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For he was lifting up her drooping head—  
That lovely head that was so proudly fair!—  
And all the golden hair  
That hid her wondrous face  
On Menelaus' arm was fanlike spread  
As she—forgiven—took his fond embrace.

B.O.

### Chat on the Corridor.

The officials for the New School Year are as follows:

*Head of the School*—M. H. Bates.

*House Captains and Prefects*—

ALFRED HOLT D. Booth, Capt.; Prefects: E. G. Wright,  
B. W. May.  
COCHRAN ... T. G. Parry, Capt.; Prefects: E. R. Bous-  
field, D. A. T. Wallace.  
DANSON ... R. A. Martin, Capt.; Prefects: K. B. Gibson,  
H. Thomas.  
HUGHES ... A. C. C. Baxter, Capt.; Prefects: M. A.  
Tarlo, H. R. Disley.  
OWEN ... M. H. Bates, Capt.; Prefects: M. R. Mac-  
Arthur, T. C. Harrop.  
PHILIP HOLT ... H. L. Jones, Capt.; Prefects: L. W. Parkin-  
son, W. R. A. Ellis.  
TATE ... J. G. L. Gibbs, Capt.; Prefects: F. W. Rew,  
T. R. Warren.

*Magazine Editor*—R. A. Martin; *Sub-Editors*—A. C. C.  
Baxter, D. A. T. Wallace.

*Football*.—Capt., M. H. Bates; Secretary, T. G. Parry.

*Cricket*.—Capt., T. G. Parry; Secretary, D. Booth.

*Swimming*.—Capt., T. G. Parry.

*Sports*.—Capt., D. Booth; Secretary, H. L. Jones.

*Cross Country Running*.—Capt., A. C. C. Baxter.

*Gymnasium*.—Capt., H. L. Jones.

*Literary and Debating Society*.—Secretaries, M. H. Bates.

*Boxing*.—Capt., H. L. Jones; Vice-Capt., B. W. May.

*Chess*.—(Captain and Secretary not elected at time of going  
to Press.)

L.N.U.—(Officials to be elected this Term.)

The Foundation Prizes for 1930 have been awarded as  
follows:

*The Lord Derby Prize for Mathematics*.—

" " " *Chemistry*.—H. R. Lunt.

" " " *French*.—N. Wells.

" " " *German*.—J. J. Nussbaum.

*The William Durning Holt Prize for English*.—H. W. Martin.

" " " " *Latin*.—H. W. Martin, L. A.  
Jones.

" " " " *Physical Sciences*.—W. H.  
Lindsey.

*The Samuel Booth Prize for Greek*.

*English Literature*.—J. Burr.

*The "Arthur Damsell" Prizes for Arithmetic*.—Removes:  
Fifths: R. Scarisbrick.

*The Frederick Radcliffe Prizes for Elocution*.—Senior: M. T.  
Owen; Junior: D. A. Jenkins.

The following successes have been gained in public examina-  
tions. We offer our heartiest congratulations to all concerned.  
*Margaret Bryce Smith Scholarships*.—F. W. Rew, J. J. Graneek,  
N. Wells.

*State Scholarships*.—W. H. Lindsey.

*Senior City Scholarships*.—J. A. Benjamin, H. R. Lunt.

*Special Scholarship*.—I. Henry.

*Albert Scholarship, Cambridge*.—W. H. Lindsey.

*Robert Gee Scholarship*.—I. Henry.

*Higher School Certificate*.—

Form VI. Ac.—Bebb, J. E., Bender, S., Benjamin, J. A., Car-  
ruthers, B., Gibson, K. B., Gill, A. J., Graneek, J. J., Henry, L. (Dis-  
tinction in Ancient History and Latin), Jones, L. A., Martin, R. A., Myers,  
H., Rew, F. W., Turner, J. W., Warren, S. R., Weightman, G., Wright,  
E. G.

Form VI. Am.—Baxter, A. C. C., Bolt, F., Booth, D., Burr, J.  
(Distinction in History), Harrop, T. C., Harvey, H. S., Macarthur, M. R.,  
Nussbaum, J. J., Robinson, W. A. M., Wells, N. (Distinction in French).

Form VI. Asc.—Gregory, J. E., Hartley, E. L., Lindsey, W. H.  
(Distinction in Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics Physics),  
Lunt, H. R., Roberts, A. L., Rogan, H.

*School Certificate* (m signifying exemption from Matriculation.)

Form Rc.—Ankers, W. A. (m), Balwin, A. B. (m), Bates, A. P.,  
Burke, J. D., Cohen, G., Colemanovitz, B., Corkill, A. J., Cripps, A. K.  
(m), Davies, T. L., Davison, J. R., Dawson, E. (m), Disley, H. R. (m),  
Holden, A. (m), Johnston, R. (m), Marsh, R., Nachmanovitz, A. (m),  
O'Neil, O. B. (m), Owen, M. T., Peaston, M., Penn, H. (m), Pike, E.,  
Rodick, E. L. (m), Slaney, L. A., Strovitch, G. G.

Form Rm.—Alegant, C. D. (m), Butterworth, A. H., Carlisle, F. W.,  
Carpenter, K. E. (m), Cherrick, B. (m), Denerley, S., Hoare, R. G.,  
Hollis, N., McKim, D. F., Meck, W. H. (m), Nelson, F. J. (m), Quayle,  
J. B. (m), Thomas, E. (m), Watkinson, J. R.

Form Rsc.—Bostock, E. T., Fulton, K. C. (m), Graneek, M., Healing,  
L. C., Lyons, R. (m), McCloy, J. (m), McKenzie, W. P. (m), Martinez, C. A.,  
Mossman, D. B., Packer, J. L. (m), Peters, A. J. (m), Plumridge, A. R. (m),  
Stott, D. (m), Thomas, H., Twist, H., Whellan, J. A. (m), Zalin, H.

Form Rx.—Barron, K. E., Brown, G. G. H. E., Dawson, S., Ellis,  
W. R. A., Rayner, S., Shaw, R. H., Williams, J. T. (m).

We welcome the following new members of the Staff this  
term: Mr. B. M. Folland (from Methodist College, Belfast), Mr.

H. W. Jones (from Llandindrod Wells County School), and Miss K. M. Deakin. It is a curious coincidence that Mr. Folland was a contemporary of Mr. Frank at King Edward's, Birmingham, though they became scholars of different colleges at Cambridge. We hope that the new members of our Staff will like both the Liverpool climate and the Liverpool Institute; to the former, Miss Deakin at any rate has become already inured.

Last term we lost both Mr. Sproat and Mr. Stevens. Mr. Sproat, who came to the School in 1926, possessed a vigorous personality and took part in the more athletic sides of school life. On one occasion he coached the Junior Shield team to victory, while the boxing club has prospered under his guidance. He will take up a scholastic position in Bulawayo. We wish him good hunting.

We should like to have made the closer acquaintance of Mr. Stevens who has been with us but a year. We shall miss his presence among us.

On Wednesday, May 7th, the sports medals and certificates were distributed by Professor Wilberforce. Professor Wilberforce, whose interest in athletics is only second to his love of mountaineering, gave a bright speech, apt and well chosen. When next we are in Euston Station we will certainly look for his photograph in the Waiting Room. It is interesting to note that the photograph of the professor gives us a glimpse of the Naples Needle in the background.

On the 15th May, certain members of the Sixths were addressed by M. Lomax, in French, on certain aspects of the International situation, which concern France most intimately. The fact that he spoke in French assured him an attentive and enthusiastic audience, but he showed that he was a thorough master of his subject and spoke with conviction. One remembers with a smile his argument for the retention of a French Navy: "It is too small to bother about."

E. L. Hartley has sailed for Canada to study Mining Engineering at Kingston University. We wish him the best of luck. A local newspaper spoke of "the light of adventure in his eyes" on setting sail.

We congratulate H. W. Martin on gaining an Open Classical Scholarship at Pembroke College, Oxford.

A Flying Scholarship was given to the School last term. So far, however, no one has entered upon the course of aviation, although three patient souls are waiting in expectation.

It is not generally known that the School Library now contains roughly four thousand volumes. Under the patient care and supervision of the Librarian, Mr. H. M. Brown, it has grown and prospered and is now truly an integral part of the academic life of the School. We admire the perseverance of the small group of boys who assisted Mr. Brown last term in the arduous task of cleaning and reorganising the apparently endless rows of volumes.

The interior of the School certainly has a changed appearance. We reserve judgment.

Through the kindness of the Headmaster of the Liverpool College, a few members of the School were privileged to hear a negro quartette from the Hampton Institute. They sang spirituals unaccompanied by any instrument with great feeling and assurance, to the delight of the entire audience.

On May 23rd and 24th the first Exhibition of the League of Public Order was held. The exhibits were of a uniformly high order, and, we hope, have influenced the outlook of all who attended the Exhibition. It was unfortunate that two of the principle speakers should have been kept away through illness, but the Headmaster ably filled the gap thus caused with exhortations to build a shining city, together with some very practical advice.

The Swimming Gala will be held this term.

The Junior School Concert was held last term, when English ballads and songs in French and German were rendered. Verse speaking, even, was essayed.

We hear whispers that the School Camp is to move. We thought it the fairest edifice in Lakeland, but perhaps we were prejudiced. It is rumoured that electric light, central heating, and hot and cold water will be found in the new abode. How are the mighty fallen!

We look forward with anticipation to the Headmaster's course of lectures on Art (following Pater's Renaissance) this term. We enjoyed and appreciated his lectures on Architecture, and we trust that we have learnt not a little.

The School was equal first in Inter-School Sports. We also gained most passes in Classics of all the schools which entered for the Higher School Certificate Examination.



## House Notes.

**ALFRED HOLT.**—After a three year's sleep the House has at last awakened to a sense of its responsibilities. The past year has been one of steady progress, and although we have not captured any trophies we were finalists in the Football and Chess Competitions, and hold the Cricket Cup jointly with Cochran. We evidently have the team spirit and if we apply it to other School activities, there is no reason why we should not be Cock House next year. In the House Efficiency Competition we have jumped from seventh to sixth. Next term we commence on a par with the other Houses. See to it that Alfred maintains its rightful position at the head of the table. We offer our heartiest congratulations to D. Booth on emulating his brother's feat of becoming Open Sports Champion. His efforts enabled us to finish third in the aggregate in the Sports.

D.L.H.

**Cochran.**—If the wealth of a House consists of the state of mind of its members when trophies, shields, etc., are discounted, we are truly wealthy. We are a race apart. We thank God that we are not as other men. Guard this separation jealously, and, sing the House Song at the next soir  e, regardless of the fact that when the lantern slides are lost you will be able to sing it no longer.

H.W.M.

**Danson.**—The School year 1929-30 is now past and gone. Danson House starts the year with a clean sheet. Nothing more need be said. Best luck to Danson House in the coming year!

E.L.H.

**Hughes.**—We might, with some excuse, have confined these notes to the crushing remark "We told you so," and thus have created a record; but we scorn such fame. Let us rather look for the moral of our last year's performance. Our Seniors are obviously at their best in summer, when they won the Chess Trophy and came within .01 marks of the Senior Sports Championship; the cricket team is, unfortunately, somewhat temperamental and consequently lost. The Juniors of course won everything, but we expect that; Hughes always have been good until they grew up and became rheumatic or were degraded into other houses. We congratulate Tarlo and Barrow on winning the Middle and Junior Sports Championships and expect the House to supply their successors.

In the House Efficiency Competition we have occupied every position and finished first once more, which makes three times in succession if we include next year. We have demonstrated to the world at large the various policies that should be adopted in the different positions, the abandonment of minus

marks in the depths and the acquisition of plus marks on the heights. Yet they sportingly refused to take advantage of our generosity.

Our success in the future depends on the energy shown by each individual in matters such as Swimming, Work, Cross-Country Running and so on. We have a large number of swimmers who think they are not good enough to compete in the Gala because they can only do a length. They should remember that the best tonic for a poor swimmer is to go in for races.

We have ample material for a first-class cross-country team from both Seniors and Juniors and we expect plenty of support as this is the second year we have supplied the School Captain.

In conclusion, remember that it is a great honour to be in Hughes, and that you owe the House some return for the kindness it showed in accepting you. Last year was good, this will be better.

L.H.

**Philip Holt.**—We have started a new year. Empty places in the Senior House are now filled by former members of the Middle House. The Senior House last year did its work together splendidly, but the middle and Junior Houses acted like an anchor. What we need is somebody with a bit of push about him. Now is the time for someone to make a name in the House, and leave his mark. Are you the person the House needs? Come and do your bit, and Philip Holt will get where it ought to be. Come on Philip, put some life into this year!

H.L.J.

**Owen.**—Though we have no actual successes to boast of, though we dropped slightly in the House Competition, we have made other progress. More all round enthusiasm has been displayed, and the weak points in the House were pointed out by the entrance numbers in the Sports. Though Luck was absent the Cricket XI. did far better than was expected, and if such enthusiasm is shown in future, success is sure to come. Finally it is to be hoped every member of the House will take advantage of the all embracing School activities to do his share in bettering Owen's position.

M.H.B.

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## Dustmen.

**W**E cannot help but feel that dustmen have not been accorded the recognition they deserve; consider the food for reflection they offer: are they philosophers we wonder? Does every item in our bin betray our character to them? Is a steady flow of braces sure proof to these shrewd observers of the strenuous efforts to retain their youth that middle-aged mas-

culinity practises in secret? Perhaps they chose their trade in the hope of some windfall, such as a blank cheque, or perhaps they have the more practical resource of a steady trade in old boots for weddings to augment their incomes? Perhaps they are fine independent fellows, as the trail of devastation and paper they leave behind them would show, or perhaps they are noble, altruistic gentlemen, and use this as a stern assertion that we should "Burn More Refuse," thus doing their duty though they know it must mean extinction for themselves finally. Here the dustman exhibits a high-souled enthusiasm for the benefit of society such as we cannot hope to imitate, and betrays to us the fact that we choose our politicians from the wrong classes. Yet he scorns to assert himself, and looks for his reward in Heaven.

There must be a Dustman's Union too, an impressive thought! "Mounting the bin with all the dignity of his forty years in the profession, Mr. Alfred J. Choker said he hoped he had the support of the meeting in saying that they would protest against any increase in the size of bins"—and so on. A powerful organisation we may be sure, and not without their influence in Big Business. Where would society find itself in a strike of dustmen? Doubtless we might revert to the good old custom of mourning in dust and ashes, for we should have plenty to mourn for then. A plague-stricken land! "Bring out your dead!" The breakdown of civilization when Smith begins a nocturnal emptying of bins into Brown's garden, and the collapse of credit that would ensue! No Englishman's home would be his castle again, but the dust-heap of the stronger! Perhaps members of the L.P.O. and similar public-spirited bodies would organise a Volunteer Corps; but where would they empty the things, for the resourceful dustmen would not yield their dump without a struggle?

