. Roy played the lead roles and had the audience in fits of laughter right untill the end.

Nabarun was awarded the Best Actor's Prize for his excellent performance.

At this juncture, on behalf of Bengali Society I would like to express my gratitude and appreciation to Mr. G. Bhattacharya without whom this year's success would not have been possible. With this I take leave and wish the Society the very best in the years to come.

My best wishes to all

NEPALI PARISHAD

Master-in-charge

Mr. S. M. Pradhan

Secretary

Sujit Acharya

1993 was a wonderful year for the Nepali Society and its members. This year saw the Nepali Society with its usual vigour, enthusiasm and sincerity.

The improvement in the activities of the Nepali Society has been most noteworthy. The Society staged its annual Nepali play "Ek Din Bhari", a comedy in one act, (on the 14th of August) written by Mr. S. M. Pradhan. All the 5 actors Bikash Gurung, Vivek Pradhan, Sarvagya Mani Pradhan, Nawraj Pradhan and Sujit Acharya performed extremely well. Sarvagya was awarded the best actor.

The Madhuka Rana Nepali prize was awarded to Pranay Rai for his essay on Religion.

The Inter School Nepali Elocution was held at Bhadra Shila Memorial Institute, Lebong. Naresh Shrestha (IX), Kapil Chettri (VIII) and Brajesh Raj Mishra (VI) of St. Paul's participated in it. The standard in which they spoke their pieces was praiseworthy.

This report would be incomplete without extending my sincerest thanks to Mr. B. B. Tamang for all the help he offered. Not to forget our Sixth formers - Bikash Gurung, Sarvagya Pradhan, Vivek Pradhan and Sujit Acharya for their co-operation.

Last of all I wish all the members of the Society the very best of luck and hope that they will carry on progressing steadily and rapidly.

S. M. Pradhan



The Nepali Society with Mr. S. M. Pradhan.

ART & CRAFT REPORT - 1993

Master-in-charge

Mr. R. S. Baoni

Secretary

Imran Ali Ansari

The year 1993 saw arts & crafts of astonishing realities. This year marked the 170th annual arts and crafts exhibition. Owing to the school's very long tradition and to uphold this the exhibits were of an excellent standard. With the passing out of good artists, some others have taken this place. The credit for producing these young artists goes to Mr. & Mrs. Baoni who have painstakingly moulded and trained the young boys from the very beginning.

The rushing of the boys to the art, wood carving and Batik-rooms has always been increasingly there almost throughout the year. Hence interest and love for art remains higher than the previous year.

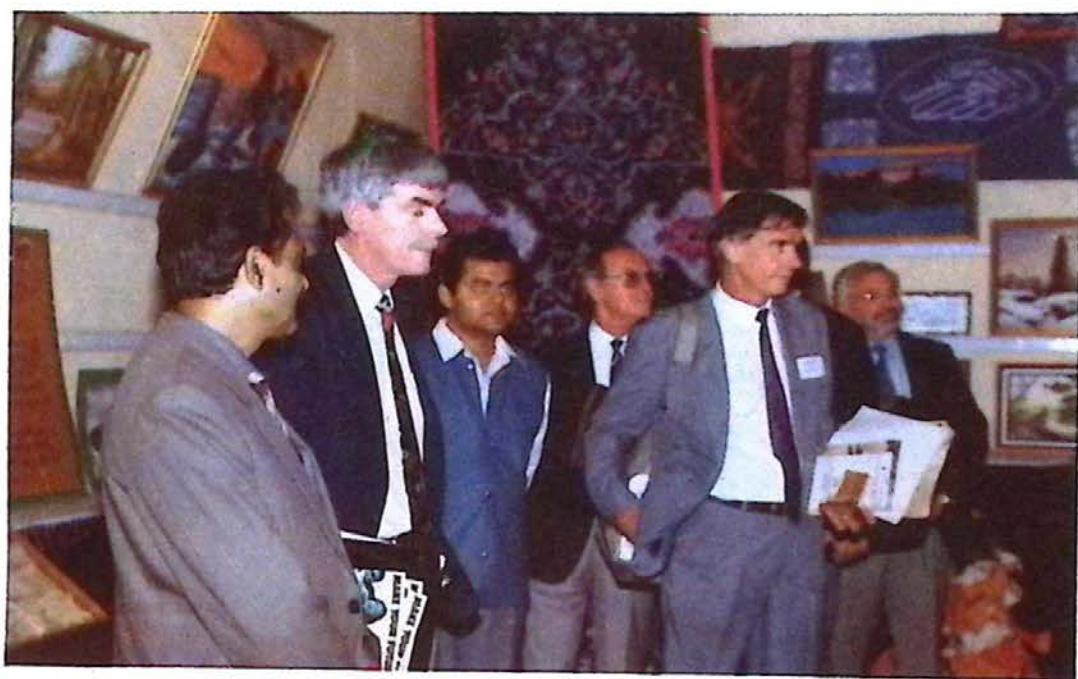
Paintings were done in different medium and techniques. Amongst there are oils, water colour (transparent) opequm, tempera, and graphics. Nature Study, Outdoor Sketching, Still-life pastels, Conte, Cartooning, Life study, Poster painting and other medium were practised throughout the year.



The Board of Governors at the Art & Craft Exhibition with Mr. & Mrs. Baoni



The Rector escorts Bishop Gorai to the Exhibitions.



The Global Reach Group from Australia view the Art & Craft Exhibition

Batik and wood carving were of a very high standard. Apart from these, this year we had a new section consisting of brush-drawing on special dark-toned papers. This attracts all the viewers.

Though we had problems receiving art materials in time, we still managed to put up as many as 29 oil paintings-the largest being one of 36"X40" dimensions.

Imran Ali's oils, pastels, life-studies, monochromes and life studies were of a good standard. The art secretary-Imran Ali received the most coveted prizes - like the Anil Chowdhury art prize 1993; 'The Best Artist' - 1993, 'The best in oil-painting' and also a good water colourist in the year 1993.

A few artists names are worth mentioning Kong Lee, Sanjeev Saraf, Dipesh Thapa, Ugyen Sherpa and Bhaskar Sharma.

In the wood work section, most of the boys' carvings were of a professional standard. Animals, birds, flower and figurative compositions were carved on this locally available magnolia wood. Three large wood carvings were done by the wood work secretary Hui Kong Edward Lee and also by Hui Hao Howard Lee, Patrick Chung, Deepangsu Roy, Abdeli Rangoonwala, Dipesh Thapa, Rajiv Pradhan, Ashish Bhattarai, Khangyang Imlong, Kesang Sherpa, Nawraj Pradhan, Ong Pazo, Santosh Nepal and Bhaskar Sharma.

This year the Batik wall hangings were of different themes, the classical Indian art Mughal themes, ornamental motifs and designs, ballet dances and sea-scapes. The largest and one of the best pieces in recent years was done by Bilal Singh Thongram, the Batik Secretary. The other main contributors to this craft were- Imran Ali, Sanjeev Saraf, Anurag Goel, Deepak Saraf, Jigme Tshultrum, Ugyen Sherpa, Dipesh Thapa, Nawraj Pradhan and Khangyang Imlong. The credit for this goes to Mrs. Baoni, who though the junior wing art teacher, has been able to devote time to the seniors, as the teacher in charge of Batik.

The members of the Board of Governors were present for the inauguration of this year's exhibition. Amongst the many visitors, there were visitors from England. They spent a couple of hours at the exhibition and appreciated our work.

We know that the tradition in art will be upheld. Art will flourish and the juniors will endeavour to improve the standard each year under the able guidance of our teacher.

Once again I would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Baoni and Mr. H.B. Subba on behalf of the art students of 1993, for their devotion, dedication and the encouragement they gave us when we needed it most. We sincerely wish the Art Club the very best in the years to come.

CAMERA CLUB

Chairman

Mr. Kamlesh Kanti

Secretary

Praveen Kishorepuria

One of the primary hobbies this year was Photography, the only club which starts its activities from the very first day of the school term and winds up only on the last day of school. Under the able guidance of Mr. Kamlesh Kanti, Master-in-charge of photography our boys worked sincerely throughout the year. The members of the club were constantly in the photography rooms and this became more so as the Puja break drew near. This certainly culminated in a superb exhibition on the eve of the Puja break.

This year, on account of the large number of boys who took up photography, there was a large exhibition. The photographs occupied both the rooms in the department and also spread to the so called 'dark room'. There was a variety of photographs, many of them enlarged and laminated. The photographs taken by Mr. Kamlesh Kanti undoubtedly attracted the attention of many a visitor.

Consistent hardwork throughout the year by the members of the club ensured that the hobby remained one of the most prominent at school. A special word of commendation to Suraj Poddar of class XI who worked very hard and took some marvellous photographs. Suraj Poddar was also awarded a couple of major prizes. I sincerely thank him and all the members of the Camera Club for their co-operation. Most impressive - Well done!

The results of this year's competition are as follows: -

Night Photography :

First Prize : Praveen Kishorepuria
Suraj Poddar.

Second Prize : Dev Prakash Saraf
Ashwin Sethi

Consolation: Rajat Jain
Krishna Kumar Agarwal
Vikash Santuka

School Campus:

First Prize : Praveen Kishorepuria
Zosangliana

Second Prize: Dev Prakash Sarabgi
Pravash Agarwal



The Camera Club with (L-R : Seated) Mrs. G. Kanti, Mr. K. Kanti and Mr. K. L. Pradhan

Consolation:	Suraj Poddar Ashiwin Sethi Abhishek Goel
Darjeeling :	
First Prize :	Praveen Kishorepuria Krishna Kumar Agarwal
Second Prize:	Suraj Poddar Vikash Santuka
Consolation :	Puneet Jhajharia Abhishek Goel Rajat Jain
Abstract :	
First Prize :	Praveen Kishorepuria
Second Prize:	Puneet Jhajharia Rohit Sanghai
Consolation :	Dev Prakash Saraogi Ashwin Sethi Ashish Jindal
Group :	
First Prize :	Praveen Kishorepuria Rajat Jain
Second Prize :	Sujit Acharya Ajay Bajala
Consolation :	Vikash Santuka Aditya Jalan Abdeali Rangoonwala Rohit Bajoria
General	
First prize :	Praveen Kishorepuria Zosangliana
Second Prize :	Suraj Poddar Sujit Acharya
Consolation :	Gaurav Singhania Vikash Santuka Krishna Kumar Agarwal Sachin Agarwal
School Activities :	
First Prize :	Praveen Kishorepuria Dev Prakash Saraf

Second Prize : Krishna Kumar Agarwal
Abdeali Rangoonwala

Consolation : Rohit Sanghai
Rohit Bajoria
Suraj Poddar
Ajay Bajla

Scenery

First Prize : Praveen Kishorepuria
Zosangliana

Second Prize : Dev Prakash Saraogi
Suraj Poddar

Consolation : Rohit Sanghai
Krishna Kumar Agarwal
Sujit Acharya

Silhouette :

First Prize : Suraj Poddar
Vikash Kumar

Second Prize : Praveen Kishorepuria
Dev Prakash Saraf

Consolation : Pravash Agarwal
Puneet Jhajharia
Dev Prakash Saraogi

Portrait :

First Prize : Suraj Poddar
Vikash Kumar

Second Prize : Praveen Kishorepuria
Pravash Agarwal

Consolation : Abhishek Kanoi
Rohit Bajoria
Abdeali Rangoonwala
Krishna Kumar Agarwal
Ashish Jindal

Architecture :

First Prize : Suraj Poddar

Second Prize : Dev Prakash Saraogi
Puneet Jhajharia

Consolation : Pravash Agarwal
Vikash Santuka
Rohit Sanghai

Flowers :

First Prize : Puneet Jhaharia
Suraj Poddar

Second Prize : Vivek Laha

Consolation : Dev Prakash Saraogi
Vikash Kumar

Birds and Animals :

First Prize : Dev Prakash Saraogi

Second Prize : Sujit Acharya
Krishna Kumar Agarwal

Consolation : Suraj Poddar
Dev Prakash Saraf
Abhishek Kanoi

Black and White

First Prize : Praveen Kishorepuria

Second Prize : Vikash Santuka

Consolation : Zosangliana
Krishna Kumar Agarwal
Abdeali Rangoonwala

With an entry of 290 photographs distributed among fourteen sections the competition was tough. I would like to convey my gratitude and thanks to the Rector, Mrs. E.Howard, Mr. R.S. Baoni, Mrs. G.Kanti, Mr.K.L.Pradhan, Mr. A. Thackur and Rev. N.Sen for having spent their valuable time judging our Competition and helping our boys.

A few remarks on our exhibition were :

"The high standard of art is a credit to all at St. Pauls."

A. Frazisr (Australia)

"We appreciate the leadership of Mr. Kamlesh Kanti in promoting the photography Department. This is undoubtedly of a high standard"

*-Dr. D. C. Gorai, Bishop of Calcutta and Chairman,
Board of Governors, St. Paul's School, Darjeeling.*

"Excellent Standard - extremely difficult to judge"

-Mrs. E. Howard (HPW)

"Highly professional Standard"

- Mrs. Ranjana Rana

This year Mr. Kamlesh Kanti endowed a new prize for the Best Photographer of the year, which was bagged by me.

*Kamlesh Kanti Medal for the Best
Photographer of the year.*

- Praveen Kishorepuria.

*Darjeeling Photo Stores Medal for
excellence in Photography*

- Suraj Poddar

Das Studio Prize for consistent work - Suraj Poddar

With everything gone off successfully, the year drew to its close and we at the photography department, were very upset when we learnt that Mr. Kamlesh Kanti would be leaving us at the end of this year after a long period of hard work and dedication for almost twenty three years. The members of the club and I sincerely thank you Sir, for all your guidance and good advice.

I also hope that his successor will continue this good work with patience and zeal.

