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THE CRICKET SEASON OF 1913.

MATCHES PLAYED 14: WON 8; LOST 6.

WHATEVER test we choose to apply to the past cricket season cannot fail to place it as one of the most satisfactory of recent years. Interesting matches for the average spectator, good keen cricket for the carping critic, a preponderance of wins over losses for the lover of statistics, and a never-to-be-forgotten victory over Charterhouse for the members of the XI. Disappointments we had, it is true, notably defeat in the first school match with Radley, which is not to be explained away by the strangeness of the ground, as no wicket could

have been more like a genuine Vincent Square wicket, but must be put down to no other cause than bad batting, as indeed may the loss of the matches against the Oxford Authentics and Mr. Day's XI. In the other three matches that we lost, to the Household Brigade, the Free Foresters, and the I. Z., we were in each instance beaten by a far superior side. However, against these six defeats we can claim victories over M.C.C.. Sussex Martlets. Charterhouse, Incogniti, Christ Church, Eton Ramblers, Old Westminsters, and Old Wykehamists. It is quite true that the two last-named, as is sometimes bound to be the case with Old Boy teams, were rather weak in bowling, but even so, it was a fine performance to get 278 against the

Wykehamists in two and half hours, and to beat the OW.W. by 10 wickets on a slow pitch; and to prove that the other sides defeated were not short of good bowling, we need only mention that Mead and Reeves were playing for the M.C.C., N. J. Holloway for the Sussex Martlets, S. J. Pegler and A. F. Morcom for the Incogniti, and J. A. C. Sandeman for the Eton Ramblers, while the Charterhouse bowling was probably better than it has been for some years: which gives us reason to congratulate ourselves not only on the season's results, but on the quality of our cricket.

Individually Rudd, though at the top neither of the batting nor the bowling averages, was the outstanding figure. Although his batting average is lower than last year, he was undoubtedly a better player, equally forcible, sounder and more stable, and his bowling also improved greatly in steadiness. He set a splendid example to his team on the field and off, was always looking for chances, always anxious to go out to win his matches, always ready to throw his wicket away when the interests of the side demanded it, and frequently—be it whispered on other occasions too. If he can restrain this impetuosity and get rid of his one bad shot which consists of hanging the bat rather limply, without showing the full face of it, at the off-turner and results in turning the ball into the wicket, he ought to develop into a very fine cricketer. Cobbold, as last year, carried off the bowling honours. It would not be going too far to say that he is probably the best slow-medium schoolboy bowler that has been seen for many years, and the better the batsman opposed to him the better he seemed to bowl. As a batsman he has a beautiful style but was disappointing in the number of runs he scored. McCulloch headed the batting averages and is an extremely sound bat. His style is somewhat stiff and angular, but he keeps a very straight bat and a very cool head; he was in great form at the end of the term. Kann was frankly disappointing, and though he played a few useful innings, never touched the form of which we know him to be capable. Hurst-Brown was as steady as ever and his defence was frequently invaluable.

Veitch was at his best on slow wickets, his backplay being at present his strong point; with increased strength and experience he should be worth a lot of runs next year, a remark which may also be applied to Charlton, who frequently showed most satisfactory form. Carless kept wicket pluckily at the beginning of the season, but was afterwards supplanted by Bovey, who gained his place by superior batting. The change bowlers, Feasey and Thompson, did useful work and showed at Radley that they were quite capable of batting well on occasions. Pink got the last place, and his hitting was frequently of use. The fielding, uncertain at the start of the season, was very satisfactory in the later matches. Hurst-Brown, McCulloch, Kann, Veitch, Cobbold, and Rudd all deserve mention, their catching being particularly good.

Next year only Veitch, Feasey, Charlton, and Thompson will be left of this successful side. The outlook is not particularly promising, but we trust that all the young ones coming on will benefit by the example set by Rudd and his team last term, and attack their task with courage and enthusiasm. Little has been said about the Charterhouse match as it already has been fully dealt with in a previous number; but the manner of that victory, no less than the victory itself, ought to put heart into Westminster cricket for many years to come.

# ELECTION, 1913.

Elected to Christ Church:

R. S. Partridge.

W. E. Ashmead-Bartlett.

J. M. Troutbeck.

Elected to Trinity:

E. D. Askwith.

Elected to Christ Church Exhibitions.

W. J. N. Little. K. T. D. Wilcox.

R. E. D. Cargill.

Triplett Exhibitions of £30 or £20 for three years were awarded to

G. C. Lowry.

W. B. W. Durrant. A. D. Crow.

G. B. F. Rudd.

A Samwaies Exhibition was awarded to

E. D. Askwith.

#### SCHOOL OFFICERS.

THE following are the officers for the ensuing year:—

Captain.—S. L. Holmes.

Monitors. { A. N. Charlton. J. C. Ainsworth-Davis. R. W. Stannard.

Captain of College.—S. L. Holmes.

Head of Ashburnham.—H. A. Carless.

Head of Grant's.—N. Kohnstamm.

Head of H.BB.—J. C. Ainsworth-Davis.

Head of Rigand's.—F. R. Burford.

Captain of Football.—H. A. Carless.

Captain of Cricket.—D. G. Veitch.

Captain of Shooting.—J. M. E. Shepherd.

