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THE PAST CRICKET SEASON.

THE cricket season of 1905 must be written down as satisfactory on the whole. Like many another side, we have had our ups and downs; good performances have been followed by bad ones, and high hopes have been occasionally raised, only to sink to zero a week or a fortnight later; but it seems to us, taking good and bad together, the balance rests in favour of what is good. Our prospects at the start of the season were by no means encouraging. Of last year's team Rawlings and Walters were the only two available; both we knew to be good, if somewhat unreliable, batsmen, but Worlock was the only bowler of whom anything was known. Handicapped by the absence of the captain up to the time of the exeat, the team started off with two per-

formances of the most depressing nature. They never looked like making a run, getting a wicket, holding a catch, or even picking up a ball, and the recovery from such a state of affairs—and that a most successful recovery—showed the School and captain to be possessed of a spirit of enthusiasm and perseverance which would alone enable us to label the season as satisfactory. Every member of the side displayed the greatest keenness in every department of the game, while particular attention was paid to that most important branch, fielding, and Rawlings is to be greatly congratulated on the improvement and progress made by a side who always did their best to support him. Another most satisfactory point was the excellence of the bowling. Worlock, Hepburn, and Turner were three really good bowlers, and though sometimes unlucky they always seemed likely to get wickets, and I

think we may safely say that we were stronger in bowling than we have been for some years past; and considering that Hepburn and Turner were practically unknown as bowlers at the beginning of the year, this fact will give encouragement for the future. Following the deplorable start, matters gradually improved, and, thanks to fine performances by Walters, Worlock, and Turner, two most satisfactory victories were gained over the Incogniti and Authentics. The Charterhouse match has been dealt with at length in these columns; the climatic conditions, as we know, prevented the game from being in any way a test of the relative merits of the two Schools, and with all the worst of these conditions we suffered a heavy reverse. Possibly the side was disheartened by this ill-fortune, for, though doing well at times, two very poor performances against the M.C.C. and Gentlemen of Essex somewhat discounted their previous successes, the former, however, being the occasion of a very fine bowling performance on the part of Hepburn (7 for 23), while Young and Kortright are not very nice bowlers for boys to face on a wicket which always gives the bowlers some assistance. Turning to individual performances, Rawlings never recovered from a late start due to illness. He played one or two good innings, and generally looked like getting runs, but lacked that confidence which is only to be picked up at the beginning of a season. Walters always played well, and, except for being palpably out of luck at the end of the season, would have had, as he deserved, a much better record. Worlock and Hepburn we have referred to—both very dangerous on their day. They bowl well above medium pace, Worlock with a very high action, and Hepburn of the windmill variety, with an excellent length and capable of keeping up an end all day. We now come to the third satisfactory item—Turner. He is a young cricketer of great promise, from whom we expect much. He bowls slow right with a capital length, and comes quickly off the pitch. Moreover, he bowls with his head; he should get a lot of wickets in the future if he does not get too

many runs. He has a habit, paradoxical in a schoolboy, of playing back to over-pitched balls, but cuts strongly and has excellent defence. We should like to see a few more of the side watch the ball. Of the rest, Walker, Craig, and Reed all played useful cricket; while Lee, who was most disappointing, finished up with a couple of really fine innings, at length producing the cricket of which we knew him to be capable. To Craig for his wicket-keeping only the highest praise is due, and Birchall proved a very useful understudy. The fielding, though never of a high class, was steady and keen when once the side had settled down.

T.B.B. beat K.S.S. somewhat easily, the two cracks failing to get sufficient runs. Rawlings looked after the games with the greatest care and interest, and we were pleased to notice that a keener spirit seemed to prevail throughout the School.

THE AVERAGES.

	No. of Times		Total	Highest	Average
	Innings	Not out			
F. G. Turner.....	16	0	427	135	26.7
O. H. Walters	16	0	387	101	24.2
P. T. Rawlings.....	13	0	209	54	16
H. Walker	16	1	228	71	15.2
R. W. Reed	15	3	171	60	14.2
A. G. Lee.....	11	0	139	50	12.6
S. F. Johnson	15	3	134	28	12.1
J. M. Craig	13	1	145	29*	12
W. R. Birchall	13	0	117	28	9
F. G. Worlock	14	1	103	23	7.9
E. Coleby	9	2	48	17*	6.8
G. Hepburn	13	3	28	12	2.8

The following also batted :—

R. Harley	1	0	10	10	10
R. C. Le Blond	4	3	7	6	7
S. C. Edgar	1	0	6	6	6
W. B. Harris	2	0	5	3	2.5

* Signifies not out.

BOWLING.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
G. Hepburn	159.1	28	471	27	17.4
F. G. Turner.....	215.1	21	916	43	21.3
F. G. Worlock	178.2	21	678	28	24.2
R. C. Le Blond.....	23	3	88	3	29.3
R. W. Reed	39	4	183	6	30.5
E. Coleby	30	0	194	6	32.3
O. H. Walters	21	0	111	3	37
H. Walker	23.3	2	112	2	56
P. T. Rawlings.....	21	3	96	1	96

The following also bowled :—

R. Harley	3	0	7	1	7
S. C. Edgar	7	0	29	1	29
A. G. Lee	4	1	35	0	—
S. F. Johnson	1	0	9	0	—

ELECTION.

THE following was the result of Election, 1905 :—

Elected to Christ Church :

E. F. C. Mosse.
O. H. Walters.

Elected to Trinity :

R. Hackforth.
W. H. A. Whitworth.
W. J. Leach.

Elected to Christ Church Exhibitions :

H. I. P. Hallett.
W. F. H. Waterfield.
G. R. Y. Radcliffe.

A Triplet Exhibition of £50 was awarded to :

R. W. Reed.

A Triplet Exhibition of £38 was awarded to :

W. J. Leach.

The Senior Samwaies' Exhibition was awarded to :

R. Hackforth.

The Junior Samwaies' Exhibition was awarded to :

W. H. A. Whitworth.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year :—

Captain.—G. B. Wilson.

Monitors. { S. McKenna.
A. P. Waterfield.
P. T. Rawlings.

Captain of College.—G. B. Wilson.

Head of Ashburnham.—S. F. Johnson.

Head of Grant's.—G. G. R. Fraser.

Head of H.B.B.—H. G. F. Longhurst.

Head of Rigaud's.—S. McKenna.

Captain of Football.—S. F. Johnson.

Captain of Cricket.—P. T. Rawlings.

ELECTION DINNER.

THERE were present this year the Dean of Westminster, the Dean of Christ Church, the Master of Trinity, Mr. J. G. C. Anderson, and Mr. R. K. Gaye (Examiners), Lord Stalbridge, Dr. Bonney, the Master of the Rolls, Mr. C. C. J. Webb, the Head Master, and the Master of K.S.S., as also Mr. C. T. Agar, Mr. H. G. Allen, Mr. G. P. Allen, Mr. H. V. Anthony, the Bishop of Bangor, Mr. G. F. Russell Barker, Mr. H. Barwell, Mr. W. T. Barwell, Mr. D. H. Boggis-Rolfe, Mr. H. C. Borradaile, Mr. P. J. M. Bowman, Captain W. H. Brailey, Mr. W. Caine, Mr. R. R. Campbell, Mr. J. F. Carr, Mr. D. A. V. Colt-Williams, Mr. A. G. Colville, Mr. J. R. Dasent, Captain H. C. Davidson, Mr. A. P. Dawson, Mr. L. de Michele, Mr. W. Drummond-Milliken, Mr. Failes, Mr. E. L. Fox, Mr. V. E. Franche, Mr. A. W.

