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## VALE.

LIKE many other words this has an added significance nowadays. We used to bid our friends good-bye with no particular thrill, but now it may be indeed good-bye, ultimate and everlasting, and the final benediction 'God be with you' takes on a sudden and startling sincerity. Like all other words, however, that express some primal emotion, it cannot be enlarged on; it is a theme on which no variations can be played. We can just say 'Good-bye,' and then make an end.

But to you who are staying on we have one other message, a much more important one.

You are the School now, we are outside it; and all our loyalty and belief centres in you, the living tradition. We wish you luck, and we exhort you to 'carry on,' not unmindful of your high responsibility which has made you heirs of the School's glory at such a time of critical and disturbing influences. Do not chafe at staying behind; 'Ripeness is all,' and, until your sphere of duty be changed, direct all your vitality to strengthening and glorifying the School. Fortunately all these wishes and exhortations can be expressed in one word, no less important and no less sincere than that which stands at the head of this page. It makes a fitting and harmonious conclusion.

**Floreat.**

## PRO PATRIA.

LIEUTENANT CHARLES DENNIS FISHER, R.N.V.R.; Engineer Commander EDWARD TUCKER MEESON, D.S.O.; Captain and Adjutant ARCHIBALD FRANCIS NOBLE, Cheshire Regiment; Major EUSTACE WALTER RUSSELL HADDEN, Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry; Captain KENNETH HARRISON ALLOA KELLIE, R.A.M.C.; 2nd Lieutenant MATTHEW ARDEN PHILLIMORE, Essex Regiment; 2nd Lieutenant ERIC HINCKES BIRD, Royal Fusiliers; 2nd Lieutenant OSCAR JACOB CHARLES KOHNSTAMM, Prince of Wales's Regiment; Captain GUSTAF OSCAR ROOS, York and Lancaster Regiment. Lieutenant WILLIAM HORACE VERE NELSON, Sherwood Foresters; Lieutenant FRANK STREET, Royal Fusiliers; 2nd Lieutenant DOUGLAS MORLEY GRIFFIN, the King's Regiment; Lieutenant GEORGE FREDERICK NOBLE WILKINSON, The King's Own.

We have suffered a heavy loss in the death of Mr. FISHER, who has for some time been a Governor of the School. A son of the late Herbert W. Fisher, Vice-Warden of the Stannaries, and a nephew of Mr. C. E. Fisher, Prebendary of Lichfield and Honorary Canon of Winton (who was admitted into College as Captain in 1853 and elected to Christ Church in 1857), he came as a Q.S. in 1891, and was elected Head to Christ Church in 1896. He played cricket for Oxford in 1900, when three other Westminsters also played. Graduating in the same year he soon afterwards was elected Student of Christ Church, and from that time had been a Tutor, and latterly Censor of the House. He also edited the text of Tacitus in the Oxford series of *Scriptores Classici*. On the outbreak of the war he took service with the R.A.M.C., and did excellent work in bringing back the wounded at night, a perilous task in which he had several narrow escapes. As a man of tried capacity in many lines he received last year a commission in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, and was aboard the *Invincible* when it went down in the battle of Horn Reef. *The Times* says that 'he was a great cricketer in his day and a man of very remarkable qualities. His death will be deeply felt not only by his new comrades, but by many generations of Oxford men.' At commemoration the Public Orator spoke of his death as the greatest loss suffered by Oxford during the war, and described him as 'specimen universorum fortitudinis, quem eruditio grammaticis, militibus et nautis

virtus, omnibus virilis illa suavitas ingenii commendabat.'

Of many notices which have appeared in the Press we would refer especially to one in *The Times* of June 20. It is a pleasure to add that a nephew of his own name is this year among the successful candidates in the Challenge.

Captain MEESON, who fell on the *Defence* in the same battle, was a son of Mr. Frederick Meeson, architect, of Highbury and Eastbourne. He was at the School for a year from April 1890, when he left us for the Navy, being at Keyham until 1899. He was in the action in the Heligoland Bight last August and received his D.S.O. for exceptional service in the fight. He was then on the *Laurel*.

Captain NOBLE, the only son of the late Mr. J. H. Noble, a London solicitor, was at the School from September 1898 to Election 1904. In 1908 he was admitted a solicitor. On the outbreak of the war he obtained a commission and went through the Staff College. He did specially good service as Adjutant of his Battalion.

Major HADDEN, the younger son of the late Rev. R. H. Hadden, incumbent of St. Mark's, South Audley Street, was at the School from September 1903 to Election 1908. He went to Christ Church and also obtained a commission in the Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry (T.F.). After graduating he was called to the Bar and took work in Siam. Returning for the war he obtained rapid promotion, and at the time of his early death was in command of his Battalion.