But our fears are groundless; we have shown that the dustman is a martyr to the welfare of society, and his life is spent in a struggle to achieve his ideal of a dustless land. At night he offers a sacrifice of old newspapers and miscellanies to St. Incinerator, and proclaims a ten-days' fast after every Bank Holiday. Not least among the benefits he confers on man is his stern refusal to Russian offers of double wages if his bins are emptied in capitalist gardens. We may say that the Bin of Society totters daily on the brink of destruction, and only the loyal hand of the dustman saves it from hurtling after its contents.

Surely the Government should do something for her loyal supporters: an annual Dustman's Dinner, presided over by Royalty in the uniform of the Union, with champagne in silver bins, newspaper serviettes, and a cruet of golden fruit-tins? Thus the honour of England might be retrieved, and her scandal-

ous neglect of the Doolittles on whom her safety rests be forever obliterated from the pages of history. It remains but for the Press to bring their mighty howitzers of Public Opinion to bear on the fabric of Official Neglect! We lay down our pen with confidence in that invincible organ. L.H.

## "About The Sports—"

The Sports this year were a great success in all respects; by holding them early in May we secured excellent weather and ample opportunities for all competitors to train free from examinationitis. The 220 (under sixteen) and the hurdles (under fifteen) are the new records that resulted, the former set up by H. L. Wallace, and the latter by W. Tarlo.

The awards were distributed in School on the following Wednesday, May 7th, by Professor Wilberforce, to whom we extend our thanks for his services, and our congratulations on his ability to bring down the house without the usual demagogic measure of proposing a holiday first.

Finally, let us thank Messrs. Reece and Doughty, and all the others whose efforts are so regularly and unsparingly devoted to the production of a meeting far better organised than most and demanding a proportionally greater output of labour. L.H.

## Sports, 1930.

### RESULTS:

100 YARDS.—Open: 1st, L. Henry (H); 2nd, D. Booth (A.H.)  
3rd, T. Andrew (O). 11 secs.  
Under 16: 1st, H. L. Wallace (T); 2nd, Martinez, K. L. (T). 11 secs.  
Under 15: 1st, Tarlo, W. (H); 2nd, Carter, J. E. (H). 11 3-5 secs.  
Under 14: 1st, F. E. Foster (A); 2nd, Mclellan (T). 12 4-5 secs.  
Under 13½: 1st, T. Barrow (H); 2nd, W. Walker (T). 13 1-5 secs.  
Under 13: 1st, D. R. Brown (A); 2nd, D. Edwards (T). 13 1-5 secs.  
Under 12: 1st, D. Goldblatt (O); 2nd, K. G. Walsh (H). 14 secs.  
Under 11: 1st, D. C. Bushnell (O); 2nd, D. M. Watson (D) and S. E. Lewis (O). 14 secs.  
Under 10: 1st, T. D. Taylor (C); 2nd, G. Bate (A). 15 4-5 secs.  
20 YARDS.—Open: 1st, L. Henry (H); 2nd, D. Booth (A); 3rd, T. Andrew (O). 25 2-5 secs.  
Under 16: 1st, H. L. Wallace (T); 2nd, K. L. Martinez (T). 25 4-5 secs.\*  
Under 15: 1st, W. Tarlo (H); 2nd, J. E. Carter (H). 26 4-5 secs.  
Under 14: 1st, F. E. Foster (A); 2nd, W. D. Murray (H). 30 3-5 secs.  
Under 13½: 1st, T. Barrow (H); 2nd, F. Morris (T). 30 1-5 secs.  
Under 13: 1st, D. Edwards (T); 2nd, H. H. Jones (H). 31 3-5 secs.  
Under 12: 1st, K. G. Walsh (H); 2nd, D. Goldblatt (O). 33 3-5 secs.  
Under 11: 1st, D. C. Bushnell (O); 2nd, R. E. Cottingham (O). 32 4-5 secs.



**250 YARDS HANDICAP.**—Open : 1st, W. Fletcher (A) ; 2nd, A. H. Butterworth (H) ; 3rd, E. C. Rodgers (H). 30 1-5 secs.  
 Under 15 : 1st, F. E. Foster (A) ; 2nd, E. L. Levy (T) ; 3rd, P. R. Harling (P). 32 3-5 secs.  
 Under 13 : 1st, H. H. Jones (H) ; 2nd, D. R. Brown (A) ; 3rd, P. U. Rumjahn (C). 34 3-5 secs.  
 Under 11 : 1st, D. C. Bushnell (O) ; 2nd, S. E. Lewis (O) ; 3rd, R. E. Cottingham (O). 36 4-5 secs.  
**MILE.**—Open : 1st, D. Booth (A) ; 2nd, A. C. C. Baxter (H) ; 3rd, E. C. Rodgers (H). 5 mins. 10 4-5 secs.  
 Under 16 : 1st, K. L. Martinez (T) ; 2nd, H. L. Wallace (T) ; 3rd, D. Jones (D). 5 mins. 25 3-5 secs.  
**HALF-MILE.**—Open : 1st, D. Booth (A) ; 2nd, F. W. Rew (T) ; 3rd, P. R. Henry (P). 2 mins. 20 3-5 secs.  
 Under 15 : 1st, F. W. Stevens (D) ; 2nd, J. E. Carter (H). 2 mins. 32 4-5 secs.  
**440 YARDS.**—Open : 1st, D. Booth (A) ; 2nd, L. Henry (H) ; 3rd, P. R. Henry (P). 57 1-5 secs.  
 Under 15 : 1st, W. Tarlo (H) ; 2nd, F. W. Stevens (D). 62 secs.  
 Under 13½ : 1st, D. R. Brown (A) ; 2nd, H. H. Jones (H). 69 3-5 secs.  
**HURDLES.**—Open : 1st, J. L. Packer (H) ; 2nd, H. L. Jones (P) ; 3rd, W. Shankland (T). 18 secs.  
 Under 15 : 1st, W. Tarlo (H) ; 2nd, J. E. Carter (H). 21 2-5 secs.  
**HIGH JUMP.**—Open : 1st, H. L. Jones (P) ; 2nd, P. S. Mason (T) ; 3rd, W. Fletcher (A). 5 ft. 1 in.  
 Under 15 : 1st, W. Tarlo (H) and F. W. Stevens (D). 4 ft. 5 ins.  
 Under 13½ : 1st, M. J. Perkins (A) ; 2nd, F. F. Goodier (P). 4 ft. 2 ins.  
**LONG JUMP.**—Open : 1st, L. Henry (H) ; 2nd, H. L. Jones (P) ; 3rd, P. R. Henry (P). 18 ft. 5 ins.  
 Under 15 : 1st, W. Tarlo (H) ; 2nd, F. W. Stevens (D). 15 ft. 9 ins.  
 Under 13½ : 1st, H. Downs (O) ; 2nd, F. Hickson (H). 12 ft. 10 ins.  
**CRICKET BALL.**—Open : 1st, T. C. Harrop (O) ; 2nd, J. W. Barlow (D) ; 3rd, H. A. Pagan (D). Under 15 : 1st, F. M. S. Mason (T) ; 2nd, J. E. Carter (H). Under 13½ : 1st, D. Goldblatt (O) ; 2nd, G. Roberts (C).  
**SACK RACE.**—1st, H. H. Browne (T) ; 2nd, R. C. Jones (P) ; 3rd, Maginess, G. R. (O).  
**CONSOLATION MILE.**—1st, W. H. MacDowell (H) ; 2nd, G. A. Robson (H) ; 3rd, G. A. Batty (H).  
**EGG RACE.**—Open : 1st, H. L. Jones (P) ; 2nd, A. W. Parry (T). Under 15 : 1st, Gwil. Owen (O) ; 2nd, H. Roberts (C). Under 13 : 1st, W. Walker (T) ; 2nd, S. J. Dodd (D).  
**OBSTACLE RACE.**—Open : 1st, B. W. May (P) ; 2nd, C. A. Martinez (T). Under 15 : 1st, H. Blower (T) ; 2nd, A. R. Graham (P). Under 13½ : 1st, T. D. Williams (T) ; 2nd, B. S. Taylor (D).  
**OLD BOYS' 220 YARDS.**—1st, J. MacKenzie (T) ; 2nd, L. Kerr (C) ; 25 3-5 secs.  
**RELAY RACE (By Houses).**—Senior : 1st, Philip Holt ; 2nd, Alfred Holt. Middle : 1st, Hughes ; 2nd, Tate. Junior : 1st, Hughes ; 2nd, Philip Holt.  
**TUG-OF-WAR (Houses).**—Senior : Philip Holt beat Hughes. Middle : Alfred Holt beat Danson. Junior : Hughes beat Cochran.  
**INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.**—Senior : D. Booth (A). Middle : W. Tarlo (H). Junior : T. Barrow (H).  
**HOUSE CHAMPIONSHIPS.**—Senior : Tatc. Middle : Hughes. Junior : Hughes. Aggregate : Hughes.

\* Denotes a School Record.

## The Inter-School Sports.

THE Inter-Schools Sports were held this year at the Collegiate ground on Friday, July 4th, and Monday, the 21st. In spite of the enervating effects of the School and Higher School Certificates we were bracketted first with Quarry Bank High School in the Senior Section. The Juniors, however, failed badly through lack of specialisation, and though the prospect for next year is bright, the more distant future is accordingly dark. Unless the warning offered by the awards of colours is heeded, and more specialisation and less megalomania result, the prospect will remain black.

### INDIVIDUAL RESULTS :

#### SENIOR.

**HURDLES.**—1st, H. L. Jones ; 2nd, J. L. Packer.  
**HIGH JUMP.**—1st, H. L. Jones.  
**LONG JUMP.**—3rd, L. Henry.  
**CRICKET BALL.**—3rd, J. W. Barlow.  
**100 YARDS.**—3rd, D. Booth.

#### JUNIOR.

**CRICKET BALL.**—3rd, W. Tarlo.  
**220 YARDS.**—2nd, W. Tarlo.  
 Sports Colours are awarded to : Jones, H. L., Packer, J. L., Booth, D., Barlow, J. W. ; and re-awarded to L. Henry.

L.H.

## “Plus Ça Change.—”

IT may be of interest to know that this article would have been penned beside the much-sounding ocean had not the much-sounding Pierrots set up a rival claim. Thoughts of sunny shores and wind-swept mountains rose up before that inward eye so that I pondered upon deep things . . . . Death . . . . Immortality . . . . What a composition this would have been but for the throaty song of Pierrot and Columbine ! The vision was shattered—perhaps better so for a sounder atmosphere can invariably be gained amid the *Forum Rixantium* : the brand-new *subsellia*, brown-faced pupils discussing holidays and examination results, forecasts of the House Competition, the pleasing stare of chaste grill time-tables, the Parable of the Sower, the old, dark School. But stay, what old, dark School ? We\* have not seen but we have heard. “Where is now the glory and the dream ?” The pale fading green of all our walls has been vanquished here by an efficient combination of black and white, there by blues and reds that hurt the eye, and try the temper. But that is not all. The citadel has fallen. We feared nameless things when the perpendicular gas brackets in the Hall fled from us one night. Now the platform has lost its

accustomed contour, and has sought refuge in angularity. With beating heart and parched lips we would fain say "Our Greek play . . . our next Greek play . . . what of it? Even Shakespeare will not be the same when acted on this forlorn square." There has been treachery, but we will look our foes in the face. Come Shaw! Come Galsworthy! Aye, come Noel Coward! Tear away all that remains! Do your worst!

As I survey the above paragraph I grow calmer, and am almost ashamed of my lapse from equanimity. It occurs to me that it is not fitting that a contributor to a high-class journal should lay bare his more intimate emotions to the rude gaze of all and sundry. If it were not late in the day I would brave the Editor's wrath with an impertinent account of School football last year (despite the fact that 22 players + 1 trainer + 3 editors +  $x$  parents + myself make only 27 +  $x$  readers in all). I would review the cricket critique with relish, if I could catch a glimpse of it. I would speak of anything, everything, save only the House Competition. Some acute reader will no doubt suspect at this point that for all my talk of the *Forum Rixantium* and the atmosphere engendered therein, I am singularly at a loss for something to say.

So . . . so . . . away to the School Camp and wind-swept mountains, and eternity . . . I am caught in the spokes of the κύκλος, and lest I be tempted into the region of metaphysics, I will close.

[\* Is this the Royal "we," the Editorial "we," or just "we."—Eds.]

### Autumn; The Earth is Tired.

The Earth is tired of glories; let her be  
At peace with her own heart, her fevers stilled  
By the calm silence of a year fulfilled.  
Vex her no more with joys, aye, let her see—  
Instead of crimson blossoms—on her tree  
The russet hues that mean serenity.

B.O.

### L.F.O.T.C. Notes.

LAST Term was a very active one for the O.T.C., although we did not hold any Field Days owing to inclement weather.

The Annual Inspection was held on 29th May, by Colonel D. J. C. E. Sherlock, D.S.O., Commanding Artillery 55th Division. The steadiness of the contingent on parade was excellent and the routine work was well carried out. We have reason to be proud

of the Demonstration Platoon which Mr. Ledger has so carefully trained. Their demonstration of open order work, slow marching and changing of the guard was very impressive. The Band gave a very creditable performance and since many of the members are young, should do well in the future. Next term the Corps will be faced with the problem of diminished numbers. It can be solved quite easily by you. See that your friends know that we possess a Corps and do not hesitate to tell them about the many advantages obtained by being a member of it.

D.L.H., C.S.M.

### Camp Notes.

ALTHOUGH Strensall Camp, 1930, could not be described as a fine weather camp, it was certainly the jolliest camp we have had for a number of years. It was marked by the large number of interesting demonstrations which were carried out by Officers and men of the R.A.F., R.E., Tank Corps, Cavalry and Artillery. The uninitiated members gazed with wonder and feelings of pride when they saw aeroplanes swoop down from a height and pick up messages at high speed, or watched the Tanks cross nearly every kind of obstacle at a comfortable 20 m.p.h. Field Days were banished in favour of route marches, of which there were two. The Contingent were asked to supply the Brigade Guard on Sunday, and although they had to stand with arms presented for twenty-five minutes, rumour hath it that they thoroughly enjoyed themselves. We left camp bathed in sunshine. We marched up to School while the heavens signified their grief that Camp had ended.

### Illusion or Disillusion.

"MY dear fellow, you can't miss it, the 2-3 is the only stopping train that goes through." "Very well, then, if it's impossible to miss it, I shall very probably get on," said I, vainly trying to be flippant and stared despondently at the — Hotel, whose Basses and pale ales attained an atmosphere almost of tantalising rarity by contrast with the overwhelming quantity of liquid which poured with depressing sameness from the sky. If only it had been night, then "where soft joys prevail, where people are convoked to pleasure and the philosopher looks on smiling and silent, where love and laughter and deifying wine abound," then would the "old mild lustre" of a gas lamp have shed its soft glow around and converted restless unhappiness to a mellow sadness, content to sigh and put



aside. If only a whispering mist had confined in curling folds the looming shadow—but no, that hotel could not have loomed, not in a Thames fog nor a Lakeland cloud-burst; disappeared perhaps, but loomed, never. Would it not, moreover, be bad business to own a building of such propensities? Who would put up at a “looming hotel,” except perhaps he who also sponsored “The Flying Inn.” But away with such thoughts, Liverpool is nearer by a minute and the train is here.