Colour-Sergeants O. T. C.  $-\begin{cases} J. C. Ainsworth-Davis. \\ S. F. Waterson. \end{cases}$ 

## ELECTION DINNER.

THERE were present the Dean of Westminster, the Master of Trinity, the Dean of Christ Church, Mr. D. S. Robertson and Mr. John Murray (Examiners), Sir Henry Craik, the Rev. Dr. Bonney, the Rev. E. H. Pearce, Dr. Samuel West, Mr. Clement Webb and Mr. Edgar Horne, M.P. (Governors); the Provost of Oriel, Mr. W. Stebbing, Mr. W. F. Adams, Mr. H. V. Anthony, the Rev. H. E. B. Arnold, Mr. Russel Barker, Mr. D. H. Boggis-Rolfe, Mr. P. J. M. Bowman, Sir Charles Brickdale, Mr. R. D. Brinton, Mr. E. S. Bristowe, Mr. F. F. Burrell, Dr. F. F. Caiger, Mr. Colin Campbell, Mr. R. R. Campbell, Mr. J. B. W. Chapman, Mr. D. A. V. Colt-Williams, Mr. A. G. Colvile, Mr. E. C. Corfield, Mr. S. H. Day, the Rev. F. L. Denman, the Rev. R. B. Dickson, Mr. E. U. Eddis, the Rev. W. Failes, Mr. E. L. Fox, Mr. E. C. Freeman, Mr. J. W. C. Frere, the Rev. C. Gregory, Mr. M. Hallett, Mr. B. F. Hardy, Mr. E. H. Hare, the Rev. A. H. Harrison, Mr. H. P. Hawkshaw, Dr. H. F. Heath, C.B., Mr. H. P. Hollis, Mr. J. C. Hollocombe, Mr. E. H. Holthouse, Mr. J. J. Huckwell, Mr. W. B. Jennett, Mr. T. Stirling Lee, Mr. A. C. Liddell, Mr. E. M. Little, F.R.C.S., the Rev. H. Lowry, the Rev. E. H. May, Mr. J. E. Mitchell, Mr. A. E. Northcote, Mr. T. S. Oldham, the Rev. E. V. Paget, Mr. W. A. Peck, Mr. G. H. Pember, Mr. J. S. Phillimore, Mr. F. P. Pilkington, Mr. H. J. F. Pratt, Mr. P. Preece, Mr. J. G. Ranalow, the Rev. W. S. Randall, Mr. W. S. Rawson, Mr. the Rev. W. S. Randall, Mr. W. S. Rawson, Mr. H. L. Reed, Mr. W. A. Robertson, the Rev. H. Salwey, Mr. J. Sargeaunt, Mr. G. H. G. Scott, Mr. D. P. Shaw, Mr. I. F. Smedley, Mr. A. H. Stenning, Mr. H. T. Steward, Mr. A. A. Sykes, Mr. L. E. Tanner, Mr. R. Tanner, Mr. Ashley Walker, the Rev. A. Walker, Mr. E. J. Webb, the Rev. G. F. Wells, Mr. A. C. Whitehead, Mr. A. T. Willett, Mr. P. Williamson, Mr. H. A. Wootton.

### SCHOOL EPIGRAMS.

THE theses this year were 'Lucus a non lucendo, and 'There's many a slip 'twixt the Cup and the Lip.'

Are we to follow the example of our predecessors and to bemoan 'the great preponderance of English epigrams over Latin and Greek ones,' or shall we say that what pleases most is best?—for it is very certain that Latin and Greek epigrams produce but a scarcely audible titter, while English ones sometimes a hearty laugh. Be this as it may, year after year, the proportion of English to Latin and Greek is as ten to one.

The former thesis was most popular, and we append a few of the best of this year's batch, all written on 'Lucus a non lucendo.'

You think because you see me here, You'll get an epigram; no fear! Hark to Baron Newton's fancy! Don't go round to Montmorency When you want a little money,-Isn't it really rather funny? If you wish to 'scape the clutches Of the Israelite lot, such as Cholmondely, Beauchamp, Vere de Vere, Be courageous, never fear, Visit Jacobstein or Moses, Truly British Ikey's nose is! Though of weakness this may be accused, And my point, too, is somewhat confused, Yet I hope for my pluck, I shall meet with good luck, And get lucre because I'm not lucid.

# I.—THE SCOTT LIBRARY.

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Volumes presented.—Pub. Terentii Comœdiæ VI. in usum Schol. West. 1810, presented by H. D. Myer, Esq. (O.W.); Inglis, Gordon, Sport and Pastime in Australia, presented by the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia; Bell, E. A., History of Giggleswick School, presented by the Author (O.W.); Stebbing, W., Truths or Truisms, part 2, presented by the Author (O.W.); Æsop's Fables with Designs by Bewick, presented by the Executors of the late Dr. Arthur Southey (O.W.); Newton-Robinson, C., Ver. Lyrae, presented by the Author; Davidson, N. J., A Knight Errant and his Doughty Deeds; Elliot, G. F. S., The Romance of Early British Life; Lambert, J. C., The Romance of Missionary Heroism;

Williams, A., The Romance of Modern Exploration; Elliot, G. F. S., The Romance of Savage Life; Lea, J., The Romance of Bird Life; Coupin, H., and Lea, J., The Romance of Animal Arts and Crafts; Elliot, G. F. S., The Romance of Plant Life; Selous, E., The Romance of the Animal World; 9 volumes. presented by F. S. Service, Esq.; The Elizabethan, Vol. XIII., presented by the Editor; Howarth, O. J. R., A Commercial Geography of the World, presented by the Author (O.W.): Pollard, H. B. C., A Busy Time in Mexico, presented by the Author (O.W.)

