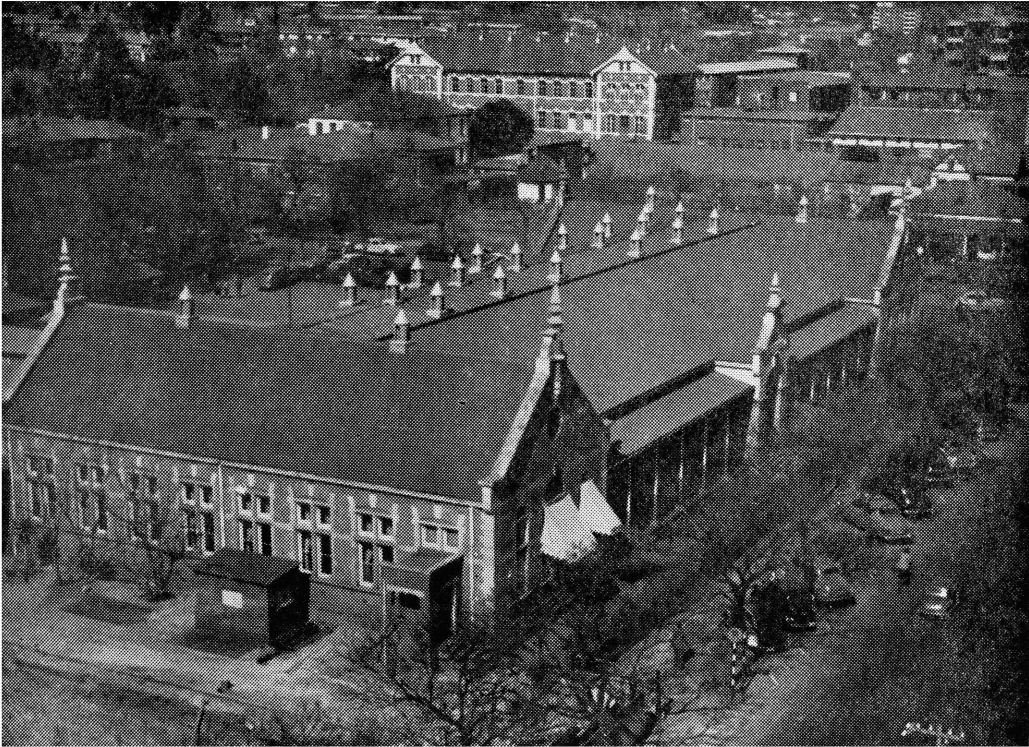


*When the news was received that Winston Spencer Churchill had died, Pretorians remembered with pride that he had once been in Pretoria albeit as an unwilling prisoner of war in the State Model School during the Boer war. Photo was taken soon after his escape.
Winston Churchill kort nadat hy uit die Staatsmodelskool ontsnap het.*



The State Model School in Pretoria which was opened in 1898 and in which many men and women who would later make their mark in Pretoria, were trained. It is today an historical monument. It was in this school that Mr. Churchill was held prisoner. When asked in which room, Mr. Churchill's secretary replied: "Mr. Churchill does not remember."

Die Staatsmodelskool in Van der Waltstraat. Die gebou is onlangs tot historiese monument verklaar.



*Dr. N. Mansvelt, Superintendent van Onderwys in die Suid-Afrikaanse
Republiek, 1891-1900.*



*Irene Violet Nellmapius (1887-1961) after whom Irene was named.
Irene Violet Nellmapius (1887-1961) na wie Irene net buite Pretoria vernoem is.*