Come, let us assume the mask of indifference and, like Arnold von Winkebried, gather all the spearheads into our bosom at once. Farewells are made with everyone and then, “Will you put my bag in, please? Thanks. See you again next year (Pious wish but oh how hopeless). Cheerio.”

For the first few moments, utter melancholy. A sense of what is lost weighs heavily on us. The “retina” of the mind has been so deeply impressed by past visions that it cannot receive the present. The sea, the shore, brilliant sunsets, even the hotel, which is hallowed by association, the light street, the hill behind, “are gone, are gone. Lovers! make moan.”

And then well remembered landmarks begin to force themselves on our attention as they flash on to the landscape envisaged from the carriage windows, pass lowly and reluctantly across our sight, and fade out. Beyond the dunes, the domed top of the old lighthouse peers out and hesitates for a sign of recognition before dipping out of sight behind the crest of a sandhill. The head of a coal shaft stands up bleak and bare against the grey, sullen sea, while a few miserably poor hovels huddle dejectedly about its foot. Mud flats pervaded by the spirit of depression itself and intersected by innumerable trickles of dirty rain-water stretch away for half-a-mile or so. Thank heaven for the merciful blankness of a tunnel—and our thoughts, wanting more congenial occupation, jump forward to Liverpool and imagine, perforce, the gloomy, smoke-filled skies, the wet and mediocre streets, the decrepit tram-cars, tram-cars whose only virtue (and that questionable) is their indubitable and essential provinciality. Oh! for a London bus and the ability (or so we fondly deceive ourselves) to sit opposite the Duke or the Duchess, to raise our silk hat to Royalty incognito, and to annoy the protuberant foot of the famous M.P. for this or that.

Out in the rain again, over the river D—and into the city of Deva. Poor old city, how do the unkind elements confound your charm, city whose tintured saints wait for the inspiration of streaming sunbeams, whose walls have resisted the fury of armed invaders, but cannot stay the wrath of the gods, and whose waters alas! must needs rejoice at that repellent of the daily tripper which drives from their bosom the curse of phonographic jazz and raucous voices.

On, on, into the monotony of fenced, green embankments until we pass mother Mersey (inappropriate name! “Father Tiber,” “Father Thames,” but “Mother Mersey!” Oh! Incongruity), penetrate that unnatural forest of modern industry which moves not with Malcom’s army but with the times and emerge into the damp, sweet-smelling air of a rain-soaked countryside.

Liverpool—with Lime Street Station vainly striving to be bright, and the Centenary Pylons in a forlorn state of seminudity. St. George’s Hall as black and forbidding as ever. Liverpool weather at its best and worst. The first glance is satiety.

Home, certainly home, but not sweet.

### Valetc.

MARTIN, H. W.—Entered, 1923; 3x (Cochran); Prefect, 1927 January (Cochran); House Captain, 1927 (Cochran); Head of the School, 1929. Library Committee, 1928-30; Secretary, 1928-30. Literary and Debating Society Committee, 1927-29. L.N.U. Committee, 1927; Treasurer, 1928; Chairman and Secretary, 1929; Chairman of Merseyside Branches, 1929; 1st, Speech Competition, 1929. Magazine Sub-Editor, 1927-28; Editor, 1929. School Chess Team, 1926-29; Captain, 1927-28; Resigned, 1929. O.T.C., joined 1924; Lce./Cpl., 1927; Corporal, 1927; Lce./Sgt., 1928; Sergeant, 1928; Cert. “A” 1927. Football Half-Colours, 1920. Cricket Half-Colours, 1928, 1930. Boxing Half-Colours, 1930; Captain, 1930. William Durning Holt Prize for English, 1930; William Durning Holt Prize for Latin, 1930. School Certificate, 1926 (Exempt. Matric.); Higher School Certificate, 1928, 1929. Open Scholarship in Classics at Pembroke College, Oxford, 1930.

I. HENRY.—Entered 1920, Form H (Hughes House); Prefect, 1928 (Hughes); House Captain, April, 1929 (Hughes). Middle Sports Champion, 1926; Open Champion, 1928; Runner-up, 1929 — 1930; Hundred Yds. Cup, 1930; Sports Colours, 1928-30; Sports Captain, 1929 — 1930; School Swimming Captain and Colours, 1928-29; Resigned, 1929; Half Gym. Colours, 1928; Full Colours, 1929; Half Boxing Colours, 1930; Half Cricket Colours, 1930; Sports and Arts Committee, 1929 — 1930. School Certificate (exempt Matric.), 1927; Higher School Certificate, 1929-30 (Distinction in Latin and Ancient History). Robert Gee Scholarship, 1930; Special Scholarship, 1930.



HARTLEY, E. L.—Entered, 1924 ; 3x (Tate) ; Prefect (Danson), 1928 ; House Captain (Danson), 1929 ; Literary and Debating Society Committee, 1929. League of Nations Union Committee, 1923, 1929 ; Treasurer, 1929. O.T.C., joined 1925 ; Lce./Cpl., 1926 ; Corporal, 1927 ; Sergeant, 1928 ; C.Q.M.S., 1928-29-30 ; Certificate "A," 1928 ; 2nd Class Shot, 1925 ; 1st Class Shot, 1925 ; Sir Alfred Jones' Shield and Spoon for Shooting (Min. Range), 1928, 1929. Arthur Damsell Prize for Arithmetic (Fifths), 1927 ; School Certificate (exempt. Matric.), 1928 ; Edward Hughes Exhibition for Maths., 1928 ; Higher School Certificate, 1930.

LINDSEY, W. H.—Entered 1923 ; 3x (Hughes) ; Prefect (Hughes), 1928 ; House Captain (Tate), 1929. Library Committee, 1929. Literary and Debating Society Committee, 1927-30. Camera and Field Club Committee, 1928 ; Photographic Secretary, 1929. William Durning Holt Prize for Physics, 1928 and 1930 ; Lord Derby Prize for Mathematics, 1929 ; School Certificate (exempt. matric.), 1926 ; Higher School Certificate, 1928 ; H.S.C. (with distinction in Physics), 1929, (with distinction in Maths., Pure Mathematics and Physics), 1930 ; Senior City Scholarship, 1929 ; Open Exhibition in Mathematics and Physics at Selwyn College, Cambridge, 1930 ; State Scholarship, and Albert Scholarship, tenable at Cambridge, 1930.

BURR, J.—Entered 1923 ; Form 3x (Danson) ; Prefect (Danson), 1929. C. and F. Club Committee, 1925-30 ; Secretary, 1927-9 (resigned 1929). O.T.C., Joined 1925 ; Lce./Cpl., 1927 ; Corporal, 1928 ; Lce./Sgt., 1929 ; Sergeant, 1929 ; 2nd Class Shot, 1927 ; Certificate "A," 1929. F. S. Milliken Prize for History, 1929 ; Samuel Booth Prize for English Literature, 1930 ; School Certificate (exempt Matric.), 1927 ; Higher School Certificate, 1929, 1930 (Distinction in History).

LUNT, H. R.—Entered 1921 ; Form F (Philip Holt) ; Prefect, 1929 (Philip Holt). Gymnasium Colours, 1926-27-28-29 ; School Gym. Captain, 1928-29 ; Runner-up Gym. Champion, 1928-29. School Certificate (exempt. Matric.), 1927 ; Higher School Certificate, 1930 ; Lord Derby Prize for Chemistry, 1930 ; Senior City Scholarship, 1930.

ROGAN, H.—Entered 1923 ; 3x (Alfred Holt) ; Prefect (Alfred Holt), 1929 ; Arthur Damsell Prize for Arithmetic (Removes) 1927 ; School Certificate, 1927 ; Higher School Certificate, 1929, 1930.

SHANKLAND, W.—Entered 1925 ; 3y (Tate) ; Prefect (Tate), 1929. Junior Shield Capt., 1927-28 ; Football Half-Colours, 1928-29 ; Full Colours, 1929-30 ; Capt., 1929-30. Cricket Half-colours, 1929 ; Full Colours and Secretary, 1930. O.T.C., Joined 1928 ; Lce./Cpl., 1929. School Certificate, 1929. Joint-Secretary House Efficiency Competition, 1929-30.

HENRY, P. R.—Entered 1921 ; Form K (Owen) ; Prefect (Philip Holt), 1929. Junior Sports Champion, 1927 ; Runner-up Middle Championship, 1928 ; Inter-School Sports, 1928-30. School Certificate, 1929. Joint-Secretary House Efficiency Competition, 1929-30.

PACKER, J. L.—Entered 1921 ; Form H (Hughes) ; Prefect (Hughes), 1929. Cricket 2nd XI. Colours, 1928 ; 1st XI. Colours, 1929-30 ; Captain, 1930 ; Sports Colours, 1930. School Certificate, 1929 ; Exempt, Matric., 1930.

HAMILTON, D. L.—Entered 1923 ; 3x (Danson) ; Prefect and House Captain (Alfred Holt), 1929. School Certificate, 1927. Entered O.T.C., Feb., 1926 ; Lce./Cpl., Feb., 1927 ; Cpl., March, 1927 ; Lce./Sgt., Sgt., C.S.M., Sept., 1929. Cert. "A," March, 1927 ; 2nd Class Shot, 1927 ; Secretary, 1927. Chess Captain, 1928-30 ; Half-Football Colours, 1929-30.



## The Record of an Exploratory Expedition,

*Found among the effects of one of its members, who died from heart-failure on August 23rd. It is thought that he received bad news on that date.*

IT was early morning when we set off from Preston to explore the wild country north of that town and blaze a new route for traders and their caravans. The first day we marched along, feeding on wild raspberries, into the heart of a valley that we christened "The Trough of Bowland," and then climbed an immense mountain into the wild river-valley of Preston Waterworks. There we were forced to camp, and it is to the skill of two of our party that we owe our lives ; by means of a peculiar trumpeting noise which they could produce even in their sleep they kept the wild animals away from our tent (that was made for two and then held four). In the morning, however, we were attacked by the Gnatti, a fierce native tribe, but eventually escaped. For the rest of our journey we itched to avenge ourselves upon them, but were only able to kill odd ones that we came across. That morning we stumbled blindly through the pouring rain, over wild fells and through bottomless bogs

where no white man has ever set his foot and have it remain white. Wild animals resembling sheep fled before us at every step, and no wonder! The air around us had an unearthly blue tinge while our beards were of the aggressive Communist type.

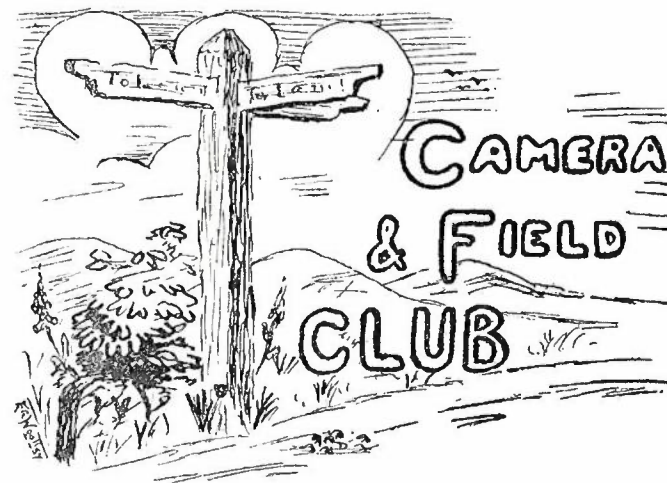
Eventually we discovered a little village known as Hornby, and from there to Kirkby Lonsdale we were in friendly country. We were entertained by a native king that night, and helped him to break in his horses in the morning as a prelude to setting off along a well-marked track to Kendal and Troutbeck, where we were told of a mighty hunter of legendary fame who had dwelt there. That night we slept comfortably.

The next morning one of our party, a French count, who travelled incognito as La Grenouille, led us by a very secret path he had heard of into Ambleside and on to Grasmere. This part of the country is remarkable for its lakes, one of which is so large that it extends into Manchester, a town some hundred miles away, where the natives mix it with other liquids and drink it. After bartering for food in Grasmere we ran lightly up Easedale Gill and over Greenup Edge into Borrowdale. Here we found an outpost of white men, with whom we stayed for a week, learning much of the natives and their customs.

There we left two of our party, and the other half set off to return by a new route that should include the proposed site for a new white settlement. That morning we came over Glaramara as a short cut, which no white man in his senses has ever done before. After being entertained that day by the Governor of the white settlement we camped near Lake Coniston, and set off across country the next morning without guides. Here the natives are very intelligent and always told us we should lose our way even as they directed us. They were always right too. After hours of wandering through swamps and woods we reached Newby Bridge, but as the native superstition forbids barter one day a week, and this was it, we were unable to obtain food. Stumbling on, faint from lack of food, we reached a wide river, across which we constructed a bridge that is still used by the natives and their fire-chariots. Then we passed through A—— and camped with a local bandit who reformed at sight of my companion's honest face, though there was little enough visible.

The next day we passed Lancaster. We were approaching Old England! It rained like the deuce, and the people guffawed at sight of us. A chivalrous traveller took us to Preston in his ox-waggon, and there we finished our travels over a glass of floob—a local drink.

This expedition proves conclusively that there is—(Here the M.S. is torn, evidently by the other travellers, who refuse to come forward in spite of our offer of £10,000 and a new pair of boots each).



SUMMER TERM, 1930.

AS usual we have enjoyed a very successful term. There have been few excursions, but all were well attended and enjoyed by those present. In response to numerous requests we followed a custom of old, recently (happily) ignored, by commencing the term with a visit to a liner, the Cunarder *Laconia*. The thirds, to whom the party was mostly confined, were evidently satisfied, for while no report was forthcoming, no complaints have as yet been received.

The second excursion was to Messrs. Rushworth & Dreaper's Organ Works, where a very interesting afternoon was spent, but the excursion of the term was undoubtedly a fortnight later, when a very select party visited Crewe Locomotive Works, and a still more select one visited one of the two Crewe sheds.\* The party left School by special permission at 11-45 a.m. and proceeded to Lime Street Station, where the entrainment was brightened by an argument with a ticket-collector as to whether Mr. Frank and Mr. Stevens were of the "under 16" section of the party. The journey was comparatively quiet, owing to the noisiest portion of the party having his head out of the window indicating to the next noisiest portion of the party all the local landmarks. Lunch was eaten on the train, the regulations of the L.P.O. being observed for the most part, though more than one member pointed out to the company in general and the two representatives of the Staff in particular that (a) paper-bags are hardly in that class of articles such as are likely to "injure workmen working on the line," and (b) the L.M.S. main line, though very doubtless good of its kind, is certainly not a beauty spot.



