

Newcastle Boys' High School



OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE F. H. BEARD LIBRARY



11.30 a.m.

22nd MARCH, 1963.

Programme



NATIONAL ANTHEM



The Headmaster welcomes visitors and invites Mr. F. E. Cooksey,
President of the Parents' and Citizens' Association to preside.



Welcome by Chairman, Mr. F. E. Cooksey.



Welcome to the City
The Lord Mayor of Newcastle, Ald. F. J. Purdue.



An Address and Introduction of Ministers
Mr. E. Greaves, M.L.A., Member for Waratah.



An Address by the Honourable H. Hawkins, M.L.A.
Minister for Child Welfare and Social Welfare.



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The Honourable E. Wetherell, M.L.A.
Minister for Education.



The Headmaster, Mr. F. H. Beard, M.A.



An expression of gratitude for this day proposed by Mr. J. A.
Archer, B.A., District Inspector of Schools, supported by
Paul Seale, School Captain.



School Song.

Some Historical Facts About Our New Library



This building was commenced in September, 1962 and completed in February, 1963.

Its completion and opening culminate many years of effort by an active Parents and Citizens' Association. The present Association pays honour to the efforts of those past members who strove for this day.

The building has been designed to take a further floor of class rooms as the needs of the school increase.

The building bears the name of F. H. BEARD,
Deputy Headmaster 1941-42,
Headmaster 1948-63.

The name was suggested by the Newcastle Boys' High School Parents and Citizens' Association in the hope that this name, associated with the School for so long, might be perpetuated in brick and mortar.

The building cost approximately £15,000 and its shelves have been partly filled by the help of many parents and citizens through the years. During the year 1963, all contributions of £1 and over to the Library Appeal will be marked by a
FOUNDATION DONORS' BOOK PLATE.

The Newcastle Boys' High School Parents and Citizens' Association takes pride in being associated with this venture, thanks all persons associated with its construction and furnishings, and trust, that its efforts will assist the many boys, who pass this way but once, to become better citizens in future life.

The School Song

"REMIS VELISQUE"

*Smith House Boys, here's a song for you
Hunter and Hannell and Shortland too,
Sing as our fathers sang it, loud and true,
When they climbed up the hill in the morning.*

Chorus:

*Yes, when we're gone in the years far ahead,
When the last game's played and the last lesson's said,
The name of the school will awake from the dead
The memories of many a morning.*

*Serving straight in a hard-fought match,
Sprinting for the tape or puzzling catch
The "blues," from the limit man to the scratch,
Will still do their best, night and morning,*

Chorus:

Yes, when we're gone, etc.

*Remis Velisque's the motto for all,
And our hearts once again will still hear its call,
When the muscles are still that once toed the ball,
Or climbed up the hill in the morning.*

Chorus:

Yes, when we're gone, etc.

Headmaster: F. H. BEARD, M.A.

Deputy Headmaster: T. P. O'CONNOR, B.Sc., Dip.Ed.

Librarian: S. RIGBY, B.A.

Newcastle Boys' High School Parents and Citizens' Association:

President: F. E. COOKSEY, A.S.T.C., M.I.E. Aust.

Secretary: T. S. ELLIS, A.S.T.C.

Treasurer: G. COLLINS