#### LIBRARY REPORT. LIBRARY ATTENDANCES.

Library—Election 1912 to Election 1913.		Term,	Lent 19	Election Term, 1913	
	Midday	Evening	Midday	Evening	Midday
Number of times Library was open	55	55	52	53	47
Total number of attendances	4,359	2,929	4,133	2,774	2,955
Greatest number present	157	80	137	73	125
Least number present	7	37	5	38	5
Average number present .	79	53	79	52	63

## II.—THE SCIENCE LIBRARY.

Number of Volumes at Volumes purchased or				The	181
Scott Library . Volumes presented .		1	:	:	32 12
Total at Election, 191	3 •				225

Volumes presented.—Scientific Ideas of To-day; Astronomy of To-day; Mechanical Inventions of To-day; Photography of To-day; Heroes of Science; The Romance of Modern Mechanism; The Romance of Modern Mining; The Romance of Modern Electricity; The Romance of Modern Chemistry; The Romance of Modern Astronomy; The Romance of the Ship; The Romance of Modern Invention; all presented by F. G. Service, Esq.

# School Notes.

THERE are fifty-four new boys this term.

Our account of Hall Epigrams has had to be held over till next month, owing to the lack of space.

The Mission Offertory on Election Sunday amounted to £29 10s. 1d., and on St. Michael and All Angels to £6 2s. 7d.

The Ireland Prize for Latin verse has been awarded to L. H. Chidson.

The Gumbleton Prize for English verse has been awarded to N. A. Bechman.

We append the cricket card for Election Term, 1913, filled in :-May 10th, Sat. v. The Household Brigade. (Lost: Westminster, 105; Household Brigade, 254 for 9 wickets.)
I Zingari. (Lost: Westminster, 96; 17th, Sat. I Zingari, 225 for 7 wickets.) Eton Ramblers. (Won: Westminster, 24th, Sat. 256 for 7 wickets; Eton Ramblers, 198.) 31st, Sat. Christ Church. (Won: Westminster, 71. 250 for 6 wickets; Christ Church, 196.) (Won: West-June 7th, Sat. Sussex Martlets. Sussex Martlets, minster, 231; 11th, Wed. v. Lords and Commons. (Scratched.) 18th, Wed. 2. Radley (at Radley). (Lost: Westminster, 158; Radley, 169.) Oxford University Authentics. (Lost: 21st, Sat. 0. Westminster, 138; Authentics, 289.)
M.C.C. (Won: Westminster, 262;
M.C.C., 192.) 2nd, Wed. v. Old Wykehamists. (Won: West-5th, Sat. minster, 278 for 7 wickets; Old Wykehamists, 277.) otn, 1u. 9th, Wed. v. Charterhouse (at Vincent Square.) (Won: Westminster, 101 and 286; Charterhouse, 240 and 85.)
Free Foresters. (Lost: Westminster, July 12th, Sat. O.WW. (Won; Westminster School, 19th, Sat. 240 for 2 wkts; O.W.W., 125.)
cogniti. (Won; Westminster 26th, Sat. v. Incogniti. School, 224; Incogniti, 145.) v. T.BB. (K.SS. won: K.SS., 28th, Mon. K.SS. v. T.BB. 174 for 4 wkts; T.BB. 162.

An enamel, mounted on oak, of the Westminster Abbey and School Coat of Arms, may be obtained from Beynon & Co., Cheltenham, price 2s. 6d.

Will any Old Westminsters who wish to sing at Commemoration send their names to Mr. Ranalow?

# LIST OF COLOURS.

The following is the list of the season's

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colours:—		
Pinks.	Pink and Whites.	. Thirds.
G. B. F. Rudd.*	K. T. D. Wilcox.*	T. P. Hodgson.
F. R. C. Cobbold.*	J. M. Troutbeck.*	O. H. Kitchin.
P. W. G. Kann.*	R. E. D. Cargill.*	G. S. Forbes.*
D. G. Veitch.	H. A. Carless.	W. B. W. Durrant.*
C. Hurst-Brown.*	V. F. Ealand.*	N. Furze.
J. W. McCulloch.*	H. B. Thacker.	L. Oliver.
A. C. Feasey.		E. J. Longton.
A. N. Charlton.		A. M. Cobbold.*
M. A. Thompson.		J. W. Aitken.*
Q. C. D. Bovey.*		G. B. Gardiner.
F. W. Pink.*		P. W. Gardiner.
		C. Sankey.
		M. A. Robinson.
		C. R. Julian.
		N. M. Vernham.

\* Will have left by next year.