"MONITI-MELEORA-SEQUAMUR "

Praveen Kishorepuria
SECRETARY



The Photography Exhibition is Inaugurated by Board Member Rev. Somen Das

THE MACHINE WORKSHOP CLUB

Master-in-charge
Mr.U.K.Dwivedi

Secretary
Pravash Agarwal

The Machine Workshop, like other hobbies in St. Paul's aims at increasing the scope of education. This hobby does require a lot of skill and hardwork.

This year the number of members also increased, so that some more would be introduced to this hobby. The work started in full earnest from early April and under the supervision of Pravash Agarwal with the full co-operation of the other members, the club did a marvellous job.

Using the lathe machine, the boys let loose their creativity and in the process made lamp stands of various sizes and shapes, flower pot stands, bowls, pencil stands, rolling pins, ash trays, candle stands and the much admired goblets.

Towards the end, our Instructor abandoned us and for a while we were all in disarray. But with perseverance and determination, we members completed all the remaining work ourselves and our exhibition boasted of a marvellous display of about 80 pieces.

Pravash Agarwal, the Machine Workshop Secretary was awarded the N.K.Mitra Prize for club activities.

Finally, the members of the Machine Workshop would like to thank Mr. U.K.Dwivedi who was always around in times of need, to help and inspire the boys.

Ashish Raj Bhattarai



The Machine Workshop Club with Mr. U. K. Dwivedi.

THE SCIENCE FORUM REPORT-1993

Master-in-charge

Mr. U.K. Dwivedi

Secretary

Anurag Goel

The Science Forum this year functioned ably under the guidance of Mr. U.K. Dwivedi and with the co-operation of all the boys.

Quite a few boys enrolled themselves in this Society and diligently pursued excellence in science throughout the year.

At the beginning of the year, the boys saw a documentary on alligators titled "Ganges Gharial". It was very informative and enjoyed by all.

Various prize exams held during the year form the spine of the Science Forum and this year too we had an increasing number of boys taking part in them. It was an interesting sign to see that even the junior boys of the Society were able to achieve respectable grades in these exams.

The winners of these prizes were :

1. *Karun Majumdar Science Prize* : Anurag Goel
2. *The Luv Ecological Studies Prize* : Praveen Kishorepuria.
3. *Robin Banerjee Life Science Prize* : Praveen Kishorepuria.
4. *The Kothari Physical Science Prize*: Soumya B. Palchaudhury.

Congratulations to all of them. The Society thrives on its motto "There is scant zest in mastering the plains". We wish the Society greater heights in the years to come and may God Bless it.

Anurag Goel

DEBATING SOCIETY

Master-in-charge

Mr. P.K.M. Roy,
Mr. D.A. Howard

Secretary

Samarjit Bhattacharya

The one characteristic that distinguishes the members of this Society from those of the others is their ability to forward an argument, no matter how trivial the topic, with a high degree of confidence. A series of debates were held over the year at two levels; the boys from classes IX & X forming one group and the Plus two students forming the second group. The debates were usually held in the Rahul Room and a number of boys showed great promise for the future.

Some of the topics debated were :

"All Art is useless"-Clive Vs Lawrence

"There can be no freedom without discipline"-Clive Vs Hastings

"The World of Advertising is a superficial one"-Hastings Vs Lawrence

"Star TV is a nuisance"-Clive Vs Havelock

Each time Clive entered a team they walked away with a triumph and hence, by the fourth debate, there appeared to be no need to proceed any further. The prestigious Grindlays Shield for Debating was awarded to Clive. The Best Debater's Medal was awarded to Krishna Modi. Other good debaters were Rahul Rana, Somyabrata Palchowdhury, Rajeev Mehra, Dinesh Thapa, Anuj Poddar and Abhishek Kanoi.

I would here like to thank Mr. I. Myers, Mr. H.N. Stolke, Mr. G. Bhattacharya and Mr. T. Calvert for their assistance as judges, and to Mr. P.K.M. Roy who guided this activity through most of the year.

S. Bhattacharya

Secretary

INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTRY

Master-in-charge

Mr. Ajay Sharma

Secretary

Praveen Kishorepuria

This year the hobby of Industrial Chemistry became particularly prominent once again under the able guidance of Mr. Ajay Sharma. The boys worked hard and sincerely through out the year producing models and various goods, everything culminating in a splendid exhibition on the eve of the Puja break.

This Society which was defunct for many years was reintroduced by Mr. Sharma last year. Surprisingly, this year an unexpected number of interested students joined the hobby which was extremely encouraging. First and foremost the boys cleaned the Laboratory. The required indents were purchased and the work began. The boys were very enthusiastic and did their assigned work with sheer grit and determination. Besides learning to approach the subject practically, the boys produced goods such as bootpolish, liquid soap, Ink, mole makers, invisible ink and other chemical products. The charts prepared on the subject were fascinating as well as informative. There was also an excellent model of a modern cement plant constructed by the students of Class Eleven.

It is hoped that in the years to come this hobby will flourish in St. Paul's and the members of this club will endeavour to improve this standard each year. I sincerely thank all the members of the club and wish them all the best in the years to come.

Praveen Kishorepuria



The Industrial Chemistry Club with Mr. A. Sharma

THE COMPUTER SOCIETY

Master-in-charge

Mr. K. Dutta

Secretary

Anurag Goel

Though our Club took a late start this year, we still reached great heights under the able and sincere guidance of Mr. K. Dutta and Mr. M. Mendonza.

The R.S. Prasad prize for Computer Studies Examination was held at the beginning of this year. Among those commended were Zosangliana Chhakchhuak (Class XII) and Gaurav Jalan (Class IX). The prize was won by Anurag Goel.

Towards September, frenzied preparations for the Annual Exhibition started. We organized a chart-making contest and it was an immediate success. Varied and interesting entries from Classes 6 to 12 made the judging very difficult. In addition to this, there were many new challenges undertaken by the boys, especially the juniors. Many new and original softwares and cards made by students made the exhibition interesting and enjoyable.

The Australian delegation which visited our exhibition was very pleased with our exhibits. This is evident from one of their comments which reads :

"Truly spectacular: The best exhibition of all !!"

I wish the club great success and hope it achieves higher standards in the coming year.

Anurag Goel



The Computer Club with Mr. D. Pradhan and Mr. K. Dutta

CRICKET REPORT - 1993

Masters-in-charge

Captain:

Gautam Hingorani

Cricket in St. Paul's is undoubtedly the most dominant sport occupying a special corner in every Paulite's heart. Cricket in St. Paul's has undergone a slow and steady metamorphosis in the past few years. The reason for this being experienced coaches, an encouraging response from the students and the discovery of young talent, the dark horses.

On the very first match of the season, the Paulites XI under the Captaincy of Gautam Hingorani, defeated the Staff XI by a huge margin of 112 runs. Batting first, the Paulites XI piled up a total of 215/7 in the allotted 30 overs. The bulk of the scoring was done by Gautam Hingorani and Krishna Agarwal who scored 66 and 40 respectively. In reply, the Staff XI were short out for 103 runs. The victory boosted the morale of the Paulites to a great extent.

The Paulites tasted victory in their very next match against Mt. Hermon. Batting first, the Paulites piled up a total of 225/9 in 30 overs. Krishna Agarwal and Deepangshu Roy were the main contributors with 51 and 68 runs respectively. In reply Mt. Hermon were shot out for 112 runs giving the Paulites victory by a huge margin of 113 runs. Deepanjan Roychowdhury was the most successful bowler claiming 4 wickets for 20 runs.

Like previous years this year too, a team consisting of old Paulites played a match with the school team. The more experienced and talented team of the old Paulites defeated the School XI comfortably by 7 wickets. Batting first, the school XI amassed 203 runs for the loss of 7 wickets in the allotted 35 overs. Gautam Hingorani with 63 and Vikramjit Grewal with 43 were the chief scorers. In reply, the old Paulites overhauled the victory target comfortably losing only 3 wickets. Utpal Banerjee top scored with 110 not out. Gautam Hingorani was declared the Man of the Match for his fine knock.

The School XI tasted victory again in their fixture against Dr. Graham's Home. Batting first, the School XI scored 207/5 in the allotted overs. Rajesh Ghosh top scored with 65 runs and was well supported by Krishna Agarwal who scored 45. In reply, the visitors were bundled out for a paltry 78 runs. Deepanjan Roychowdhury and Gautam Hingorani were the chief wreckers with 4 and 3 wickets respectively.

The next match was against the reigning district champions and the holders of the Edinburgh Shield, the Estate XI. In this match too, the School XI was victorious. The Estate XI were put in to bat first and were restricted to a total of 162. Deepanjan Roychowdhury and Gautam Hingorani claimed 4 and 3 scalps respectively. The innings of the School XI started on a shaky note. The Estate XI were successful in claiming 3 quick wickets. But a brilliant innings of 83 not out by the Captain, Gautam Hingorani, turned the scales in the School XI's favour. The School XI successfully reached the target losing only 5 wickets.

With victories in four matches out of five, the School XI were riding high. In order to enhance the performance of the School team in the acid test i.e the Edinburgh matches, Mr.P.K.M.Roy graciously undertook the task of coaching the team. Regular practices and developing skill and technique promised a very entertaining and competitive tournament this year. And so it was.

The first match of the prestigious Edinburgh Shield was played between St. Paul's School and Mt. Hermon, at home. The weather threatened to disrupt play as the clouds formed a black blanket over the Main Field. But the prayers of the enthusiastic Paulites with crossed fingers did not go unheard. The clouds gave way.

After losing the toss, the Hermonites were sent in to bat first. 'Lethal' bowling by Pavan Lall and Gautam Hingorani bore fruit early. Finally, they were successful in putting up a respectable score of 197 in the allotted 40 overs. In reply, the Paulites inning began on a disastrous note. Some loose shots and uncalled for run outs left the Paulites reeling at 31 for the loss of 4 wickets. The innings was given some stability by Deepangshu Roy and Rahul Rana. But Lady Luck deserted us at the crucial moment. The innings folded up for 176 runs. The S.P.S. XI was defeated by 21 runs.

BRIEF SCORES

MHS-197 all out
(G.Hingorani-4/35)

SPS-176 all out
(D.Roy-59, R.Rana-31)

The last match for the Edinburgh Shield saw St. Paul's and St. Joseph's battle out for the 2nd spot. Mt. Hermon, after beating St. Joseph, walked away with the Edinburgh Shield. For the first time in many years, the School XI consisted entirely of students.

St. Paul's were put in to bat first after losing the toss. The Paulites were unable to push the run rate during the slog overs and the innings closed at a moderate score of 183 in 40 overs.

In reply to the victory target set by St. Paul's, the Josephites were kept in check by some accurate bowling by Deepanjan Roychowdhury and G. Hingorani. Wickets kept tumbling regularly and their innings folded up at 128. This gave the Paulites victory by 55 runs. Deepanjan Roychowdhury was the most successful bowler claiming 4 wickets for 24 runs.

BRIEF SCORES:

SPS-183 all out

(D. Roychowdhury-37, R. Ghosh-36)

SJC-128 all out

(D. Roychowdhury-4/24)

HOUSE MATCHES:

This year, the house matches began in mid-May. Hastings had the strongest team on paper. The favourites to win the shield was Clive. Lawrence had the Cricket Captain in their team and Havelock XI comprised D. Roychowdhury, R. Rana and others. In the first match, Hastings was defeated by Havelock. The much fancied Clive lost to Lawrence in a nail-biting finish by a mere 3 runs. Eventually, it was Lawrence who walked away with the prestigious Cricket Shield. Clive finished second with Havelock and Hastings finishing third and fourth respectively. Credit goes to G. Hingorani, A. Bajla, K. Agarwal, I. Ansari and D. Ganguly for helping Lawrence win the coveted shield.

After the house matches, a double wicket tournament was organised with the members of VIth Form participating in it. After defeating pair after pair, the eventual winners were Pavan Lall and his partner Zosangliana. Gautam Hingorani and Neeraj Barkakati finished as runners up. Congratulations to the winners! Devesh Hingorani was adjudged the Best Fielder of the tournament.

The following boys were awarded house colours and school colours for their fine display of skill on the field.

HOUSE COLOURS

1. Rahul Rana
2. Vikramjit Grewal
3. Shiwalik Ghose
4. Rajesh Ghosh

SCHOOL COLOURS

1. Gautam Hingorani (Captain)
2. Deepanjan Roychowdhury
3. Depangshu Roy

Finally, I conclude by wishing the players the very best of luck next year. Keep the flag flying high.

VIVA LA ST. PAUL'S

Gautam Hingorani
Cricket Captain, 1993



The Edinburgh Team with Mr. H. N. Stolke

"BATTING AVERAGE OF THE SCHOOL XI, 1993

NAMES:	M.H.S.	D.G.H.	O.P.'s	ESTATE	EDINBURGH		50's	HIGHEST SCORE	AVERAGE
					MHS	SJC			
MR.P.K.M. ROY					13		-	13	13.00
G.HINGORANI	01	35	64*	83*	22	15	2	83*	55.00
D.ROYCHOWDHURY	25	32	11	03*	08	37	-	37	23.20
D.ROY	68	05*	10	25	59	20	2	68	37.40
R. RANA	00	DNB	04	DNB	31	20	-	31	13.75
S.GHOSE	01	02	12	27	06	01	-	27	8.16
V.GREWAL	35	-	43	03	02	05	-	43	17.60
K.AGARWAL	51	45	20	00	05	-	1	51	24.20
P.KISHOREPURIA	34	00*	09	DNB	-	11	-	34	27.00
P.C.LALL	-	DNB	06*	DNB	12	07	-	12	12.50
A.BAJLA	DNB	DNB	-	DNB	00*	00*	-	00*	-
S.SINGHAL	00*	DNB	-	-	-	-	-	00*	-
R.GHOSH	00	65	11	16	01	36	1	65	21.50
I.ANSARI	-	-	-	-	-	00	-	-	-

BADMINTON

Master-in-charge :
Mr. B. B. Tamang

Captain :
Sujit Acharya

The badminton season commenced immediately after the May holidays with a lot of enthusiasm. This game generated immense interest this year. With the increase in the number of players, the time schedule had to be bifurcated in such a way so that all could be accommodated. The morning session was conducted mainly for the junior players and afternoon session for the seniors, to develop their skill and technique. Our gymnasium, where the badminton court is made, is very small and not really congenial for badminton. The army at Jalapahar generously extended their helping hand by allowing our boys to practise there. We are really grateful to them for their co-operation.