Ganz, Mr. W. Grant-Wilson, Mr. A. G. Guy, Mr. B. F. Hardy, Mr. A. H. Harrison, Mr. F. O. Hart, Mr. R. B. Harvey, Mr. H. W. Holland, Mr. J. J. Huckwell, Mr. H. H. Ingram, Mr. W. F. B. Jemmelt, Mr. E. O. Kirlen, Mr. H. S. Ladell, Mr. A. C. Liddell, Mr. J. E. Lloyd, Mr. F. W. Longhurst, Mr. A. Maude, Mr. J. E. Michell, Mr. A. H. Mure, Mr. R. J. Mure, Mr. A. C. Nesbitt, Mr. G. H. Nall, Dr. Noyes, Mr. S. Nye, Mr. T. S. Oldham, Mr. G. H. Pember, Mr. H. E. Piggott, Mr. F. P. Pilkington, Mr. R. K. Prichard, Mr. F. B. Ranalow, Mr. J. G. Ranalow, Mr. J. A. W. Rogers, Mr. J. Sargeant, Mr. G. N. Scarfe, Mr. G. H. G. Scott, Mr. C. Sebag-Montefiore, Mr. A. R. Severn, Mr. E. C. Sherwood, Mr. I. F. Smedley, Mr. W. Stebbing, Mr. P. C. Stephenson, Mr. R. Tanner, Mr. E. M. Tomlinson, Sir William Tomlinson, Mr. J. Troutbeck, Sir Alfred Turner, Mr. W. Waterfield, Mr. R. Waterfield, Dr. S. West, Judge Wheeler, Dr. J. A. Willett, and Dr. Yeld. The following had accepted invitations, but withdrew their acceptances before the day :—Mr. S. W. Key, Mr. G. M. Osborne, Mr. H. J. F. Pratt, Mr. C. M. Stenning, Mr. P. E. Stenning, Sir Howard Vincent, and Mr. C. F. Walterston. Invitations were also accepted by Mr. G. E. Barnes, Mr. A. B. Challis, Judge Lush-Wilson, Mr. B. N. Thoms, and Dr. Wilbé.

'UP-SCHOOL' EPIGRAMS.

(Theses : γῶθι σεαυτόν.
Fors sua cuique loco.)

THERE was a welcome change noticeable this year in the number of Epigrams sent in, more than thirty being submitted. Those selected were on the whole pungent and witty; the general level was considerably higher than last year; and if there was a superabundance of English, with a corresponding weakness in the classics, we can only maintain that what is loss to the learned few is gain to the unlettered many, who applaud a Greek epigram from custom with mechanical stiffness, but show their appreciation of a witty saying in English with a true pleasure. The recent agitation concerning Vincent Square was well treated in the following :—

Fors sua cuique loco.

It is my prayer that Vincent Square
To Heav'n may always open lie;
But I declare, 'twould not be fair
To throw it open to the 'ski' ;

while a second on the same subject alluded darkly to the 'Pulex irritans,' consequent on a barbarian invasion.

'γῶθι σεαυτόν' gave opportunity for a jest on the statue of Lycidas; and the same thesis produced the following :—

'γῶθι σεαυτόν,' quotes the examiner,
Taking old Socrates down from the shelf;
'γῶθι σεαυτόν,' construes the candidate,
'γῶθι—Oh! go and examine yourself!

That the classics were not wholly neglected is proved by our next example:—

Fors sua cuique loco.

Totus eram in studiis nuper, sicut meus est mos,
 Nescio quid meditans: undique cuncta silent.
 Cum subito fragor horrisonus mihi percudit aures,
 ‘Me miserum,’ exclamo; ‘vae! schola nostra, ruis!’
 At cohobet dextram melior fortuna nefandam,
 Nec tectum antiquum praecipitare sinit.
 Illa licet saxo splendescant saxa recenti
 Huic veteri nondum fas abolere decus.

Warnings to aspirants for fame at golf or cricket were not lacking; we choose a good example:—

γῶδι σεαυτόν.

Oh! budding golfer, when you cry
 ‘Fore’ to a friend a hundred yards ahead,
 First know your own ability
 Not by mischance to hit the ground instead;
 Or having learnt this lesson, when
 From half as far you give no warning,
 Beware! you’ll aim too truly then,
 And have to leave the links in mourning.

We conclude with a patriotic sentiment that denies the truth of the second thesis:—

Non fors sua cuique loco.

Praetere die: vestigia denique currens
 Huc illucque puer iam sua quisque premit.
 Sunt qui nunc hilares, sunt qui maerore dolentes
 Discendant: tamen est omnibus unus amor.
 Nam nunc fortunarum oblitus quisque suarum
 Aut ait aut reputat ‘floreat alma domus!’

[We regret extremely that through lack of space we are compelled to withhold an account of Hall Epigrams till our next number.]

THE SCOTT LIBRARY.

Play Term, 1904.—Volumes purchased,	110	}	136
,, presented, ¹	26		
Lent Term, 1905.—Volumes purchased,	128	}	131
,, presented, ²	3		
Election Term, 1905.—Volumes purchased,	64	}	72
,, presented, ³	8		
Total	339		
Number of volumes at Election 1904	7,590		
Additions as above	339		
Total volumes at Election 1905	7,929		

¹ *Play Term, 1904.*—Presented: ‘Oratores Attici,’ Dobson, 18 vols., and ‘Lexicon Totius Latinitatis,’ Scheller and Riddle, 1 vol., presented by the Rev. John Rich, Hon. Canon of Bristol (O.W.); ‘Westminster Abbey and the Parish Churches of the City of Westminster,’ presented by W. Emden, Esq., Mayor of Westminster; ‘Calendar of Letter Books of the City of London,’ Vol. 5, presented by the Corporation of the City of London; ‘The Platonic Conception of Immortality,’ R. K. Gaye, presented by the author (O.W.); ‘Durham University Calendar and Durham University Exam. Papers,’ presented by

the Rev. W. C. Boulter; ‘Life of Dean Milman,’ by Arthur Milman, presented by the author (O.W.); ‘Letters of Admiral Markham,’ edited by Sir Clements Markham, presented by the editor (O.W.).

² *Lent Term, 1905.*—Presented: ‘Kobo,’ Herbert Strong, presented by J. E. Michell, Esq.; ‘The Red Book of the Exchequer,’ by J. H. Round, presented by the author; ‘Evered Fitzroy,’ E. E. Hill, presented by the author.

³ *Election Term, 1905.*—‘Discoveries and Inventions of the Nineteenth Century,’ Routledge; ‘The World of Adventure,’ 3 vols.; ‘The Fall of Athens,’ A. J. Church; ‘Belt and Spur,’ Anon.; ‘The Tuttlebury Tales,’ W. C. Platts; ‘A Young Macedonian,’ A. J. Church, presented by Lieut. H. G. de Watteville (O.W.).

Library Attendances, Election 1904 to Election 1905	Play Term, 1904		Lent Term, 1905		Election Term, 1905		Total of three Terms		
	Midday	Evening	Midday	Evening	Midday	Evening	Midday	Evening	Whole day
Number of times Library was open	62	59	58	56	58	—	178	115	293
Total number of attendances . . .	3,380	2,828	3,370	2,669	2,986	—	9,736	5,497	15,233
Greatest number present	114	70	126	61	130	—	130	70	187
Least number present	11	1	6	5	1	—	1	1	1
Average number present	55	48	58	48	51	—	55	48	52

School Notes.

THERE are forty-nine new boys this term.

The new King’s Scholars were admitted ‘Up-School on Friday, September 28, by the Rev. Canon Duckworth, who delivered a brief address at the conclusion of the ceremony.

October 13 was the Festival of the Translation of Edward the Confessor. Commemoration is on November 17.

The Cadet Corps sent a half-company down to the Public Schools’ Provisional Brigade Camp near Aldershot. We regret that lack of room compels us to keep over an account till our next issue.

The Ireland Prize for Latin Verse has been awarded to A. P. Waterfield, and the Gumbleton Prize for English Verse to G. B. Wilson.

