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## THE PAST CRICKET SEASON.

THE cricket season of 1903 may be put down as a record one in the way of wet weather, it being universally admitted that so much rain has never fallen in one summer during the memory of man. Fortunately for Westminster, Vincent Square has acquired a reputation for drying quicker than any other ground in London, but in spite of this three matches were abandoned out of the first seven, which is sufficiently disheartening for any young body of cricketers.

The season's record is as follows: twelve matches played—five lost, five drawn, two won—not a good record on paper, certainly, but one which will bear closer inspection. It must be borne in mind that the young cricketer is always at a disadvantage on sticky wickets. The school bowler does not benefit from the sticky wicket in the same manner as his more experienced rival; he has not got the length nor the control of the ball, and the art of defence,

and—what is even more difficult—the art of acquiring scoring-strokes on a bowler's wicket are things which can only be gained by experience. Moreover, slow and fast wickets succeeded each other with bewildering rapidity, and no sooner had the batsmen learned to play back and watch the ball on the slow wickets than a few fine days would crop up and the ball would come off the pitch at a pace which would require fast forward strokes. Coleby is a case in point; after starting well on the slow wickets and developing really sound defence, he was time after time bowled out on much easier wickets by balls he could have played easily forward. But one cannot expect over-much adaptability from the school cricketer. Scores of 309 for seven, 321 for six, 342 for seven, and 296 for five, compiled during the only real spell of fine weather, show what a dangerous batting side we must have been had we been favoured with our customary fine wickets throughout the season. The opening match was distinctly disappointing. The School batted moderately against by no means deadly bowling, and were only saved from over-

whelming defeat by some really good bowling by Hepburn. He started by bowling a shocking length, but going on a second time secured four wickets in his first over, including the hat-trick, eventually dismissing five of the side, a performance which gave rise to great hopes, which were unfortunately doomed to disappointment, as he never afterwards looked like getting many wickets. A good match with a strong side of Old Wykehamists, in which the School were defeated by a bare majority of twenty-four after a very plucky fight, was followed by a crushing defeat from the Butterflies and a drawn game with the Zingari, in which the honours were decidedly with the XI. The Charterhouse match followed. At the end of the first day Westminster had established a nice little advantage, which was maintained till well on into the second afternoon, and when Charterhouse went in for the fourth innings with 200 to win and Powers dismissed their two crack batsmen—both clean bowled—for ten runs it really looked as if victory were well within our grasp. However, the inevitable missed-catch followed and Bence-Pembroke slowly but surely stemmed the tide of disaster, and by a really admirable piece of batting won the match for his side. He had the satisfaction of completing his century, and his innings was an excellent combination of skill and judgment. Probably the better side won, but only the smallest piece of luck would have been necessary to reverse the verdict. The next match resulted in a win for the School. West Kent brought down a very good average club side, and the success of the XI. was thoroughly deserved. Logan played a fine innings, and Powers and Crowe bowled with fine effect, while Rawlings' innings was of great service and showed much promise.

The M.C.C. brought down Mead and Rawlin, and, as might have been expected, this attack proved too strong on a wicket which gave the bowlers some assistance. Two drawn games against Old Carthusians and Harrow Blues showed the School in a run-getting vein; and the match against the Cambridge Crusaders was spoilt by rain.

Turning to individual performances, Logan stands easily first. After an indifferent start he played some very fine innings. Successive scores of 127, 15 and 42 (*v.* M.C.C.), 189, and 131 are figures which speak for themselves, and had he reached his true form before the Charterhouse match there might have been another story to tell. He is a fine, free player, with

forcing strokes all round the wicket, and when set scores very fast. He is also a very good field, and as a deep-field catcher quite above the average of good fielders. Two of his catches during the season were as good as anything of their kind could be. As captain he was keen and painstaking, and on the whole managed the side well, though he might with advantage have made more use of his slow bowlers. Next to him we must rank Crowe as a batsman. He has a very nice style, and started the season in great form, but later on seemed to lose his head, and threw away his wicket time after time—whether owing to carelessness or lack of judgment it is hard to say. Gardner and Coleby, in their different styles, were two extremely useful batsmen. The former also bowled well on occasions, and should be extremely useful next year, when he will be captain. Rawlings played two very good innings, and is a young player of much promise. He bats in very nice style, and is of the type of school player that keeps on improving. Walters is another who, with increasing strength, should do very well in the future. Powers hit well on occasions, and Fleuret, Kirkpatrick, and Philby were all good for runs; in fact, there was really very little tail to the side. Of Hepburn's batting we prefer not to speak. The bowling cannot be described as strong. Powers did the lion's share of the work, and did it well, but the wickets were hardly suited to his style; with better support he would probably have been even more successful. Hepburn has already received mention, and of the others Gardner (medium right), Fleuret (slow left), and Crowe (fast medium right) were most successful. Gardner and Fleuret both bowled well on occasions, and with more attention to length should do well next year. Kirkpatrick bowled a lazy-looking but useful leg-break, which, though very expensive, might have been made more use of. The fielding was satisfactory, Logan, Fleuret, Kirkpatrick, Powers, and Philby being the pick of a useful lot. Coleby behind the wickets was seen to more advantage on slow pitches than on fast ones. With Gardner, Fleuret, Kirkpatrick, Rawlings, Walters, Hepburn and Philby left over, the prospects for next year are by no means discouraging.

The T.B. Shield was won by Rigaud's, who defeated Grant's somewhat easily at the finish, though the latter had to play under great disadvantages, and in the final easily

disposed of Homeboarders, who had beaten Ashburnham after a good match. The T.B.B. and K.S.S. match was drawn, Logan adding another to his list of centuries.

A word of praise is due to Elson for his care of the ground, the wickets throughout the season being excellent.