This year the much coveted badminton cup was won by Lawrence House who proved themselves superior with their bank of players comprising Zosangliana, G. Hingorani, K. K. Agarwal and D.Hingorani.

The senior school badminton tournament this year was highly competitive and the results are as follows:-

Senior singles: Winner - Shashish Singhal

Runners up - Zosangliana

Junior singles: Winner - D.Hingorani

Runners up - Abhishesh Singh

Open doubles: Winner - S. Singhal & Zosangliana

Runners up - Sujit Acharya & Sunil Lath

In the Inter-School fixtures, the Under X school team did us proud in the Inter school badminton tournament held at St. Joseph's School on 26th June '93. The school was represented by D. Hingorani, A.Singh, A.Paul, D.Mondal, R.Saraf, P. Agarwal, P.Thakur and Reza Ali. Out of these players Amarjyoti Paul and Reza Ali lost in the semi finals.

An opportunity came for the boys for greater exposure when our boys took part in the 8th Open District tournament (organised by the Kalyan Samiti of Darjeeling) which was held in the Gymkha Club, Darjeeling. The boys performed very well. The results are as under:-

Boys division : Runners up - Zosangliana

Boys doubles : Winner - S.Singhal & Zosangliana

Runners up - Sujit Acharya & Sunil Lath

Men's division : Runners up in doubles : S. Acharya & S.Lath

With such a magnificent performance, the school accepted the invitation from Tashi Namgyal Academy, Gangtok which hosted the All India Public School Badminton Tournament. Sujit Acharya, Shashish Singhal, Sunil Lath and Zosangliana represented our school. The boys performed creditably well and reached upto the quarter final stage.

Colours were awarded to the following boys:-

School Colours : Sujit Acharya, Sunil Lath & Zosangliana

House Colours : Gautam Hingorani, Anuj Poddar, Rishi Parasramka, Devesh Hingorani and Abhishesh Singh.

B. B. Tamang



The Badminton Team with Mr. B.B. Tamang.

SQUASH

Master-in-charge

Mr. A.K. Dash

Captain

Pavan Chand Lall

Squash is one of the most popular games in school ever since it acquired the status of a major game. This year too the number of students playing this game remained high.

This year, with the introduction of the league systems in school for all games, the house matches were the first to be played off. These were completed towards the close of the football season. The Inter-House trophy was won by Clive House for the second year in succession.

The seedings tournaments commenced soon after and each game was keenly contested with many new and younger talents coming to the fore. The Squash ladder for the year remained as follows : -

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| 1. Pavan Chand Lall | 5. Z. Chhakahhuak |
| 2. Sunil Kumar Lath | 6. D. Roychowdhury |
| 3. Shashish Shingal | 7. S. Basnett |
| 4. Neeraj Barkakati | 8. S. Acharya |

Followed by this, the Junior Level Tournaments, the Junior School Inter - House tournaments and the Senior Opens Tournaments were played off in quick succession.

There were a number of guest players who played in the court with the boys and this was extremely encouraging. Particularly because it gave an opportunity to justify the better standards attained by some of our Paulites, which generally remains unexposed, mainly due to the absence of any Inter-School fixtures in the district.

The promising players who have matured over the years are P.C.Lall, S.Lath, S.Acharya, A.Jindal, S.Basnett and P.Khetan.

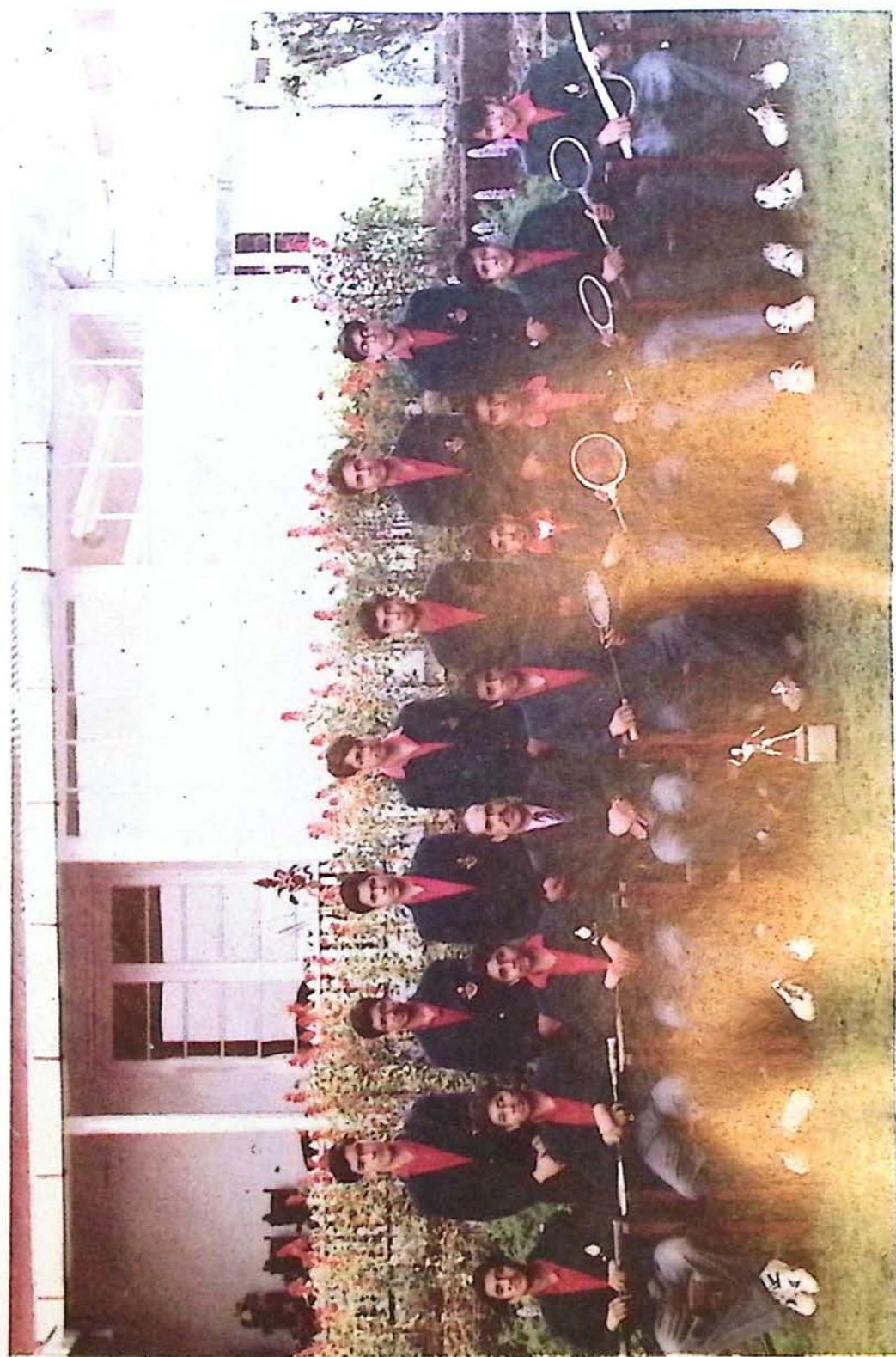
The coveted Squash colour winners for this year were as follows:-

School Colours : Pavan Chand Lall

House Colours : Sunil Kumar Lath
Sujit Acharya

May I conclude this report by expressing my sincerest thanks to Mr. A.K. Dash, for his endless support and constructive advice on the technicalities of the game. Finally I take this opportunity of wishing a brighter and more promising future to each member of the Squash Club and a small piece of advice to the forthcoming Captain, " Success and Sweat go side by side".

Pavan Chand Lall



The Squash Team with Mr. A. K. Dash



The Eton Fives Team with Mr. A. K. Dash

ETON FIVES

Master-in-charge
Mr. A. K. DASH

Captain
Imran Ali Ansari

The season began well with a number of boys of different classes fighting to get a chance and have their share of joy of playing Eton Fives. There was an initial scarcity of Fives' balls for a short time which however got quickly settled by the Rector's encouraging support in obtaining the balls from England. Our sincerest thanks to him for his help in this regard.

This year the game was played all through the year except during the football season. In the 'House Matches' which were played on a league-cum-knock-out basis, Lawrence and Havelock were declared as joint winners. The other tournaments were played off as per schedule, except for the Senior (Opens) tournament. In the Junior tournament Anand Mani Pradhan and Suvarnamani Pradhan triumphed as the best pair in Fives for the year 1993.

The 'House-Colours' this year were awarded to Rahul Rana, Bilal Singh, Manoj Dalmia and Pavan Chand Lall.

As I conclude, I would like to thank the Master-in-charge Mr. A.K. Dash for his continuous support and advice at all times and to all players for improving their standards in the game.

I wish the forthcoming Fives' players of the school a very bright and prosperous year ahead.

Imran Ali Ansari

TABLE TENNIS

Master-in-charge
Mr. N.Vincent

Captain
Deepangshu Roy

Table Tennis has always been played in St. Paul's as one of the favourite indoor games. This year the school team comprised boys of the senior and junior wings with Deepangshu Roy being given the Captaincy. In the course of events, the boys had several instances where their performance was greatly appreciated and admired.

Our school team took part in this year's inter-school T. T. tournament which was held at Victoria School, Kurseong. The team made every endeavour to gain success and was ranked third in position out of ten participant schools. Debasish Ganguly who distinguished himself well in this game was awarded the open division singles championship. Apart from the inter school tournament, the school team had the chance of taking part in two major events, the outcome was quite encouraging. Debasish and Puneet Gupta gained admiration and excelled, while the others put up a good fight but lost their matches. Debasish was the champion in the boys singles and runners up in the men's singles, men's doubles and boy's doubles.

As for the school front the inter-house tournament was excitedly played among the houses and Lawrence house came through with flying colours.

There were a number of junior wing boys who would organise classwise matches among themselves and enjoy the game with much enthusiasm and spirit.

This year house colours were awarded to Hui Hao Lee, Puneet Gupta and Rahul Pradhan. School Colours to Deepangshu Roy and Patrick Chung.



The Table Tennis Team with Mr. N. Vincent



The Basketball Team with Mr. M. S. Calvert and Mr. A. Alva

BASKETBALL REPORT - 1993

Master-in-charge:
Mr. M.S. Calvert

Captain :
Hao Lee

Basketball has always been and will always remain an interesting and exciting game to play and watch. Basketball enthusiasts did not waste any time in climbing uphill to Dawkins to commence the season.

After a brief coaching period handled deftly by Mr. A. Alva the School team played the first match against Mount Hermon School on 7th April, '93 and emerged victorious by a close margin. The second match held at Kalimpong was played against Dr. Graham's Homes. The Homes team proved superior and so we lost. This however did not affect adversely our spirit and enthusiasm.

The under ten team played against St. Joseph's School, North Point on 21st April and were beaten. At the Basketball Carnival held at Goethal's Memorial School, Kurseong, on 23rd and 24th April our under ten team did not perform well and at the same time did not fail to give a good account of themselves.

The house matches were played in a healthy spirit of rivalry and Havelock proved their mettle by finally bagging the trophy. A notable feature this year was the reintroduction of the league system and the league matches were won by Hastings.

A 'five-a-side' tournament was organised and played by the Sixth formers. This was a success considering the active interest taken by the non-playing Sixth formers.

House Colours were awarded to:

- 1) Lee Hui Hao (2) Bilat Singh Thongram

On behalf of the team I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. A. Alva for his coaching and guidance and Mr. J. Singh for his kind co-operation.

Hao Lee

FOOTBALL-1993

Master-in-charge

Mr. N. Gomes

Captain

Hui Hao Lee

After the much deserved May break, the Paulites were all geared for the ensuing football season. Through rain or sunshine, the Paulites could be seen practising in expectation of the forthcoming inter-school fixtures. Rigorous practice sessions in the mornings and afternoons, under the watchful eyes of the coach, Mr. Gomes, paid rich dividends.

This year, the school 1st XI did us proud in the inter-school matches. The first was against Mount Hermon which we won easily. We also got a chance to play against Planter's Club which we won by a comfortable margin (8-4). The next match against Mount Hermon, TTC XI was a high scoring one (9-1). T.T.C. was no match for us. However, the local club, Himalayan Sporting Club reminded us of the ever-increasing need to develop the quality of our game. They won 8 goals to 1. The match scheduled against D.G.H. was called off due to their participation in some local tournament.

The under X team also showed their ability in the game when they participated in the Phagura Cup (ICSE Schools). They managed to beat West Point to reach the zonal semi-finals but bowed out after losing to BSMT (4-1).

In the Inter-School fixtures, they drew with Mount Hermon (3-3) but against Victoria they came out victorious (2-0). Against Goethals we played better football in which our under X 2nd XI played their 1st XI and held them to a draw (2-2)

The various internal tournaments included the 'BIG-C' and 'The Rain Cup'. In the Big-C, with the four houses playing with their best XI, it was Clive that emerged victorious by a single goal against Hastings. The Rain Cup matches were played by 6 teams irrespective of their houses or classes.

The introduction of the league system in the House matches saw a number of matches being played on all the fields. The inter-House fixtures saw Hastings lift the Football Shield for the year 1993.



The Football Team with Mr. N. Gomes

In conclusion, I take great pleasure in thanking the Master-in-charge-cum-coach Mr. N. Gomes, who took a lot of pain in keeping us armed and ready. His morning work-outs will be remembered by all of us throughout our lives. Also a big thank you to Mr. J. Singh for taking the pain in coming out to referee a number of matches.