The new Racquet Court was opened for play on Friday, October 13.

We welcome Mr. Bourns this term as an assistant master.

The Mission Offertory on the Festival of St. Michael and All Angels amounted to £3. 15s. 9d.

The following is the Cricket Card for Election Term, 1905, with results and scores :—

Sat.	May 13	v. Old Wykehamists. (Lost: Old Wykehamists, 378 for 7, declared; Westminster, 86.)
"	" 20	v. Eton Ramblers. (Lost: Westminster, 47 and 108; Eton Ramblers, 270 for 4, declared.)
"	" 27	v. I Zingari. (Lost: Westminster, 146; I Zingari, 194.)
"	June 3	v. Incogniti. (Won: Incogniti, 161; Westminster, 296.)
"	" 10	v. Harrow Blues. (Abandoned owing to rain.)
Wed.	" 14	v. Cambridge O.W.W. (Drawn: Cambridge O.W.W., 194; Westminster, 147 for 9.)
Sat.	" 17	v. Old Carthusians. (Scratched.)
"	" 24	v. Oxford University Authentics. (Won: Oxford University Authentics, 157; Westminster, 237.)
Wed.	" 28	v. Christ Church Warrigals. (Won: Christ Church Warrigals, 113; Westminster, 202 for 6.)
Fri.	" 30	v. Charterhouse (Vincent Square). (Lost: Charterhouse, 362 for 9, declared; Westminster, 106 and 69.)
Sat.	July 1	v. Free Foresters. (Drawn: Westminster, 278 for 5; Free Foresters, 148 for 5.)
Wed.	" 12	v. M.C.C. and G. (Lost: Westminster, 82; M.C.C. and G., 258.)
Sat.	" 15	v. Old Westminsters. (Won: Old Westminsters, 138; Westminster, 297.)
Wed.	" 19	v. Gentlemen of Essex. (Lost: Westminster, 143; Gentlemen of Essex, 318 for 5.)
Sat.	" 22	v. Crusaders. (Lost: Westminster, 99; Crusaders, 292 for 9.)
Mon.	" 31	— K.SS. v. T.BB. (T.BB. won: T.BB., 258; K.SS., 129.)

The following were the School Colours at the end of last term :—

<i>Pinks.</i>	<i>Pink and Whites.</i>	<i>3rd XI.'s.</i>
P. T. Rawlings.	S. F. Johnson.	G. Worlock.
*O. H. Walters.	W. R. Birchall.	W. B. Harris.
F. G. Turner.	R. C. G. Du P.	*W. F. H. Waterfield.
*F. G. Worlock.	Le Blond.	J. C. Gow.
*H. Walker.	*E. Coleby.	A. Wood.
*J. M. Craig.	S. C. Edgar.	K. Newman.
*R. W. Reed.	R. Harley.	J. Rice-Oxley.
*G. Hepburn.	W. A. R. Hadley.	J. W. Ferguson.
*A. G. Lee.	H. G. F. Longhurst.	M. Wylde.
		J. S. Heaton-Ellis.
		M. T. Maxwell.
		L. Looker.
		G. Hodgson.
		C. G. Reed.

* Have left.

The following is the Football Card filled in to date :—

1905.		
Sat.	Sept. 30	v. Clapham Rovers. (Lost, 0-2.)
"	Oct. 7	v. Old Foresters. (Lost, 0-7.)
"	2nd XI.	v. Old Westminsters A. (Lost, 0-2.)
"	Oct. 14	v. Royal Engineers.
"	" 21	v. Old Malvernians.
"	2nd XI.	v. St. Bartholomew's A.
"	Oct. 28	v. Brentwood Rovers.
"	Nov. 4	v. Old Etonians.
Wed.	" 8	v. Cambridge O.W.W.
Sat.	" 11	v. Old Carthusians.
"	" 18	v. Old Felsteadians.
"	2nd XI.	v. Old Foresters A.
"	Nov. 25	v. Old Reptonians.
"	2nd XI.	v. Old Westminsters A.
"	Dec. 2	v. Barnes.
"	" 9	v. Emeriti.
"	" 16	v. Old Westminsters.
"	2nd XI.	v. St. Thomas's Hospital A.

1906.		
Sat.	Jan. 20	v. Clapham Rovers.
"	2nd XI.	v. Old Foresters A.
"	Jan. 27	v. Casuuls.
"	2nd XI.	v. Old Westminsters A.
"	Feb. 3	v. Beckenham.
Wed.	" 7	v. R.M.C., Sandhurst.
Sat.	" 10	v. Christ Church.
"	2nd XI.	v. R.M.C., Sandhurst, 2nd XI.
Wed.	Feb. 14	v. Old Etonians.
Sat.	" 17	v. Hertford College, Oxford.
Tues.	" 20	v. Winchester College (at Winchester).
Sat.	" 24	v. Hampstead.
Wed.	" 28	v. Old Westminsters.
Sat.	Mar. 3	v. Charterhouse (at Vincent Square).
"	" 10	v. Mr. S. H. Day's XI.
"	" 17	v. Old Harrovians.
"	2nd XI.	v. Old Westminsters A.
"	" 24	v. Mr. L. A. M. Fevez's XI.
"	" 31	T.BB. v. K.SS.

DEBATING SOCIETY.

LIST OF MOTIONS (PROVISIONAL).

Oct. 5.—'That in the opinion of this House the encouragement of Minor Sports at Westminster is not detrimental to the welfare of the rest.'—Proposer, A. P. Waterfield; Seconder, H. G. F. Longhurst; Opposer, S. F. Johnson. Carried, 13 3.

Oct. 12.—'That this House upholds the conduct of Sweden in the disagreement with Norway.'—Proposer, H. D. Adrian; Seconder, W. R. Birchall; Opposer, E. R. J. Ratcliffe-Cousins. (Lost by acclamation.)

Oct. 19.—'That this House deplors the employment of Yellow Labour in the Rand.'—Proposer, S. McKenna; Seconder, S. F. Johnson; Opposer, P. T. Rawlings.

Oct. 26.—'That this House would welcome the establishment of friendly relations between Great Britain and Russia.'—Proposer, J. E. Lloyd-Williams; Seconder, M. T. Maxwell; Opposer, J. D. Marks.

Nov. 3.—'That this House approves the treatment of Volunteer Forces by the Secretary of State for War.'—Proposer, R. E. Nott-Bower; Seconder, R. A. E. Voysey; Opposer, D. J. Jardine.

Nov. 10.—'That this House applauds the conduct of Japan in the conclusion of the recent Peace.'—Proposer, G. B. Wilson; Seconder, K. R. H. Jones; Opposer, H. G. F. Longhurst.

Nov. 16.—‘That this House approves the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance.’—Proposer, R. C. Le Blond ; Seconder, M. H. B. Lethbridge ; Opposer, A. P. Waterfield.

Nov. 23.—‘That this House would welcome devolution as the solution to the Irish question.’—Proposer, ; Seconder, S. McKenna ; Opposer, P. T. Rawlings.

Nov. 30.—‘That this House would welcome a change of Ministry.’—Proposer, ; Seconder, S. C. Edgar ; Opposer, E. R. J. Ratcliffe-Cousins.

Dec. 7.—‘That this House sympathises with Lord Curzon in his recent difficulties.’—Proposer, E. R. Mason ; Seconder, W. A. R. Hadley ; Opposer, H. F. C. Metcalfe.

Dec. 14.—‘That in the opinion of this House the Parliamentary Session is too short for the necessary work.’—Proposer, E. N. R. Trentham ; Seconder, D. B. Hallett ; Opposer, A. E. F. Spencer.

THE FIELDS.

CRICKET.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL *v.* GENTLEMEN OF ESSEX.