Our actual tour of the works was fairly uneventful. Nobody attempted to purloin an engine and nobody got seriously lost. We were shown round by a guide who was chosen, I should think, for his stature, his Klaxon voice and his untranslatable accent. He occasionally lifted the Secretary into a position geographically superior to that in which he was formerly standing to point out some new marvel and supplied the party with a mass of information that our railway expert (t.n.p.o.t.p.) immediately denounced as erroneous. But all good things come to an end and at last our tour was ended and the party made its way to the station where it was found on enquiry that a Liverpool train had just left and the next one was in an hour's time. We retired in defeat to drown our cares and kill our intolerable thirst with various brands of bottled refreshment. In a whisper let it be mentioned that a few, whose spirits were still undamped and whose feet remained unblistered, even paid an unofficial visit to a Crewe Engine Shed. Their conversation for the return journey was mainly technical.

Quite the most thrilling incident of the day, however, must have been when the two members of the Staff, who unfortunately (?) missed the train, strove to convince the collector on the next of their respectability and good-citizenship.

On the next Wednesday, the L.M.S.R. again provided an excellent afternoon's entertainment by allowing us to go over their Edge Hill Motive Power Depot, where all the party got thoroughly dirty and had a thoroughly good time.

After one postponement the final excursion was held at Morecambe Bay on Thursday, July 24th. The journey was both quick and comfortable in each direction, a stop of an hour-and-a-half being made at Lancaster on the outward journey for lunch and a brief inspection of the town. At about 1-30 all the party except four proceeded to Morecambe, where a very enjoyable afternoon was spent by all, the other four rejoining the main body just before tea, when they informed such of the company as troubled to inquire that they had "seen all that was worth seeing in Lancaster"—by which we gather that they were quite satisfied with their afternoon. The party arrived in Liverpool at 9-30 after a very pleasant day.

B.G.

[\* The Crewe Sheds, no doubt, appreciated this honour.—Eds.]

### School Cricket, 1930.

THE 1st Eleven has had a fairly successful season, having won 8, lost 6, and drawn 4 matches.

Taking into consideration the loss of last year's great man, namely A. Cohen, we have done much better than was

expected and there is great hope for next year. Parry and Warren have bowled steadily and with good effect throughout the season, and Griffiths has suddenly blossomed out as a most successful slow spin bowler; his greatest achievements being 6 wickets for 5 runs against Cowley, and 3 wickets for 7 runs against Warrington.

The team as a whole have greatly improved in their batting, but there is still room for improvement, as not one of the side has the art of moving his feet quickly into the right position. The fielding has been quite good, and only a few very hard catches have been dropped.

The 2nd Eleven under the efficient Captaincy of Bates have had also a moderate year, winning 4 matches, losing 5, and drawing 1.

We heartily congratulate Wass and Peter for preparing for us such an excellent square at Greenbank. We can now safely say that our wickets are as good and sometimes better than the wickets used in local cricket.

Finally, we must thank all those gentlemen on the Staff who have given up their time to umpire our matches, especially to Mr. S. V. Brown, who with the help of Wass has untiringly coached the elevens on Wass's new and excellent practice wickets.

J.L.P.

#### SCHOOL v. LIOBANS.

Played at Greenbank, on Saturday, May 10th, 1930.

LIOBANS.				SCHOOL.			
Wilkinson, ct Collins, b Parry	...	...	35	Shankland, b Cohen, A.	...	...	15
Dalgarno, b Parry	...	...	0	Parry, b Nott	...	...	19
Cohen, ct Parry, b Myers	...	...	17	Packer, b Nott	...	...	3
Tunington, not out	...	...	31	Myers, run out	...	...	15
Miller, ct and b Warren	...	...	2	Griffiths, b Cohen	...	...	3
Holmes, b Warren	...	...	3	Santos, ct Dalgarno, b Nott	...	...	1
Cooper, ct Collins, b Parry	...	...	1	Martin, run out	...	...	3
Hodnett, b Parry	...	...	0	Killip, b Elliot	...	...	2
Kendall, b Parry	...	...	0	De Longa, b Cohen	...	...	0
Nott, ct Shankland, b Warren	...	...	3	Warren, not out	...	...	4
Elliot, run out	...	...	0	Collins, run out	...	...	3
Extras	...	...	6	Extras	...	...	14
Total	...	...	98	Total	...	...	82

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den		Runs.	Wkts.
		Overs.	M'den		
Parry	...	16	4	34	5
Warren	...	16	1	33	3
Myers	...	4	—	11	1
Griffiths	...	5	—	14	0

The Liobians won the toss, and decided to bat, on a batsman's wicket. Dalgarno was bowled first ball by Parry, but 48 runs were on the board before Myers obtained Cohen's wicket. Tunington joined Wilkinson, and when the score was 85, Wilkinson was caught behind the wicket by Collins. Warren and Parry then easily dismissed the remaining batsmen.

Shankland and Parry opened for the School and Shankland seemed to find the bowling easy at first, but was bowled by Cohen for 15. Parry and Myers made a steady 19 and 15 respectively. The School seemed to have the game well in hand, but collapsed, and were all out for 82.

## SCHOOL v. MERCHANT TAYLORS.

Played at Greenbank, Wednesday, May 14th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				MERCHANT TAYLORS.			
Shankland, b Lumby, I. P.	...	6	Alty, b Cohen	...	90	2	
Parry, run out	...	9	Veale, ct Collins, b Warren	...	2	37	
Packer, b Kerr	...	1	Adams, ct Myers, b Cohen	...	4	20	
Myers, ct Lumby, J. L., b Kerr	...	0	Foulds, ct Griffiths, b Cohen	...	2	2	
Cohen, ct Dickinson, b Adams	...	22	Kerr, ct Santos, b Cohen	...	20	3	
Santos, b Kerr	...	6	Dickinson, not out	...	2	16	
Griffiths, ct Calcott, b Kerr	...	6	Calcott, b Shankland	...	2	0	
Martin, H. W., ct Veale, b Dickinson	...	2	Gardner, ct Myers, b Warren	...	3	12	
Killip, not out	...	0	Lumby, J. L., not out	...	0	11	
Warren, ct Veale, b Adams	...	0	Lumby, I. P., did not bat	...	0	57	
Collins, b Adams	...	0	Kirkwood, Do.	...	12	206	
Extras	...	11	Extras	...			
Total	...	57	Total (for 7 wks.)	...	206		

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Warren	21	4	38	2
Cohen	11	1	36	4
Shankland	6	2	14	1
Parry	8	—	28	0

Packer won the toss and decided to bat. No reason other than lack of feet movement may be given for the poor score. Parry seemed quite settled when he was run out, and Griffiths was the only batsman on the side who got his feet moving. Cohen, although lucky at the beginning of his innings, deserved all the runs he got, because he hit out at the bowling which was not really good. Merchants then followed on and passed our score when only one wicket was down. Cohen, who bowled splendidly, got Veale's wicket in his first over, and Alty's in his second. The fielding was quite good, but there was room for improvement.

## SCHOOL v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played at Greenbank, on Saturday, May 17th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL.			
Shankland, ct Swann	...	4	Swann, ct Griffiths, b Packer	...	24	1	
Parry, run out	...	42	Collinge, l.b.w.b. Warren	...	1	4	
Packer, b Johnston	...	16	Seddon, run out	...	6	39	
Myers, st Price, b Collinge	...	10	Rose, run out	...	11	0	
Cohen, not out	...	18	Collins, l.b.w. b Packer	...	0	2	
Santos, b Potter	...	2	Price, not out	...	0	12	
Griffiths, ct Price, b Collinge	...	1	Potter, b Warren	...	0	99	
Martin, H. W., did not bat	...	—	Nicholson, not out	...	0	1	
Killip, Do.	...	—	Heilpern, did not bat	...	0	12	
Warren, Do.	...	—	Johnston, Do.	...	0	12	
Collins, Do.	...	—	Wilson, Do.	...	0	12	
Extras	...	9	Extras	...	12		
Total (for 6 wks.)	...	102	Total (for 6 wks.)	...	99		

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	10	2	22	0
Warren	16	3	45	2
Cohen	4	—	11	0
Packer	4	1	5	2

Owing to heavy rain the game did not start until 4-15. Packer won the toss and decided to bat as the wicket was in a very wet condition. The School ran well between the wickets, but some of the runs stolen were very daring. Parry batted splendidly for 42. As the score was not very high, and time was creeping on, Cohen began to hit, and knocked up 18 in a very short time. The School declared at 102 for 6 wickets, taking 1½ hours, and leaving the visitors 1½ hours. The School started well, and three G.S. batsmen were out for 19. Collins and Swann then made a stand and carried the score to 75 before Packer got both

their wickets. The game now became exciting, as the score was in the nineties, and only a few minutes were to go. Luckily the visitors failed to get the runs, and the match ended in a draw. Warren bowled steadily as usual throughout the innings.

## SCHOOL v. HOLT S.S.

Played at Greenbank, on Wednesday, May 21st, 1930.

SCHOOL.				HOLT S.S.			
Shankland, ct Crabtree, b Reed	...	4	Dawson, ct Collins, b Parry	...	2	3	
Parry, ct Crabtree, b Ellwood	...	43	Ellwood, l.b.w. b Parry	...	3	8	
Packer, l.b.w. b Ellwood	...	13	Reed, ct Myers, b Warren	...	29	4	
Myers, b Ellwood	...	7	Pugh, ct Shankland, b Cohen	...	4	18	
Cohen, b Preston	...	31	Berry, b Warren	...	4	5	
Santos, b Stack	...	3	Preston, ct Parry, b Myers	...	0	7	
Griffiths, not out	...	36	Smith, ct Collins, b Parry	...	1	7	
De Longa, b Preston	...	0	Stack, b Parry	...	1	1	
Killip, l.b.w. Preston	...	0	Barnes, b Parry	...	1	3	
Warren, b Pugh	...	25	Penny, ct Cohen, b Parry	...	1	166	
Collins, not out	...	1	Crabtree, not out	...	1	88	
Extras	...	3	Extras	...	7		
Total (for 9 wks.)	...	166	Total	...	88		

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	13	3	21	6
Warren	12	3	35	2
Myers	2	—	6	1
Cohen	2	—	18	1

Packer won the toss and decided to bat on a good, hard pitch. Packer and Parry seemed quite well set, when Packer was l.b.w. Parry again succeeded in making a careful score of 43, whilst Cohen drove the ball with ease. Griffiths made a very useful 36, his scoring being a bit faster than usual. Warren surprised us all by showing us that he could get runs as well as wickets. Packer declared when the score was 166 for 9 wickets. After tea the Holt batted and did not give our bowlers much difficulty, although Parry and Warren were by no means at their best. On the whole the School played better than in any other match this season, and they also batted with more confidence than usual.

## SCHOOL v. COWLEY.

Played at St. Helens, on Saturday, May 24th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				COWLEY.			
Shankland, b Yates	...	15	Marshall, ct Santos, b Warren	...	3	1	
Parry, b Marshall	...	19	Bagley, run out	...	12	99	
Packer, b Yates	...	12	Yates, ct Santos, b Warren	...	0	15	
Myers, ct Marshall, b Bagley	...	5	Heaton, ct Shankland, b Cohen	...	1	85	
Cohen, b Yates	...	0	Mulligan, b Warren	...	0	123	
Santos, b Marshall	...	13	Ashcroft, not out	...	0		
Booth, not out	...	10	Saithwaite, not out	...	0		
Griffiths, b Marshall	...	0	Hackney, did not bat	...	0		
Killip, ct Yates, b Bagley	...	2	Roe, Do.	...	0		
Warren, b Yates	...	0	Railton, Do.	...	0		
Collins, ct Yates, b Marshall	...	0	Connors, Do.	...	0		
Extras	...	0	Extras	...	2		
Total	...	85	Total (for 5 wks.)	...	123		

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	9	—	22	0
Warren	12	—	54	3
Cohen	1	—	5	1
Packer	4	—	18	0
Booth	2	—	11	0
Myers	3	—	21	0

Cowley won the toss, and sent the School in to bat on a hard and rather bumpy wicket, Parry and Shankland opened well, and Parry and Packer carried the score on to 53 for 2 wickets. The School then col-



lapsed, the only other batsmen who looked like scoring being Santos and Booth, who was making his debut in the XI. The main cause of the collapse was through poking at the slow bowler, whose bowling was not good, although he got the wickets. After tea Cowley batted, and things looked bright for the School, until Heaton came in, and with only 4 wickets down Cowley passed our score. Heaton batted excellently and showed us how to hit, but he unfortunately missed his century.

### SCHOOL v. WALLASEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played at Greenbank, on May 28th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				WALLASEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.			
Parry, ct Lewis, b Lewis	...	...	59	Dartnell, b Parry	...	...	41
Griffiths, ct Dartnell, b O'Kane	...	...	24	Widdop, l.b.w. b Warren	...	...	0
Shankland, ct and b O'Kane	...	...	19	Critchley, b Parry	...	...	38
Cohen, b O'Kane	...	...	2	Davies, b Parry	...	...	2
Packer, b Head	...	...	13	Honeyman, b Warren	...	...	9
Myers, not out	...	...	8	Jenkins, not out	...	...	0
Santos, b O'Kane	...	...	10	Hoppins, not out	...	...	3
Booth, ct and b Lewis	...	...	5	Lewis, did not bat	...	...	—
Killip, l.b.w. b O'Kane	...	...	0	Head, Do.	...	...	—
Warren, did not bat	...	...	—	O'Kane, Do.	...	...	—
Collins, Do.	...	...	—	Eaton, Do.	...	...	—
Extras	...	...	8	Extras	...	...	2

Total (for 8 wks.) 148

Total (for 5 wks.) 95

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	16	6	40	3
Warren	17	5	40	2
Cohen	2	—	13	—

Packer lost the toss, and the Wallasey Captain decided to send in the School to bat. As this was thought to be a confession of weak bowling and strong batting, Griffiths and Parry opened for the School so as to tire the bowling. The experiment worked well and the first wicket fell with 55 runs. Parry, although he was patchy in the first half of his inning, made a good 59; whilst Griffiths scored much faster than usual. Shankland, Packer, Myers and Santos also batted well, and with the score at 148 for 8 wickets, the School declared.

After the tea interval, Critchley and Dartnell made a stand, but at 72 Parry clean bowled Dartnell. After Dartnell's dismissal the scoring slowed down considerably, and the game ended in a draw. Parry and Warren bowled exceedingly well. Although they did not get many wickets, the batsmen could not punish them. The fielding was also good.

### SCHOOL v. COLLEGIATE.

Played at Greenbank, on May 31st, 1930.