# WESTMINSTER SCHOOL FOOTBALL FIXTURES.

The following is the Card for the forthcoming Football Season, filled in to date:—

	1		
4	3		1913.
Sat.	Sept. 2	7 2.	Clapham Rovers. Lost 0-1.
	2nd XI	. v.	H.A.C. 2nd. Lost 0 -3.
Sat.	Oct.	4 2.	O.WW. Lost o-4.
	2nd XI	. v.	O.WW. (A). Lost 2-3.
,,	Oct. I	I v.	Casuals.
"	and XI		Clapham Rovers 2nd XI.
Wed.			R.M.A., Woolwich.
Sat.		8 v.	Beckenham.
Dat.	and X		Old Aldenhamians (A).
Sat.	_	5 v.	R.M.C., Sandhurst.
Sal.	and X	_	Bank of England 2nd XI.
Sat.	Nov.		Old Wykehamists.
Sat.			
C-4	and X		King's College (A).
Sat.	Nov. 1		Old Foresters.
	and X		H.A.C. 2nd XI.
Sat.	Nov. 2		Old Cholmelians.
	2nd X		Old Cranleighans 2nd XI.
Wed.		6 v.	Old Carthusians.
Sat.		9 0.	Old Aldenhamians.
	2nd X	I. v.	Old Foresters 2nd XI.
Sat.	Dec.	6 v.	St. Thomas's Hospital.
	2nd X	I. v.	O.WW. (A).
Sat.	Dec. 1	3 0.	Lancing Old Boys.
	2nd X		Old Cholmelians (A).
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2111	WARM		1914.
Sat.		7 2.	Emeriti.
	2nd X	1. v.	St. Gabriel's Mission.
Sat.	2	24 2.	Old Felstedians.
	2nd X	I. v.	School Mission.
Wed.	Jan. 2	28 v.	Outcasts.
Sat.	,, 3	gI v.	Old Berkhamstedians.
	and X	I. v.	,, ,, 2nd XI.
Sat.	Feb.	7 2.	Charterhouse (at Vincent Square).
		II v.	
Sat.	,, 1	14 0.	Old Bradfield Boys.
2	and X		St. Thomas's Hospital 2nd XI.
Sat.		2I v.	
- Cut	and X		O. WW. (A).
Tues	-	24 0.	Christ Church.
Sat.		28 v.	O.WW.
Dat.	2nd X		*** * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
Thur	s. Mar.		
Thur	s. Mai.	5 0.	(at Winchester).
Cat	Man		
Sat.	Mar.	7 v.	
0	and X		
Sat.	Mar.		
	2nd X	-	
Wed	. Mar.	18	K.SS. v. T.BB.
	Kick off	2.30.	Play Wet or Fine.
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# THE FIELDS.

# WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. INCOGNITI. SATURDAY, July 26.

(Won)

THE School won the toss and Kann and Hurst-Brown opened the innings. Hurst-Brown was soon dismissed, and Kann, after making several good shots, was out to a good one from Pegler.

McCulloch then came in and played useful cricket, while he and Veitch put on 57 for the third wicket. After that Charlton and Feasey seemed the only ones able to play the bowling of Pegler and Morcom. McCulloch, however, stayed there, and was not out when the innings closed. The visitors started well, Fitzwygram and Armitage making 37 for the first wicket, but afterwards little or no stand was made against the bowling of Cobbold, who took 6 wickets for 53.

#### WESTMINSTER SCHOOL

	WESTMI	INSTER	SCHOOL.		
	P. W. G. Kann, b. Pe	orler			**
	C. Hurst-Brown, b. M				
	J. W. H. McCulloch,				
	D. G. Veitch, c. Sever				
	G. B. F. Rudd, b. Peg	gler			. 10
	A. N. Charlton, c. Se	vern, b.	Morcom		. 23
	Q. C. D. Bovey, l.b.w	., b. Pe	gler		. 0
	F. R. C. Cobbold, b.	Morcom			. I
	F. W. Pink, b. Pegler				. II
	A. C. Feasey, c. More	com, b.	Pegler		. 19
	M. A. Thompson, b.				
	Extras	••••••			. 23
	Total				
	Total				. 224
	I	NCOGNI	PI.		
	Sir F. Fitzwygram, b.	Feasey			. 31
	J. Armitage, c. Bovey	, b. Rud	ld		. 35
	S. J. Pegler, b. Cobbo	old		. ,	. II
	C. F. Reiner, b. Feas				
	A. F. Morcom, c. Cha G. S. Chindull, l.b.w.				
	Capt. G. H. D. Harv	ev h Co	abbold	••••••	. 0
	A. R. Severn, c. Cobl	bold, b.	Kann		. 4
	H. E. F. Sich, b. Col	bold			. 34
	B. H. Conran, c. Tho	mpson,	b. Cobbold		. 8
	A. Whittow, not out .				. 13
	Extras				. 2
	T. C. Y				500
	Total				. 145
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	WESTM	IINSTER	SCHOOL.		
	*	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
S.	J. Pegler	33	9	71	5
	F. Morcom	24	7	73	3
A.	H. Conran	13.2	3	48	2
	F. Reiner	4	2	9	0
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	]	INCOGNI	TI.		
		Overs	. Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G.	B. F. Rudd	5	0	45	I
F.	R. C. Cobbold	24	5	53	6
A.	C. Feasey	II	3	19	2
P.	W. G. Kann	5	o	27	I

#### K.SS. v. T.BB.

It was the turn of the Town Boys to bat first. Kann and Hurst-Brown started to the bowling of Rudd and Thompson, and took the score to 21 before Hurst-Brown was l.b.w. to the former bowler.

After McCulloch was out, Kann and Veitch took the score to 100, and then a collapse followed, five wickets being down for 108, and the innings closed for the modest total of 162.

