

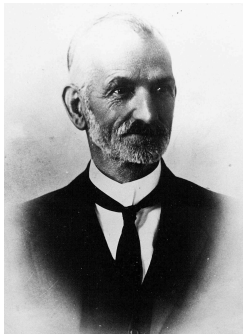


Burwood Public School

The official opening was announced in *The Sydney Morning Herald* of Tuesday 10 January 1871: "Burwood Public School – The Official opening will take place on Saturday, the 14th instant, and the duties of the school will commence on the following Monday."

The *Australian Town and Country Journal* reported on Saturday 14 January 1871 that: "A public dinner was given on Monday last, at Goulburn, to Mr. James McCredie, late second master of the public school there, who has been appointed master of the Burwood public school." Mr McCredie completed his term as Headmaster in 1880 when he was promoted to the inspectorship of the Yass school district. James McCredie rose as high as the position of Under-Secretary of the Department of Public Instruction. He died in 1912 at the age of 66 at his residence, Inverloch, Duntroon Street, Hurlstone Park.

William Teale, pictured, was the Headmaster of Burwood Public School 1909 to 1922. Photograph courtesy of Mr K Teale. The School is pictured below in 1913. The original building is on the right.



Another early view of Burwood Public School.