PLAYED up-Fields on Wednesday, July 19. P. T. Rawlings won the toss and went in with O. H. Walters. Rawlings soon succumbed to the bowling of Kortright, making way for H. Walker, who, with Walters made a temporary stand. Walters was the first to go, being clean bowled by Kortright. J. M. Craig, the next comer, was bowled first ball, and on Turner joining Walker, the latter was bowled by Tosetti. Lee then joined Turner, and they stayed together some time. After Turner's departure, Reed and Birchall followed each other in quick succession. Then Johnson made a few runs, chiefly by singles. During this time Lee had been playing well and scoring freely. Hepburn and Worlock did not stop long, and the innings closed for 143, to which Lee had contributed 50. The Gentlemen of Essex opened with Keigwin and McIver, who immediately settled down. Runs came freely, and the School bowlers were changed. Hepburn then bowled Keigwin and McIver, but Tosetti and Kortright stayed long and scored fast before the former fell to Turner, and the latter to Reed. Holton was bowled by Rawlings, but no other wickets fell. The School fielding was good, but the bowling was not successful, seven bowlers being tried.

Score and analysis :—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

P. T. Rawlings, b. Kortright	0
O. H. Walters, b. Kortright	14
H. Walker, b. Tosetti	15
J. M. Craig, b. Kortright	0
F. G. Turner, c. Kortright, b. Tosetti	11
A. G. Lee, b. Kortright	50
R. W. Reed, b. Kortright	0
W. R. Birchall, b. Tosetti	2
S. F. Johnson, not out	14
G. Hepburn, b. Kortright	0
F. G. Worlock, b. Kortright	1
Extras	36
Total	143

GENTLEMEN OF ESSEX.

R. P. Keigwin, b. Hepburn	47
C. D. McIver, b. Hepburn	59
G. Tosetti, c. Walters, b. Turner	64
C. J. Kortright, c. Hepburn, b. Reed	67
D. Holton, c. Worlock, b. Rawlings	39
O. R. Borradaile, not out	16
M. Bean, not out	12
R. Leigh-Ibbs	} did not bat.
D. J. Lambert	
A. E. Hendy	
W. A. R. Hadley	
Extras	14
Total	318

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Runs	Wickets	Overs	Maidens
C. J. Kortright	61	7	21	6
G. Tosetti	46	3	20	7

GENTLEMEN OF ESSEX.

	Runs	Wickets	Overs	Maidens
G. Hepburn	75	2	17	0
F. G. Worlock	74	0	16	1
F. G. Turner	80	1	14	1
R. W. Reed	29	1	4	0
S. F. Johnson	9	0	1	0
P. T. Rawlings	26	1	10	3
O. H. Walters	11	0	3	0

G. Hepburn and S. F. Johnson bowled 1 wide each.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL *v.* CRUSADERS.

This match was played up-Fields on Saturday, July 22, and resulted in a win for the visitors. Rawlings won the toss, and sent in Walters and Turner to the bowling of Hickson and Meakin. The School met with early disaster, as it lost Turner third ball, without a run being scored. Walters was joined by Walker : these two stayed together till Walters was bowled by Hickson at 23. Rawlings, who was next in, helped Walker to carry the score to 36, when the latter was bowled. Craig now appeared, and he and Rawlings increased the total to 62. Here the partnership was broken, Rawlings being beaten by Powers. After this the School collapsed, and were all out for 99. Bolton and Scott started for the visitors, but the former was bowled by Hepburn at 9. Scott followed him at 10. Meakin, who had taken Bolton's place, was joined by Beasley. This partnership realised 45 runs, of which Meakin made 33 and Beasley 12. Kirkpatrick next appeared, but lost Beasley at 68. He was joined by Hickson, and together they carried the total to 154. Kirkpatrick was out for 47, and Hickson, who had played a good innings, for 82, the highest score on his side. Moore was credited with 25, Fleuret with 13, and Powers was out for 34. Le Blond and Worlock now played out time, the former making 10 not out.

When stumps were drawn the visitors had scored 292 for the loss of nine wickets.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

O. H. Walters, b. Hickson	10
F. G. Turner, b. Hickson	0
H. Walker, b. Hickson	12
P. T. Rawlings, b. Powers	20
J. M. Craig, b. Hickson	27
A. G. Lee, b. Hickson.....	1
R. W. Reed, b. Hickson	0
W. R. Birchall, b. Powers	4
S. F. Johnson, run out	5
G. Hepburn, b. Hickson	4
F. G. Worlock, not out	1
Extras	15
Total	99

CRUSADERS.

W. S. Bolton, b. Hepburn	4
A. P. Scott, b. Hepburn	3
B. Meakin, l.b.w., b. Turner ...	33
H. O. C. Beasley, st. Craig, b. Turner ..	16
L. G. Kirkpatrick, b. Hepburn	47
G. A. S. Hickson, b. Hepburn	82
E. W. A. Moore, c. Rawlings, b. Turner.....	25
F. S. Fleuret, c. and b. Hepburn	13
C. Powers, b. Worlock.....	34
R. C. G. Le Blond, not out	10
G. L. Worlock, not out	2
Extras	23
Total (for 9 wickets)	292

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
Hickson.....	18	7	22	7
Meakin	7	1	23	0
C. Powers	13	1	39	2

CRUSADERS.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
Hepburn	23	3	70	5
Worlock	18	0	72	1
Turner	13	1	77	3
Rawlings	4	0	21	0
Reed	3	0	19	0

Worlock bowled 1 no-ball.
Hepburn bowled 1 wide.

K.S.S. v. T.B.B.

Played up-Fields on Monday, July 31. This match was somewhat disappointing; its finish lacked the excitement, which gave much interest to last year's contest. It was the turn of K.S.S. to take the field first. Turner and Lee opened the batting for T.B.B. to the bowling of Le Blond and Wood. After having bowled two overs, Wood was replaced by Rawlings, and later Le Blond by Lloyd-Williams. But at length A. G. Lee was caught by Ferguson off Rawlings, after playing a good innings of 76 runs. Walker shortly followed him with 24. For a long time runs were steadily added, and when the luncheon interval arrived there were 2 wickets down for 131 runs, and things at once looked bad for K.S.S.

After lunch Turner and Craig continued the

batting. Le Blond's first two balls beat Turner, and his third knocked his middle stump out of the ground. Turner thus ended a fine innings of 64. Craig was afterwards stumped by Birchall off Rawlings for 3. Of the remaining batsmen Johnson and Hepburn alone made runs. The former scored 34 and the latter 23. The innings ended with Hadley's departure, who was bowled by Rawlings for 4 runs. The total for T.B.B. was 258. For K.S.S. Rawlings and Le Blond both bowled well.

K.S.S. opened their innings with Walters and Rawlings as batsmen, and T.B.B. put Worlock and Turner to bowl against them. Both Walters and Rawlings played steadily for some time, until Walters was bowled by Worlock for 13, when the score stood at 30. Directly Walters and Rawlings were parted the side seemed to collapse, and Rawlings, with a score of 17, was caught soon afterwards by Worlock, when trying to hit a bumping ball too hard. Gow took Rawlings's place, and he and Birchall had added 30 runs to the score, when Birchall was bowled for 20. Ferguson took Birchall's place, and shortly afterwards Gow was bowled by Reed for 13. The sixth wicket fell for 80 runs, the seventh for 95; Le Blond took Waterfield's place and, with Maxwell, added 10 runs for the next wicket. The remaining two wickets added 20 runs, and the innings closed by Le Blond being caught by Coleby for 24, when hitting a ball to leg. Of the T.B.B., Turner, Reed, Hepburn, and Worlock bowled equally well.

Score and analysis:—

T.B.B.