Colours awarded this year :

House Colours

1. Sanjeev Saraf
2. Deepanjan Roy Choudhury
3. Buddha Gurung
4. Katma Legshey
5. Daniel Muna

School Colours

1. Albert Cheng
2. Lee Hui Kong
3. Lee Hui Hao

Lee Hui Hao

VOLLEY BALL REPORT-1993

Master-in-charge
Mr. S.M. Pradhan

Captain
Sanjeev Saraf

Volleyball enthusiasts got cracking straight after they arrived from their winter holidays. As always, this year too we faced the problem of lack of facilities. There being only one court, the Inter School teams were given preference and they were the ones normally seen on the court.

The under X team played a few friendly matches against Mount Hermon in which quite contrary to our expectations, the team fared well. The Inter School Volleyball carnival was held at Rockvale Academy. Our under X teams performance once again surpassed our expectations. Credit for this must go to Imran and the Captain of Volley Ball, who took regular practices and were successful in extracting the maximum from the boys even under trying circumstances.

The Inter House Matches were held as usual with a lot of excitement. It was a neatly conducted tournament and Hastings pulled off a sensational victory in the finals to lift the Volley Ball Cup. I am grateful to Mr. B.B. Tamang and Mr. S. Lama who helped to conduct these matches smoothly. Congratulations are due to Sanjeev Saraf (Captain), and Imran Ali Ansari who were awarded House Colours.

We hope that with the present batch of enthusiasts in the Junior classes, Volley Ball will improve in the years to come.

S. M. Pradhan

BOXING-1993

Master-in-charge:
Mr. M. S. Calvert

Captain:
S. M. Pradhan (Sr.)

The XV Annual Boxing Championship 1993 commenced in mid-June and spread over a period of two and a half months. The total number of participants this year fell short of a century by just one.

The training sessions were conducted in the mornings and afternoons and inspite of the innumerable demands made on the students they made every effort to turn up in order to be in 'shape'.

The 2nd of August saw the commencement of preliminary bouts. A large number of boys made their debuts in the ring showing NO WANT of confidence. This enhanced the glory of the sport and made it all the more convincing that boxing is not a "bloody" sport as is commonly believed. After a week long display of skill and courage there were twenty six boxers who finally proved their mettle and moved into the finals.

The finals held on 21st August, 1993 was graced by the presence of Col. A.K. Dutt, Principal, HMI, who as our honoured Chief Guest gave away the prizes. The guest of honour and the spectators were extremely delighted with an exhibition of skill, daring, determination and stamina. The young pugilists did exceedingly well to prove that boxing is not just a matter of brawn but of brain as well.

The awardees for the year 1993 were as follows :

Weight Group A

Most Promising Boxer : E. Motsuthung

Best Loser : S. Pradhan

Best Boxer : P. Choudhury.

Weight Group B

Most Promising Boxer : J. Shrestha

Best Loser : R. Saraf

Best Boxer : P. Agarwal

Weight Group C

Best Loser : A. Bajla

Best Boxer : B.Saha



The Boxing Team with Mr. M. S. Calvert and Mr. J. Bastian

House colours were awarded to: A. Bajla
U. Sherpa
D. Saraf

The Inter - School Boxing (St.Paul's School Vs Dr. Graham's Homes) was held on home ground this year on 28th August, 1993. Our Chief Guest was Lt. Col. Ashok K. Chug, AMC, O/C, Military Hospital, Lebong. Of the twelve bouts conducted that morning eight were won by the DGH-team. All bouts were keenly contested and our boys gave a good account of themselves.

The school is grateful to the Officer Commanding. Jalapahar for assisting us with two referees and five judges for the Inter - School Meet. I am deeply indebted to Mr. B.B. Tamang and Mr. H. N. Stolke, Mr. S. Chakravarthi, Mr. S. M. Pradhan and Mr. T. Calvert who made it a point of duty to be present every day to assist me in carrying out my responsibility. I am also grateful to all other officials and the Estate Department who eagerly extended a helping hand. From the list of students I would like to mention S. M. Pradhan (Sr.), who did a wonderful job in his capacity as Boxing Captain.

Mr. M.S. Calvert

HOCKEY-1993

Master-in-charge:
Mr. M.P.Yadav

Captain:
Rahul Rana

The hockey season this year was scheduled to commence on the 1st November but due to the over-whelming enthusiasm of the boys and taking into account the fact that the season would be a very short one it was decided that the season begin early. As a result of this it commenced from mid-September. It began with the 'seven-a-side' tournament in which for the first time in the span of 4 long years the teachers also played along with the boys. Even the Rector had joined in. It was a resounding success.

The 'league-system' was continued as a preparation to the inter-house matches. In the inter-house matches, along with the usual first and second eleven, we included for the first time a third eleven. After a well fought contest Lawrence House did well to lift the hockey shield. In the Junior Wing, Westcott House was victorious; while in the Primary Wing, Tenzing House won the shield.

The 'under ten team' played an Inter-school fixture against Victoria School, Kurseong on 7th November. We lost to the clearly superior side by a difference of 8 goals. This was the only inter-school fixture they had. However, it was a good exposure for our boys.

Our first eleven team, however, was luckier to have played a number of matches. On the 1st November, they played our Estate team. The score being 1-0 in our favour. On 15th November a match was organised against the Jalapahar Army Officers. In a match that promoted our friendship with them, which ended in a nail-biting finish, we won by 4-2.

For excellence in the game during the season colours were awarded to :

School colours

1. Rahul Rana(Havelock)
2. Gautam Hingorani (Lawrence)

House colours:

1. Vikramjit S. Grewal (Havelock)
2. Albert Chiang (Hastings)
3. Neel Kamal Devanath (Lawrence)
4. Anuj Poddar (Clive)

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all teachers, especially Mr. M.P.Yadav, Master-in-charge, and all the groundsman who have helped to make the season a success.

Rahul Rana—Captain



The Hockey Team with Mr. M. P. Yadav

GYMNASTICS

Master-in-charge

Mr. J.Singh

Captain

Sarvagya Mani Pradhan

Gymnastics has always been unique in St. Paul's. Today, St. Paul's is one of the few schools which still has Gymnastics in its list of activities. The boys are trained year after year in this age-old-tradition with great joy and pride by the coach and the captain who have taken great pains in making this risky art a joyful endurance test with a high degree of rhythmic and muscular co-ordination.

Unfortunately this year we were unable to put on the annual display on the scheduled date and at the scheduled place. The annual Gymnastics display was postponed from May 27th to August 15th and it was held on the top field, unlike previous years when it used to be held on the quadrangle.

This year the final performance was held on Independence day after the N.C.C. parade.

Unluckily for us the performance had to be stopped midway, after completion of the chairtricks, network and voluntary exercises, due to the rain. The performance resumed the next day with the entire school watching with enthusiasm unfortunately with no chief guest. More oo's and wow's could be heard on the second day than on the first.

We were unable to get the required amount of practices due to the indoor games like badminton and boxing being held simultaneously. Even the rain gods were against us during our practices not allowing us to practise outdoors. However, with a little practice now and then we were able to put up a satisfactory performance.

This year we had comparatively less boys in the senior wing but there were a lot of boys from the junior wing with a keen interest to take part in this sport. We had only six boys from the seniors where as there were more than twenty five boys from the junior wing. I hope that in future more senior boys will take part in this event.

The exercises exhibited this year were of various types -chairtricks, network, vaulting, parallel bars and so on. We had also planned to start using the trampoline for new exercises but unluckily due to the rain, we were unable to keep the trampoline in good shape.

Nevertheless the other excercises were performed with great vigour and confidence and exhibited a confident skill and talent which was the result of hard effort and serious practices.

There was a mass P.T. display this year on the top field with more than 400 students both from the Primary Wing and the Junior Wing. Guided by the instructor, Mr. J. Singh, the boys put up a wounderful show performing various excercises despite the lack of practice due to the monsoons. The exærcises were done to a thousand beats and the boys were supported by the members of the band who played wonderful folk tunes during the excercises.

The log team also put up a wonderful performance this year although they had about only a week to practice. I would like to thank the Rector whose consistent hard work and guidance helped the log team in putting up their show.

Diving through the fire has always been a zeal which has amazed the spectators and had them sitting on the edge of their seats. The concentration, the perfect timing required to dive through the fire ring and the cool mindedness of the boys seemed as smooth and a easy an act which surprised the spectators.

However, we were unable to do rope work, traversing, rappling and other such excercises as our performance was an outdoor show. Many boys were unable to show their talent in these excercises. I hope that they will be able to show it in the years to come.

This display, is definitely a time when the 'fittest' in mind and body excel in whatever they set out to achieve. Everything possible is done to ensure the safety of these boys, nothing is left undone. The Gymnasts are usually trained from class six onwards as they enter junior wing.

They are first taught the basics, i.e., forward roll, backward roll and the springs. It is only after they have perfected these excercises that they are taught the more complicating things like somersault, vaulting, and so on. Then ofcourse it becomes easy to go ahead with various excercises on various apparatus that are of a higher and a more dangerous standard than the rest. The colours awarded to this year were as follows:-

House Colours

Hui Hao Lee (XII)
Savarna Mani Pradhan(X)

School Colour

Sarvagya Mani Pradhan (XII)

Congratulations to these boys for their success in this game.

Sarvagya Mani Pradhan
(Sixth Form '93)



The Log Team with Mr. J. Singh



ANNUAL GYMNASTICS DISPLAY



ATHLETICS

Master-in-charge
Mr. N. Gomes

Captain
Bilat Singh

The Athletics season this year started off with a bang with a number of athletes trying their best so as to make it to the inter-school athletics team.

This year followed a different trend as we had the Inter-school fixture before the Annual Sports Day. This meant a great work load for those supervising and conducting the sports. It was a very hectic affair as we had to conduct selections for the Inter-school and two rounds of standards. On top of this, we had to rush off the heats and complete some for our Sports Day.

The season commenced on the 26th of August and regular and strenuous practices were taken early in the morning by the Master-in-charge of Athletics. The foul weather did not make much of a difference to us as we practised wherever we could, using the Gym. and sometimes even the school auditorium. Events were held early in the morning as we had to cancel some events due to the rains. At this point, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to Mr. H. N. Stolke, Mr. T. Calvert, Mr. M. S. Calvert and Mr. B. B. Tamang for sacrificing their early hours in the morning whenever Mr. Gomes and I needed them. This can be clearly viewed by our performance in the Inter-school fixtures which were held in Dr. Graham's Home, Kalimpong for the Opens A and B divisions and in St. Augustine's, Kalimpong for the C, D and E divisions on the 8th and 9th October. In the Opens Division, no school was much of a challenge to us, and we swept nearly each and every event. Bilat Singh broke his previous 400 m record by 4 seconds (Time 52.00 Sec) and he, along with Pavan Lall, Shiv Agarwal and Brett Howard, broke the 4 X 200 m relay record which was set by our last year's relay team.

We stood first in the Open's, C, D, and E Divisions. We attained the third position in the A & B Divisions - Congratulations to all the budding athletes who maintained the school's standards.

The Annual Sports Day was held a few days later, on the 16th of October and we were lucky enough to have splendid weather.

The March Past was led by Bilat Singh and the salute was taken by the Chief Guest, Bishop Gorai. The School Band put a marvellous performance. Also we were lucky enough to have other members of the Board of Governors to witness the events.

The events were conducted with precision and we finished all the events well on time. A few records were broken in the lower division. Our gratitude is extended to the Class X boys and the domestic staff who worked hard to decorate the field and made it look lively and colourful. At the end of the season, the following boys were awarded colours for their outstanding performance.

House Colours

1. S. M. Pradhan (Sr.)
2. R. Ghosh
3. B. Howard

School Colours

1. P. C. Lall

Finally, I would like to thank our Coach Mr. N. Gomes, who kept us athletes fit and in form and proved that 1993 was a year in athletics where, Paulites proved that we are always ahead of everyone else. I hope that the athletes having been advised still aim for higher skies.

Bilat Singh

Competitors who took part in the Inter - School Athletics and put up a commendable performance were: -

Division Open:- B. Singh, B. Howard, U. Sherpa, Buddha Gurung, S. M. Pradhan, Hui Hao Lee, Bikash Gurung, Bhaskar Sharma, G. Rajbhandari, Tshering Thondep, G. Hingorani. P. C.Lall. D. Roychowdhury, Shiv Agarwal. 400 m new record by B. Singh and 4X200 m new record by B. Singh, B. Howard, P. C. Lall and Shiv Agarwal.

Division A: - K. Legshey, D. Muna, A. Singh, A. Mehra. N. Tshering, N. Sinha, T. Ahmed, J. Dargahi.

Division B : - S. Singh, K. Gyatso, A Dalmia, R. Sherstha, A.N. Pradhan, P. Khetan, H. Gurung and B. Saha.

Division C : - R. Ghosh, A. Puri, R Saraf, P. Agarwal, P. Poudyal, L. Poudyal, R. Yadav.

Division D : - J. Prakash, R. Jaiswal, L. Ezong, F. Alam.

The only girl participant-A. Singh

Division E : - S. Modi, Md. Azaruddin. J.Chowdhury, V. Agarwal.

Division Open Stood at the first position over all.
 Division A+B stood at the 3rd position.
 Division C,D, and E also stood first.