## THE AVERAGES.

### BATTING.

	No. of In-nings	Times not out	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average
H. Logan .....	14	0	643	189	45'92
G. L. Crowe .....	14	1	408	85	31'46
P. T. Rawlings .....	10	1	283	97	31'44
H. B. Philby ..	2	1	25	23	25'00
F. S. Fleuret .....	9	2	148	66*	21'14
A. T. Coleby .....	14	0	263	84	18'78
R. G. Gardner .....	14	0	238	80	17'00
C. Powers .....	12	3	133	44	14'65
L. G. Kirkpatrick .....	13	2	141	34	12'81
E. W. D. Colt-Williams	6	1	60	25	12'00
O. H. Walters .....	10	1	104	31	11'55
E. W. Lane-Claypon ...	5	0	39	21	7'80
W. J. W. Bonser .....	7	0	50	26	7'14
J. K. Hepburn .....	9	6	9	3	3'00

J. L. Johnston batted once, making 0.

### BOWLING.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
H. Logan.....	10	2	32	4	8'00
C. Powers .....	188'4	17	740	36	20'55
G. L. Crowe.....	66'5	8	248	12	20'66
R. G. Gardner.....	130'5	17	455	19	23'94
J. K. Hepburn.....	96'2	9	351	12	29'25
F. S. Fleuret .....	51	2	217	7	31'00
L. G. Kirkpatrick	21	0	113	3	37'66

P. T. Rawlings (2-0-13-0) also bowled in one innings.

## ELECTION.

THE following was the result of Election, 1903 :—

#### *Elected to Christ Church :*

G. W. Phillips.  
E. A. Bell.  
K. N. Colville.

#### *Elected to Trinity :*

G. T. Boag.  
F. H. Nichols.  
F. W. Hubback.

#### *Elected to Christ Church Exhibitions :*

J. R. Trench.  
A. T. Coleby.

#### *The Senior Samwales' Exhibition was awarded to :*

G. T. Boag.

#### *The Junior Samwales' Exhibition was awarded to :*

F. H. Nichols.

#### *Triplet Exhibitions were awarded as follows :*

£50 to G. C. Brooke.  
£24 to F. W. Hubback.  
£20 to A. T. Coleby.

#### *Triplet Gratuities were awarded as follows :*

£48 to F. H. Nichols.  
£24 to G. T. Boag.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year :—

*Captain.*—H. B. Philby.

*Monitors.*—A. L. Crossman.

D. S. Robertson.

G. D. Johnston.

*Captain of College.*—H. B. Philby.

*Head of Ashburnham.*—A. L. Crossman.

*Head of Grant's.*—D. S. Robertson.

*Head of H.B.B.*—G. D. Johnston.

*Head of Rigaud's.*—F. C. Failes.

*Captain of Football.*—J. C. Vernon.

*Captain of Cricket.*—R. G. Gardner.

## ELECTION DINNER.

At Election Dinner there were present the Dean of Westminster, the Master of Trinity, the Dean of Christ Church, Canon Henson, Professor Bonney, Mr. Thompson and Mr. Eastlake (Governors), Mr. Owen and Mr. Gaye (Examiners), Canon Beeching, the Head Master and the Master of K.S.S. ; also Mr. Septimus Andrews, Mr. Russell Barker, Mr. G. E. Barnes, Mr. H. C. Borradaile, Mr. O. R. Borradaile, Mr. Colt-Williams, Mr. Compton-Smith, Mr. H. B. Cox, Lieut.-Col. Davies, Mr. R. H. Davies, Mr. C. S. Davson, Mr. Day, Mr. L. J. M. de Michele, Mr. F. L. Denman, Mr. Dickson, Mr. Etheridge, Mr. Failes, Mr. Fox, Mr. E. R. Frere, Mr. Godfrey, Mr. C. E. Gwilt, Mr. Er. Hardy, Mr. A. H. Harrison, Mr. W. E. Horne, Mr. Huckwell, Mr. H. A. Hunt, Mr. H. H. Ingram, Mr. Lane-Claypon, Mr. P. S. Lee, Mr. T. S. Lee, Mr. J. B. Liberty, Mr. Liddell, Mr. Little, Mr. O. S. Macleay, Mr. Manisty, Mr. Massey, Dr. Morton, Mr. A. H. Mure, Mr. R. J. Mure, Mr. Nall, Mr. Oldham, Mr. Osborn, Mr. Pember, Mr. Piggott, Mr. Radcliffe (Receiver), Mr. Randall, Mr. W. S. Rawson, Mr. Robson, Captain Salisbury, Mr. H. Salwey, Mr. Sargeant, Mr. Severn, Mr. Sherwood, Mr. Smedley, Mr. Stebbing, Mr. C. W. Stephenson, Mr. A. Stewart, Mr. Tanner, Mr. E. M. Tomlinson, Sir W. E. M. Tomlinson, Dr. Troutbeck, Mr. Troutbeck, Mr. J. R. Turle, Lord Justice Vaughan-Williams, Mr. P. G. L. Webb, and Mr. F. Willett. Those who accepted invitations but were afterwards obliged to withdraw their acceptances were Mr. Dawson, Mr. Grant-Wilson, Mr. M. Hallett, Mr. Kneen, Mr. Le Mesurier, Mr. A. J. Mackey, Sir Arthur Onslow, Mr. Pratt, Mr. G. C. Robinson, Mr. Russell, Lord Stalbridge, Major-General Sir Alfred Turner, Mr. A. Walker, Mr. Whitlock, and Mr. Victor Williamson. Four others were absent without explanation, and the Governing Body has directed that they be not in future invited unless they show cause to the contrary.



The following were promoted before the P.S.B. camp:—

<i>Colour-Sergeant</i> —H. B. Philby.	<i>Lance-Corporals</i> —
<i>Sergeant</i> —H. C. G. Pedler.	D. Clark and
<i>Corporals</i> —H. V. Capon*.	F. W. Fraser.
and M. C. Houdret.	

The following promotions are announced for the ensuing year:—

<i>To be 2nd Lieutenant</i> —	<i>To be Colour-Sergeant</i> —
H. B. Philby.	H. C. G. Pedler.

