

end of the first quarter, came 11th in a class of 52. Dr. Fletcher recently wrote from London, saying that Sheila was doing very well and maintaining a good place at the Armidale School which she is now attending, and, he added, "That is entirely due to the excellent grounding that she had while she was at S. Catharine's."

The results of last year's Junior Public Examination were very satisfactory. Eight out of ten girls passed, and one of the girls who failed was unable to sit for her second English paper. Three of these girls gained Extension Scholarships. Two girls passed the State Scholarship Examination and are now working for the Junior.

This year three girls sat for the Senior. They liked their papers on the whole—it remains to be seen whether the examiners liked their answers. We have no Juniors for this year, but are presenting three girls for the State Scholarship Examination.

As Sister Michael will be leaving S. Catharine's this year to take up work in one of our other schools, we shall not be preparing for the Senior next year. Of our three Sub-Seniors, one is leaving, and the other two will continue their studies at S. Margaret's, Brisbane. We shall have Junior, Sub-Junior, and Scholarship Classes next year.

The COMMERCIAL WORK has been most satisfactory and a large number of certificates have been gained by the girls. Both Sister Michael and Mrs. Bigg are to be congratulated on their work. Mrs. Bigg has promised to take over Sister Michael's Book-keeping Class next year, and that is a sufficient guarantee that the present high standard will be maintained.

It would be surprising to report other than excellent results in MUSIC as long as Miss Gataker is in charge of that subject. We have had 100 per cent. of passes in the School this year. It is not that the girls are below standard, for Joyce Dunshea was only thirteen when she obtained a good pass in Grade 2. Mr. Sidney May, one of the examiners, in a lecture that was broadcast, mentioned S. Catharine's, among other schools, in a list of those whose standard was excellent.

There is a small display of SEWING, but the work has been greatly hindered by sickness. Some of it is very good and Miss Gilling is to be congratulated on the results of her teaching. One of our girls, Nyra Priest, gained a first prize at the Ballandean Show for her tray cloth. Miss Gerry now has charge of the dress-making, but there has not been sufficient time to have garments for inspection.

PHYSICAL CULTURE and SPORTS: Miss Redman and Miss