ST. PAUL'S ANNUAL SPORTS MEET RESULTS

OPEN	1st	2nd	3rd
100 m	B. Singh	P. C. Lall	B. Howard
200 m	B. Singh	Bikash Gurung	P. C. Lall
400 m	B. Singh	Rajesh Ghosh	Buddha Gurung
800 m	B. Singh	S. M. Pradhan	Buddha Gurung
1500 m	S. M. Pradhan	A. Pradhan	B. Singh
110 m hurdles	Bikash Gurung	U. Sherpa	Lee Hao
High Jump	R. Ghosh	G. Rajbhandari	P. Gurung
Triple Jump	P. C. Lall	Bikash Gurung	R. Ghosh
Broad Jump	B. Singh	R. Ghosh	P. Gurung
Javelin Throw	N. Debnath	A. Kumar	D. Roychowdhury
Discuss Throw	T. Thondup	P. C. Lall	D. Roychowdhury
Shot Put	T. Thondup	P. C. Lall	D. Roychowdhury

Division I

100 m	K. Legshey	T. Ahmed	A. Mehra
200 m	K. Legshey	J. Dargahi	D. Hingorani
400 m	D. Muna	A. Singh	A. Dalmia
800 m	D. Muna	A. Singh	A. Dalmia
110 m hurdles	T. Ahmed	A. Mehra	N. Tshering
Broad Jump.	K. Legshey	A. Mehra	N. Sinha
Javelin Throw	Partho Saha	S. Basnett	K. Gyatso
Discus Throw	T. Ahmed	B. Sharma	Partho Saha
Shot Put	K. Legshey	N. Tshering	J. Tenzing
High Jump	D. Muna	K. Legshey	S. Basnett
Triple Jump	K. Legshey	A. Mehra	A. Dalmia

(Shot Put, Discus and Javelin Throw open to Div I & II only)

OPEN	1st	2nd	3rd
Division II			
100 m	S. Singh	K. Gyatso	N. Singh
200 m	S. Singh	K. Gyatso	R. Rishal
400 m	B. Saha	K. Gyatso	A. M. Pradhan
800 m	A. Pradhan	B. Sharma	S. M. Pradhan(Jr)
110 m Hurdles	B. Sharma	S. Singh	N. Sinha
Broad Jump	B. Sharma	S. Singh	R. Shrestha
Triple Jump	B. Sharma	S. Singh	N. Sinha
High Jump	B. Sharma	P. Khetan	K. Tenzing
Division III			
100 m	K. K. Akash	R. Ghosh	Raj Yadav
200 m	R. Ghosh	R. Yadav	A. Dalmia
400 m	A. Puri	Pankaj Agarwal	R. Yadav
800 m (Div.III, IV and V)	P. Poudyal	R. Ghosh	A. Puri
Broad Jump	Md. Jamaluddin	P. Agarwal	D. Mondal
Triple Jump	P. Agarwal	Md. Jamaluddin	A. Dalmia
High Jump	P. Agarwal	L. Sharma	Md. Jamaluddin.
Division IV			
100 m	P. Poudyal	R. Jaiswal	Pradip Agarwal
200 m	P. Poudyal	Pradip Agarwal	R. Jaiswal
400 m	P. Poudyal	Pradip Agarwal	R. Jaiswal
Broad Jump	R. Jaiswal	P. Poudyal	S. Kharel
High Jump	R. Jaiswal	Chetan Saraf	B. Gurung
Division A			
100 m	L. Ezong	Jyoti Prakash	Saurabh Modi
200 m	J. Prakash	L. Ezong	S. Modi
400 m	Jyoti Prakash	P. Chowdhury	Kaushik Shah
Broad Jump	Saurabh Modi	L. Ezong	Sameep Rana
High Jump	L. Ezong	S. Alam	Saurabh Modi

OPEN	1st	2nd	3rd
Division B			
100 m	V. Agarwal	A. Kumar	A. Manandhar
150 m	V. Agarwal	E. Manandhar	Anil Kumar
200 m	A. Kumar	V. Agarwal	E. Manandhar
Broad Jump	R. Pandey	H. Agarwal	V. Agarwal
High Jump.	E. Manandhar	G. Ghosh	K. A. Jico

Division C			
100 m	S. Singh	M. Ezong	V. Dugar
150 m	V. Dugar	M. Ezong	S. K. Singh
200 m	S. Singh	V. Dugar	M. Ezong
High Jump	M. Kumar	U. Thapa	S. K. Singh
Broad Jump.	M. R. Ezong	S. K. Singh	M. Kumar

Division D			
100 m.	D. Tuladhar	A. Barek	A. Behani
150m	A. Barek	A. Behani	Nischal Singh
Broad Jump	D. Tuladhar	Naresh Rai	A. I. Sinha
Three Legged	D. Tuladhar	G. Shrestha	V. Bimani
race 75 m.	A. Barek	A. Saraf	N. Harlalka

Division E			
75 m.	R. Anthony	A. R. Manandhar	U. Pradhan
100m.	A. Manandhar	S. Sharda.	R. Anthony
Cricket ball throw	R. Anthony	A. Gupta	A. Mukherjee
Broad Jump	S. Chatterjee	R. Anthony	A. Gupta
Sack Race (50m)	R. Anthony	S. Sharma	A. Rai

Shuttle Relay (PW)

20 X 100 m Relay (JW)

4 X 100 m Relay (PW)

4 X 100 m Relay (JW)

4 X 200 m Relay (SW)

20 X 100 Relay (SW)

Tug of War

Hunt

Betten

Hunt also the winner of the Charile Dunne Trophy

Cable

Clive

Clive

Hastings

Marathon 1992

Senior	B. Singh	S.M. Pradhan	A.M. Pradhan
Intermediate	R. Yadav	P. Poudyal	N. Chopra
Junior	P. Chowdhury	S. Pradhan	A. Gurung
Primary	E. Manandhar	Nischal Singh	Arjun Gurung

Winner of Athletics Standard 1993

Senior Wing	Lawrence
Junior Wing	Westcott
Primary Wing	Tenzing

Winner of Athletics Cup / Shield

Primary Wing	Tenzing
Junior Wing	Westcott
Senior Wing	Clive

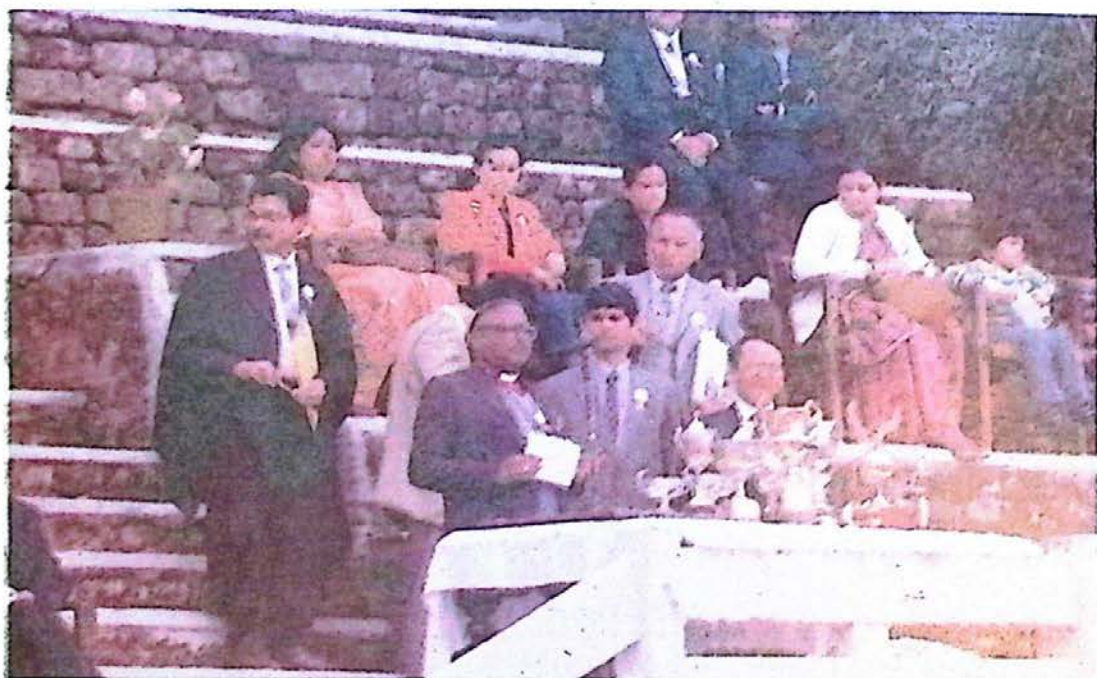
March Past

Senior Wing	Havelock
Junior Wing	Betten
Primary Wing	Hillary

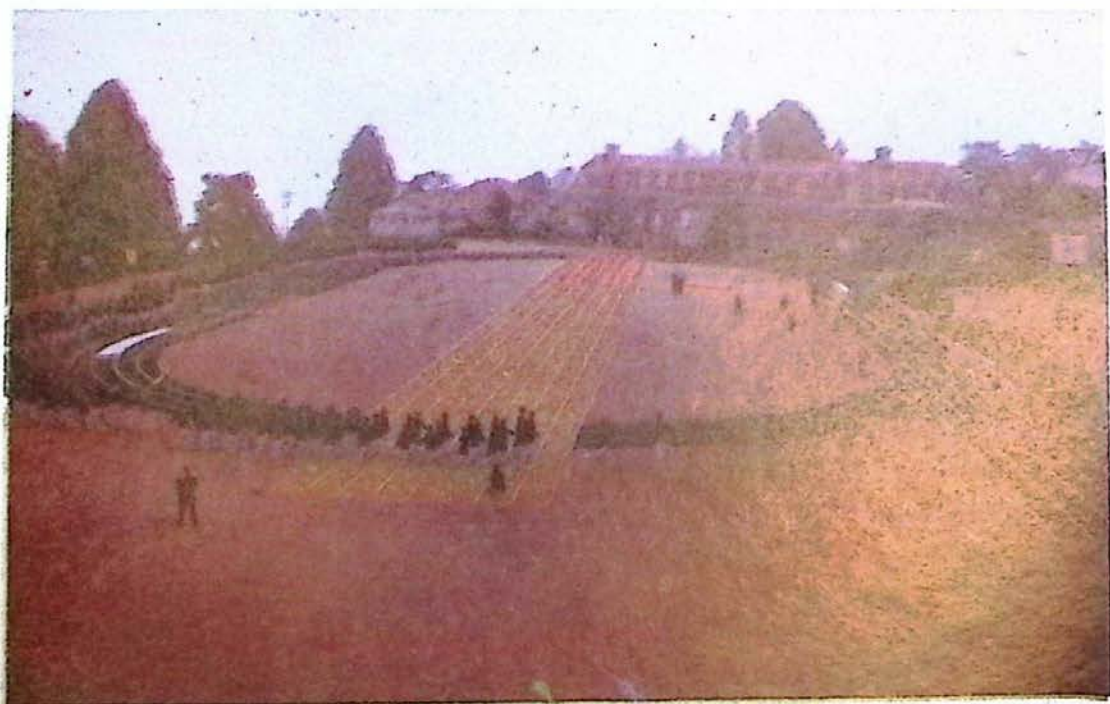
Individual Prizes

Rahual Trophy	100 mt Div IV.	P. Poudyal
Victor Ludorum	Div. E	R. Anthony
Victor Ludorum	Div. D	D. Tuladhar
Victor Ludorum	Div. C	Santosh Singh
Victor Ludorum	Div. B	V. Agarwal
Victor Ludorum	Div. A	L. Ezong
Victor Ludorum	Div. IV	P. Poudyal
Victor Ludorum	Div. III	P. Agarwal
Victor Ludorum	Div. II	B. Sharma
Victor Ludorum	Div. I	K. Leghsey
Victor Ludorum	Div. Open	B. Singh

Compiled by Mr. N. Gomes



Chief Guest Bishop Gorio addressing the athletes.



A view of the field during the March Past



The Marathon Team with Mr. J. Singh and Mr. N. Gomes

MARATHON REPORT-1993

Master-in-charge

Mr. J. Singh

Captain

Bilat Singh

To most of the Paulites the Marathon season is loathesome. The ubiquitous medical excuses mark the beginning of this season with Paulites rushing to get hold of a 'restriction chit' from the school doctor. But this time their excuses fell on deaf ears.

This season commenced on the 3rd August. The first and the last few practices were run off in the rain. The rest of the days were quite pleasant for the practice runs. After three weeks of consistent practices the finals were held on the 24th of August.

On the final day, in the morning the rain broke and came down heavily. Fortunately the rain ceased a bit and the races were run off in a slight drizzle.

In the Senior run Bilat Singh, won the race. R. Yadav, P. Chowdhury and E. Manandar stood first in their respective groups. The results of the marathon were as follows:

Sr. Marathon

- 1st Bilat Singh (Lw)
- 2nd S.M. Pradhan (Hv)
- 3rd A. Pradhan (Hv)

Junior Marathon

- 1st P. Chowdhury (We)
- 2nd S. Pradhan (We)
- 3rd A. Gurung (We)

Intermediate Marathon

- 1st R. Yadav (Ca)
- 2nd P. Poudyal (Lw)
- 3rd N. Chopel (We)

Primary Marathon

- 1st E. Manandar (Tz)
- 2nd N. Singh (Ht)
- 3rd P. Gurung (Ev)

The Marathon Cup was won by Havelock in the Senior Wing, Westcott and Tenzing won it in the Junior and Pry. Wings respectively. Lawrence House won the cake for having the maximum regular participants. The awardees for colours this year were as follows:

School Colours

1. Bilat Singh (Capt)
2. S. M. Pradhan (Sr.)

House Colours

1. D. Muna
2. N. Jaiswal
3. R. Shrestha

My marathon report would be incomplete if I failed to thank Mr.N. Gomes, Mr. J. Singh and Mr. P. Nedumaran for conducting the practices. Marathon is a sport which cannot be organised and conducted single handedly. One needs help and support to carry things out smoothly. I extend my sincere gratitude to all the staff members who helped greatly as recorders, or in any other aspect, inspite of the torrential rains during the parctices and on the final day. I hope that the standard of this sport will improve in the years to come.

Compiled by
Bilat Singh

D.E.A.S. ANNUAL REPORT-1993

There are, perhaps, very few schools anywhere in the country with such a vast choice of co-curricular activities as we have here in St. Paul's and the Duke of Edinburgh's Award activities must surely rank as one of the most popular amongst all. The standards are quite exacting and, therefore, personally satisfying, but I suppose the main popularity of the scheme lies in the fact that all activities are carried out on a non-competitive basis: the only competition being with oneself - to outdo one's own earlier performances. Indeed, the Duke of Edinburgh's Award is a marvellous scheme which contributes to self-improvement as, perhaps, few other programmes do. I am confident that Paulites willy-nilly have understood the significance of this fact, hence the large number of participants in the various medal standards.