Captain KELLIE (formerly Kelly) was a son of Mr. George Kelly, and was at the School from January 1888 to Election 1893, when he matriculated at Cambridge from Caius College. Graduating in science he became an M.B. in 1905, and after acting as assistant house-surgeon at St. George's Hospital practised in Queen Anne Street. He was the author of a treatise on Hemophila. He joined the R.A.M.C. after the outbreak of war.

Mr. PHILLIMORE was the youngest son of Mr. George G. Phillimore and represented the fourth generation of his family at the School. Admitted as a K.S. in 1909 he was elected to a Christ Church Exhibition in 1914, but did not go into residence by reason of the outbreak of war. His commission was in the Essex Regiment, but he was at one time

attached to a tunnelling company of the Royal Engineers. He had artistic tastes and much personal charm.

Mr. BIRD, the second son of the late Dr. Arthur Hinckes Bird, was at the School from January 1907 to Election 1912. He went to Sandhurst and obtained a commission just after the outbreak of the war. He was afterwards attached to the Royal Flying Corps.

Mr. KOHNSTAMM, the second of three brothers, of whom the eldest is on active service and the youngest still with us, was at the School from September 1911 to Christmas 1913. He was in the Inns of Court O.T.C., whence he obtained a commission in the regulars. He afterwards volunteered and qualified for machine gun service, and his Commanding Officer speaks in the highest tones of his work. He was only eighteen.

Captain Roos was the younger son of Mr. Gustaf Roos of Queen's Gate Terrace. He was admitted in 1882, became a Q.S. in 1883, and went to Balliol in 1887. He took a first-class in jurisprudence in 1891. As a law student in London he took a very active part in organising and managing working boys' clubs in the East End. Becoming later a solicitor he practised in Johannesburg, and in the Boer War joined Thorneycroft's Mounted Infantry. He was twice wounded and obtained the King's Medal and the Queen's Medal with six clasps. He came to England for the war, and though at first refused a commission on the ground of his age obtained

it by his importunity. He had boundless energy and great capacity, and was the most unselfish of men. He lived, as he died, for the good of others.

Mr. NELSON, the only son of Mr. Percy Nelson of Hanover Street, was admitted as a K.S. in September 1909, and elected to Trinity in 1914. He had showed promise of becoming a distinguished mathematician. He took a commission in 1914, and went to the front in November 1915. Under a quiet exterior he had much strength of character with a touch of idealism.

Mr. STREET, the younger son of the late John Bamfield Street, barrister-at-law, was admitted as a Q.S. in 1884 and elected to Christ Church in 1889. He was a great athlete, and in 1892 captain of the O.U.A.F.C. When the war broke out he was a master at Uppingham, and lately married. In spite of his age, he felt it his duty to go to the war, and the loss of so excellent a man will be widely lamented.

Mr. GRIFFIN, the only son of the late William Hall Griffin, the biographer of Browning, was admitted a K.S. in 1903, and left on his father's death in 1907. He was a boy of character, and faced misfortune with the courage which he afterwards showed in war.

Mr. WILKINSON, the son of Mr. R. D. Wilkinson of Lewisham, was at the School from May 1906 to Election 1909 and joined the Army for the War.

### School Notes.

THE offertory on Ascension Day amounted to £4 6s. 1d., and on the Patron Festival of St. Peter, Apostle and Martyr, to £4 1s. 4d.

The third trial of Orations was heard Up School on Friday, July 7. The piece set was part of a speech by the Prime Minister. Brandon-Thomas was adjudged best, and thus secured the prize.

As a result of the recent Challenge the following were recommended:—*To College*: R. C. Fisher, E. M. Butler, R. F. L. Moohan, R. P. Hinks, L. R. Last, G. O. George, P. J. Allen, F. M. M. Egton-Jones, T. I. Lloyd, R. C. Storrs. *To Non-Resident Scholarships*: J. A. W. Gibson, J. B. Harden,\* W. T. Lord.\* *To Exhibitions*: F. M. L. Jackson (£30)\*, A. H. T. Chisholm (£30), D. E. N. Bedford (£20).

\*Already in the School.

The Phillimore Essay Prize has been awarded to Harrod.

The Swimming Competition will be held on July 11 and 18.

There will be no Election Dinner this year.