\* Have left.

The following is the Cricket Card for Election Term, 1903, with results and scores:—

May 9 Sat.	v.	Incogniti. (No play through rain.)
„ 16 „	v.	Eton Ramblers. (Lost. Westminster, 101 ; Eton Ramblers, 144.)
„ 23 „	v.	Old Wykehamists. (Lost. Westminster, 162 ; Old Wykehamists, 186.)
„ 30 „	v.	Butterflies. (Lost. Westminster, 193 ; Butterflies, 202 for 4 wickets.)
June 6 „	v.	I Zingari. (Drawn. Westminster, 309 for 7 wickets, decl. ; I Zingari, 252 for 6 wickets.)
„ 10 Wed.	v.	Free Foresters. (No play through rain.)
„ 20 Sat.	v.	Oxford University Authentics. (Drawn. Westminster, 139 for 9 wickets ; Oxford University Authentics, 278 for 9 wickets, decl.)
„ 26 Fri.	} v.	Charterhouse. (Lost. Westminster, 170 and 180 ; Charterhouse, 156 and 195 for 4 wickets.)
„ 27 Sat.		
July 4 Sat.	v.	West Kent. (Won. Westminster, 321 for 6 wickets, decl. ; West Kent, 210.)
„ 8 Wed.	v.	M.C.C. (Lost. Westminster, 99 and 108 ; M.C.C. 140.)
„ 11 Sat.	v.	Old Carthusians. (Drawn. Westminster, 342 for 7 wickets, decl. ; Old Carthusians, 185 for 5 wickets.)
„ 15 Wed.	v.	Harrow Blues. (Drawn. Westminster, 296 for 5 wickets, decl. ; Harrow Blues, 179 for 7 wickets.)
„ 18 Sat.	v.	Crusaders. (Drawn. Westminster, 90 for 9 wickets ; Crusaders did not bat.)
„ 25 „	v.	O.WW. (Won. Westminster, 245 ; O.WW., 220.)
„ 27 Mon.	v.	T.BB. v. K.SS. (Drawn. T.BB., 240 for 5 wickets ; K.SS., 135 for 3 wickets.)

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>
H. Logan.*	E. W. D. Colt-Williams.	C. J. Seddon.*
C. Powers.*	E. W. Lane-Claypon.	L. R. Walton.*
R. G. Gardner.	W. J. W. Bonser.	E. T. Corfield.
A. T. Coleby.*	J. L. Johnston.*	R. W. Geddes.
F. S. Fleuret.	J. R. Trench.*	J. M. Craig.
G. L. Crowe.*	M. Pemberton.	H. V. Capon.*
L. G. Kirkpatrick.	J. C. Vernon.*	P. T. Davies.*
P. T. Rawlings.	G. C. Rivers.	R. W. Reed.
O. H. Walters.	M. C. Houdret.	K. N. Colville.*
J. K. Hepburn.	H. Walker.	R. E. Tanner.*
H. B. Philby.	E. A. Bell.*	R. C. Oppenheimer.*
		E. C. Chesney.

\* Have left or probably will have left before next season.

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

1903.

Sat.	Sept. 26 v.	Clapham Rovers. (Lost, 1—3.)
„	Oct. 3 v.	Old Harrovians.
„	„ 10 v.	Emeriti.
„	2nd XI. v.	Clapham Rovers 2nd XI.
„	Oct. 17 v.	Casuals.
„	2nd XI. v.	St. Thomas's Hospital 2nd XI.
Wed.	Oct. 21 v.	Barnes.
Sat.	„ 24 v.	Beckenham.
„	2nd XI. v.	Old Westminsters 2nd XI.
„	Oct. 31 v.	Kenley.
„	2nd XI. v.	King's College 2nd XI.
„	Nov. 7 v.	R.M.A., Woolwich.
„	„ 14 v.	Selwyn College, Camb.
Wed.	„ 18 v.	Old Westminsters.
Sat.	„ 21 v.	Old Felstedians.
„	2nd XI. v.	Emeriti 2nd XI.
„	Nov. 28 v.	Christ Church.
„	2nd XI. v.	St. Bartholomew's Hospital 2nd XI.
„	Dec. 5 v.	Hertford College, Oxon.

1904.

Sat.	Jan. 16 v.	Clapham Rovers.
„	„ 23 v.	Old Carthusians.
„	2nd XI. v.	King's College 2nd XI.
„	Jan. 30 v.	Brasenose College, Oxon.
„	2nd XI. v.	Clapham Rovers 2nd XI.
„	Feb. 6 v.	Clare College, Camb.
„	2nd XI. v.	Old Westminsters 2nd XI.
Wed.	Feb. 10 v.	University College, Oxon.
Sat.	„ 13 v.	Royal Engineers.
„	2nd XI. v.	Old Foresters 2nd XI.
„	Feb. 20 v.	Charterhouse, at Vincent Square.
Wed.	„ 24 v.	Pembroke College, Camb.
Sat.	„ 27 v.	Old Etonians.
„	2nd XI. v.	St. Thomas's Hospital 2nd XI.
„	Mar. 5 v.	An Eton XI., at Eton.
„	„ 12 v.	Old Westminsters.
Wed.	„ 16 v.	L. A. M. Fevez's XI.
Sat.	„ 19 v.	T.BB. v. K.SS.

The following is the Card of the Debating Society filled in up to date:—

'That this House would welcome the return of the Liberals to power.'—Proposer, A. S. Gaye ; Opposer, G. T. Boag ; Seconder, A. C. Bottomley.

'That this House considers that some measures should be taken by the Powers with regard to the Macedonian outrages.'—Proposer, H. B. Philby ; Opposer, P. T. Rawlings ; Seconder, L. G. Kirkpatrick.

'That this House disapproves of "Passive Resistance."'—Proposer, A. G. R. Henderson ; Seconder, G. R. Y. Radcliffe ; Opposer, J. D. H. Dickson.