Troutbeck and Robinson gave King's Scholars an excellent start, the score being 42 when Troutbeck was bowled by Thacker for 13. Charlton, who followed, played excellently. Robinson was out for 46, when the score stood at 89. He showed great promise, his strokes to leg being especially conspicuous. Cargill only made 1, but Durrant hit lustily, his 6 over the bowling screen being a magnificent hit, and he and Charlton knocked off the remaining runs. King's Scholars thus gained an easy victory by 6 wickets.

Score and analysis:-

#### KING'S SCHOLARS.

KING'S SCHOLARS.	
J. M Troutbeck, b. Thacker	13 46 61 23
M. A. Thompson K. T. D. Wilcox D. H. Kitchin  Did not bat	1 20
P. W. Gardiner N. E. Barraclough  Extras	10
Total (for 4 wickets)	174
Town Boys.	
P. W. G. Kann, c. Kitchin, b. Wilcox C. Hurst-Brown, l.b.w., b. Rudd J. W. H. McCulloch, c. Rudd, b. Thompson D. G. Veitch, c. Rudd, b. Charlton Q. C. D. Bovey, b. Charlton F. W. Pink, c. Kitchin, b. Thompson F. R. C. Cobbold, b. Rudd A. C. Feasey, b. Rudd V. F. Ealand, b. Rudd	57 7 2 23 2 13 9 7 0
H. B. Thacker, not out	25
Extras	15
Total	162

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

#### KING'S SCHOLARS.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. B. F. Rudd	15.4	2	54	4
M. A. Thompson	II	0	57	2
A. N. Charlton	6	0	32	2
K. T. D. Wilcox	2	0	4	I
Thon	npson bowle	d 4 wides.		

#### TOWN BOYS.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets
F. R. C. Cobbold	13	2	63	I
A. C. Feasey	13	0	60	2
H. B. Thacker	5	2	14	I
F. W. Pink	2	0	12	0
P. W. G. Kann	4	0	14	0

#### BATTING AVERAGES.

	No. of Innings.	Times not out.	Total Runs.	Highest Score.	Average.
J. W. H. McCulloch	14	2	413	95*	34'41
G. B. F. Rudd	15	0	510	152	34.00
D. G. Veitch	15	I	347	109*	24.78
A. N. Charlton	14	4	210	56*	21.00
P. W. G. Kann	15	0	305	61	20.33
C. Hurst-Brown	14	1	247	56	19.00
A. C. Feasey	13	3	185	36	18.5
F. R. C. Cobbold	15	2	200	63*	15.38
F. W. Pink	7	0	90	46	12.85
H. A. Carless	3	0	32	15	10.66
Q. C. D. Bovey	5	0	52	39	10.40
M. A. Thompson	10	2	48	17*	6.00

\*Signifies not out.

#### BOWLING AVERAGES.

	No. of Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
F. R. C. Cobbold	303.3	62	904	52	17.38
A. C. Feasey	106	17	349	20	17.45
G. B. F. Rudd	178	26	718	32	22.43
P. W. G. Kann	62	1	306	10	30.60

#### FOOTBALL.

# WESTMINSTER 1ST XI v. CLAPHAM ROVERS, SEPTEMBER 27.

(Lost, 0-1.)

THE School won the toss and kicked off at the Hospital end. A good rush was soon made by the School, followed by a pause in which the Rovers pressed slightly. Goal made a good save, and very soon afterwards cleared a corner with a vigorous punch. After this the visitors pressed, the ball being in the School's half nearly all the time, the goalkeeper defending his goal exceedingly well. Then the School got away again, and left inside nearly scored for the second time. The Rovers' outside right centred; goalkeeper saved, and the inside right struck the post with a good shot. Another rush was stopped by the School's left half, at the cost of a corner, which was saved by the goalkeeper. At half time the score was 0-0.

On play being resumed, the Visitors immediately began to press. The Westminster outside right had a run but could not centre, and this was immediately followed by another unsuccessful rush by the inside right. The Visitors made another effort, a grand shot being brilliantly tipped over the bar by the home goalkeeper. After this a shot was saved, but not cleared; a scuffle in front of goal ensued, and a goal was scored for the visitors. Except for a shot just missed from a centre of the home outside right, the forwards did nothing much till time, and the match ended with one goal for the visitors and none for Westminster.

Teams :-

#### WESTMINSTER.

H. A. Carless (capt.); M. A. Thompson and K. Brodie; G. C. Paul, D. G. Veitch and R. Smith; C. R. Julian, A. C. Feasey, G. Byham, S. F. Waterson and A. N. Charlton.

#### CLAPHAM ROVERS.

A. E. Begg; E. J. Willis and F. O. C. Bambridge; J. A. W. Bigger, C. M. Cooper and D. W. Roberts; E. H. Poland, V. Cooper, K. V. Coutts, G. C. Bambridge and R. C. Bambridge.

#### WESTMINSTER SCHOOL HON. ARTILLERY COMPANY 2ND, SEPTEMBER 27.

THE Visitors won the toss and defended the lower goal, leaving us with the sun in our eyes. We got away twice, both times stopped by their goalkeeper. Then they came up our end and were stopped by our left back. Our goalkeeper and right back then kept them away until their outside right made two shots, both behind. Their outside right centred, but no one was there to take it.