F. G. Turner, b. Le Blond	64
A. G. Lee, c. Ferguson, b. Rawlings	76
H. Walker, b. Rawlings	24
J. M. Craig, st. Birchall, b. Rawlings	3
R. W. Reed, b. Le Blond	0
S. F. Johnson, not out	34
E. Coleby, b. Rawlings	1
G. Hepburn, c. and b. Rawlings	23
R. Harley, c. Walters, b. Le Blond	7
F. G. Worlock, b. Le Blond	7
W. A. R. Hadley, b. Rawlings	4
Extras	15
Total	258

K.S.S.

O. H. Walters, b. Worlock.....	13
P. T. Rawlings, C. Worlock, b. Turner	17
W. R. Birchall, b. Worlock	20
J. C. Gow, b. Reed	13
J. W. Ferguson, st. Craig, b. Reed	2
A. Wood, run out.....	2
R. C. G. Du P. Le Blond, c. Coleby, b. Turner ..	24
W. F. H. Waterfield, c. Reed, b. Hepburn ...	3
M. T. Maxwell, b. Hepburn	7
J. S. Heaton-Ellis, not out	3
J. E. Lloyd-Williams, b. Turner	5
Extras	16
Total	129

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

T.B.B.				
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
Le Blond.....	27	6	65	4
Wood	4	0	25	0
Rawlings	27.4	0	124	6
Lloyd-Williams	2	0	14	0
Walters	2	0	15	0

Le Blond bowled 1 wide.

K.S.S.				
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
Worlock	16	1	49	2
Hepburn	11	1	27	2
Turner	7.1	1	14	3
Reed	4	2	7	2
Coleby	3	1	12	0

Worlock bowled 4 no-balls.

HOME BOARDERS v. ASHBURNHAM.

H.B.B. won the toss, and, despite a good start and a very useful innings by Longhurst, the total was only 168. Thanks to good play by Harris and Rice-Oxley, Ashburnham totalled 109. H.B.B. collapsed in the second innings and left Ashburnham 122 to get to win. They started badly, Johnson being run out rather unfortunately. After this Harris hit fearlessly and Rice-Oxley again played steadily, and so Ashburnham finally won by seven wickets.

Score and analysis :—

HOME BOARDERS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
F. G. Turner, c. Frith, b. Harris	29	b. Johnson	9
B. V. T. Worthington, b. Mappin	32	b. Mappin	9
G. B. Sankey, c. Pinks, b. Mappin	6	c. Aglionby, b. Mappin	4
A. J. L. Circuit, c. and b. Mappin	5	b. Mappin	5
H. G. F. Longhurst, c. Johnson, b. Harris	46	c. Johnson, b. Mappin	14
G. G. Feasey, b. Johnson	3	b. Mappin	0
J. H. Lawrence, run out	2	b. Mappin	4
G. J. Hunter, c. Hamel, b. Mappin	4	c. Wylde, b. Mappin	0
W. G. Orriss, c. Wylde, b. Mappin	0	c. Aglionby, b. Johnson	2
D. L. Summerhays, c. Ogilvie, b. Wylde.....	13	b. Johnson	0
C. B. Bonner, not out	0	not out.....	9
Extras	28	Extras	6
Total	168	Total	62

ASHBURNHAM.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
S. F. Johnson, c. Feasey, b. Circuit ..	14	run out.....	0
W. B. Harris, b. Sankey	23	st. Feasey, b. Longhurst	86
H. P. Frith, b. Sankey.....	0	b. Turner.....	19
A. E. Rice-Oxley, not out	28		
J. C. Davidson, b. Circuit	7		
E. W. Wylde, run out ..	8		
E. Pinks, b. Longhurst.....	7		
J. Mappin, b. Longhurst	15	not out.....	0
W. J. Leach, b. Longhurst	2		
A. H. Aglionby, run out	0	not out.....	10
G. W. Hamel, b. Turner	0		
Extras ..	5	Extras	9
Total	109	Total	124

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

HOME BOARDERS.

First Innings.				
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
S. F. Johnson	16	6	48	1
J. Mappin	14	2	38	5
J. C. Davidson.....	6	1	28	0
W. B. Harris	5.2	3	14	2
A. E. Rice-Oxley ..	7	4	5	0
E. W. Wylde	3	1	9	1

Second Innings.				
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
S. F. Johnson	12.8	2	32	3
J. Mappin.....	9	3	21	7
J. C. Davidson.....	3	2	3	0

ASHBURNHAM.

First Innings.				
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wicket.
F. G. Turner	13.1	2	26	1
H. G. F. Longhurst	12	3	19	3
A. J. Circuit	9	0	31	2
G. B. Sankey	6	1	28	2

Second Innings.				
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
F. G. Turner	10	3	37	1
H. G. F. Longhurst	11	2	51	1
A. J. Circuit	3	0	11	0
G. B. Sankey	3	0	16	0

GRANT'S v. RIGAUD'S.

This match, in the semi-final, was played on July 5. Grant's won the toss, and started with Lee and G. Worlock to the bowling of Coleby and Hepburn. Lee made a useful score, and afterwards Reed and Hadley played very well. The total at the end was 129. Rigaud's failed before the bowling of Worlock, Reed, and Hadley, only reaching 88. In the second innings Grant's did fairly well, getting a total of 118, leaving Rigaud's 160 to win; but Rigaud's collapsed in a most wretched manner, leaving Grant's victorious by 117 runs.

Score and analysis :—

GRANT'S.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
A. G. Lee, b. Hepburn	15	c. McKenna, b. Harley.....	9
G. L. Worlock, b. Hepburn ...	6	l.b.w., b. Harley	0
R. W. Reed, b. Harley	30	c. and b. Harley	10
F. G. Worlock, b. Coleby	6	b. Hepburn.....	2
W. A. R. Hadley, c. Goodall, b. Harley	19	c. and b. Hepburn	4
H. F. Rawson, b. Hepburn... ..	5	b. Harley.....	0
H. Pemberton, c. Glover, b. Harley.....	9	l.b.w., b. Harley	0
K. E. Newman, b. Harley	5	c. Hepburn, b. Harley	43
C. G. Reed, b. Harley	6	c. Glover, b. Harley	4
G. W. Hodgson, not out	0	b. Coleby.....	8
L. D. Looker, b. Harley	0	not out.....	22
Extras	27	Extras	16
Total	129	Total	118

RIGAUD'S.

First Innings.

Second Innings.

H. Walker, c. and b. F. Worlock	15	b. F. Worlock ...	0
G. Hepburn, c. Pemberton, b. F. Worlock.....	18	c. Newman, b. F. Worlock	4
E. Coleby, c. Lee, b. Hadley ...	1	b. Reed	0
R. Harley, b. Hadley	3	b. Reed	6
D. McManus, b. F. Worlock ...	9	b. F. Worlock ...	0
B. J. Failes, run out	2	b. Reed	2
S. McKenna, b. F. Worlock ...	11	b. F. Worlock ...	0
J. F. Goodall, c. Pemberton, b. Reed	3	b. F. Worlock ...	9
T. E. Rodocanachi, l.b.w., b. Reed	11	not out.....	11
W. E. Glover, b. Reed.....	0	b. F. Worlock ...	0
J. M. Craig, not out	0	l.b.w., b. Reed ...	6
Extras	15	Extras	4
Total	88	Total	42

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

GRANT'S.

First Innings.

	Overs	Runs	Wickets
E. Coleby	11	43	1
G. Hepburn	17	36	4
R. Harley	9.2	13	5
H. Walker	2	9	0

Second Innings.

	Overs	Runs	Wickets
E. Coleby	8	29	2
G. Hepburn	16	37	2
R. Harley	17.1	29	6
H. Walker.....	3	7	0

RIGAUD'S.

First Innings.

	Overs	Runs	Wickets
F. G. Worlock	19	47	4
R. W. Reed	8.3	15	3
W. A. R. Hadley.....	10	11	2

Second Innings.