'That this House would approve a tax on bicycles.'—Proposer, A. L. Crossman ; Seconder, W. F. H. Waterfield ; Opposer, J. C. Vernon.

'That this House condemns motor-car racing.'—Proposer, E. W. Lane-Claypon ; Seconder, A. P. Waterfield ; Opposer, F. S. Fleuret.

'That this House considers the liberty of the Press is greatly abused, and that some reform should be attempted.'—Proposer, D. S. Robertson ; Seconder, J. K. Hepburn Opposer, G. D. Johnston.

'That in the opinion of this House the sport of horse-racing does more harm than good to those nations that pursue it.'—Proposer, J. S. Lewis ; Seconder, R. G. Gardner ; Opposer, E. W. D. Colt-Williams.

THE FIELDS.

THE SCHOOL v. M.C.C. AND GROUND.

THE M.C.C. brought down a very strong bowling side, including Mead, top of the first-class bowling averages this year, and Rawlin, who dismissed the School for 99 and 108—very disappointing totals. Coleby played by far the best innings, and was unluckily caught at point in hitting to leg. Crowe, after hitting a 6, was caught off the seventh ball of the first over. Logan, Rawlings, and Walters of the rest made runs. M.C.C., thanks to a good innings of 51 by Rawlin, totalled 140, Powers taking four wickets for 32, Crowe three for 51, Gardner three for 21. Edwards played a slow innings of 23, but nobody else did much.

On going in again the School at first looked to be good for a much better score, but were eventually all out for 108. The first wicket fell at 42, Crowe doing all the scoring. Coleby was bowled for 8. Crowe was out at 47; his innings was a very pretty one, his cutting and off driving being very good. The rest did nothing except Logan, who was last out for 42—a very sound innings. He gave no chance, and succeeded where all others failed. Huish's wicket-keeping was very good throughout.

SCORE AND ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER.

<i>First Innings.</i>		<i>Second Innings.</i>	
G. L. Crowe, c. Oppenheimer, b. Mead	14	b. Rawlin	35
A. T. Coleby, c. Borradaile, b. Rawlin	33	b. Rawlin	8
H. Logan, b. Mead	15	b. Mead	42
P. T. Rawlings, b. Rawlin	13	l.b.w., b. Mead	8
R. G. Gardner, b. Mead	2	run out	2
O. H. Walters, c. & b. Mead	17	st. Huish, b. Rawlin	0
W. J. W. Bonser, c. Huish, b. Rawlin	3	b. Rawlin	0
F. S. Fleuret, l.b.w., b. Rawlin	0	c. sub., b. Mead	8
L. G. Kirkpatrick, not out	0	b. Rawlin	0
C. Powers, b. Mead	0	l.b.w., b. Rawlin	0
J. K. Hepburn, run out	1	not out	0
Extras	1	Extras	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>108</b>

M.C.C. AND GROUND.

O. R. Borradaile, b. Crowe	0
G. J. Edwards, b. Crowe	23
Rev. F. Meyrick-Jones, c. Gardner, b. Powers	9
Rawlin, J. T., b. Gardner	51
Dr. F. W. P. Holton, b. Gardner	0
Captain W. C. Ash, not out	15
Huish, F. H., b. Gardner	2
R. E. Lambton, b. Powers	13
R. Leigh-Ibbs, l.b.w., b. Crowe	2
A. S. Oppenheimer, b. Powers	5
Mead, W., b. Powers	5
Extras	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>140</b>

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER.

*First Innings.*

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
Mead	16.4	2	63	5
Rawlin	16	1	35	4

*Second Innings.*

Mead	18.3	4	62	3
Rawlin	18	7	41	6

M.C.C.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
C. Powers	14.2	3	32	4
G. L. Crowe	19	1	51	3
R. G. Gardner	14	2	21	3
F. S. Fleuret	2	0	15	0
J. K. Hepburn	2	0	6	0

THE SCHOOL v. OLD CARTHUSIANS.

This match, which resulted in a draw in favour of the School, was the occasion of two School records being broken. Firstly, H. Logan made 189, beating F. T. Higgins' record of 171 not out against Charterhouse, and H. R. Blaker's 171, and secondly, Logan and Fleuret put on 242 runs for the sixth wicket, which is the longest partnership on record for the School. Logan, as usual, won the toss, but we started badly, losing 5 wickets for 100 before lunch, of which Logan had made more than half. After lunch the game underwent a complete change, Logan and Fleuret resisting all attempts to dislodge them and adding no fewer than 242 runs. Logan was then caught at square leg for a truly magnificent 189, the result of three hours' batting. His hitting was very powerful and beautifully kept down, among his hits being two 5's and twenty-seven 4's. In a quieter way Fleuret's innings was equally good, his play on the leg side being clever. The innings was declared on Logan's dismissal. Old Carthusians started with Wingfield and Macdonald; 49 was totalled before Powers bowled Wingfield. Moss and Birch gave no trouble, and soon after Gardner bowled Macdonald for 52, a very sound innings. Kemble and Boucher then added 85, Boucher being at last l.b.w. to Logan for 30. Stumps were then drawn, Kemble being not out 50.

Score:—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

A. T. Coleby, st. Birch, b. Ingram	15
G. L. Crowe, c. Wingfield, b. Moss	11
H. Logan, c. Birch, b. Ingram	189
P. T. Rawlings, retired hurt	2
O. H. Walters, b. Ingram	0
R. G. Gardner, b. Samson	9
L. G. Kirkpatrick, c. Liddle, b. Ingram	9
F. S. Fleuret, not out	66
C. Powers, H. B. Philby, J. K. Hepburn did not bat.	
Extras	41
<b>Total (for 7 wickets)</b>	<b>342*</b>

\* Innings declared closed.

OLD CARTHUSIANS.