SCHOOL.				COLLEGIATE.			
Shankland, b Price	...	...	28	Dennison, st Collins, b Griffiths	...	...	9
Parry, b Price	...	...	13	Golland, b Warren	...	...	1
Packer, ct and b Carney	...	...	15	Gavorter, ct Griffiths, b Warren	...	...	0
Myers, run out	...	...	20	Hollinghurst, ct and b Parry	...	...	0
Cohen, ct Roberts, b Hollinghurst	...	...	32	Price, b Parry	...	...	4
Santos, ct Gavorter, b Price	...	...	2	Parker, b Warren	...	...	1
Dawson, ct Parker, b Stockley	...	...	5	Roberts, st Collins, b Griffiths	...	...	1
Griffiths, not out	...	...	21	Shaw, b Parry	...	...	7
Booth, not out	...	...	13	Burton, st Collins, b Griffiths	...	...	8
Warren, did not bat	...	...	—	Stockley, b Griffiths	...	...	1
Collins, Do.	...	...	—	Carney, not out	...	...	4
Extras	...	...	10	Extras	...	...	5

Total (for 7 wks.) 169

Total ... 41

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	17	9	15	3
Warren	15	13	3	3
Griffiths	9	1	17	4
Cohen	3	2	1	—

Packer again lost the toss, but luckily the School were sent in to bat on a beautiful wicket. Parry and Shankland opened the innings well, but as the wicket was very fast, neither of them could touch a leg ball. Packer and Myers batted quite well, and the latter made a stand with Cohen, and took the score to 113. Cohen hit 5 fours in his 32. Griffiths and Booth helped to carry the score on to 159, at which score Packer declared. The Collegiate started badly, seven wickets being down for 19 runs, and the innings closed at 41. Parry and Warren bowled excellently, and the visitors tried to force a draw by stone-walling. Packer therefore put on Griffiths, who succeeded in tempting them to hit out at his slow spin bowling, with the result that Collins stumped three batsmen, and one was bowled. During the Collegiate innings, there were 25 maiden overs.

### SCHOOL v. WARRINGTON G.S.

Played at Warrington, June 4th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				WARRINGTON G.S.			
Parry, b Winstanley	...	...	1	Cameron, ct Myers, b Shankland	...	...	22
Shankland, b Winstanley	...	...	12	Yeomans, b Warren	...	...	1
Myers, b Cooper	...	...	5	Hind, ct Parry, b Warren	...	...	1
Cohen, ct Cooper, b Winstanley	...	...	1	Fletcher, b Parry	...	...	2
Packer, b Maddock	...	...	24	Cooper, not out	...	...	19
Santos, ct Fletcher, b Williams, H. M.	...	...	12	Wilde, run out	...	...	7
Dawson, ct Williams, H. M., b Maddock	...	...	9	Winstanley, not out	...	...	0
Griffiths, not out	...	...	8	Williams, E. R., did not bat	...	...	—
Booth, l.b.w. b Hind	...	...	1	Williams, H. M., Do.	...	...	—
Warren, ct Cameron, b Hind	...	...	4	Maddock, Do.	...	...	—
Collins, ct Yeomans, b Hind	...	...	0	Jack, Do.	...	...	—
Extras	...	...	19	Extras	...	...	7
Total	...	...	96	Total (for 5 wks.)	...	...	59

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	13	2	20	1
Warren	11	3	19	2
Shankland	3	1	2	1
Cohen	3	2	1	—
Griffiths	4	0	9	—

Packer won the toss and decided to bat on a hard wicket. Parry, Myers and Cohen lost their wickets cheaply, but Shankland made a gallant 12. Packer and Santos managed to stop the rot, and carried the score to 70, but during the innings neither batsmen were confident. The innings closed with the poor score of 96.

The only Grammar batsmen who troubled our bowlers were Cameron and Cooper. Shankland had the former caught in the slips with his first ball. Warren and Parry bowled well, but were unable to get the wickets as in the Collegiate match, because the batsmen refused to try and score at a reasonable pace. After a rather uninteresting match the game ended in a draw.

### SCHOOL v. OLD BOYS' REPRESENTATIVE XI.

Played at Greenbank, June 14th, 1930.

OLD BOYS.				SCHOOL.			
Wilkinson, l.b.w. b Shankland	...	...	54	Parry, b Elliot	...	...	1
Dalgarno, b Parry	...	...	13	Griffiths, b Dalgarno	...	...	17
Tunington, ct and b Myers	...	...	19	Myers, b Elliot	...	...	2
Morgan, run out	...	...	24	Packer, b Elliot	...	...	0
Holmes, ct Santos, b Parry	...	...	12	Shankland, ct Dalgarno b Elliot	...	...	6
Higland, b Warren	...	...	2	Cohen, b Dalgarno	...	...	5
Burke, ct Shankland, b Warren	...	...	3	Dawson, ct Morgan, b Dalgarno	...	...	8
Nott, ct Shankland, b Parry	...	...	10	Santos, ct Dalgarno, b Wilkinson	...	...	0
Elliot, not out	...	...	8	Booth, b Wilkinson	...	...	2
Walker, b Warren	...	...	0	Warren, not out	...	...	7
Coldrick, b Parry	...	...	0	Collins, b Wilkinson	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	7	Extras	...	...	13
Total	...	...	152	Total	...	...	61

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den Overs.	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry ...	21	3	40	4
Warren ...	21	3	60	3
Myers ...	5	—	24	1
Shankland ...	6	1	21	1

Packer lost the toss, and the Old Boys decided to bat first on a hard wicket. Wilkinson and Dalgarno started well, but Parry bowled the latter for 13. Tunnington and Morgan also played well and the score was 113 for 2 wickets before Morgan was run out. Parry and Warren who had been relieved by Myers and Shankland came on to bowl again, and the 10th wicket fell at 154. Shankland bowled splendidly, and got Wilkinson lbw., who, in his usual steady style scored 53. After the tea interval, the School batted, and all failed to keep their end up, except Griffiths, who batted nearly all the innings.

## SCHOOL v. THE FLORENCE INSTITUTE.

Played at Greenbank, June 17th and 18th, 1930.

The School batted first on Monday night and scored 127 for 9 (Packer 34, Dawson 27, Myers 19). On the following night the Florence scored 42 all out. (Parry 4 wkts. for 14 runs; Warren 6 wkts. for 18 runs.)

## SCHOOL v. LIVERPOOL COLLEGIATE.

Played at Holly Lodge, on June 19th, 1930.

Owing to heavy rain, the match was not finished. The Collegiate won the toss and batted first. When they had lost two wickets for 9 runs, it began to rain, and the match had to be discontinued till 4-20 p.m. They then went in again and scored 110 for 8 wickets. As the ball was very slippery, none of the School bowlers could hold it, and therefore our bowling was very loose.

The School then batted and scored 54 for 5 wickets, of which score Shankland scored 13, Myers 9, Dawson 16 not out, and Santos 8 not out.

## SCHOOL v. WARRINGTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played at Greenbank, on June 25th, 1930.

SCHOOL.					WARRINGTON G.S.				
Shankland, ct Cameron, b Cooper	...	0	Cameron, b Warren	...	...	1			
Parry, ct Cameron, b Winstanley	...	4	Fletcher, ct Shankland, b Warren	...	...	0			
Myers, ct Cameron, b Hind	...	19	Hind, ct Packer, b Parry	...	...	12			
Packer, ct Fletcher, b Cooper	...	9	Yeonians, ct Myers, b Warren	...	...	0			
Cohen, ct Doherty, b Maddock	...	27	Cooper, b Parry	...	...	26			
Griffiths, ct Cameron, b Winstanley	...	20	Wilde, b Parry	...	...	0			
Santos, b Hind	...	0	Doherty, run out	...	...	4			
Dawson, ct Doherty, b Hind	...	4	Winstanley, st Collins, b Griffiths	...	...	1			
Booth, ct and b Cooper	...	6	Williams, ct Shankland, b Griffiths	...	...	2			
Warren, b Cooper	...	5	Maddock, ct Parry, b Griffiths	...	...	0			
Collins, not out	...	...	Jack, not out	...	...	0			
Extras	...	10	Extras	...	...	2			
Total	...	108	Total	...	...	43			

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den Overs.	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry ...	14	4	24	3
Warren ...	9	1	15	2
Griffiths ...	4	—	7	3

Packer won the toss, and the School batted first. The School started badly, both Shankland and Parry being caught behind the wicket with only 6 runs on the board. Packer, after starting well, also lost his wicket when the score was 18. Cohen and Myers then carried the score to 53, at which score Cohen was caught after a beautiful innings. Myers and Griffiths greatly helped the score onwards, and the innings closed with 108 runs. After the tea interval the Grammar School also started badly, and three wickets were down for 2 runs. Hind and Cooper were the only batsmen who played the bowling with any confidence. After the

fall of the 5th wicket, the scoring became very slow. Griffiths then bowled in place of Warren, and immediately obtained 3 wickets.

## SCHOOL v. SEFTON EXTRA.

Played at Greenbank, on June 28th, 1930.

SEFTON EXTRA.					SCHOOL.				
Mays, ct Collins, b Parry	...	...	0	Shankland, b Wilson	...	...	...	2	
Kerr, b Parry	...	...	2	Parry, b Stoll	...	...	...	33	
Mackinnon, b Parry	...	...	0	Myers, l.b.w. b Wilson	...	...	...	0	
Fearenside, b Parry	...	...	11	Packer, ct Bale, b Mackinnon	...	...	...	10	
Bale, ct Santos, b Warren	...	...	13	Cohen, b Stoll	...	...	...	25	
Wilson, b Parry	...	...	17	Griffiths, l.b.w. b Kerr	...	...	...	19	
Stott, b Parry	...	...	3	Santos, not out	...	...	...	38	
Imlack, b Parry	...	...	0	Dawson, b Stansfield	...	...	...	11	
Tracey, ct Dawson, b Warren	...	...	6	Booth, did not bat	...	...	...	...	
Stansfield, b Parry	...	...	0	Warren, Do.	...	...	...	...	
Morris, not out	...	...	0	Collins, Do.	...	...	...	...	
Extras	...	...	6	Extras	...	...	...	3	
Total	...	...	58	Total (for 7 wkts.)	...	...	...	141	

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den Overs.	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry ...	15	3	30	8
Warren ...	14	3	22	2

Sefton won the toss and decided to bat first on one of Wass's first-class wickets, which was very fast. Parry was in excellent form and got the first 2 wickets down in his first over for 0 runs. The innings closed at 58 runs, Parry having clean-bowled seven of the side.

The School also started badly, 2 wickets being down for 3 runs. Packer and Parry then made a stand and carried the score to 41, at which score Packer was caught behind the wicket. Cohen and Parry then easily passed Sefton's score, the former making a quick 25 in which there were 5 fours. After Parry, who batted very freely, was out, Griffiths and Santos took the score past the 100; both played well, especially the latter who had a faultless innings.

## SCHOOL v. QUARRY BANK.

Played at Calderstones, on July 2nd, 1930.

SCHOOL.					QUARRY BANK.				
Shankland, ct Bryant, b Finch	...	...	0	Bryant, l.b.w. b Warren	...	...	...	1	
Parry, b Finch	...	...	5	Newton, b Parry	...	...	...	3	
Myers, b Finch	...	...	0	Pettit, b Warren	...	...	...	4	
Packer, not out	...	...	46	Mays, b Parry	...	...	...	0	
Cohen, b Finch	...	...	0	Finch, ct Bourns, b Warren	...	...	...	7	
Griffiths, b Bryant	...	...	6	Carlyle, ct Myers, b Warren	...	...	...	4	
Santos, ct Frank, b Bryant	...	...	0	Frank, ct Cohen, b Warren	...	...	...	0	
Dawson, ct Newton, b Bryant	...	...	4	Gauratt, b Parry	...	...	...	12	
Booth, ct Bryant, b Pettit	...	...	11	Mumford, b Warren	...	...	...	0	
Bourns, ct Newton, b Pettit	...	...	1	Hinds, b Warren	...	...	...	4	
Warren, b Finch	...	...	1	Atkinson, not out	...	...	...	0	
Extras	...	...	4	Extras	...	...	...	7	
Total	...	...	78	Total	...	...	...	42	

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den Overs.	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry ...	9	2	15	3
Warren ...	9	2	20	7

Packer won the toss and the School batted first on a bumpy and rather dangerous wicket. The School began poorly, 2 wickets being down in the first over. Packer and Parry then made a stand, but the runs came very slowly. Booth, who played well was the only other batsman who stayed in for any length of time. Packer made a very useful 46 not out.

After tea, Quarry Bank also met with early disaster, as both Parry and Warren were in good form. Warren bowled extremely well and got 7 wickets for 20 runs. It is interesting to note that this is the first time that Quarry Bank have been defeated since 1928.



## SCHOOL v. THE STAFF.

Played at Greenbank, on July 5th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				THE STAFF.			
				Messrs.			
Shankland, b Pollard	...	...	9	Ledger, ct Shankland, b Warren	...	10	
Parry, st Brown, G. L. R., b Wass	...	...	45	Bartlett, ct Shankland	...	12	
Myers, b Brown, S. V.	...	...	33	Hart, b Parry	...	0	
Packer, st Brown, G. L. R., b Wass	...	...	12	Pollard, ct Shankland, b Warren	...	51	
Cohen, ct Rose, b Brown, S. V.	...	...	25	Wass, ct Booth, b Warren	...	14	
Santos, b Pollard	...	...	5	Rose, b Warren	...	8	
Martin, H. W., b Pollard	...	...	10	Brown, S. V., b Warren	...	11	
Dawson, b Pollard	...	...	4	Mumery, b Packer	...	0	
Booth, b Pollard	...	...	5	Elliott, retired hurt	...	1	
Bourns, not out	...	...	1	Reece, b Warren	...	2	
Warren, b Pollard	...	...	12	Brown, G. L. R., ct Dawson, b Cohen	...	14	
Extras	...	...	6	Extras	...	11	
Total	...	...	167	Total	...	134	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.				
Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Messrs. Pollard	...	16	3	56
Rose	...	7	1	35
Brown, S. V.	...	4	—	28
Wass	...	8	2	37
Elliott	...	2	—	5
Hart	...	2	2	—
Parry	...	19	6	46
Warren	...	18	4	42
Shankland	...	2	1	9
Packer	...	3	1	2
Cohen	...	1	—	0
Myers	...	5	—	25

Mr. S. V. Brown won the toss and decided to bat first. The School soon lost Shankland, who started well, but was clean-bowled by Mr. Pollard. Myers then joined Parry who scored freely off all the bowlers, and the partnership carried the score to 86. Both these batsmen batted exceedingly well, although Myers was missed once or twice. Packer, Cohen, and Martin then carried on with the good work, and Warren finished the innings with 3 fours off Mr. Pollard, who was the backbone of the Staff in batting and bowling.

After tea, which was held outside for the first time this year, under a blazing sun, the Staff began cautiously. Mr. Pollard and Mr. Bartlett made a stand after the exit of Messrs. Hart and Ledger. Both batsmen played well. Mr. Pollard scoring freely, whilst Mr. Bartlett kept his end up cautiously. But after these two batsmen were out, the wickets began to fall more quickly, and there were many sighs of relief when Booth caught Wass off Warren's bowling.