	Overs	Runs	Wickets
F. G. Worlock ...	13.4	17	6
R. W. Reed	13	21	4

FINAL ROUND.

GRANT'S v. ASHBURNHAM.

This match was begun on July 14. Grant's won the toss and Reed and Lee made a good start. Afterwards, however, the side collapsed except for Newman and Hodgson, who played very well. Ashburnham's innings developed into a procession, and not a single person scored double figures, the total only reaching 27. Their second innings was rather better, thanks to Aglionby principally; but even then the total was only 99, Grant's thus winning by an innings and 34 runs.

Score and analysis :—

GRANT'S.

R. W. Reed, c. Aglionby, b. Wylde	28
A. G. Lee, b. Harris	38
G. L. Worlock, c. Harris, b. Wylde	3
W. A. R. Hadley, b. Wylde	0
K. E. Newman, c. Wylde, b. Johnson	27
F. G. Worlock, c. Harris, b. Johnson	5
H. F. Rawson, b. Johnson	6
G. W. Hodgson, not out	23
L. D. Looker, b. Mappin	2
C. G. Reed, c. Wylde, b. Johnson	4
H. Pemberton, c. Rice-Oxley, b. Johnson.....	9
Extras	15
Total	160

ASHBURNHAM.

First Innings.

Second Innings.

S. F. Johnson, b. Reed	4	c. G. Worlock, b. F. Worlock.....	10
W. B. Harris, c. Hodgson, b. Worlock	5	b. F. Worlock ...	11
A. E. Rice-Oxley, b. Reed	0	b. Reed	1
A. H. Aglionby, b. Reed.....	2	b. Looker	38
E. W. Wylde, b. F. Worlock ...	4	c. and b. F. Worlock	1
J. Mappin, b. F. Worlock	3	c. Hodgson, b. Reed	3
J. C. Davidson, c. Looker, b. Reed	0	c. Hodgson, b. Reed	3
E. Pinks, b. F. Worlock	0	c. C. G. Reed, b. F. Worlock.....	11
A. P. Frith, not out	0	b. F. Worlock ...	4
W. T. Leach, c. Rawson, b. Reed	0	b. F. Worlock ...	3
G. W. Hamel, c. Looker, b. F. Worlock.....	7	not out.....	0
Extras	2	Extras	14
Total	27	Total	99

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

GRANT'S.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
S. F. Johnson.....	10.3	1	49	5
J. Mappin	10	1	33	1
E. W. Wylde.....	7	1	18	3
J. C. Davidson	1	0	10	0
A. E. Rice-Oxley	2	1	1	0
W. B. Harris	8	1	34	1

ASHBURNHAM.

First Innings.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
F. G. Worlock	9.4	5	4	5
R. W. Reed	9	2	21	5

Second Innings.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
F. G. Worlock	18.1	5	35	6
R. W. Reed	18	6	39	3
W. A. R. Hadley	2	0	7	0
L. D. Looker.....	2	1	4	1

FOOTBALL.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL *v.* CLAPHAM ROVERS.*(Lost, 0—2.)*

Played up-Fields on Saturday, September 30. Clapham Rovers won the toss, and Newman kicked off from the church end at 2.40. From the start Westminster took up the attack, and Johnson forced an ineffectual corner. Clapham Rovers occasionally looked dangerous, and Hammil and Dixon headed several strong rushes, but could not score. The School continued to have most of the game, but half-time arrived with no score.

In the second half the School played with the wind, but soon after the commencement Dixon scored a rather lucky goal, giving Treatt no chance to save. Westminster now played up, and had most of the game. However, Gorrington soon put in a low shot, which did not deserve to score, but unfortunately Treatt missed the ball (0—2). The School still continued to have the best of the game, but could not score.

For the School Johnson played well, and Peacock made a promising first appearance. Treatt, apart from his one mistake, was good.

For the visitors, Hammil and Dixon were best, but the halves were decidedly weak.

Teams :—

WESTMINSTER.

C. C. Treatt (goal); S. McKenna and H. D. Adrian (backs); A. W. Peacock, W. R. Birchall, and S. C. Edgar (halves); S. F. Johnson, P. T. Rawlings, K. E. Newman, W. B. Harris, and D. McManus (forwards).

CLAPHAM ROVERS.

E. G. Millar (goal); E. A. Longhurst and A. Atkinson (backs); A. E. Begg, W. Laughton, and L. Coutts (halves); V. Brown, N. Hammil, M. S. Gorrington, J. Dixon, and A. N. Other (forwards).

' THE ELIZABETHAN.'

THE following are the Officers for the ensuing year :—

Editor.—G. B. Wilson.
Hon. Secretary.—A. P. Waterfield.
Hon. Treasurer.—Mr. Sargeant.

DEBATING SOCIETY.

As the result of a meeting held on Thursday, September 28, the Officers for the ensuing year are as follows :—

Visitor.—The Rev. the Head Master.
President.—S. McKenna.
Vice-President.—G. B. Wilson.
Hon. Treasurer.—S. F. Johnson.
Hon. Secretary.—A. P. Waterfield.

The Committee consists of the above, together with

P. T. Rawlings, H. G. F. Longhurst, R. C. Le Blond.

SCHOOL CHESS CLUB.

At a meeting held on Monday, October 2, the following Officers were elected for the ensuing year :—

President.—G. B. Wilson.
Hon. Treasurer.—W. R. Birchall.
Hon. Secretary.—A. P. Waterfield.

In the tournament for the Challenge Chess Board for 1905 W. F. H. Waterfield was successful, and retains the board for the coming year.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

At a meeting held on Saturday, September 30, the following Officers were elected for the coming year :—

President.—A. P. Waterfield.
Vice-President.—R. C. Le Blond.
Hon. Secretary.—W. R. Birchall.

SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.

At a meeting held on September 29 the following Officers were elected :—

President.—Rev. E. C. Sherwood.
Vice-President.—P. T. Rawlings.
Hon. Secretary.—R. C. Le Blond.

FIVES.

INTER-HOUSE TIES.

THE following was the result :—

H.BB.	}	H.BB.	}	H.BB.	}	H.BB.
<i>v.</i>		(2-1)				
A.H.	}		}		}	
K.SS.						
a bye.	}		}		}	
Rigaud's				Rigaud's		
<i>v.</i>	}		}		}	
Grant's				(w. o.)		

SCHOOL TIES.

These resulted as follows:—

W. R. Birchall A. H. Aglionby W. J. Leach H. G. F. Longhurst J. M. Craig S. F. Johnson P. T. Rawlings F. G. Turner G. B. Wilson A. J. Circuitt O. H. Walters W. F. H. Waterfield	{ W. R. Birchall A. H. Aglionby J. M. Craig S. F. Johnson J. M. Craig S. F. Johnson (w. o.) (byes)	{ J. M. Craig S. F. Johnson O. H. Walters W. F. H. Waterfield	{ O. H. Walters W. F. H. Waterfield
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House Notes.

K.SS.—Our heartiest congratulations are due to O. H. Walters and W. F. H. Waterfield on their success at Election. We wish them both a prosperous career at the House. We must also congratulate R. C. Le Blond and S. C. Edgar on their 'Pink and Whites,' and W. F. H. Waterfield, J. C. Gow, A. E. F. Wood, J. W. Ferguson, J. S. Heaton-Ellis, and M. T. Maxwell on 3rd XI.'s and College Colours. Before leaving the topic of congratulations we must offer them to Mr. G. K. A. Bell (O.W.) for his second in 'Greats,' and to Mr. F. H. Budden (O.W.) for passing into Woolwich. We hear with pleasure that both O. H. Walters and P. T. Rawlings have been scoring well in the holidays, while startling rumours have reached us of the miraculous achievements of Mr. R. G. Gardner (O.W.) in golf. We must not forget heartily to congratulate Mr. E. C. Chesney (O.W.) on having his name included among those who have passed into the Indian Army (attached list). Lastly, our congratulations are due to J. E. Lloyd-Williams and R. E. Nott-Bower on first appearances for the School. Fives and chess have been started with much enthusiasm on all sides. We are also glad to see that a fair number of us intend taking up racquets this term. Mr. E. W. Lane-Clayton (O.W.) has, we are most pleased to say, so far recovered from his illness that he will be able to go up to Oxford this term. We were unfortunate enough to lose the Inter-House Fives Cup to H.BB.; however we trust we gave them a good game. Election dinner was a great success. The Literary Society has begun the term with a successful reading of *Love's Labour's Lost*.