C. L. Macdonald, b. Gardner.....	52
M. F. R. Wingfield, b. Powers .....	22
W. L. H. Moss, b. Powers .....	6
R. E. Birch, b. Gardner .....	5
H. H. Kemble, not out .....	50
R. Boucher, l.b.w., b. Logan .....	30
H. A. Cramer Roberts, R. Ingram, E. R. Godson, A. H. Liddle, W. L. Samson did not bat.	
Extras .....	20
Total (for 5 wickets).....	185

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
W. L. Samson .....	19	3	73	1
W. L. H. Moss .....	14	5	53	1
R. Ingram .....	25.3	3	116	4
R. Boucher .....	3	0	11	0
C. L. Macdonald.....	2	0	15	0
H. A. Cramer Roberts	5	0	33	0

OLD CARTHUSIANS.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
C. Powers.....	18	5	57	2
G. L. Crowe.....	11	0	40	0
R. G. Gardner.....	13	4	38	2
J. K. Hepburn.....	3	0	15	0
F. S. Fleuret .....	2	0	13	0
H. Logan .....	5	0	2	1

THE SCHOOL v. HARROW BLUES.

This match, resulting in a draw greatly in favour of the School, was notable for another century by Logan, which brought his aggregate of runs for the season above the previous record aggregate, made by L. J. Moon. Logan, as usual, won the toss, and went in with Coleby on a perfect wicket. The first wicket fell at 58, Coleby being caught at mid-on. Then a great stand was made by Logan and Rawlings, which realised 162 runs, Logan at last being caught at extra cover for a beautiful century—his third in four consecutive matches. The feature of his innings, including one 5 and sixteen 4's, was powerful driving all along the carpet. Crowe came in, and soon returned a ball hard to the bowler, off whose hand it went into the wicket and very unluckily ran out Rawlings, who was backing up. His 62 was compiled in an hour and a half, his cutting being crisp and well-timed and very pretty to watch. Crowe and Gardner were then associated, and scored 45 runs off four consecutive overs, Crowe being missed three times off skiers. Gardner was caught at point for 24, including two 5's. Crowe was 44 not out, including a five and seven 4's.

Eyre and Bennett put on 84 for Harrow Blues' first wicket, but five men were out for 92, owing to good bowling by Powers and Crowe. Hopley and Nash then made a stand, and they were enabled to play out time.

SCORE AND ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER.

H. Logan, c. Eyre, b. Bennett .....	131
A. T. Coleby, c. Eyre, b. Robertson-Walker.....	17
P. T. Rawlings, run out .....	62
G. L. Crowe, not out .....	44
R. G. Gardner, c. L. Nash, b. Robertson-Walker	24
L. G. Kirkpatrick, c. Black, b. Goodden .....	1
O. H. Walters, F. S. Fleuret, C. Powers, W. J. W. Bonser, H. B. Philby, J. K. Hepburn did not bat.	
Extras .....	17
Total (for 5 wickets) .....	296*

HARROW BLUES.

C. H. Eyre, b. Crowe .....	56
G. G. M. Bennett, c. Gardner, b. Crowe .....	27
C. P. Goodden, b. Powers .....	0
J. F. A. Robertson-Walker, c. Coleby, b. Powers	0
C. Browning, b. Crowe.....	3
F. J. V. Hopley, b. Logan .....	26
L. C. F. Nash, not out.....	36
L. Arbuthnot, l.b.w., b. Fleuret .....	1
W. D. Black, not out .....	17
J. F. Wilkes, H. G. Marshall, E. H. Nash did not bat.	
Extras .....	13
Total (for 7 wickets) .....	179

\* Innings declared closed.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
F. J. V. Hopley.....	12	2	47	0
W. D. Black .....	13	3	33	0
J. F. A. Robertson-Walker .....	15	4	54	2
C. P. Goodden .....	4.1	0	15	1
H. G. Marshall .....	5	0	28	0
G. G. M. Bennett.....	7	2	35	1
C. Browning .....	2	0	24	0
E. H. Nash .....	10	3	44	0

HARROW BLUES.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
C. Powers .....	16	1	46	2
G. L. Crowe .....	12	3	44	3
R. G. Gardner .....	3	0	21	0
J. K. Hepburn .....	2	0	16	0
H. Logan .....	4	0	16	1
F. S. Fleuret .....	7	0	25	1

THE SCHOOL v. CRUSADERS.

This match was entirely spoilt by rain. Westminster batted first and only made 90 for nine wickets, when rain stopped play. This was a very disappointing display, the wicket being very slow and easy. The first wicket fell at 2, and then followed a collapse, seven being out for 36. Crowe, Rawlings, and Walters were caught, and Gardner ran himself out in attempting an impossible run. Powers and Fleuret then made a stand, adding 48 runs. Hopley relieved Badcock, and off his first ball Fleuret was caught at the wicket wide on the off side. His

27 was a most plucky innings, powerful off driving beautifully kept down being the main feature. Powers was soon afterwards bowled for 26, a plucky, vigorous innings. Rain then stopped play.

Scores :—

WESTMINSTER.

H. Logan, b. Keigwin .....	2
A. T. Coleby, b. Badcock .....	0
G. L. Crowe, c. Jameson, b. Badcock .....	13
P. T. Rawlings c. Mann, b. Badcock .....	7
O. H. Walters, c. Bompas, b. Keigwin .....	4
R. G. Gardner, run out .....	1
F. S. Fleuret, c. Bompas, b. Hopley .....	27
L. G. Kirkpatrick, run out .....	0
C. Powers, b. Keigwin .....	26
H. B. Philby, not out .....	2
J. K. Hepburn, not out .....	0
Extras .....	8
Total (for 9 wickets) .....	90

*Crusaders.*—H. S. Bompas, S. S. Harris, H. O. C. Beasley, E. J. Mann, R. P. Rawlings, C. H. Eyre, F. J. V. Hopley, G. E. Badcock, R. P. Keigwin, S. H. Day, L. Jameson.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets
G. E. Badcock .....	8	0	37	3
R. P. Keigwin .....	17	5	31	3
L. Jameson .....	7	4	11	0
F. J. V. Hopley .....	1	0	3	1

THE SCHOOL *v.* O.WW.