Our centre half had a long shot from the half-way line, but missed. Then their forwards shot three times, the second shot off-side, and the last scored a goal, being kicked by the inside left. We had two shots, the first was saved, and the second

missed.

Their centre forward shot and scored. Immediately after the kick off we got away, but were stopped. They missed two shots, but their centre half scored off a corner. Half time.

No score was made in the second half of the game, but our outside right, well fed by the right half (who also stopped their outside left several times), got away quite often, but usually failed to

centre, being stopped by their back and half.

They made a shot, which resulted in a fruitless corner; we got away and were repulsed. They shot several times, all saved with one corner, again fruitless. Then our centre forward nearly scored off a pass from the inside right, and our goalkeeper and outside right stopped two rushes. This match was a loss, 3-0.

Teams:-

#### WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

J. O. M. Ashley; N. F. Furze and R. C. May; J. V. Rathbone, N. C. Champness and J. H. Spence; N. M. Vernham, H. B. Thacker, S. L. Holmes, L. H. Chidson, and A. L. Leighton.

H.A.C.

Dennis; Blake, Scotcher; Mytton, Lawrence, J., Park; Sutton, Lawrence, F., Waterman, Baker, A. N. Other.

# INTER-HOUSE FIVES.

THE final was played last term, and resulted in a win for King's Scholars, the holders, over Rigaud's, after a very close match. Rudd, the first string of K.SS., had a damaged hand, and this considerably weakened his play. After each side had won one set, the score was game ball to 9 to Rigaud's in the last game, but K.SS. crept up, and after a tremendous struggle, succeeded in carrying off the Cup for the seventh year in succession.

The pairs were :-

K.SS. G. B. F. Rudd. R. S. Partridge.

Rigaud's. F. R. C. Cobbold. Q. C. D. Bovey.

# CAMP, 1913.

This year, for the first time for several summers, there were three camps of the O.T.C. (Junior Division), at Tidworth, at Aldershot, and at Rugeley, in Staffordshire. It was to this latter place that we were sent, and though some of us disliked the prospect, there can be little doubt that most of us changed our minds before camp ended. The weather was good, if at times a little hot, the manœuvre ground varied, and the staff, drawn from the staff of the R.M.C., Sandhurst, excellent in every way. Westminster were in No. I Battalion under Major Daly, with Capt. Lawrence as Adjutant. No Officers could have been pleasanter or better instructors, and no Officers could have been more deservedly popular with all. A rough outline of the week's work is given below.

Wednesday, July 30.—Work confined to manœuvring under individual company Com-The dullest day spent in camp.

Thursday, July 31.—No. I Battalion did outposts near Beaudesert Park. Most of the Company got exercise and instruction. The rest spent a pleasant morning in the sun on the side of a heatherclad hill.

Friday, August 1.—Practised an attack on a flagged enemy. The O.C. when gallantly leading a rush, put his foot in a hole and fell headlong. which did not improve his temper. The morning ended with an assault, but a charge up-hill under a hot sun proved very unattractive to most. In the afternoon the Battalion was inspected by the

Brigadier, Col. Wolley-Dod.

Saturday, August 2.—Field operations by the whole Brigade in Beaudesert Park. Westminster formed part of a detached force sent to seize a hill on the flank of the enemy's position. In this we were successful, and from that position we were able to give valuable covering fire for the advance of the rest of our force. Incidentally we found it a very restful occupation after rather a long march. The operations were witnessed by Sir Charles Douglas, Inspector-General of the Home Forces. who expressed great pleasure at the improvement in the O.T.C. since he had first seen it.

Sunday.—Church Parade at 10 and inspection

of the Brigade by the Brigadier. We were lucky enough to be inspected first, as our lines were the front of No. I Battalion.

Monday.—Marched out to the area on which we were to do night operations, and surveyed the ground roughly. Practised a retirement not very successfully, and marched home early. In the evening went out to same area and did night outposts. We were not attacked, but we learnt how difficult it is to work at night in a wood with no obvious paths or means of communication. Half of our company was employed as an attacking force, and got much exercise.

Tuesday.—The Battalion practised an advanceguard along a road, ending in an attack on a flagged enemy, followed by a retirement. The work on the whole was good, but our leading sections were unfavourably criticised for slowness in extending and for not making use of cover when

it was available.

Wednesday.—The final day was devoted to Brigade operations, but our force proved rather too quick for the enemy, and just as things were getting warm for us, the cease-fire sounded, so that it was not as interesting as some of the other

days.

We furnished a guard on the first and on the second Wednesday of camp. The first was creditable, but we were without the College contingent; the second was excellent, and was described by the Adjutant as being a fitting ending to an excellent camp, and no praise could be higher. One is glad to think that the few who go to camp worthily maintain the reputation of the School so far as they can, but so long as the Corps is content to send a bare half of its numbers, the reputation of Westminster among other schools will not be as high as it should be. And it must be remembered that it is in camp that a school's reputation is very largely made amongst the boys, if not amongst masters or parents. One must, therefore, appeal to everyone in the Corps to regard it a duty to come to camp, unless he is prevented by bad health. No one pretends that camp is one long day of enjoyment. There is, no doubt, much that is not attractive and much hard work, but on the other side, there are the pleasant evenings, the sing-song, the general feeling of good-fellowship amongst boys and officers, and last and not least, the knowledge that one has earned the rest of one's holidays, and that one has done something to maintain the honour of what we are proud to think is one of the greatest of schools.