A.H.—We have to deplore the loss of many old friends, but the arrival of fourteen new boys brings our numbers to about the same as last term. Heartiest congratulations to E. F. C. Mosse on his election to Christchurch, and to W. J. Leach and

W. H. A. Whitworth on their election to Trinity. Our congratulations are also due to W. J. Leach on his successes in the Phillimore Essay and the Senior Vincent. Our new monitors are D. J. Jardine, G. E. A. Whitworth, and W. B. Harris. To turn to the games of the House, we congratulate Harris, Rice-Oxley, and Wylde on their 3rd XI. colours at cricket, and Mappin and A. H. Aglionby on their House colours. Davidson and Harris won the Fives Ties of last term, and those of this term have been blessed with numerous entries. Congratulations to Treatt on his first appearance for the School *v* Clapham Rovers. We start the football season with five School colours, and thus are enabled to look forward to the coming year with hope. On going to press we have to thank Mr. de Watteville for his great kindness in presenting a library to the House.

GRANT'S.—Reed, Radcliffe, Worlock, Lewis, Lee, Liberty, Willcocks, and Morgan left last term, to the regret of all. But with four new boarders and five half-boarders our numbers have gone up from forty-nine to fifty—that is, now that N. Moore has returned after ten days' absence. All congratulations to Reed and Radcliffe on their success at Election. Worlock has gone on to the stage, and is with Benson's Shakespearian company on tour. Mr. F. N. Ashley (O.W.) is doing well in South Africa, and played in the Border team for the 'Currie Cup.' We have to congratulate the following on obtaining cricket colours: Hadley, pink and whites; G. Worlock, K. E. Newman, L. D. Looker, C. G. Reed, 3rd XI.'s; G. Hodgson, House colours. Our prospects for retaining the Junior Football Cup are bright, and there is plenty of talent among the junior members of the House. The Literary Society has read part of *Henry V.*; and the Debating Society has held its first meeting. The Yard Ties have been drawn.

H.BB.—We have lost many of our oldest members this term, including R. Hackforth, Sankey, and A. J. Circuitt: we heartily congratulate the first on his success at Election. Davis has left us to go up College, and Dodgson and Milne have gone up Rigaud's, but we have eleven new boys, who bring our total to seventy-one. We congratulate R. Unwin on passing the London Matriculation Examination and the Entrance Examination to the City and Guilds Central College, Callos on passing the London Matriculation Examination, and H. G. F. Longhurst on getting his pink and whites last term. We are glad to see that Peacock played for the 1st XI. in the first two matches, and that Turner and Gover played for the 2nd XI. against Old Westminster A, and hope they will continue to do so. We heartily congratulate our Fives pair on winning the Inter-House Fives Cup from College at the end of last term. F. G. Turner was made a monitor at the beginning of this term.

RIGAUD'S.—As is always the case at the beginning of the School year, we returned to find many old friends gone, and many new faces in their stead. We have lost Craig and Hallett, Walker and Hepburn, Coleby and Edminson, and their places will not easily be filled. S. McKenna is head of the House, with T. E. Rodocanachi and D. B. I. Hallett as the new monitors. Milne and Dodgson have come up the House from H.B.B.; and besides these we have five new boys, while yet another, we hear, will have come by the time this is in print. We have to congratulate four O.W.W.: Mr. T. M. Mavrogodato upon his first in 'Greats' and for his tennis performance in Wales; Mr. J. M. Craig upon his admission to Woolwich, and Mr. F. W. I. V. Fraser to Sandhurst; and lastly Mr. H. I. P. Hallett upon his exhibition to Christ Church. While among those who are still in the School we must not forget R. Harley, who was given 'Pink and Whites' for cricket last term, and D. Macmanus, who played for the School against Clapham Rovers and the Old Foresters.

Old Westminsters.

WE record with much pleasure the election of Dr. C. L. Shadwell as Provost of Oriel. Dr. Shadwell was admitted to the School in 1853, became Q.S. as Captain in 1855, and was elected head to Christ Church in 1859. He was in the First Class in Classical Moderations and *in Litteris Humanioribus*, and in 1864 was elected Fellow of Oriel. He has been several times a Public Examiner, and was Proctor in 1875. He graduated D.C.L. in 1898. He is also a Fellow of Winchester College, and has been High Sheriff of Oxfordshire. He became Honorary Fellow of Oriel in 1898.

At Oxford Mr. T. M. Mavrogodato is in the First Class and Mr. G. K. A. Bell in the Second Class in the Final Classical School. Mr. C. B. H. Knight is in the Second Class in Modern History.

Captain R. F. Phillimore, R.N., is gazetted a Member of the Royal Victorian Order.

The Rev. J. H. Simpson, who is in his eighty-first year, has resigned St. Mark's Vicarage, Bexhill.

Mr. E. C. Chesney is gazetted from Sandhurst to the Indian Army. Mr. R. E. Tanner is gazetted to the King's Liverpool Regiment. Mr. F. H. Budden,

who left at Easter, has passed into Woolwich, and Mr. F. W. Fraser and Mr. J. M. Craig, who left at Election, into Sandhurst.

Mr. C. S. Davson has been appointed Puisne Judge of Mauritius.

The Rev. E. R. Webster has been presented to the rectory of Rattendon, in Essex.

Mr. G. A. Bradshaw and Mr. T. H. Wilkins have been admitted M.R.C.S. and L.R.C.P.

Births.

ON September 15 the wife of Hardington Arthur Bartlett, of a son.

ON September 18 the wife of George Nixon Biggs, M.B., of a son.

ON Sunday, October 8, the wife of E. H. Waterfield, of a son.

Marriages.

MORE—BODKIN.—On July 29, Richard Edwardes More, youngest son of the late Robert Jasper More, M.P., of Linley Hall, Salop, to Ethel Alice, daughter of J. J. Bodkin.

HARDING-NEWMAN—WALKER.—On August 9, Thomas Harold Harding-Newman, youngest son of B. Harding-Newman, to Alice, younger daughter of Major-General G. F. Walker.

WEBB—JOSEPH.—On August 15, Clement Charles Julian Webb, Fellow of Magdalen, to Eleanor Theodora, second daughter of the late Rev. Alexander Joseph, of Holford.

CUMING—AUSTEN.—On September 12, Arthur Herbert Cuming, E.I.C.S., son of William Cuming, late Deputy Accountant-General of the Navy, to Beryl Christina, daughter of Captain Henry Alfred Austen, of Bognor.

MARTIN—HAWORTH.—On September 17, Geoffrey Fawssett Martin, only son of Charles Edward Martin, of South Bourne, to Helen Lethbridge, third daughter of John F. Haworth, of Hale.

MILNE—INNES.—On September 27, at St. Paul's, Portman Square, W., Kenneth John Milne to Maud Lilian, daughter of the late John Innes, of Weymouth.

Obituary.

WE have to regret the death of HORACE GEORGE EGERTON GREEN. He was born in 1838, the son of John Green, banker, of Colchester, and was at the School from 1850 to 1857, becoming a Q.S. in 1853. He went into the family bank, and was twice Mayor of Colchester. He was a Deputy-Lieutenant for Essex and High Sheriff in 1894. He was also an early Volunteer, and much interested in many philanthropic movements. He married in 1899 Mary, daughter of the Rev. the Hon. Francis S. Grimston. He died suddenly on September 17. [See the *Times* of September 19.]