## SCHOOL v. WALLASEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played at Wallasey, on July 9th, 1930.

WALLASEY G.S.				SCHOOL.			
Jenkins, ct De Longa, b Twist	...	...	9	Parry, run out	...	14	
Cutcliffe, l.b.w. b Twist	...	...	5	Griffiths, retired hurt	...	10	
Widdop, l.b.w. b Griffiths	...	...	59	Packer, b Lewis	...	0	
Brühl, ct Packer, b Griffiths	...	...	16	Shankland, b Lewis	...	15	
Honeyman, ct Griffiths, b Packer	...	...	15	Santos, ct Jenkins, b Lewis	...	0	
Hoppins, l.b.w. b Packer	...	...	0	Booth, ct Davies, J.P., b Hoppins	...	10	
Eaton, ct Dawson, b Griffiths	...	...	19	Dawson, b Lewis	...	0	
Lewis, b Griffiths	...	...	0	Twist, ct Lewis, b Hoppins	...	2	
Davies, R. L., run out	...	...	14	De Longa, ct Eaton, b Widdop	...	8	
Davies, J. P., b Parry	...	...	2	Martin, H. W., not out	...	7	
Gowling, not out	...	...	1	Bourns, run out	...	1	
Extras	...	...	12	Extras	...	6	
Total	...	...	152	Total	...	73	

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	...	18	3	43
Twist	...	7	—	32
Packer	...	2	—	13
Griffiths	...	9	2	44
Shankland	...	3	1	7

Wallasey won the toss and batted first on a hard and rather broken up wicket. The opening batsmen started well, owing to Parry's steady bowling and Griffiths's spinners, the last 7 batsmen were quickly dismissed without many runs being added to the score. Twist also bowled excellently and got 2 wickets.

The School started confidently, both Parry and Griffiths scoring freely. Unluckily, Griffiths was hurt, and was unable to continue. Bad luck again visited the School when Parry was run out owing to a misunderstanding with Shankland, who batted very well and made a stand with Booth. After Booth's dismissal, the School collapsed, although Martin looked as if he could have made a score. The fielding on the whole was good, and Dawson made a brilliant catch at long off, off Griffith's bowling.

## SCHOOL v. COWLEY SCHOOL.

Played at Greenbank, on July 12th, 1930.

SCHOOL.				COWLEY.			
Griffiths, run out	...	...	0	Marshall, b Warren	...	...	4
Parry, not out	...	...	20	Mulligan, b Warren	...	...	21
Myers, run out	...	...	9	Yates, run out	...	...	0
Shankland, b Heaton	...	...	0	Heaton, b Parry	...	...	21
Packer, ct Connors, b Heaton	...	...	3	Ashcroft, ct Dawson, b Griffiths	...	...	4
Cohen, run out	...	...	1	Guest, ct Parry, b Griffiths	...	...	0
Santos, run out	...	...	0	Saithwaite, b Griffiths	...	...	0
Dawson, b Heaton	...	...	4	Clower, st Bourns, b Griffiths	...	...	1
Worgau, b Heaton	...	...	0	Digby, ct Myers, b Griffiths	...	...	3
Warren, b Heaton	...	...	0	Roe, not out	...	...	6
Bourns, b Yates	...	...	0	Connors, l.b.w. b Griffiths	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	2	Extras	...	...	3
Total	...	...	39	Total	...	...	63

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den	Runs.	Wkts.
Parry	...	12	3	31
Warren	...	9	1	24
Griffiths	...	3	—	5

Packer won the toss, and the School batted first. We can safely say that the eleven simply threw away this match, as 4 of the best bats of the team ran themselves out. Luckily for the School, Parry kept his end up, and made 20 not out, and Myers made a useful 9, but was himself run out.

Cowley started fairly well, but the team did not give up hope, although they knew that it was a hopeless task. Once Mulligan and Heaton were out, Griffiths bowled the remainder, and his amazing analysis was 6 wickets for 5 runs.

## SCHOOL v. LIOBIANS.

Played at Greenbank, on July 19th, 1930.

LIOBIANS.				SCHOOL.			
Dalgarno, b Warren	...	...	4	Griffiths, b Pickup	...	...	16
Wilkinson, ct Bourns, b Myers	...	...	38	Shankland, b Elliott	...	...	6
Morey, run out	...	...	2	Myers, ct and b Pickup	...	...	49
Cooper, b Warren	...	...	2	Packer, not out	...	...	26
Holmes, hit wkt., b Griffiths	...	...	4	Cohen, b Pickup	...	...	0
Hughes, b Warren	...	...	26	Santos, not out	...	...	1
Pickup, b Myers	...	...	14	Dawson, did not bat	...	...	
Aked, l.b.w. b Myers	...	...	0	Booth, Do.	...	...	
Oryson, b Myers	...	...	3	Twist, Do.	...	...	
Nott, ct Dawson, b Myers	...	...	4	Warren, Do.	...	...	
Elliott, not out	...	...	0	Bourns, Do.	...	...	
Extras	...	...	0	Extras	...	...	1
Total	...	...	97	Total (for 4 wkts.)	...	...	99

## BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowlers.	Overs.	M'den Overs.	Runs.	Wkts.
Twist ...	5	—	14	—
Warren ...	15	3	35	3
Griffiths ...	5	—	23	1
Myers ...	6	—	25	5

The Liobians won the toss and elected to bat first on a very wet and waterlogged wicket. Wilkinson, as usual, was the only batsman who gave the bowlers any real trouble, although Biglands and Pickup played well. After an excellent tea, prepared and served by Mr. S. V. Brown and Peter, the School opened quite well with Griffiths and Shankland. When Shankland was out, Myers joined Griffiths, and between them took the score to 42. Packer next joined Myers, who was playing splendidly and using the drive more than any other stroke, and the pair carried the score on to 95. As soon as the game was won, Packer declared, for the wicket was being torn up rather badly.

## 1st XI. BATTING AVERAGES.

	No. of Innings.	Times not out	Most in Innings.	Total Runs.	Average.
Parry, T. G. ...	17	1	59	332	20.75
Griffiths, E. W. ...	16	3	36*	195	15
Packer, J. L. ...	18	2	46*	238	14.38
Cohen, G. ...	16	1	32	197	13.133
Myers, H. ...	17	1	49	210	13.125
Booth, D. ...	10	3	13*	71	10.14
Dawson, G. ...	11	1	27	92	9.20
Shankland, W. ...	18	0	28	162	9
Santos, L. G. ...	18	3	38*	98	6.53
Warren, S. R. ...	11	2	25	58	6.44
Also batted—					
Martin, H. W. ...	4	1	10	22	7.33
Collins, G. A. ...	8	3	7*	15	3
Bourns, J. N. ...	4	1	1*	3	1

\* Not out.

## 1st XI. BOWLING AVERAGES.

	Overs.	M'dens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Runs per Wicket.
Warren, S. R. ...	240	50	534	53	10.08
Parry, T. G. ...	240	58	485	47	10.32
Also bowled—					
Packer, J. L. ...	18	4	42	5	8.40
Griffiths, E. W. ...	44	2	170	18	9.44
Cohen, G. ...	27	5	85	7	12.14
Shankland, W. ...	23	6	59	4	14.75
Myers, H. ...	36	0	163	9	18.11

## 2nd XI. BATTING AVERAGES.

	No. of Innings.	Times not out.	Most in Innings.	Total Runs.	Average.
Tarlo ...	9	1	33	114	14.25
Killip ...	6	1	32*	70	14
Bates ...	9	0	25	83	9.22
De Longa ...	8	0	21	70	8.75
Worgan ...	8	1	24*	59	8.375
Henry ...	7	4	10	19	6.33
Also batted—Dawson	...	15, 2, and 9.			
Booth	...	9 and 24.			
Holdcroft	...	13 and 12.			

## 2nd XI. BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Overs.	M'dens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
Martin, R. A. ...	51	15	101	17	5.94
Harwood ...	45	13	130	17	7.65
Twist ...	43	11	130	14	9.29
Henry ...	54	10	180	14	12.84

## Cricket Colours.

Full Colours have been re-awarded to J. L. Packer and T. G. Parry; and awarded to W. Rankland, G. Cohen, H. Myers, E. W. Griffiths, L. G. Santos and S. R. Warren.

Half-colours have been re-awarded to G. A. Collins and H. W. Martin, G. Dawson and D. Booth.; and awarded to M. H. Bates, R. A. Martin and L. Henry.

## Critique.

PACKER, J. L. (*Capt.*, 1929-30).—That the team has done so much better than was expected is largely due to his efforts as Captain. Has greatly improved his knowledge of the game, and has himself played several good innings, generally when needed. Possibly a better bowler than he thinks he is.

PARRY, T. G. (*Sub-Capt.*, 1929-30).—The backbone of the batting and half the vertebrae of the bowling; very stolid with the bat and has a good defence. Would be well advised to bowl a little slower and with more spin, keeping the faster ball as a variation.

SHANKLAND, W. (*Secretary*, 1930).—Has never really got going; too often swings the bat across the line of flight from ten o'clock to four.

GRIFFITHS, E. W. (1930).—A young and very keen all-rounder. Very difficult to get out but lacks sufficient physical strength to hit the ball hard; must concentrate on accurate timing and placing. A promising bowler and a good field.

SANTOS, L. G. (1930).—Has not enjoyed the best of luck and has often had to bat to orders and at an awkward time. An excellent mid-off.

WARREN, S. R. (1930).—A steady bowler, but with a little more imagination, *nous* or low cunning would have got many more wickets. A batter whose motto is "do or die"; on one occasion, "did," but otherwise the mortality rate was high.

MYERS, H. (1930).—When in form, good; when not, 'orrid. Has gained confidence during the season and has made



useful scores. Has also proved a useful change bowler, but is erratic and does not seem to have decided what kind of a bowler he means to be.

BOURNS, J. N.—Came into the side late, but has thoroughly justified his place as wicket-keeper; does his work efficiently and quietly. A very promising bat.

COHEN, G. (1930).—Has all the family faults but many of its virtues. Extremely keen and a trier all the way. Must practice shots and keep his eye on the ball on the stump leg. Over-keenness has on occasions marred his fielding. Has had little chance to improve his bowling.

BOOTH, D.; DAWSON, G.—Have only played for half the season; both are very keen and have shown it in the field.

NUSSBAUM, J. J.—Entered 1919, Form H (Cochran); Prefect, 1929 (Cochran); O.T.C., Joined 1924; Lce./Cpl., 1927; Cpl., 1928; Lce./Sgt., Oct., 1929; Sgt., Nov., 1929; Cert. "A" 1929. Lit. and Deb. Committee, 1928-30 L.N.U. Committee, 1929. S.C., 1928; H.S.C., 1930; Sir Frederick Radcliffe Elocution Prize (Senior), 1928-29 (resigned 1929); Special Elocution Prize, 1929; Lord Derby German Prize, 1930.

S.V.B.

### House Cricket.

UNFORTUNATELY owing to bad weather, the final of the Senior House cricket between Alfred and Cochran could not be played off. It has therefore been decided that each House shall hold the Cup for half-a-year.

Details :—

#### SENIOR.

	Semi-final.	Final.	Winner.
Hughes ... .. v. Danson ... ..	Hughes ... .. v. Cochran ... ..	Cochran ... ..	}
Cochran ... .. v. Philip Holt ...	Cochran ... ..		
Owen ... .. v. Tate ... ..	Owen ... .. v. Alfred Holt ...	Alfred ... ..	
Alfred Holt (bye)	Alfred Holt ...		

In the Junior, Hughes won all their matches easily, and defeated Cochran in the final, thus getting revenge for last year's defeat.

Details :—

#### JUNIOR.

	Semi-final.	Final.	Winners.
Hughes ... .. v. Danson ... ..	Hughes ... .. v. Owen ... ..	Hughes ... .. v. Cochran ... ..	}
Owen ... .. v. Tate ... ..	Owen ... ..		
Cochran ... .. v. Philip Holt ...	Cochran ... .. v. Alfred Holt ...		
Alfred Holt (bye)	Alfred Holt ...		

### Blackberrying.

BLACKBERRYING is, as we all know, a mediaeval and maybe a prehistoric pastime, but still, we can safely say its fascination for a good many people has not died away. Fat boys in particular, enjoy the sport to the full and I as one of that body partake of my share of the spoil on an expedition of this nature. I do not want to make this into a lecture, but I think in this article I can give advice to young and inexperienced pickers.

The most important factor in picking of this sort is the art of self defence. One's attire, in the struggle for these berries of delicious taste may suffer irretrievably if a little caution is not exercised. The usual leg protection is an old pair of socks, generally a very old pair. Of course the knee is always unprotected unless the owner essays to wear long trousers or plus fours. The chest and arms are covered by a veteran shirt and the face is left free to utter exclamations of wrath when precipitated in a bush of thorns. The picker must have a large and clumsy container lined with a cabbage leaf. Most certainly a large number of blackberries will be brought home, thinks fond mother, and when Willy arrives home on the verge of collapse, she is rather more concerned than we should expect. One must not spill the blackberries else a tragedy will inevitably be enacted.

N.E.M.

### Music Notes.

A CONCERT was given in the Hall on Thursday, June 5th, by Dr. Wallace and his Tudor Singers, Mr. Joseph Loughlin, and an orchestra composed partly of old boys but mainly of disinterested friends of the Institute and conducted

by Mr. Rose. Beethoven's Egmont Overture made a good beginning to which succeeded the *pièce de resistance*, Mozart's A major pianoforte concerto. As the only extended work in the programme this concerto was an excellent choice; it is music full of grace and charm, and the lightly scored accompaniment is well within the capacity of an amateur orchestra. Dr. Wallace gave the elegant and sensitive interpretation which we expected of him and the work went with a swing, especially in the first movement.

Bach was twice represented on the programme, once by the so-called Air on the G string in which Mr. Loughlin played the uppermost line as a solo; once by a little-known Sinfonia for flute and strings from a Church Cantata. The flute part was played by Miss Marjorie Nixon, and it was not her fault that the Sinfonia was the least effective piece of the evening. Perhaps for want of sufficient rehearsal the strings were muddy, and blurred that clarity which is the first essential in Bach.

The variety of the programme was much enhanced by the Tudor Singers who gave two excellent groups of madrigals and folksongs. This was vocal chamber-music of a high order, perfect ensemble, admirable restraint and a fine range of emotional expression. The dialect songs, Manx and North-country, in Dr. Wallace's own arrangement, were especially appreciated.

In the second half, Mr. Loughlin gave enjoyable renderings of Svendsen's Romance for violin and orchestra, and a Kreisler arrangement of Rimsky-Korsakov's Danse Orientale. A delighted audience insisted on an encore. We might well take this opportunity to congratulate Mr. Loughlin on his appointment with the B.B.C., and to thank him for all he has done for the Institute and its music.

The concert concluded with a hearty performance of the Hebrides overture with some unrehearsed thrills.

E.J.F.

### An Interesting Encounter.

I WAS watching the sea lions being fed at the London Zoo one day during the Easter holidays, when I felt a little tap on my arm. I looked round in surprise, wondering who could wish so to attract my attention. I was confronted by an elderly-looking gentleman with a grey beard.

"Are you Liverpool Institute?" he inquired.

"Yes," I answered, "are you an Old Boy?"