# THE 'ELIZABETHAN.'

THE Officers for the coming year are:—

Editor.—S. L. Holmes.

Hon. Secretary.—T. R. Dawson.

Hon. Treasurer.—Mr. Sargeaunt.

#### THE DEBATING SOCIETY.

An extraordinary meeting of the above Society was held on Thursday, September 25th, when the following Officers were elected:—

Visitor.—The Rev. the Headmaster. President.—S. L. Holmes. Vice-President.—L. H. Chidson. Hon. Treasurer.—R. G. Garvin. Hon. Secretary.—T. R. Dawson.

The Committee consists of the above, together with H. A. Carless and A. N. Charlton (co-opted) and A. G. Pite (elected by the Society).

### SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.

The Natural History Society and Scientific Society have decided to combine together. Meetings will be held on Saturdays after Hall for the discussion of short papers read by members. More formal lectures will be given on Monday evenings. Arrangements are being made for a series of lectures on a branch of Natural History.

The Secretary will welcome any suggestions of suitable subjects which may be offered by members. It is hoped to ensure by this method that the subjects discussed will be those which are of most

interest to members.

Membership is limited to boys above the Upper Fifth on both sides of the school.

# Youse Notes.

K.SS.—We must first offer our congratulations to R. S. Partridge and J. M. Troutbeck on election to Christchurch, to W. J. N. Little, K. T. D. Wilcox, R. E. D. Cargill on Christchurch Exhibitions, to E. D. Askwith on Election to Trinity, and to G. C. Lowry, W. B. W. Durrant, A. D. Crow, G. B. F. Rudd on Triplett Exhibitions. We also offer our best wishes for the future to the others who left us last term. We wound up last term by winning the Fives Cup and gaining a splendid victory over T.BB. Congratulations are due to P. W. Gardiner and M. A. Robinson on gaining 3rd XI. colours, and to the latter especially on his fine performance against T.BB. Our numbers are exceptionally low this year, being only thirty-four.

All but two or three of these are in the Corps, so that we ought to have a good section this year.

The 'Literary Society' has started with 'Love's

Our prospects for Juniors are fairly bright.

Labour's Lost.

ASHBURNHAM.—Our first thoughts on returning in the Play Term are to lament the dear departed, and to welcome the new boys.

Amongst the former we mourn such stalwarts as McCulloch, Cardew, and Kann whom we shall find almost impossible to replace. However, we have 17 new boys, and from these we hope for the best

Heartiest congratulations to our Senior Team on winning Cricket Seniors, for the first time, we believe, in the annals of the House; especially to Kann and McCulloch, to whom we mainly owe our victory. Congratulations also to McCulloch on his fine score for the Young Amateurs of Middlesex, to Carless on Pink and Whites, and to Byham, Fowler, Pite and Strain on House Colours.

This term Carless is Head of the House, and Pite and Fowler Monitors. Our hopes for Seniors are bright, since we had six members of the House in the first two teams on the first Saturday.

We congratulate Brodie and Byham on their début for the School.

Amongst the doings of O.A.'s we notice the continued success of Mr. Hamel as an aviator.

In conclusion we wish Carless every success as Captain of the team.

Grant's.—Though we begin this term full of joy, we cannot help feeling somewhat depressed at missing so many old faces.

A. C. Miles, W. E. Ashmead-Bartlett, V. F. Ealand, D. M. John, J. E. A. Waddington, G. Johnson, K. A. B. Wilson, and T. L. H. and G. H. Roberts have left. May all success attend them in their future careers.

We tender our heartiest congratulations to W. E. Ashmead-Bartlett on being elected to Christ Church, and to A. C. Miles on gaining a first class in London 'Matric.'

At cricket we also must not forget to congratulate Ealand and Thacker on Pink and Whites, and on playing for Town Boys, F. R. Oliver, E. A. Hodgson, E. J. Longton, G. B. Gardiner and C. M. Sankey on Thirds, and R. Smith on House Colours, and last but not least, D. G. Veitch on the way he captained Seniors, but, unluckily, his efforts were not crowned with success.

We have great hopes in Veitch, Hodgson, Smith, Thacker and Spence, who are rapidly making themselves known in the football field, Veitch and Smith having played for the first eleven and the others for the second. Hodgson, we regret, is temporarily incapacitated from displaying his marked ability, nor must we forget to congratulate Spence on well-deserved House Colours.

Yard ties have not yet begun to swing, but Veitch can be relied upon at least to make a start.

We confidently trust in L. Stevens and J. M. E. Shepherd successfully to overcome 'Little Go.'

H. B. Thacker, D. G. Veitch, L. Stevens and O. Tunnicliffe are new Monitors this term, and nine new boys maintain our numbers.

H.BB.—We must first deplore the loss of A. S. Forbes, whom we wish the heartiest success in Russia, J. D. Aitken, M. H. Canning, K. E. Champness, L. Tweedie-Smith, H. G. P. Rees, and wish W. J. Aitken every success up College. Our new boys total 13, which brings the number of the House up to 85. Last term we were runners up in Juniors, and only just beaten by Grant's in the final. Chidson and Davis must be congratulated on regaining their Shooting Pinks.