Having said this, I must, however, admit that in comparison to previous years the Award activities this year were relatively low-keyed. The prolonged rains that came early in the year, and stayed with us for the greater part literally dampened many an ardent spirit. (Expeditions suffered in particular). This year there were a total of



Dzongri - A DEAS Expedition Point

Photo : Praveen Kishorepuria

152 participants at the various levels comprising 92 bronze, 48 silver and 12 gold candidates when the school term began in March. Today at year end I am pleased to report that 30 bronze, 6 silver and 5 gold standard candidates have qualified for the coveted awards. I would like to extend my heartiest congratulations to each of them. They will certainly have found the participation rewarding and meaningful. And I'm equally confident that those who do not find themselves on the honours list have found their experience enjoyable and challenging. With a little more dedicated effort and luck they should be on the Awardees list next year.

Let us now take a look at the activities under the various heads that make up the Scheme.

SERVICE:

Admittedly the options open to our students under this head are severely limited. However, the students carried on sportingly and most commendably serving the school community in various ways working as Chapel Wardens, Audio-Visual assistants, reporters of the School's monthly newsletter and learning First Aid. In view of the restricted option, towards the fag end of the year, NCC participation was included for recognition-especially in view of the increased activities of the NCC in school.

PHYSICAL RECREATION:

Once again many boys failed to get on to the honours list because of the demanding standards required to qualify in the various sports. Popular physical recreation activities included cricket, football, hockey, badminton, squash, Eton Fives, basketball and athletics.

SKILL:

The skills exhibited by the boys in a wide spectrum of hobbies were in evidence during the Annual Exhibition Week. All students, whether receiving an award or not, deserve to be commended for a marvellous exhibition of skills and talent. Popular hobbies included-photography, machine workshop, dramatics, public speaking, batik, art, woodwork and music, among others.

EXPEDITIONS:

Expeditions remain a key attraction of award activities here at

St. Paul's both for the school term it affords and for opportunity it allows to get away from the routine of day to day classwork. This year twelve boys of the school went to Harrow. Five silver groups walked to Chitwan and a fourth team and three gold teams visited Dhaulagiri, reached Base Camp (15,000 ft) and Ghorapani on the Annapurna circuit in Nepal. This was, perhaps, the first time that a group from St. Paul's went to the Nepal Himalayas for the award programme. The expedition log books make for amusing, interesting and informative reading.

However, three silver groups going to Sandakphu stood disqualified because they acted too wisely in availing of vehicular assistance beyond what was recommended. This has caused the route to Sandakphu to be altered and new groups going there will need to walk via Ramdik and Phalut.

Happy news for expeditioners is that we have, after several years of waiting, been able to purchase new sets of pots, pans and other expedition utensils. Hopefully, inspection teams will now be treated to mouth-watering delights.

RESIDENTIAL PROJECT:

This year's gold standard candidates completed their Residential Projects over the school holidays at home and included, in the main, providing assistance in Nursing Homes and Schools in Kathmandu, Delhi and Calcutta. From all the reports received and log accounts submitted every project participation seems to have been a life time's experience, very moving and rewarding.

On the administrative side we were, this year, able to establish firm contact with East Zone Award Authority in Calcutta and have been able to procure from them metal and cloth lapel badges. With the help of Mr. K. Medora, Chairperson, EZAA and Mr. Sandip Seal, Field Officer, EZAA, whom I had the pleasure of meeting in October, we hope to strengthen these nascent bonds. Under this head I'm glad to report that this year we printed our own Record Books and they have served their purpose well.

Before concluding this report I need to thank various people who have contributed in various ways to the successful completion of the year's programme. On top of my list is the Rector, to whom I owe my gratitude for his constant support of award activities and sage counsel whenever required. I would also like to express my sincere thanks to the Senior Master, Mr. L. Myers, Senior House

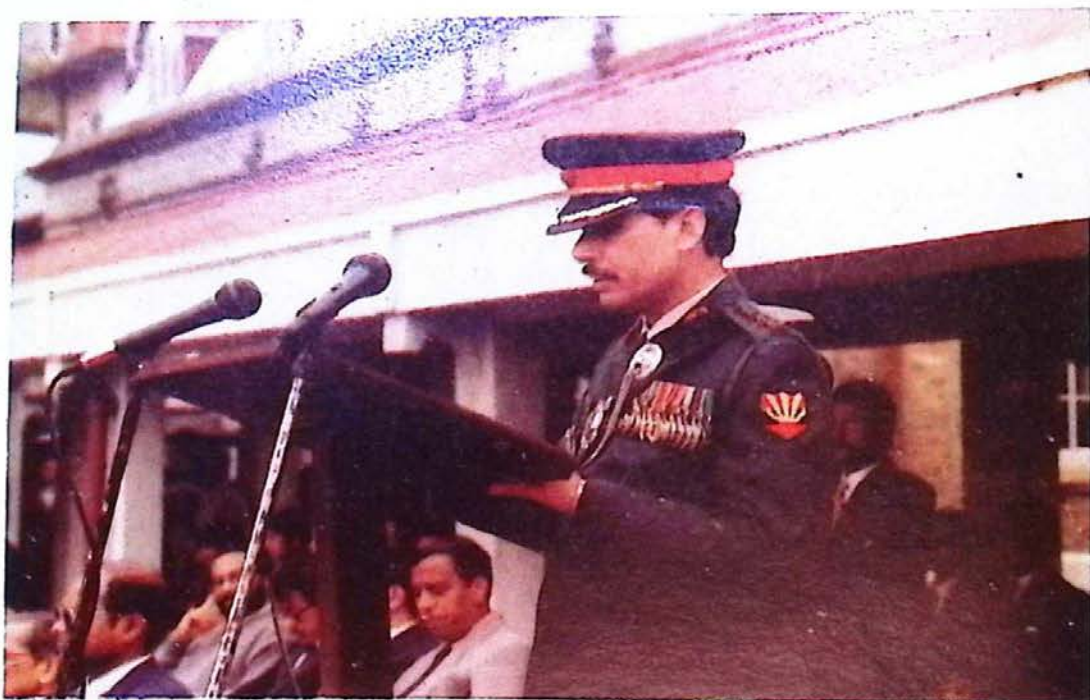
Masters and members of staff who have acted as instructors, assessors and helpful advisors. If the award programme is a success here at St. Paul's, much of the credit must go to these ladies and gentlemen without whose co-operation and involvement the programme would never have taken off, leave alone be successfully completed. My thanks are also due to members of the School Administrative Staff, the Estate Manager, the two caterers, Dr. Sharma and his medical team, as well as the Bursar and his office staff. I also need to thank Mr. T. Calvert and Mr. A. Alva, in particular, who lit up what would otherwise have been lonely inspection trips.

Finally, I need to place on record my sincerest gratitude to my student secretary for this year - Thongram Bilat Singh. A quiet and persistent worker, Bilat was an immense source of help in the actual execution of the award programme. His unending patience, his resolve to work under any and every kind of pressure, and determination to push ahead irrespective of bottlenecks and problems of every hue need our heartiest congratulations and warmest commendations. Thank you very much, Bilat.

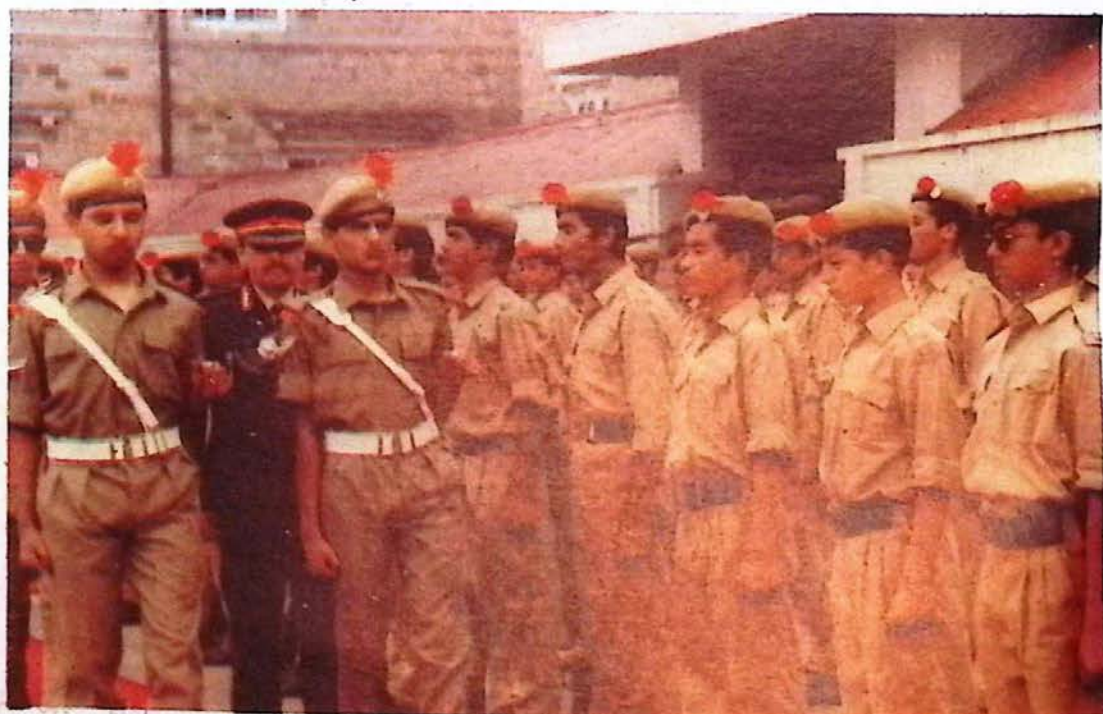
And so another year has come to an end and one now looks forward to 1994 when I hope all of you will return more determined than ever to succeed and push ourselves to greater glory.

Mr. S. Chakravarthi

N.B.: Gold Awards were give to: Thongram Bilat Singh, Rahul Rana, Sujit Acharya, Gautam Hingorani and Praveen Kishorepuria.



Chief Guest Col. B. K. D. Bagel addresses the school
on Independence Day



Chief Guest Col. B. K. D. Bagel takes the Guard of Honour
on Independence Day

ANNUAL N.C.C. REPORT

Master-in-charge

Mr. D. P. Pradhan

Commander

Cdt. Sgt. Maj. Rahul Rana

This year N.C.C prospered well under the able guidance of Mr. D.P. Pradhan and our Commander Cdt. Sgt. Maj. Rahul Rana. 60 freshers from Class IX had been enrolled in the beginning of the year and took a deep interest in the activity. The total number of boys this year in N.C.C. was 110.

This year a new horticultural programme was introduced. The N.C.C. Cadets planted about 300 saplings around the school campus within a space of 4 days. We intend to introduce more such activities on our agenda next year.

The cadets involved themselves in a campus cleaning programme in order to prepare the school for the 15th of August. The Independence Day practices started by the beginning of August. The cadets spent all their free time perfecting their skills for the 15th of August. Everything went off in an excellent function on the 15th of August. Col. B.K.D. Badgel presided over the function and took the Guard of Honour. We are thankful to Mr. A.Thackur for taking over the responsibility of the Master-in-Charge in the absence of Mr. D. P. Pradhan due to unavoidable circumstances. Cdt.Corp.R.Parasramka also a pilot to the Chief Guest, had an unfortunate accident. These are regular features of the N.C.C We learn to take the good with the bad and pass it off as God's will.

30 boys appeared for the 'A' Certificate examination at the Gymkhana Club, Darjeeling and we are proud to say that everyone of them was successful.

As the 11nd Terminal Exams. were over, the cadets for the first time, involved themselves in the Annual Training Camp of N.C.C. at Katakpahar. The boys enjoyed themselves thoroughly and on occasions had their meals there. The cadets of our school took part in various activities held at the camp, like rifle-shooting, parachuting, cross-country programmes. With pride, we say that our cadets brought laurels of victory home in all these activities. Cdt. Debashis Mondal (Class IX) was selected for the Republic Day Parade at Delhi.