This match was won by us, providing our second win of the season. Two minutes before time we secured their last wicket. Logan won the toss for the seventh time in succession, but the start was disastrous, Logan being out to the first ball of the match and Crowe was caught off the second, whilst Coleby was stumped when 5 had been scored, Foster taking all the wickets. Fleuret and Walters were out by the time the score had reached 25. Rawlings and Kirkpatrick then made a most plucky stand, adding 80 runs before Kirkpatrick was run out for 34. Rawlings completed his 50 for the third time this season amidst great applause. Gardner did not stay long, and Rawlings was soon after bowled for a magnificent 97. Too much praise cannot be given him for his magnificent display, made at a time when runs were very badly wanted. Clean, crisp cutting and well-kept-down off-driving were the main features of his innings. Powers and Philby added 43 for the ninth wicket and Powers and Hepburn 23 for the last. Philby was stumped for a careful 23, and Powers caught for a vigorous 44, which afterwards proved to be of inestimable value to his side. It included two 5's, two 4's, and five 3's.

Beasley and Fevez opened the Old Westminsters' innings, the latter being bowled by the first ball of the innings.

Beasley and Harris hit hard and added 29 runs, when Beasley had to go. Oliver and Whittow made

runs, and the fifth wicket fell at 94. Foster and Rayner then added 56 runs, Foster being several times missed in the slips, but both were out at 194. Veitch stayed in some time, but four minutes from time was caught in the long field by Gardner off Logan. Fox being immediately out l.b.w. to Logan, we just won by 25 runs with two minutes to spare.

Scores and analysis :—

WESTMINSTER.

H. Logan, c. Veitch, b. Foster .....	0
A. T. Coleby, st. Whittow, b. Foster .....	2
G. L. Crowe, c. Fox, b. Foster .....	0
P. T. Rawlings, b. Fevez .....	97
O. H. Walters, b. Murray .....	8
F. S. Fleuret, b. Foster .....	1
L. G. Kirkpatrick, run out .....	34
R. G. Gardner, b. Foster .....	7
H. B. Philby, st. Whittow, b. Murray .....	23
C. Powers, c. Beasley, b. Murray .....	44
J. K. Hepburn, not out .....	2
Extras .....	27

Total .....

245

O.WW.

H. O. C. Beasley, retired .....	24
L. A. M. Fevez, b. Powers .....	0
S. S. Harris, b. Crowe .....	21
F. G. Oliver, run out .....	31
A. Whittow, b. Gardner .....	18
A. L. Foster, c. Fleuret, b. Powers .....	51
W. V. Rayner, b. Powers .....	23
R. P. Rawlings, b. Powers .....	4
J. G. Veitch, c. Gardner, b. Logan .....	32
W. F. Fox, l.b.w., b. Logan .....	9
R. E. Murray, not out .....	3
Extras .....	4

Total .....

220

WESTMINSTER *v.* CLAPHAM ROVERS.

This match was played on Saturday, September 26, and resulted in a win for the visitors by 3-1. Vernon won the toss, and elected to play towards the Hospital end. At 3.50 their centre kicked off and the School pressed. The first half was very evenly contested. Corfield and Davey broke away, but failed to score. The ball was then transferred to the School end, where it remained for some time, till it was put through the goal after a sharp run (0-1). A few minutes afterwards Corfield equalised with an excellent shot just before half time (1-1). The Rovers gained two corners, but Pedler succeeded in clearing them both. Half time was then called, the score being 1-1. Soon after Corfield had re-started the game, Gardner broke away and forced a corner, which Wallis kicked behind. Clapham Rovers then pressed, putting in several shots, which Pedler saved. Soon afterwards Clapham scored again by a brilliant run by the inside-right (1-2). Soon after re-starting Kirkpatrick scored, but was obviously off-side. Just on time the visitors scored another goal, Fleuret putting the ball



through his own goal (1-3). For the School Wallis showed great promise. The following was the team :—

WESTMINSTER.

Goal, H. C. G. Pedler; backs, M. Pemberton, J. K. Hepburn; half-backs, E. C. Wallis, J. M. Craig, F. S. Fleuret; forwards, J. C. Vernon, R. G. Gardner, E. T. Corfield, L. G. Kirkpatrick, A. P. Davey.  
Referee, Mr. S. H. Day.

FINAL HOUSE MATCH.

RIGAUD'S v. H.BB.

H.BB. won the toss, but made a poor show, and were all out for a total of 51. Davies and Vernon, who made 14 and 10 respectively, were the only two who made any stand against Powers' and Fleuret's bowling. Rigaud's went in and made 116, chiefly owing to the efforts of Seddon and Capon, the former of whom made 44, while the latter made 23. In their second innings H.BB. made 52. Of this score Oppenheimer was responsible for 22. The game thus ended, leaving Rigaud's the victors by an innings and 13 runs. Score :—

H.BB.		Second Innings.	
First Innings.			
P. T. Davies, b. Powers .....	14	b. Powers .....	9
E. T. Corfield, l.b.w., b. Fleuret .....	2	c. Seddon, b. Fleuret .....	8
G. B. Sankey, b. Powers .....	1	b. Powers .....	8
J. C. Vernon, b. Powers .....	10	run out .....	2
R. C. Oppenheimer, b. Fleuret... ..	2	b. Powers .....	22
A. P. Davey, b. Powers .....	8	b. Powers .....	0
C. H. Vincent, c. & b. Fleuret... ..	1	b. Fleuret .....	2
G. C. Dover, b. Powers .....	4	b. Powers .....	0
B. V. Worthington, b. Fleuret... ..	0	b. Powers .....	0
P. M. Bartlett, st. Rivers, b. Fleuret .....	4	b. Powers .....	0
J. H. Laurance, not out .....	0	not out .....	0
Extras .....	5	Extra .....	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>Total .....</b>	<b>52</b>

RIGAUD'S.