"No," replied he, "but I designed the cap you are wearing."

I was extremely surprised.

"I was the Headmaster of the School before Mr. Symonds," he proceeded.

"Mr. Whitehouse?"

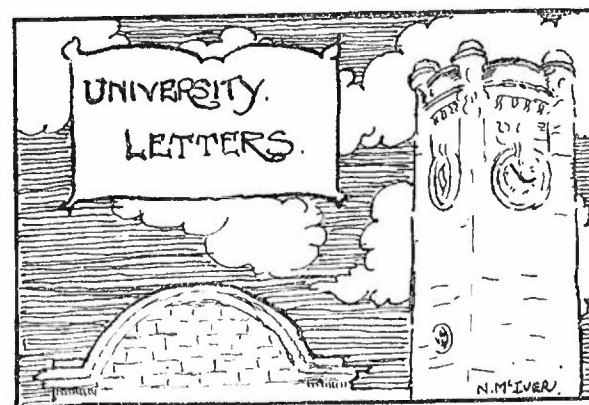
"Right."

"Pleased to meet you," I said, offering him my hand.

"Well," said he, "Good luck."

And the old gentleman passed on.

A.J.P.



The Aviary,  
Oxford.

To the Editor,

DEAR SIR,

Once again we must confess that the above address is as fictitious as it has always been, but in deference to tradition and with a view to the concealment of our identity, we retain it. Again, also, we feel the necessity for self-restraint, as our first impulse is to fill your pages with an account of the so-called Evans-bird—its habits, its home, its cries, its matings and its final hibernating. Alas, its brilliant red, green and white plumage has vanished for ever from our fields and we are left to mourn our loss and to envy the good fortune of those whom it will henceforth shelter beneath its wings. Mr. Creer is causing us no little anxiety. After a term spent in the anticipation of Greats, he departed into Italy and has disappeared. We know not whether he has softened to the pleadings of some acute headmaster, or is now standing at the helm of nearly foundered industry. In spite of our worst fears, we still hope to see him wandering, like Preoccupation under the attribute of Extension, through the streets of Oxford. So much for those whose lives have been shadowed by the Great Trial before them and have



survived it with honour. We might relate much of the rest of our number, but fearing to cause anxiety to their friends, we will record only those things which have been done without attempt at concealment. Having made this resolution, one can say very little about Mr. Cashdan. He has made his playground on the mud banks of the lower Cherwell and we last saw him endeavouring to bring about a rapprochement between a drifting punt and a firmly-embedded pole. Mr. Willott favours the more legitimate river, but we confess that we did not see him during Eights Week. Perhaps he was not rowing after all, or—terrible thought—perhaps we did not go sufficiently far down the river. Mr. Bartlett was seen in a canoe conducting a river-party and obviously still actively engaged in the pursuit of the Higher Truth. We no longer recognise in Mr. Harrop the balanced mind of former days, for he has run to violent extremes displaying demented activity on the cricket field and an equally thorough inertia on the river. This complete reversal of the order of things has proved very trying to his friends who are praying that next term may see a definite recovery.

Here ends our recital, for of the learned ones far above us we would say nothing for fear of repetition. They never change and seldom appear in public.

For you, Mr. Editor, we have nothing but congratulations. We welcome you heartily, and hope that you will find your life here as agreeable in realisation as in anticipation.

Yours, J. I. NOXUCHLAVE.

The Union,  
Bedford Street.

To the Editor of *The Liverpool Institute Magazine*.

DEAR SIR,

I do not send you the records of a compact company, a fine fellowship, but of some thirty men well scattered in a great army of fifteen hundred. Only occasionally do they meet each other. As they make new acquaintances, so the older ties fade to minor importance. They have a host of common reminiscences—yet do not imagine that they dwell completely in the past. They are faced with a great new organisation, and plunged into new spheres of action. The foundation of study remains, but the fellowship is a new one. Their resources, vitality, and experience are enlisted in a new cause. And there lies the greatest bond—a common experience and training, the source of a common vigour and enthusiasm. 'Twas in the old cause that the germ of their present greatness in the world of athletics first entered Messrs. Booth, Kerr, and Lishman. There

too, perhaps, did Mr. Fell first observe that to smoke a pipe gives one a certain air of quiet competence. Even Mr. Revell's sombre aloofness (an invaluable weapon, but scarcely indispensable) can be traced to the long dark corridors of our former home, while Mr. A. D. Baxter's appetite for mischief is of undoubted origin. The latest recruits, Messrs. Adams, Bridge, Cashin, Cohen . . . Walker, Williams, are still bursting with the hilarity of the P.R., though they would not, perhaps, own it as such. In a very short time, they will no longer be the latest recruits, for with the beginning of term we shall welcome faces still fragrant with the fumes of the "Chem. Lab."

Mr. Robson, and Messrs. Rice and Martinez are successfully introducing Institute initiative to the ranks of the Architects. Mr. Stevenson continues to amass distinction. But there! how many of you remember Mr. Stevenson. Yet he, and all of us, were once as you. And you—why, you shall be as we are. Truly, in such a letter as this 'tis not we who are looking back, but you who are looking forward.

LIOSPHINX.

The University Union,  
Manchester.

To the Editor,

DEAR SIR,

To be the recipient of a request for a University letter from an Editor presumably short of copy (otherwise he would have no room for uninteresting rubbish like this), a bolt from the blue, as it were, in the tranquillity and detachment of an extra long "Long Vac," especially when the composition of the said epistle had been committed to another's pen, is not the best of stimulants to our ever-dormant literary powers, such as they are. Hence the reason may easily be found, if the serpent's venom should prove less malignant than hitherto. In passing, observe a remarkable phenomenon—an Editor asking for copy, instead of the usual rôle of rejecting offered MSS.

The long interval has perforce rendered our recollection of the events of last term somewhat dim, but a moment's concentration, and certain scenes of varying degrees of clearness appear on the screen of our memory. Before proceeding further it would be as well to mention that Mr. Sircom fails to appear at all, for the simple reason that he spent the term in France with the ostensible and highly commendable purpose of improving his knowledge of the language.

The clearest impression of Mr. Bridge is of him languidly, sipping coffee (vile stuff, Mr. Editor, we have tasted it) in a quiet corner of the lunch bar. Further impression of him fail to

appear, so we must take it for granted that he has been working. Of Mr. Whitby, however, this cannot be said. He has been a regular habitu   of the lunch bar, but we know from our own observations, Watson, and his own admission, that he has not been working. With a room in the Faculty of Arts as a back-ground, Mr. Orchard comes into view reading his first minutes to the committee of the Classical Society of which he is now honorary secretary. In this capacity he succeeds Mr. Lyman, who retires to a less onerous position on the committee.

Other incidents come into view, one of the clearest being an afternoon spent in playing tennis by Messrs. Lyman and Whitby, on the day when they should have been assisting at the Jubilee celebrations of their beloved Alma Mater.

It is happy to think that for another year, at least, our numbers will remain undiminished, but after that it remains with the School to fill the gaps in our ranks which must inevitably occur. We are tempted at this point to expatiate upon the desirability of a course at Manchester University, upon the beauty of its buildings, and upon the "ditto" plural and feminine of Ashburne Hall, etc., but propaganda is not in our line, and furthermore the Editor might find in a bill for advertising space. A sobering thought, that!

Well, well, this letter is already far too long, but we crave your indulgence for a few more lines, Mr. Editor. We realise with regret that this is the last letter we shall have the honour to address to you as editor of our School Mag. Therefore in concluding, we wish to offer our congratulations on your recent success.

Yours ever,  
QUINQUE SERPENTES.

Palace Green,  
Durham.

DEAR MR. EDITOR,

Though we are tucked away in a part of unknown England, we are unable to resist your demand for a University Letter. We are not quite sure as to what a letter of this sort should be, but judging by former efforts we believe it consists in the scandalous mention of others. We are above this, sir, and intend to write you a plain story unadorned by any skilful device, such as we would write to any other friend. The result will be a plain letter which may or may not be a University Letter.

He that used to be of us but never with us has now attained eminence. We are referring to Mr. E. B. Jones. He has now been ordained into the Chester Diocese and has recently received his M.A.

Mr. O'Neil is as sensational as ever. Like the Athenians of old he is ever seeking something, and like them he is ever making a conspicuous "botch." He has coxed Chad's "A" boat to defeat against an inferior "B" boat and in Tennis he has served more double faults than any other player in the Varsity, and either through some misfortune or some misdemeanour he has been baptised with complete immersion to celebrate the extension of his college. Since end of term he has helped Mr. Marsden to paint Scarborough red. Mr. Marsden however, previous to this rash escapade has had to keep both himself and his sartorial oddity very withdrawn owing to an unfortunately sprained ankle.

Occasionally among the old world buildings of Durham and amidst its beautiful surrounding country, a charming suit of plus fours may be seen with Mr. Wilkinson inside, but apart from this loudness in his attire, he has kept very quiet.

Our scholar theologian has been the centre of not a little interest. In the 'Varsity Rag he figured prominently as the hind legs of a giraffe. On the cricket field his mighty feats with tiny scores have aroused excitement, whilst his wondrous "family gatherings" in college are famous for their distinguished company and their late (or rather, early) hours.

Yours sincerely,  
JOHN CHAD.

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## Correspondence.

To the Editor of *The Liverpool Institute Magazine*.

SIR,

I should like to reply to a letter published in your last issue, though in doing so, not to deal with the subject of the original correspondence. Since the difficulties caused by the occasional publication of the School Magazine affect all correspondents alike, it is much to be regretted that your colleague found it necessary to print his reply in the same issue in which my letter, to which he had taken exception, appeared, and in doing so committed an astonishing breach of Editorial privilege. Whether he gained any advantage or not matters little, but it is rather strange that he should have turned to his own personal use the privilege he happens to enjoy as sub-editor of the Magazine. Has he waited till the usual time to make his reply his sense of humour might have led him to accept with genuine "good grace" a statement which was by no means intended to convey a personal reflection. Surely he is satisfied that the Editor is



capable of preventing the inclusion of personalities in the Magazine, even if any one should wish to indulge in them.

Yours, etc.,

M. H. BATES.

[To a less earnest person than yourself, sir, we would say *Quis custodiet ipsos custodes*? We feel, nevertheless, that your wrath is ill-founded. After all, correspondence over a debated point is not a game of tip-cat in which a reply must be withheld until the original correspondent has hidden himself behind the passage of a whole term. If there is any real desire to throw light upon a debated point, we see no reason why a letter should not be published with a reply, although this course is often impracticable. If a correspondent is really desirous of a reply let him rejoice in the Editorial promptitude. If he relishes it not, we can scarcely hold ourselves to blame. We did, sir, appreciate your point, and trust that we have removed any grounds for complaint.—ED.]

### The Calendar.

Christmas Term, 1930.

Wed.,	Sept. 10	Term begins.
Fri.,	,, 19	Swimming Gala Heats.
Fri.,	,, 26	Swimming Gala Finals.
Fri.,	Oct. 3	L.I.O.B.A. Annual Meeting.
Thurs.,	,, 9	O.T.C. Field Day.
Mon.,	,, 27	Form-Competition Half-holiday.
Wed.,	,, 29	} Junior School Opera "H.M.S. Pinafore."
Thurs.,	,, 30	
Fri.,	,, 31	
Mon.,	Nov. 3	Speech Day
Thurs.,	,, 6	House Soiree, (Owen.)
Fri.,	,, 7	L.I.O.B.A.
Sat.,	,, 8	Half-Term Week-end.
Thurs.,	,, 13	House Soiree (Hughes).
Thurs.,	,, 20	House Soiree (Alfred Holt).
Fri.,	,, 21	O.T.C. Field Day.
Thurs.,	,, 27	House Soiree (Philip Holt).
Mon.,	Dec. 1	Geography Exam. Periods 1 and 2.
		History Exam. Periods 3 and 4.
Thurs.,	,, 4	Gymnasium Competition.
Thurs.,	,, 11	Entrance Examination.
Fri.,	,, 12	} School Play.
Sat.,	,, 13	
Mon.,	,, 15	Examinations for Sixes and Removes begin.
Tues.,	,, 16	Form-Competition Half-holiday (except removes).

### Football Fixtures, 1930-31.

DATE.	1st XI.	2nd XI.	3rd XI.
Oct. 4	Alsop H.S. ... H	Alsop H.S. ... A	Alsop H.S. ... H
" 11	Hulme G.S. ... A		Blue Coat ... H
" 18	Warringt'n G.S. A	Quarry Bk. H.S. H	
" 25	L.I.O.B. ... H		
Nov. 1	L'pool Coll. S. H	L.C.S. ... A	L.C.S. ... H
" 8			
" 15	Manch't'r G.S. A	Oulton S.S. ... H	
" 22			
" 29	Holt S.S.... H	Holt S.S.... A	
Dec. 6	Hulme G.S. ... H		
1931.			
Jan. 17	Alsop H.S. ... A	Alsop H.S. ... H	Alsop H.S. ... A
" 24	Manch't'r G.S. H	Quarry Bk. S. A	Blue Coat ... A
" 31	Collegiate ... A	Collegiate ... H	Collegiate ... A
Feb. 7	Warringt'n G.S. H	Oulton S.S. ... A	
" 14	L.I.O.B. ... A		
" 21	King's School... H		
" 28	Holt S.S.... A	Holt S.S.... H	

Matches have to be arranged with the Florence Institute.

T. G. PARRY, Hon. Sec.

### Editorial Notices.

The Editors beg to acknowledge the receipt of the following contemporaries and apologize for any omissions:

*Liverpool College Magazine, The Cowleian, The Wyggestonian, The Olavian, The Hymerian, The Quarry, The City of London School Magazine, The Elizabethan, The Wallaseyan, The Merchant Taylors Review, The King's School, Chester, Magazine, The Holt Sec. School Magazine, The Ruym, The Birkonian, The Hinckley Grammar School Magazine, Oultonion, Esmeduna, Ulula.*

## Old Boys' Section.

### Old Boys' Log.

**THE GENERAL MEETING** of the Old Boys' Association will be held on the 3rd October at the School. It is hoped that a large number of members will be present. Besides the election of Officers and Committee for 1930-1, there will be that hardy annual, the re-arrangement of the Colours of the Association. It is a subject on which we expect quite a flood of perfervid oratory. Wigs may be on the green, and the meeting may assume the interest of an Irish fair. We hope extremes may be avoided. The worst that has been said of the other side (whichever that is) is the expressed opinion of a member, who thinks: "They are on view everywhere. They are common, they are the colours of every little petty club, association and prayer-meeting society in the country, including, I believe, the So-and-so Old Boys. We will be able to get them—ties, blazers, socks, etc., at Woolworth's." If so much feeling is aroused by the Colour Problem, we may have a good muster at the meeting.

**The Liobians' Cricket Club** has, we understand, had a successful season. Up to the moment of going to Press, however, no report has come to hand. Readers will have to be satisfied with the account given in the Secretaries' Report at the General Meeting.

