

The pupils attended the Military Tattoo, and fire works at Agricultural Park on Peace Victory Day.

Every week they had a picnic at the Park - the Mohawk Park close here has springs - dancing pavilion etc - and the girls thoroughly enjoyed it. One evening the accompanist failed to appear, and one of our girls played in the dances. They also went bathing in the River.

School recommenced August 31st - present 73 girls (8 girls had what I considered undesirable home conditions, were specially asked for by Major Smith and have overstayed leave) - and 44 boys - 2 on sick leave - and 3 overstayed leave.

Staff

There have been several changes in the staff. Mrs Hargreave whose husband has returned from overseas is succeeded by Miss Hobbs, fully qualified 2nd class certificate - as junior formers.

Mr Rogers - artillery lieutenant - competent to teach band instruments and an adept at sports has reported as boys master - we are now appealing for instruments.

Miss Buelwell housekeeper had to return unexpectedly to England.

Mrs Mathews Matron broke down in health.

Miss Keyes, former teacher, assisted for 5 weeks during the vacation taking girls to the Park etc - and seeing after the house cleaning and cleaners of the pupils.