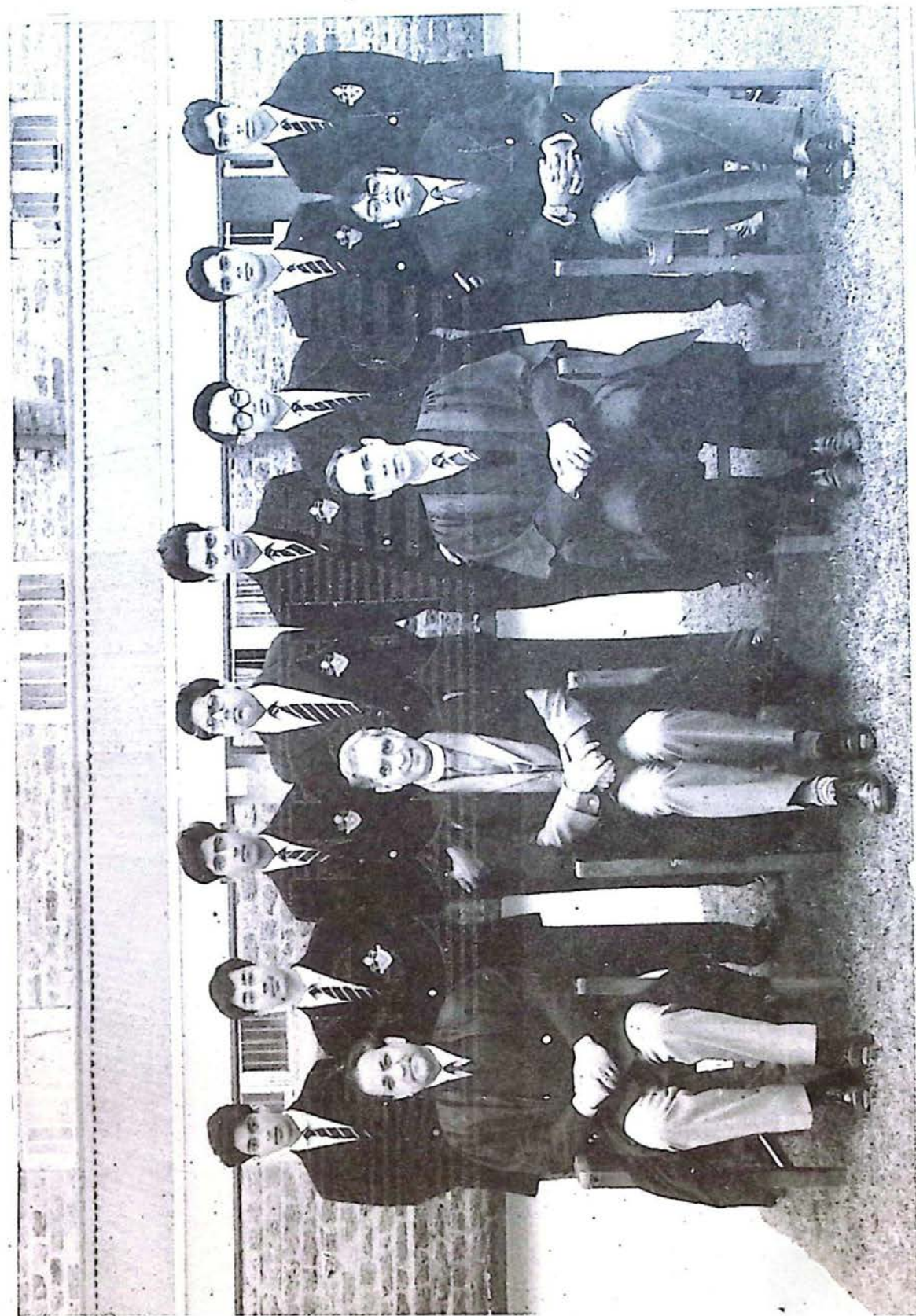
The best cadet for the year was Cdt. Sgt. Mag. Rahul Rana

who was awarded the General Virendra award for N.C.C. Congratulations!

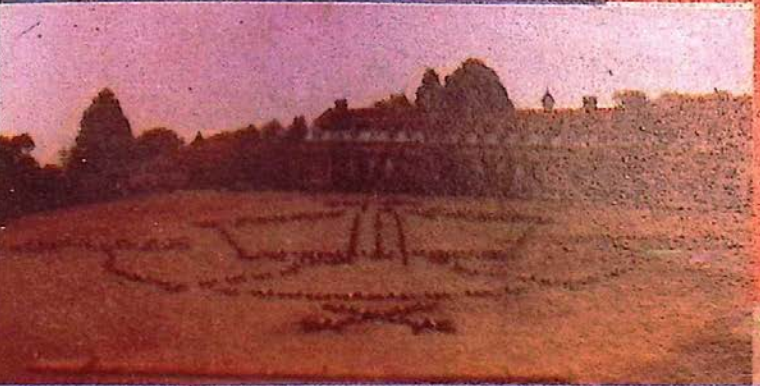
We are grateful to the School Band which played excellently for us under the guidance of Aurag Goel, on the 15th of August. We are also thankful to the staff from the N.C.C.office, Our Administrative officer Maj. P.Dangai and Our Commanding Officer Col.B. Singh.

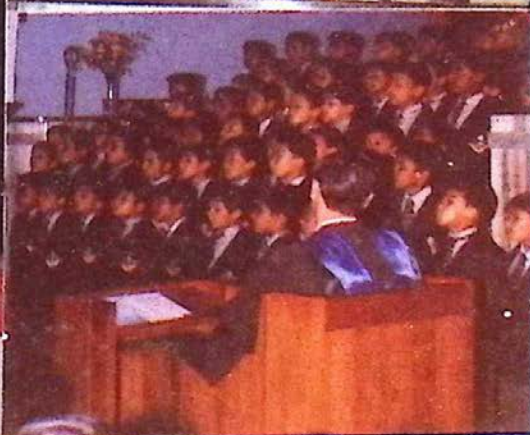
Finally, a big thank you to all the cadets and all the best for next year. We hope and pray that the N.C.C. will live on and thrive in the hands of our future Cadets and Sergeants. The cadets have tried to live up to the motto - "Unity and Discipline", and we sincerely hope that this spirit continues.

**Rahul Srivastav
Sonmya Palchandni
Rishi Parasumka
Brett Howard**



The Chapel Wardens with (L-R : Seated) Mr. G. R. Anthony, Rev. N. Sen, the Rector, and Praveen Kishorepuria.





S.P.S.
1993



CHAPEL NOTES

Chaplain

Rev. Noel Sen

Head Chapel Warden

Praveen Kishorepuria

The focal point of our spiritual activity, the School Chapel, began its functioning for the year, at the opening of term service on the 20th March conducted by the Rector.

With a new batch of Chapel Wardens, headed by me under the guidance of Rev. Noel Sen and Mr. G.R. Anthony, the Chapel began functioning smoothly with only an initial setback, the departure of Mr. Denzil Prince. As all good things come to an end, Mr. Prince's term of service in St. Paul's too came to an end. Sir, we pay our sincere tributes to you and wish and hope that you may live in joy and happiness wherever you go.

We were honoured to have Bishop Pradhan, at the Holy Communion on the 4th of April and then again on the 11th of the same month, which also happened to be Easter Sunday. The Bishop delivered the sermon.

The Good Friday and Easter Sunday Services were the highlights of the month of April, although there had been a couple of Matins and Evensong services too.

Though May too, was not a very busy month, we had three Matins and a solitary Evensong service, along with a number of Congregation practices. We are grateful to the Rector for having come down to the Chapel to conduct the Congregation practices. Mr. Lepcha too, who joined us this year as a Music teacher in the Primary wing, helped us on the piano for the congregation practices and the Sunday service till Rev. Noel Sen took over.

The months from June to September were fairly busy. Chapel repairs began during these months and the entire Chapel was given a fresh look.

July saw the passing away of the West Bengal Governor, Mr. Nurul Hassan for whom we had a memorial service on the 15th.

Besides the usual daily services, Matins and Evensongs we had a special Independence Day service on the 15th August during which we were privileged to be addressed by Mr. Kamlesh Kanti. We also had a memorial service for Rev. Leblond.

We were also privileged to welcome Rev. Noel Sen permanently in our school as a Chaplain cum Music teacher in the month of September.

On the 2nd October we were delighted to hold a special service on the occasion of Bapu's Birthday. The huge amount of money we

received from the service was sent to the Prime Minister's Earthquake relief fund for the Maharashtra Earthquake victims.

This year, the commemoration service was held late due to the late arrivals of the Pujas. The service was held on the 17th October.

We now have all the three wings preparing for their respective carol services. We all look forward to the Primary Wing Carol Service. Sixth Formers and I personally look forward to the Senior Wing Carol Service which shall be our last Carol Service. Rev. Noel Sen is busy preparing the choirs of all the three wings and I sincerely thank him for all his pains.

I am also very grateful to the Senior Master and the Estate Manager for providing the much required help we needed at times.

I would like to offer sincere thanks to the Rector whose active interest and participation in the Services has provided St. Paul's Chapel the much required support which has enabled it to stand as a symbol for providing the needed spiritual sustenance.

I also wish to thank the Senior Chapel Wardens for the highly commendable work done by them and wish them all the best in the years to come.

Praveen Kishorepuria
Head Chapel Warden

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL, DARJEELING

CHAPEL ACCOUNT

Receipts and Payments Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 1994.

RECEIPTS	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
To Opening Balance	32,552.65	
To School Chapel Collection	30,584.85	
To Interest earned during the year	2,058.00	65,195.50
PAYMENTS		
By The Bible Society of India, Calcutta Auxiliary	500.00	
By Mrs. N. Lepcha	500.00	
By Prime Minister's Earthquake Relief Fund	10,000.00	
By The Salvation Army School for the Deaf	750.00	
By Mary Scott Home for the Blind, Kalimpong	750.00	
By Matri Sangha Janakalyan Ashram	750.00	
By The Principal, Bishop's College, Calcutta	750.00	
By Darjeeling Diocesan, Child Care Project	750.00	
By Calcutta Diocesan Fund 'B' account No.2	750.00	
By India Sunday School Union, Coonoor	750.00	
By Bishop of Calcutta, Discretionary Fund	750.00	
By CNI, Calcutta Diocesan Central Fund	750.00	
By Society for the Protection of Children in India	750.00	
By Calcutta Deaf & Dumb School	750.00	
By Calcutta Blind School	750.00	
By The Treasurer, Leprosy Society, Purulia	750.00	
By Missionaries of Charity, Mother Teresa's Orphanage, Darjeeling.	750.00	
By Premananda Leprosy Dispensaries, Calcutta	750.00	
By Gorkha Dukha Nivarak Sammelan, Darjeeling.	750.00	
By Bharat Sivashram Sangha, Calcutta.	750.00	
By Wool Craft (Busti Childrens' Winter Comfort)	6,600.00	
By Bank Charges	<u>25.00</u>	<u>30,375.00</u>
Balance as on 31st March, 1994 : -		<u>34,820.50</u>

Old Paulite News

Sandeep Chhetri ('85) who visited the school early in the year, is a Captain in the 3rd Gorkha Rifles.

Himraj Dang ('84) after a few years with the World Bank as consultant, is now with INSEAD, MBA 93, at Boulevard de Constance, 77305, Fontainebleau Cedex, Paris, France. Rupin Dang is in Dartmouth College, New Hampshire, graduating in 1994. He has done several films on Project Tiger, Himalayan Environment and Pilgrimages. National Parks and Sanctuaries and his book has been published by Harper Collins (Rupa) on Flowers of the Western Himalayas. Mr. Hari Dang, Ex-Rector St. Paul's School, is now Chief Editor of the international Journal of Sustainable Development, 1, Factory Road (Ring Road South) Near Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi - 110029.

Vivik B. Arora ('84) attended St. Stephen's College from 1984 to 1987 and went on to Brown University in the United States, to study for his doctorate in Economics. In Oct. '92, he joined the International Monetary Fund in Washington DC, as an economist.

Michael T. Khumancha ('92) had enrolled with the Agarwal Classes, Bombay, for entrance to the Indian Institute of Technology, Joint Entrance Examination 1993.

Indraneel Roy (Lw '84) stays in Calcutta and runs an export business.

Subhomoy Sen (ICSE '77) works for the Hindustan Safety Glass Works, Calcutta.

Soumitra Roy ('77) is a stockist for Dabur and Co., Calcutta.

Abhyeet Sen is in business with the Nepal Food Stuff Co.

Parimal Seth (Havelock House Captain '62) is involved in marketing and is a Sales Manager.

Hemant Chopra (Lw. House Prefect '72) is involved in business and has a Homeopathic Clinic.

S. S. Bhattacharya (School Captain '65) visited us in early '93.

Arijit Dasgupta (Clive '90) is at present studying in St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.

Subarno Chatterjee is teaching English at St. Stephen's

College, New Delhi.

Rishi Raj (Cl. '86) has settled down in Jaipur and is planning on making a tourist resort at Pushtar in Rajasthan.

Rajendra Mondal (School Captain '78) is now a businessman and lives in Barackpore in West Bengal.

Joydeep Banerjee ('90) is completing his M.A. from Jadavpur University.

Mr. Kamal Das (OP '78) is now an advocate in Gauhati.

Vineet Arora (School Captain '88) is at the Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, after having done very well at St. Stephen's, Delhi.

Swatik Sandel (Lw'61) by Profession a Marine Engineer, is now an exporter of granite to the UK and the USA.

Anil Lobo (Hv, '82), elder son of former Bursar, Cdr. N. Lobo is a Computer Software Analyt Programmer in America.

15th Dec '93 was a nostalgic day at St. Paul's. The Rector hosted a party for Mr. Michael Cross (Ex-Rector 1974 to 76) and his wife Carol, who were on a visit to India. Also present that evening were a number of other old Paulitas like Peter Liu (who came with his wife and son from Canada) Ravi Pradhan (who was with his wife from Gangtok) and Gilan Ferzandi, who was here with his finance.

STAFF NEWS

The year 1993 was one of great losses, in terms of staff members, for the school. However, we were fortunate enough to get replacements for most of the vacancies created. The Paulite family welcomed the following staff.

Mr. Brian Cecil as our new Bursar. Having graduated from St. Xavier's College, Calcutta, Mr. Cecil served as Bursar in Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong prior to joining St. Paul's.

Mr. O.P. Agarwal, an old Paulite ('79 batch) joined St. Paul's as a History teacher in the Senior and Junior Wings.

Mr. Ashish K. Chakravarty joined St. Paul's as our Caterer. Mr. Chakravarty has served with the Indian Air Force and has held various positions in different capacities including a stint as Food and Beverage Manager and as a Security Officer.

Mr. D. Kumar, post graduate in Mathematics; has taken over teaching Mathematics in the Senior and Junior Wing Classes.

Mr. S.D. Lama who joined us in a part-time capacity last year, is now on the regular staff rolls. He is taking Physics in the Senior School and some Maths. classes in the Senior and Junior Wings.

Mr. Gautam Lepcha, who was here at St. Paul's for a short period earlier on, rejoined us as a Music teacher in the primary wing. Mr. Lepcha is a master of the violin and plays the piano as well.

Sister B. Tamang joined us as a nurse in the P.W. She has worked in the United Nations Hospital in Kathmandu and has also done her Operation Theatre Training in the United States. Before joining us she was on the staff of the D & DMA Nursing Home.

Mrs. A. Rai, who was formerly teaching in BSMT, took over as Science teacher in the J.W.

Mr. Subir Roy, who left SPS five years ago, rejoined us to take over once again, the French department and some English lessons.

Mrs. D. Alva, wife of Mr. A. Alva of the PW, joined as a Junior Wing Matron.