**The Gymnasium Class** is resuming for the winter, and members and intending members are asked to communicate with J. W. Prowting, 3 Truro Road. The Class will meet on Wednesdays at 8 p.m. in the School Gym. and new members will be welcomed. The fee for the Term is 5/-.

**The Centenary Players**, who were, through a number of causes, confronted with a large deficit, recently sent out to many Old Boys an appeal for help. The response has been very satisfactory, but, although some £30 has been contributed, there is need of more. If any Old Boy is in sympathy with the work of the Players, there is still time for a contribution. Those who failed to attend and support the performances given by the Players are gently reminded of their past failures to help. Any donation, however small, will be welcomed by Mr. H. E. Williams at the School.

The Players are giving a play at the School on the 2nd and 3rd December. Readers are asked to keep one of these dates free, and to support the players.



It is proposed to start an **Old Boys' Hockey Club**. Some members of the School Team have recently attained the status of Old Boys, and it is suggested that they should form the nucleus of a new Club. By the kindness of the Headmaster, and the Sports and Arts Club of the School, practice and a few matches this season will be at Greenbank on Saturdays. It is hoped to find a ground elsewhere next winter. Those joining will pay a fee of 5/- this season. Will any who wish to play please send in their names to the Secs. of the Association or give them in at the General Meeting? This is an excellent opportunity for beginners to make acquaintance with the game. Expert tuition on the ground!

**The Liobians' Association Football Club** has already begun its season, but new members will be welcomed by the Hon. Sec., E. J. Broadbent, 4 Lochmore Road, Mossley Hill, or by the Hon. Treasurer, A. Tunnington, Jr., 30 Harthill Avenue.

It is presumed that there will be the usual Smoking Concerts this Winter. The dates of the first two will probably be the 7th November and the 5th December, but notice will be sent out to members in the usual way. It is hoped that strong efforts will be made to make the Smokers more successful than they have been in the past.

**The Old Centurions' Dinner** is fixed for the 22nd November, and it is hoped that there will be a good attendance. Notices will be sent out in due course.

We wish to congratulate all Old Boys who have distinguished themselves at the Universities. We print a list of achievements, but would add a few comments.

A. G. Winn and A. M. Maiden (both of '27), who both took Firsts in the Honours School of Chemistry in July, are staying up for a further two years at the University of Liverpool to take the Ph.D. degree. The former has his Margaret Bryce Smith Scholarship continued for a fourth year and at the end of the period will receive a Research Scholarship for his fifth year. The latter has been awarded the United Alkali Company's Scholarship of £125 a year for two years—the highest award in money of any of the Scholarships at the University of Liverpool.

Considering the dissuasions of the Staff of the School (not to speak of awful warnings), it is remarkable that so many Old Boys are entering the Teaching profession. The following (all of '27) will be reading, during the coming University year, for the Diploma of Education at Liverpool: E. L. Fell, G. Revell, P. M. Smith, H. Holliday and S. Bender. J. R. Winn ('26) has been appointed to a Mastership at the Park High School, Birkenhead.

E. Sankey ('27) has joined the staff of Messrs. Lever Bros. In his first year or two he will be sent round for a few months

each, to several of the Company's firms. We shall look forward to seeing a remarkable rise in the value of their stock.

F. Bussby ('29) was first in his year in the Summer examination at the University of Durham and will now be for two years in the Honours School of Theology. E. A. Jones ('26) will be for the next two years at the United Colleges (Aberystwyth) of the Presbyterian Church of Wales.

I. W. Stray ('27) is taking the Diploma of Education at Cambridge during the year. (Another teacher!) Congratulations to him on his Second in the Science Tripos.

H. Justin Evans ('22) has been appointed Warden of York House, the Boys' Club which is attached to the University Settlement, Nile Street; he becomes also Assistant Warden of the Settlement. We congratulate him on his close neighbourhood to the School, and on his new and interesting work. York House means to develop the educational side of the work in Boys' Clubs.

Congratulations to those who won the six Firsts at Liverpool in the various Honours Schools: G. Stephenson ('25) in Architecture (we hear it said that he "ran up" for the Prix de Rome; clearly the one who outran him was good); A. D. Baxter ('27) in Engineering; E. L. Fell and G. Revell (both '27) in Classics (again there were no Firsts except to the Liverpool Institute); and A. G. Winn and A. M. Maiden (both '27) in Chemistry.

We hear that the Liverpool wicket was bumpy in the Law School this Summer; one or two got hit. Our sympathy.

We wish to congratulate Alfred Wilson ('26) on gaining a studentship for the year 1930-1 at the University of Hamburg, awarded by the Anglo-German Academic Bureau. Also, J. G. Allwork ('26) for his Final in the Auctioneers' and Estate Agents' Institute examinations.

Our best wishes go with E. L. Hartley who has just sailed for Canada. He is entering Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., and we commend him to all Old Boys in that neighbourhood.

It may be of interest to Old Boys of last Century to hear that among the present pupils of the School, we number: a grand-nephew of Mr. Burton, a nephew of J. H. Grace, and a nephew of P. J. Rose. Among them all, we look for some remarkable successes in scholarship.

The full income of £1,200 per annum is now available for the **Margaret Bryce Smith Scholarships** from the boys' and girls' schools of the Liverpool Institute to the University of Liverpool. So, even if each holder holds on for four years, there is room, generally speaking, for three new awards every year. These Leaving Exhibitions of £100 a year were a princely benefaction. It is worth noting that of the four holders who up to now have gone as far as their degrees, three have obtained First Class Honours. This tradition is going to count.



A special note of congratulation to Gordon Stephenson on being appointed Chadwick Scholar of the British Institute in Paris. This appointment is in the line of successes he has already achieved: the Elmes' Scholarship (the money for which came from the defence which the School of Architecture and the *Liverpool Daily Post* put up when the South portico and podium of St. George's Hall were threatened), the Holt Travelling Scholarship, the Holland and Hannen and Cubitt's Prize and the John Rankin Prize. He also was finalist for the Tate Prize, runner-up for the Prix de Rome, and finalist for the great Victory Scholarship. That, already, is a brilliant record. The fresh distinction is a new Scholarship of the Royal Society of Arts.

R. A. Foulkes ('28) who is at Downing College has taken a First Class in "Mays" (Engineering) and is working now for the Mechanical Sciences next Summer.

We have heard, through Mr. Reece, from W. A. King ('22), who has settled in Montreal. In case any Old Boy of his time would like to get into touch with him again, his address is 923 Cote St. Antoine Road, Montreal. One or two extracts from his letter may be of interest. He writes: "I am engaged to be married this Autumn and am a member of the Chartered Institute of Actuaries. It is highly probable that my brother will be going to South America this summer for the Sun Life Assurance Co., as a resident secretary." W.A. has not quite given up athletics. He says, in reference to the British Empire Games at Hamilton, Ont., "I should dearly love to come up against the best English jumpers. I think I shall make this my last serious year on the track; indeed, I hope to be occupied very differently in the future, and it will be all that I can do to get in the necessary practice now. My only rival, whom I have never been able to defeat, is now removed from the competition, as he has accepted a position as Instructor at the Toronto Y.M.C.A., which makes him a professional. Unless a dark horse arrives on the scene, I stand a healthy chance of winning the Dominion Championship." We hope to hear from King again.

Our congratulations to G. W. Wood, for his performance in the Senior Manx Grand Prix. Wood, riding a Rudge, was 2nd, but only by 19 seconds. His average speed was 69.38 m.p.h.

We have had an interesting letter from C. K. B. Gough ('26). He is now in Finland, at Helsingfors. He writes: "There isn't much time to see the other places in Finland. Working too hard. (!!!) Still last February I managed to get to Lapland for a week. Being mid-winter, things were rather cold. Revaniemi was the exact spot where I stayed, 3½ hours' rail-journey from Kemi. The skiing was wonderful, and the weather produced nothing in the shape of snow storms

or blizzards. Reindeer are used a lot for transport up there, and for perversity they leave mules and donkeys in the shade. I'm enclosing a photo of myself in one of the 'pulkas.' The Lapp from whom I hired the whole contraption gave me some fatherly advice before parting. I had asked him what to call out to make the reindeer move: 'Gee-up or something.' 'That's no good,' he said, 'get out and kick it.' Rather crude, of course, but still the only thing to do as it turned out. Incidentally, I had the soft Finnish shoes on, so that it hurt my big toe more than the reindeer's tough hide." Gough talks at some length about the food, and then adds: "In Finland, the drink question is always in the limelight. The price of fish has gone up very considerably because the fishermen find it more profitable to smuggle spirits over from Esthonia. Anyone gets whatever he wants in the restaurants and hotels. The police raid every now and then, but as they get such rotten pay from the Government, they are always paid to ring up beforehand. Attempts have been made to abolish Prohibition, but there are too many people making money out of it for it to go through Parliament."

We have also heard from R. G. Baxter, who has been appointed Chief Engineering Assistant with the Borough Engineer and Surveyor, Hampstead Corporation, and, he says, "It is much less lordly than it sounds." We hope Rastus will enjoy his new surroundings.

We have also had a letter from D. L. Francis ('11) from Buenos Aires. We are sorry that he does not want his letter published; otherwise, we should have used it.

We have had a visit from P. A. Williamson ('21) who is now settled in Albany, West Australia. He looked fit and seemed prosperous. J. Thompson, of the '80's, also called; he was on a visit from Buenos Aires, and he gave us information of his brothers: G. W., who is a well-known oculist in Upper Wimpole Street, and Alfred, who also is at Buenos Aires. James Wyper ('80), now of Hartford, Conn., U.S.A., with his son, came to see the old School. Mr. Wyper is now the President of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, New York. He is a Director of the Underwriters' Laboratories, and partner in the Underwriters' Salvage Company. What interested us most, however, was his account of the Kingswood School, Hartford, of which he is a Trustee. We hope to induce Mr. Wyper to send us a full account of the School for our next number.

Some of our readers will have seen in the *Liverpool Daily Post* some remarks about the oldest Old Boy. The Secretaries have had quite a few letters in consequence. One was from Fred. Hunt, who left in '67. Another, from V. B. Latimer, who left in '63; Mr. Latimer recalls the dinners at the School, provided by the janitor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frost, at a charge of 4d. and consisting of hot roast beef, potatoes and bread. He



hopes to revisit the School soon. A third is from W. E. Davis, who left in '57. Mr. Davis also proposes to come once more to School, and says, "It will give me great pleasure to fight the battle of school life over again. I notice that one name is omitted, that of Archie White, of The Mount, Liverpool, who made himself our hero by climbing to the top of the great pole in the yard of the Commercial School ground and pretending to swim in the air at that altitude. Like the 'weary knife-grinder,' I am afraid I must say, 'Story? God bless you, sir, I have none to tell'—at any rate none that would interest those who have not gone over to the majority, but your letter has brought back memories of the old times in the Alma Mater, especially of dear old MacIlveen and the other teachers."

We regret to set down the names of one or two of our number who have died in the last twelve months. W. F. Duncan ('03), died after a very brief illness on the 7th May. He was well-known and well-liked in the city here. Commander E. A. Woodward ('90), general manager of Messrs. Chadwick, Weir & Co., Ltd., Buenos Aires, died after an operation on the 17th May. Captain Woodward had been in Buenos Aires for the last 23 years, and was President of the British Chamber of Commerce there. He was very popular and widely respected. By a regrettable accident, Maurice Cohen ('25) was drowned on the 2nd August. He was only 24 years of age.

To all the relatives and friends of these Old Boys who have joined the great majority, we offer our sincere sympathy.

### University Successes.

#### UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD.

Final Honours School of Litterae Humaniores (Classical Greats), Class II.—J. K. Creer (Scholar of Brasenose College); H. J. Evans (University College).

Hon. School of Modern History, Preliminary Examination—L. A. G. Harrop (Scholar of Merton College.)

#### UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

Modern and Mediaeval Languages Tripos, Part II., Class I.—E. Sankey (Scholar of Pembroke College).

Natural Science Tripos, Part II., Class II. (Physics)—I. W. Stray (Exhibitioner of Downing College).

Classical Tripos, Part I., Class I.—K. D. White (Scholar of Peterhouse).

#### UNIVERSITY OF LIVERPOOL.

Degree of M.A., School of Classics.—C. E. Dunn.

Degree of B.A. with Hons., School of Classics, Class I.—E. L. Fell; G. Revell.

Degree of B.Arch. with Hons. in Architectural Design, Class I.—G. Stephenson.

Degree of B.Sc. with Hon., School of Chemistry, Class I.—A. M. Maiden; A. G. Winn.

Degree of B.Eng with Hons., School of Mechanical Engineering, Class I.—A. D. Baxter.

Degrees of M.B. and Ch.B.—D. O. Hughes; M. Solomon.

Degree of B.D.S., Distinctions in Pathology and Bacteriology.—W. E. Duckworth.

Degree of B.A., Ord.—S. M. Bender (Distinction in Latin); H. Holliday; E. A. Jones; P. M. Smith (Distinction in Latin).

Degree of LL.B., Ord., School of Electrical Engineering, Class I.—R. R. Maddock.

Degree of B. Com., Ord.—D. I. Hesselberg.

Diploma in Education.—J. R. Winn (with Distinction); K. I. Lishmann; H. Wikeley.

Certificate in Education.—J. A. Lunt.

B.A. Hons., School of Classics, Part I.—J. H. Colvin.

B.Arch., Fourth Examination.—G. Stephenson.

B.Arch., Second Examination.—A. G. Martinez; A. E. Rice; H. S. Robson.

LL.B., Ord., Intermediate Examination, Class II.—A. Cohen; A. J. B. Cooper.

B.Sc., Ord., Intermediate Examination.—A. W. Beeston.

M.B. and Ch.B., Second Examination, Part A.—W. L. Dove; E. T. Owen.

B.D.S., Second Examination, Part A.—G. H. Craine.

L.D.S., First Examination, Parts A and B.—E. G. Prysor-Jones.

Holt Fellowship in Pathology.—J. Libman.

United Alkali Scholarship.—A. M. Maiden.

Senior Orthodontic Staff Prize.—W. E. Duckworth.

Demonstrator in Clinical Dental Surgery.—C. H. Taylor.

Thomas Hornby Scholarships.—J. H. Colvin (*Proxime Accessit*: N. K. Bridge).

Postgate Prize.—J. H. Colvin.

*Architects' Journal* Prize for Second Year Measured Drawing.—A. G. Martinez.

#### UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM.

Hons. School of Classics, First Year Examination, Class II.—T. A. O'Neil.

#### UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER.

Hons. School of French Studies, Preliminary Examination.—G. Sircom.

## UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM.

B.A. Ord., Second Year Examination.—J. Bishop.

## OTHER SUCCESSES.

Board of Trade Exams.—Mate (Home Trade.)—J. U. Wikeley.

Chartered Accountants.—Final.—K. G. Lyon (Louis Nicholas & Co.)

Intermediate.—J. A. Johnston (Wilson, de Zouche & Mackenzie); W. F. Tunnington (Glass & Edwards).