F. S. Fleuret, b. Corfield .. .. .	12
G. C. Rivers, l.b.w., b. Corfield.....	1
H. Walker, b. Oppenheimer .....	18
C. Powers, l.b.w., b. Corfield.....	2
J. M. Craig, l.b.w., b. Corfield .....	3
J. K. Hepburn, c. Vernon, b. Oppenheimer.....	4
C. J. G. Seddon, b. Vernon .....	44
A. W. Matcham, b. Oppenheimer .....	0
F. C. Failes, b. Oppenheimer.....	1
E. Coleby, not out .....	0
H. V. Capon, b. Vernon .....	23
Extras .....	8
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>116</b>

K.SS. v. T.BB.

Played up-Fields on Monday, July 27, and resulted in a draw. A start was made after lunch

on a matting wicket which was very easy. Logan and Fleuret opened the T.BB. innings to the bowling of Crowe and Gardner. With 11 scored, Fleuret was clean bowled and Kirkpatrick came in. Logan did most of the scoring and Kirkpatrick was caught at point for 11, Rivers, who filled the vacancy, being bowled first ball. Then Powers and Logan made a great stand, realising nearly 150 runs.

Trench relieved Crowe and Rawlings bowled instead of Gardner, but without effect, Logan's driving being very powerful. He completed his century shortly before tea and was not out 108 at the interval. In the first over after tea Powers played on. His 31 was a good sound innings without a chance. Logan was soon after bowled by Gardner for 117, a score which equals the record for the match made by L. J. Moon for T.BB. His grand innings was compiled without a chance, powerful driving being the main feature. Pemberton and Walker then added 59 runs despite bowling changes, and the innings was declared. Pemberton was not out 50, a sound innings without a chance, but Walker was badly missed at mid-on by Lane-Claypon off Gardner's bowling. Gardner got all five wickets for 69 runs.

Philby and Rawlings opened the K.SS. innings, Philby getting Powers' first ball beautifully to leg for 4. Fleuret, Hepburn, Powers, and Logan all had a turn with the ball, but it was not till 78 had been scored that Rawlings was dismissed by a good catch at long-off. Philby soon followed, caught at slip in hitting out at Fleuret. Both had played fine free innings, being in no difficulty with the bowling from the start. Crowe hit hard while he was in. Stumps were drawn with the score 141 for 3 wickets, Coleby being not out 21, Walters not out 9.

T.BB.

H. Logan, b. Gardner .....	117
F. S. Fleuret, b. Gardner.....	5
L. G. Kirkpatrick, c. Walters, b. Gardner .....	11
G. C. Rivers, b. Gardner .....	0
C. Powers, b. Gardner .....	31
M. Pemberton, not out .....	50
H. Walker, not out .....	14
Extras .....	17

Total (for 5 wickets) .....

J. M. Craig, J. C. Vernon, M. C. Houdret, J. K. Hepburn did not bat.

\* Innings declared closed.

K.SS.

H. B. Philby, c. Pemberton, b. Fleuret.....	42
P. T. Rawlings, c. Vernon, b. Logan .....	39
G. L. Crowe, b. Fleuret .....	15
A. T. Coleby, not out .....	21
O. H. Walters, not out .....	9
Extras .....	15

Total (for 3 wickets) .....

R. G. Gardner, E. W. Lane-Claypon, W. J. W. Bonser, E. A. Bell, J. R. Trench, E. C. Chesney did not bat.

### House Notes.

K.SS.—Another year has opened for College with very fair prospects, but as the Term is so young we will refrain from expressing any definite hopes; we will, therefore, content ourselves with congratulating those of us who were successful last Term in the Schools and the Fields. We offer our heartiest congratulations to G. T. Boag, F. H. Nichols, and F. W. Hubback on Trinity elections; also to E. A. Bell, J. R. Trench, and A. T. Coleby on their successes at Christ Church, and to G. C. Brooke on his exhibition. We congratulate P. T. Rawlings, O. H. Walters, and H. B. Philby on Cricket 'Pinks'; also W. J. W. Bonser, J. R. Trench, and E. A. Bell on 'Pink and Whites,' and E. C. Chesney on Third XI.'s; also E. A. Bell on College colours. The Town Boy match was played on a matting pitch in occasional drizzling rain, and ended in a very even draw. Election Dinner was a great success, and most of us were delighted to see Hall again utilised for the purpose. It had been temporarily fitted with electric light. The rumour that we were to have permanent electric light has not been fulfilled yet. K.SS. were to the fore with up-School Epigrams. The Literary Society wound up the year with 'The Rivals' and 'Selections.'

ASHBURNHAM.—We lament the loss of Colvile, Walton, Mears, Malcolm, and the others who have left us. We have twelve new boys. We congratulate Saunders, Mosse, and Geddes on being made monitors. We are rejoiced to see amongst us another Philby, who will, we hope, follow in the footsteps of his brother. We begin the season with four House-colours, and have a promising junior team.

GRANT'S.—H. Logan, J. L. Johnston, and H. T. Kite have left, to everyone's regret. We are very glad to say that J. S. Lewis, L. G. Kirkpatrick, and M. Pemberton have all decided to stay on for another year. This should greatly increase our chance of keeping the football shield. R. E. Tanner is also staying on for another Term. We must congratulate M. Pemberton and M. C. Houdret on their Cricket 'Pink and Whites,' and R. W. Reed and R. E. Tanner on their Thirds. This year D. S. Robertson has been made a School-monitor, and J. S. Lewis has been made a House-monitor. We regret that C. Reed is unable through ill-health to return this Term. We have five new fellows, of whom four are boarders, two of whom—Nott-Bower and Hughes—were in the School before.