Mrs. P. Bagchi wife of the Senior Subject Master for Mathematics, Mr. D. Bagchi, took over the job of a Senior Wing Matron.

Rev. Noel Sen joined us late in the year as Chaplain and Music Master. Previously a Priest in Calcutta and Delhi Diocese. Rev. Sen served as a member on the Board of Governors for St. Paul's in the late '80's.

Mrs. P. Thackur who had served in a part-time capacity was appointed a full-time Matron in J.W.

Wedding Bells - Mr. Ajay Sharma married Miss Neelam

& Mr. Gensis Dutta married Miss Diana William

Additions to the Paulite family:-

Mr. & Mrs. Vincent, Mr. & Mrs. D. Ghose were blessed with a daughter each.

Each of the following couples was blessed with a son:

Mr. & Mrs. S. Chakravarty

Mr. & Mrs. T. Calvert

Mr. & Mrs. O. P. Agarwal

Mr. & Mrs. S. D. Lama

Mr. & Mrs. K. R. Singh

Farewell are always painful and yet are so much a part of life. St. Paul's bid farewell to a number of staff in 1993.

Mr. & Mrs. Mallick left us very suddenly in June due to pressing personal problems in Calcutta.

Mr. Pratap Roy (former Editor of the Chronicle) and his wife Anneeta left us in mid-September, he become the Headmaster of Dr. Graham's Homes.

At the end of the year the school bid farewell to Mr. Kamlesh Kanti, Head of the Photography Department, and previously the Head of the Hindi Parishad. Mr. Kanti was also Acting Senior Master in 1990/91 and Senior House Master in 92/93.

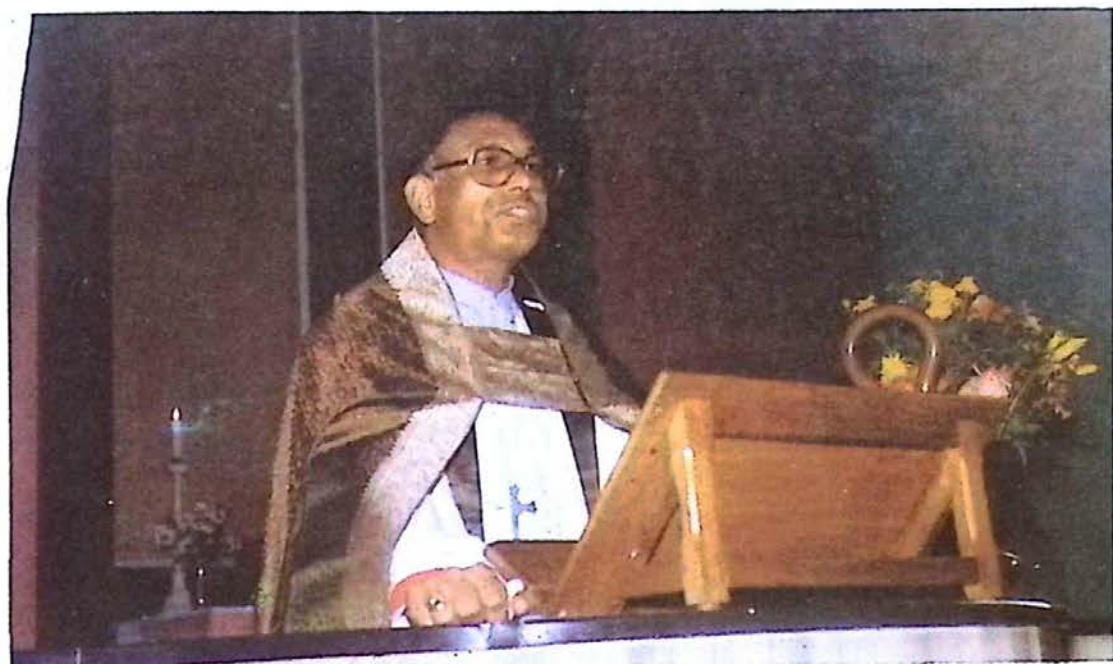
After having served St. Paul's in all these positions spanning 22 years there is no doubt that Mr. Kanti and his great contributions to the School will always be remembered with great love and appreciation.

Mr. K.L. Pradhan, after a dedicated and loyal service of 16 years to St. Paul's retired at the end of '93. A willing and ready worker. Mr. Pradhan cheerfully gave a hand in every aspect of school life.

Both Mr. Kanti and Mr. Pradhan go with our deep gratitude and blessings for a well earned life of retirement.

Our condolences to Mr. Stolke on the passing away of his father in Australia, to Miss. R. Rozario who lost her mother in Pune in September and Mr. D. Bagchi whose father passed away in November.

We also record with deep anguish the passing away of Mr. Shyamadas Chatterjee aged 82 years who served our School first as Secretary to the Rector from 1937 to 1960 and then as Bursar from 1960 to 1975. Our heartfelt condolences to the members of Mr. Chatterjee's bereaved family.



THE RT. REV. BISHOP ANDREW



Mr. Kanti shows the Board of Governors around the Photography Exhibition

SALVETE - 1993

CLASS 1

Ayush Kr. Agarwal
Vivek Bhattarai
Rohit Gambhir
Varun Gambhir
Anubhav Ghosh
Abit Manandhar
Jemin Manandhar
Aditya S. Mein
Aniruddha Pandey
Wayabong Paya
Eric E Pazo
Utsav P Pradhan
Rakesh Roshan
Subhajit Sen
Murtaza Shah
Kunga S Sherpa
Animesh S Tuladhar
Imkong T Tzudir
Gyalpo Wangdi
Ravi Karanjai
Mohit Dhanawat
Zoravar Perhar
Z Rizwan Rahman
Ayon Chakraborty

CLASS 2

Soham Battacharjee
Papan Sarkar
Aditya Agarwal
Vimayie Zutso

CLASS 3

Abdul Barek

Abhishek Behani
Amanbir S Gr̥ewal
Tony L Lawrence
Nevil Shrestha
Rohit Dhanawat
Anunaya Gupta
Aditya Agarwal
Anuj Gupta
Ajitesh Jaiswal
Arjun Phukan
Rajiv S Miah
Subhraneel Dhar
Manoj Dhanawat
Arnab Chakraborty
Avishek Rai

CLASS 4

Avishek Das
Navin Gadia
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Buddha Gurung
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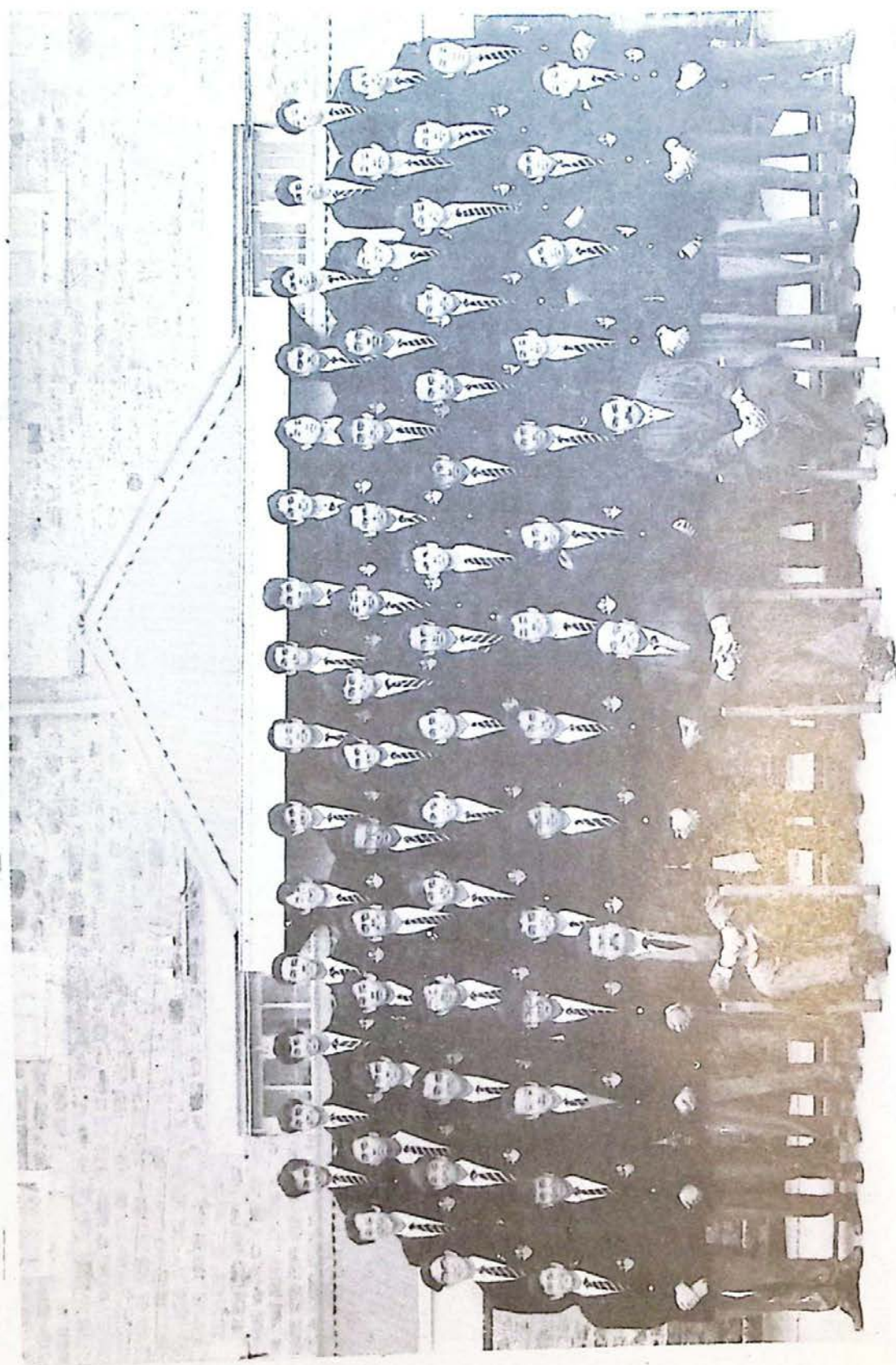
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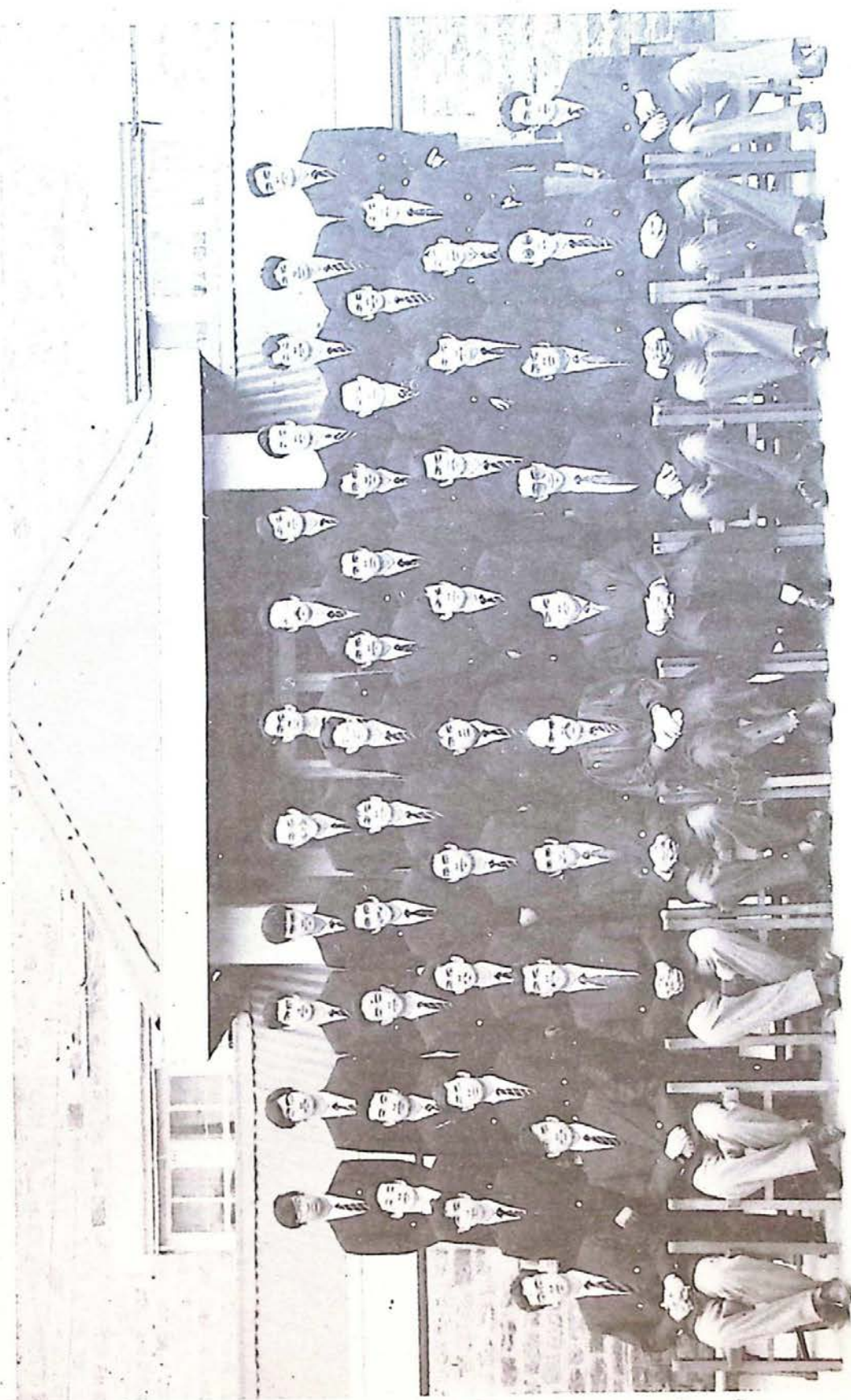
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 Vishal Dalmia
 Neelabha Dhar
 Agnirath Chowdhury
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