We have to regret the death of EDWARD THOMAS FELLOWS, who was admitted in 1848. He was a graduate of B.N.C., and was ordained in 1858. He was for some years Vicar of Felbridge, and died on September 22 at Tunbridge Wells, aged 71.

The Alps have this year claimed a Westminster victim. WILLIAM WINTER was at the School from 1857 to 1862. He was a graduate of Trinity College, Cambridge, and a solicitor. As a cricketer he was one of the leading spirits of the Incogniti. He married in 1871 a sister of his School friend, Sir Francis Maclean. He lost his life by a fall from a grass slope in Switzerland. [See a letter in the *Times* of August 29 and the *Guardian* of August 30.]

One of the oldest Westminsters has passed away in CONSTANTINE FRERE, who was born in 1817, and admitted in the early days of Williamson's headmastership. He graduated at Cambridge as a Senior Optime, was in the First Class in Classics, and became a Fellow of Corpus. He was ordained in 1845, and for the last fifty-eight years was rector of Finingham. He was also an honorary Canon of Norwich, and for a long period a member of the Southern Convocation. During its sessions he used sometimes to visit the School. His wife was a Sicilian, a daughter of Don Antonino Guadiano. He died on September 27. [See the *Times* of September 29.]

Correspondence.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—The last number of THE ELIZABETHAN contains a letter from an O.W. dealing with the general slackness of things in connection with games at the School. This is a constant topic and a source of genuine alarm to certain keen O.W.W. He is absolutely right in saying that the Old Westminster Clubs feel the result of this slackness. Throughout the present cricket season the O.W.C.C. only twice played with a full team of old boys. In all the other matches it was necessary to get several new O.W. substitutes. The Club is, I fear, on its last legs, and will have to be disbanded. A meeting will be held in September to discuss the situation, but I shall be greatly surprised if more than five or six fellows turn up. Such is the patriotism and *esprit de corps* of latter-day O.W.W. Selfishness and utter indifference seem to be their motto. The glorious name of *Westminster* means nothing and inspires nothing to these degenerates. The remedy is nevertheless a simple one. It rests almost entirely with the boys themselves. Those in authority should insist on the games being played *seriously*, and should strictly enforce it. Just one swift punishment should be visited on all offenders. It is the best of all systems and obtains at all the great schools, as it did at Westminster in my time.

The great majority of masters thoroughly approve of it, and they are always there to step in if there be any abuse.

In your editorial note at the end of O.W.'s letter you say, 'The fact that a bad score is made or catches are dropped surely does not point to slackness in cricket.'

Does it point to keeness?

Yours truly,

L. A. M. FEVEZ.

[It certainly does not point to keeness, nor does it point to slackness; the argument is superfluous either way. We regret extremely that such a state of affairs exists in the Old Westminster's Football and Cricket Clubs, but does this lamentable state originate in slackness among present Westminsters? We reiterate our opinion that those in authority have been doing their utmost to promote the welfare of games in all the departments of the School, and as our correspondent suggests that their efforts have, to a certain extent, failed, we trust that they will continue their exertions with renewed vigour. We hope that their efforts will be repaid in the immediate future. Nay, we feel confident that they are being repaid now, and in proof of this we would call our correspondent's attention to the critique of the past year's cricket season at the beginning of this issue.—ED. 'ELIZABETHAN.']

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—I was somewhat surprised to read the letter of your correspondent in your last number. I have studied its contents very carefully, and I feel sure that it was written without an adequate knowledge of the present existing conditions under which cricket and football games are conducted at Westminster. I should like to enlighten him to some slight extent upon the new system of games which has lately been introduced into the School. Sides for each game are made out by a pink every day and pinned upon the School door, thereby eliminating to a great degree the waste of time formerly experienced before commencement of games. It also gives rise to a better-organised game than the old pick-up system which, I assume, existed when your correspondent was at Westminster. Does this look as if no interest were taken in junior games? As he says, we lost the Charterhouse match in a rather tame fashion. But, taking all things into consideration, it was not so bad as the score suggests. Personally, I was of the opinion that the keeness shown in the field by our side was of quite a fair standard. This opinion, I might say, was confirmed by those who were competent to judge. There is one thing more I would like to point out before conclusion, and that is that we won four matches and drew two

(a better record than for many seasons past). Considering that we started with two old pinks only at the beginning of the year, this was not so very unsatisfactory. I feel sure that your readers will agree with me, and will see that the majority of the accusations of your correspondent are to a very great extent unfounded.

I am,
Yours truly,
P. T. RAWLINGS.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—I am as fond of dancing as anybody, but I do think that there are a few occasions when it is absolutely out of place. To think of turning the time-honoured Commemoration, and all the long-established traditions connected with it, which are so dear to Westminsters, into the light entertainment of a dance is, to me, not only incongruous, but almost sacrilegious. Throughout all the annals of Westminster Foundation Day has been set apart and revered in the memory of the Queen to whom the School owes its life. Surely, then, something serious is more befitting in the celebration of it; and the feeling of deep gratitude, which finds expression in the solemn service in the Abbey, would be totally marred by ill-timed frivolity. Of course many will disagree with me, but it is only those imbued with the sacredness of the customs and traditions of Westminster who could understand the sentiment that prompts this letter.

Yours truly,
'ANOTHER SISTER.'

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—Will you allow us some of your valuable space to draw attention to the condition of gymnastics in the School? Why is it that no interest is shown in the gymnasium at Westminster, while at other schools the gymnasium is considered as important as football or cricket? Up to now we have had to choose our representatives for Aldershot from about ten-day boys who attend the afternoon classes. The evening classes are even more neglected; K.S.S. send in, on an average, six fellows an evening, while Grant's and Rigaud's contribute one each. The smallness of the afternoon classes is excusable, as football has greater claims; but there is no reason why the evening classes should not be well attended.

If the boarding-houses sent in only ten members each to the evening classes we should then have forty instead of ten to choose from.

If the attendance increased only very little an inter-house competition would be possible.

This would be by far the best way to raise the standard of the gymnasium. At present there is only one house which can raise a gymnasium pair. The gymnasium would be greatly benefited if more notice were taken of it in THE ELIZABETHAN. A few years ago, when the School sent down a pair to the first Gymnastic Competition at Aldershot, there was a long account in THE ELIZABETHAN, though we only came out fourteen out of seventeen. This year there was not a line in THE ELIZABETHAN about the Aldershot competitions, although we got into the semi-finals of the boxing and fencing, and came out seventeen out of thirty-seven in the gymnastics.

The School competitions also were taken far more notice of ten years ago when the standard was half as high as it is now.

Yours, &c.,
B. V. T. WORTHINGTON,
D. J. JARDINE.

[We admit that owing to an oversight the success of our representatives at Aldershot was omitted from the pages of THE ELIZABETHAN; but in this we consider the writers of the above letter partly to blame. Any account contributed by

them to these columns would have been only too welcome, and if they really had had the interest of the School gymnastics at heart surely they might have taken the opportunity of advertising them in THE ELIZABETHAN. As it was, inability to witness the competition combined with other reasons caused the matter to slip our memory.—ED. 'ELIZABETHAN.']

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

SIR,—I would draw your attention to the condition of the collection of minerals which reposes in the School Library. This collection, though small, contains a number of excellent and very interesting specimens. The beauty and interest of these are, however, to a great extent marred by a thick coating of dust which in many cases masks the colour of the specimens; and the information afforded by the labels is of the most meagre description.

Could not some improvement be made in these respects?

If these matters were taken in hand I think the collection would become attractive to more than the very few who take a real interest in minerals.

Yours truly,
A. G. OGILVIE.

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