Our N.C.O.'s in the Corps are Davis (Col.-Sgt.), Chidson (Sgt.), Garvin (Cpl.), Taylor (Lce.-Cpl.),

and Robertson (Lce.-Cpl. in the Band).

With several representatives in the first and second elevens, our footer prospects are very bright, and we hope to see a stream of Cups flowing to the Upper. Congratulations to Chidson on the Ireland.

RIGAUD'S.—Our first duty this term is that of—congratulation, did you say, sir? Quite wrong: it is of commiseration with ourselves for having lost such stalwarts as Pink, Hurst-Brown, Bovey, Cobbold, to mention but a few of our losses.

Vernham and Bechman have been made Monitors, and Kerpen, Chambers, Besson, Lambe, and Young have entered the sacred portals of Under, and there are a large number of new boys. As regards prospects for the future, we must admit that for the most part we are a rather young house, Nestors being conspicuous by their absence; nevertheless, we can remind ourselves of that aged adage, 'Youth will be served.' Trusting to this we have every hope of rendering a good account of ourselves in the realm of muddied oafs.

Whilst on this subject we must congratulate Vernham on House Colours, and on appearing for the 2nd XI.

In closing, we wish the House every success in the future, both in the examination room and on the green sward.

# Old Westminsters.

It is announced that Mr. Justice Bucknill, who was raised to the Bench in 1899, is about to retire.

The Dean of Christ Church is this year Vice-Chancellor.

The Ven. Arthur Kitchin, sometime Archdeacon of Calcutta, has been appointed to the Vicarage of Hardingston, near Northampton.

Mr. E. D. Adrian is elected Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge. He was in the First Class in both Parts of the Natural Science Tripos.

The Rev. E. V. Paget has been presented to the Vicarage of St. Augustine's, Hackney Wick.

Mr. E. S. S. Smurthwaite has been admitted with a Prize Cadetship to the Royal Military College, Sandhurst, and Mr. G. T. F. Moxon has passed into the Special Reserve and will receive a Commission in due course.

Under the title of 'Moods and Metres,' Messrs. Constable have published a volume of poems by the late Charles Newton-Robinson. Some of the poems have already appeared in various periodicals.

Mr. E. G. Hurd-Wood, who left at Election, was among the successful Candidates for the new Cadetships in the Navy.

Mr. Chaplin Court Treatt has been appointed an Assistant in the British Museum (Natural History). His line is ornithology.

Mr. F. G. Turner has been appointed to a Mastership at Felsted.

Mr. O. C. Sibley, who left at Election, has got a Scholarship (Arts) at the Middlesex Hospital.

Mr. V. Dvorkovitz has been elected to an exhibition for Natural Science at Emmanuel College, Cambridge.

# Births.

On July 20, the wife of William S. Osborne of a son.
On August 10, the wife of George Nixon Biggs,
M.B., B.S., of a son.

On August 31, the wife of Charles C. Gover of a son.

On September 13, the wife of Horace Edward Wilkie Young of a son.

On September 26, the Lady Leishman of a daughter.

On October 3, the wife of Hugh T. Sheringham of a son.

# Marriages.

CONOLLY—FRASER.—On August 9, Arthur Egbert Hugh Conolly to Elsie Maude, youngest daughter of H. Lacy Fraser, Barrister-at-Law.

PROBYN—MORGAN.—On September II, Stanley Clifford Probyn to Nest, daughter of Mrs. Morgan, of Emperor's Gate.

RIVAZ—SPENCER.—On August 13, Claude Farnworth Rivaz to Hilda Lilia, only daughter of F. M. Spencer, of Crawley Down, Sussex.

WALKER—WHEELER.—On July 4, Edward Clare Walker, Captain R.E., to Winifred Wheeler.

# Obituary.

Many Westminsters will regret the loss of George Walter Chapman, who died suddenly on September 5. He was admitted in 1860, and elected to Christ Church in 1866. He was called to the Bar in 1873, and after holding a post under the Chief Official Receiver, became an Official Receiver in 1899. This post he resigned about a year ago. Mr. Chapman was very popular among the staff at Bankruptcy Buildings, and was a well-known figure at our Play. His son was elected to a Christ Church Exhibition in 1908, and is now reading for the Bar.

A younger generation will remember Edward Christopher Graham-Jones, who lost his life on September 18 in the Fraser River in Canada at the age of twenty-six. He was a Civil Engineer on the Canadian Northern Railways, and was doing very well.

# Correspondence.

#### WESTMINSTER CRICKET.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

Dear Sir,—I have just received and read your July number, and notice two references to the fact that A. N. Charlton received his 'Pinks' after the Charterhouse match. The School is to be congratulated on winning what is generally considered to be the most important match of the season, but the ordinary person would have thought that the strenuous contest would not have been entered upon except by a duly constituted eleven of the School, and particularly as the match occurs towards the end of the cricket season. Probably there is some good reason to be adduced, but it seems curious that the members of the School constituting the eleven against Charterhouse should not all have previously received their 'Pinks.'

Yours faithfully, CONSERVATIVE.

# Our Contemporaries.

WE acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following: Our Boys' Magazine (2), The Blue, The Tonbridgian, The Trinity University Review, The Malvernian, The Edinburgh Academy Chronicle, The Carthusian, The R.M.A. Magazine, The Working Men's College Journal, Eton College Chronicle, The Arena (2), and The Constantia.

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