H.BB.—We congratulate G. W. Phillips most heartily on being elected Head to Christ Church. We have also lost Oppenheimer, Davies, Castle, and

four others; but our share of the new fellows this Term (twelve) will bring our numbers up to sixty-seven. Most of our news belongs to last Term's cricket. Congratulations to Vernon on his Second XI.'s and on playing for T.BB.; Corfield, Davies, and Oppenheimer on their Third XI., the first-named also playing for T.BB. We were glad to get into the final of the Shield Matches, just beating Ashburnham after a keen contest, but succumbed to Rigaud's in the final. Davies made some good scores, and Corfield and Oppenheimer bowled well throughout. The fives ties were won by Vernon and Longhurst after some good games. We lost to College in the final of the inter-house fives (15-8) (15-12).

Congratulations to Davies on passing his Law Preliminary, and to Milne on winning the Junior Swimming competition last Term.

Our Footer prospects are somewhat better than usual. Vernon, Corfield, and Davey are still with us, together with the nucleus of a really good team. Our juniors especially ought to give a good account of themselves.

RIGAUD'S.—After a lapse of five years we rejoice to say we have got the cricket shield in our possession after two rather uninteresting games. Our Juniors also won the cup without a single defeat. Our heartiest congratulations are due to Hepburn on his 'Pinks,' Rivers and Walker on their 'Pink and Whites,' Craig and Capon on their 'Thirds,' and Matcham on his house colours; also to Rodocanachi on getting a non-resident scholarship. We regret the loss of Powers, Seddon, Shearman (M.), Capon, Morrison, Matcham, Shearman (J.), Depree. To fill their places we have only one new half-boarder and three new boarders, including a younger Hepburn. May he follow in his brother's steps! F. C. Failes is Head of the House, and D. Clark the new Monitor.

### DEBATING SOCIETY.

AN extraordinary meeting of this Society was held on Thursday, September 24, for the purpose of electing officers, the following being elected:—

<i>President</i> . . . .	H. B. PHILBY.
<i>Vice-President</i> . . . .	D. S. ROBERTSON.
<i>Hon. Treasurer</i> . . . .	A. L. CROSSMAN.
<i>Hon. Secretary</i> . . . .	A. G. R. HENDERSON.

The Committee is to consist of the above (*ex-officio*), with three other members elected by the Society, the following being elected: G. D. Johnston, R. G. Gardner, and J. C. Vernon.

At a Committee Meeting, held on Saturday, September 26, the following new members were elected: P. T. Rawlings, G. M. Castle-Smith, M. C. Houdret, O. Lewis, and G. R. Y. Radcliffe.

## NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

At a meeting held on Saturday, September 26, the following were elected officers:—

<i>President</i>	. . . .	H. B. PHILBY.
<i>Vice-President</i>	. . . .	D. S. ROBERTSON.
<i>Hon. Treasurer</i>	. . . .	A. L. CROSSMAN.
<i>Hon. Secretary</i>	. . . .	A. G. R. HENDERSON.

The above will constitute the Committee, together with J. S. Lewis, H. F. Saunders, and R. W. Reed.

## Old Westminsters.

At Oxford Mr. H. L. Henderson is in the First Class in the Final Classical School. Mr. G. R. Palmer is in the Second Class in Modern History.

Mr. Henry Staveley-Hill is appointed Recorder of Banbury.

The Rev. John Roland Pryce is presented by the Lord Chancellor to the Rectory of Gladestry, in Radnorshire.

Mr. F. T. Higgins-Bernard is elected Master of the Skinners' Company for the current year.

The Rev. Herbert S. Holt has resigned the living of Molash and been appointed Assistant Priest in Edinburgh Cathedral.

Mr. T. C. English is appointed Hunterian Professor (St. George's Hospital) in the Royal College of Surgeons.

The Rev. Edmund Jermyn is presented to the Rectory of Croughton, Northamptonshire.

At Cambridge Mr. P. T. Browning was in the Second Class of the Natural Science Tripos, Part I.

Mr. H. L. Doherty this year won the Lawn Tennis Championship of America.

## Births.

SMYTH.—On August 5, the wife of Herbert Warrington Smyth of a son.

ALLANSON-WINN.—On August 5, the wife of Roland George Allanson-Winn of a son.

BLAKENEY.—On August 17, the wife of Edward Henry Blakeney of a son.

PHILLIMORE.—On September 10, the wife of John Swinnerton Phillimore of a son.

MACFARLANE.—On September 10, the wife of Harold Macfarlane of a son.

## Marriages.

PHILLIMORE—MOBERLEY.—On July 11, the Rev. E. G. Phillimore, youngest son of the late Admiral Sir Augustus Phillimore, K.C.B., to Mabel von Essen, youngest daughter of W. H. Moberley, of Beechwood, Bitterne.

VAN DER GUCHT—ROBERTS.—On September 17, Claude Van der Gucht to Florence Isabel, daughter of George Roberts, of Tasmania.

## Obituary.

WE record with much regret the death of the Bishop of Brechin. HUGH WILLOUGHBY JERMYN was born in 1820, and was five years at Westminster. He went to Trinity Hall and was ordained in 1843. In 1854 he became an Archdeacon in the West Indies, and from 1858 to 1870 was Rector of Nettlecombe. He was appointed Bishop of Colombo in 1871, and soon after his return in 1875 Bishop of Brechin. In 1886 he succeeded Bishop Eden, also a Westminster, in the Primacy of Scotland, but in 1901 advancing years obliged him to resign it. He kept his bishopric till his death on September 17. He was twice married. His eldest son was elected to Christ Church in 1864.

WE have also to regret the death of Mr. KEDGWIN ELLIOT KAYE GOUGH, who was at the School in 1865, and was afterwards a Principal Clerk in the Board of Trade.

## Correspondence.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

2 Little Dean's Yard, S.W.,  
September 25, 1903.

DEAR SIR,—May I call attention to the regrettable lack of interest in the gymnasium which now prevails in the School? The numbers have greatly decreased in the past few years, especially in the evening classes. Indeed, many new boys are