G. P. Pakenham-Walsh and G. G. F. Greig regained their Pinks after the match *v.* M.C.C. C. E. Stones regained his Pinks after the first Charterhouse match. H. J. Salwey and M. G. Farquharson were given their Pinks after the match *v.* Surrey C. and G. W. E. Gerrish was given his Pinks after the Tonbridge match. T. M. Ker was given his Pinks after the match *v.* Mr. E. H. D. Sewell's XI.

F. R. Oliver and G. G. F. Greig have been asked, and have accepted the invitation, to play for the 'Rest' against 'The Lords Schools' at Lords on August 7 and 8.

F. R. Oliver, N. P. Andrews and G. G. F. Greig have also accepted the invitation to play against the Artists at Leyton on July 28th and 29th.

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### O.T.C.

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THE Annual Inspection of the Contingent was held on Tuesday, July 4, the Inspecting Officer being, as last year, Brigadier-General A. Broadwood, M.V.O. The company showed admirable steadiness during a rather protracted inspection, and kept a good time during the first march-past. The return was not so good. After a little platoon drill and extended-order work, the Inspecting Officer addressed the parade and expressed great satisfaction with what he had seen. It was rather a disappointment that the Contingent was not allowed to do any Company drill.

There has been only one Field Day this term, but it was most successful, though rather long and tiring. The criticisms made by various umpires at the conclusion of operations were printed and copies sent to all the Schools taking part. They will be of considerable value to all. We have to thank Col. Errington, of the Inns of Court O.T.C., for this and for the other arrangements that he made for a most enjoyable day.

There has been no shooting at Bisley this term, but there have been miniature rifle matches with other schools on most Wednesdays, but not with great success. The rifles need overhauling and the light on the range is not of the best. The VIII. have shown commendable keenness, and it has not been their fault that they have not won more matches. Many of them are excellent miniature-range shots.

An unofficial Camp at Tidworth has been arranged by Eton from August 1-9 to which we and half-a-dozen more schools are going. Three officers and about 120 Cadets are attending this Camp. The number would have been larger but for the fact that term ends on July 25, and there is, therefore, a week between the last day of Eton and the first day of Camp.

In conclusion, the Officer commanding would wish to thank all ranks for their work during the past term. Everybody has shown a good spirit and done his best. The N.C.O.s' class under the Drill Sergeant from the Guards, the band under the Drum-Major of the 5th Grenadier Guards and Sergt. Kitchin, the Signallers under C.Q.M.S. Brandon-Thomas have all done most creditable work. The long illness ending in the sudden death of Sergt.-Instructor Melican might in other years have led to a falling off in efficiency. That this was not so was very largely due to the admirable work of C.S.M. Davison and C.S.M. Robertson. C.Q.M.S. Brandon-Thomas has laboured de-

votedly in his department. The Senior N.C.O.s have supported the officers and the C.S.M.s in a way that left nothing to be desired.

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### SERGEANT-INSTRUCTOR MELICAN.

Though Sergeant-Instructor Melican had been in ill-health for some time, his death came as a most unexpected blow to the School. Few instructors can have so won the hearts of all Cadets as our late Sergt.-Instructor. A most efficient and painstaking teacher, he kept good discipline without ever losing the goodwill of those under him. Ever cheerful, kind-hearted and good-tempered, he was beloved by all, and by none so much as those Cadets who came in contact with him in the Annual Camps of the O.T.C., where he showed a sunny temper and unbounded energy which earned often the outspoken admiration of officers of other contingents in the neighbouring lines. His death will be a personal loss to all O.W.W. and to none more than the writer, who for over six years has been associated with him in the Officers' Training Corps, to whom, when Officer Commanding, his services were invaluable, a testimony to which preceding O.C.s would undoubtedly subscribe.

A. T. W.

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### THE FIELDS.

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WESTMINSTER SCHOOL *v.* INNS OF COURT.

MAY 13.

(Drawn.)

OUR first match unfortunately had to be left drawn, owing to rain, at the conclusion of the School's innings. The wicket and outfield were very slow when Oliver and Gerrish opened to the bowling of Hall and Considine. At 13 Gerrish was caught at mid-off, but Andrews and Oliver looked like making a stand until the latter was bowled in trying to turn a ball to leg. Andrews made some good shots, and several others showed good form, especially Farquharson, but it was very difficult to get the ball away owing to the slow state of the ground. Nevertheless our total reached 130, no mean score under the circumstances. For the Inns of Court, Hall bowled well without any luck, and Considine, Forbres and Clarke each took 3 wickets, the latter, in addition, making five catches altogether.

#### WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

F. R. Oliver, b Gaby .....	14
W. E. Gerrish, c E. C. K. Clarke, b Considine	3
N. P. Andrews, c E. C. K. Clarke, b Forbres	22
G. Pakenham-Walsh, b E. C. K. Clarke .....	4
T. M. Ker, c Hall, b Forbres .....	13

L. H. H. Lowe, c & b E. C. K. Clarke .....	3
G. G. F. Greig, b Forbres .....	11
M. G. Farquharson, c & b E. C. K. Clarke ...	16
D. A. Radermacher, c E. C. K. Clarke, b Considine .....	14
C. E. Stones, c & b Considine ..	1
H. N. Rudge, not out .....	11
Extras, byes 16, leg-byes 2 .....	18
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Total .....	130

INNS OF COURT did not bat.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. ESSEX CLUB  
AND GROUND.

MAY 20.

(Lost.)

The Visitors won the toss, and decided to bat first on a beautiful wicket. Runs came freely, but at 29 Oliver, who had changed ends, bowled Dr. Cummings. The next batsman did not stay long, but Phillips, who was fortunate in being missed early in his innings, joined Cooper, and it was not till the century had been passed that the latter was bowled by Oliver with a ball which came very quickly off the pitch. Dr. Holton hit hard for his 23, but Stocks, the old Oxonian, was yorked by Greig first ball. Phillips, however, continued to score fast till he reached his hundred, when he was let off several times. Finally he was caught by Rudge for an excellent innings of 111. Cockett batted well for his 25, but no one else did much, and the innings closed for 258. Oliver bowled well, keeping a good length throughout, his figures being 5 for 69. Ker who opened our innings with Stones, started by hitting a couple of fours, but he and his partner were soon out. Stocks was at this time bowling very well. Andrews played well, as did Salwey and Farquharson, who made a valuable stand, but no one else except Greig made many, and the whole side were out for 138. The batting was very disappointing, as Dr. Holton, who bowls slow leg breaks, should never have been allowed to take 6 for 15 on such a perfect batsman's wicket.

Score and analysis :—

ESSEX CLUB AND GROUND.

Dr. Cummings, b Oliver .....	15
N. Cooper, b Oliver .....	38
A. Thompson, b Greig ..	5
P. Phillips, c Rudge, b Oliver .....	111
Dr. Holton, b Greig ...	23
F. W. Stocks, b Greig .....	0
F. W. Clarke, b Oliver .....	9
E. E. Cockett, not out .....	25
O. P. Borrodale, st Gerrish, b Oliver .....	0
H. E. A. Cooper, b Stones .....	1
Extras, byes 31, wide 1 .....	32
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Total .....	258

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

C. E. Stones, b Stocks .....	3
T. M. Ker, b Cooper .....	11
N. P. Andrews, b Stocks .....	26
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, b Stocks .....	1
M. G. Farquharson, b Holton .....	35
H. J. Salwey, c A. Thompson, b Holton .....	29
G. G. F. Greig, b Holton .....	19
F. R. Oliver, c Stocks, b Holton .....	0
D. A. Radermacher, not out .....	5
W. E. Gerrish, b Holton .....	0
H. N. Rudge, b Holton .....	0
Extras, byes 8, leg byes 1 .....	9
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Total .....	133

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

ESSEX CLUB AND GROUND.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets
F. R. Oliver .....	25	3	69	5
C. E. Stones .....	8	1	32	1
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh .....	5	0	18	0
G. G. F. Greig .....	21	6	76	3
H. N. Rudge .....	7	1	25	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. W. Stocks .....	13	1	45	3
N. Cooper .....	8	0	40	1
J. Phillips .....	6	0	24	0
Dr. Holton .....	9.6	3	15	6
H. E. A. Cooper .....	2	0	5	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. M.C.C.

MAY 27.

(Won.)

This match was played on a beautiful wicket and we were fortunate enough to win the toss. Stones was soon out, but Oliver and Andrews took the score to 68, both scoring very quickly, and this was followed by an even bigger stand by Oliver and Farquharson, and it was not till 153 that the former was stumped off Dr. Holton for a brilliant innings of 80, put together in 1½ hours by splendid strokes all round the wicket, the principal feature being good cutting. Both Farquharson and Greig also played very fine innings, the former being very sound and the latter hitting with great power ; finally we reached the excellent total of 330. Dr. Holton, although not meeting with such success as the week before took 5 wickets for 99. When the M.C.C. went in Pakenham-Walsh took two wickets very quickly, while Oliver dismissed Cassavetti. Six wickets were down for 61, and though both Christopherson and Leigh Ibbs batted well they were all out for 133, the match thus ending in a victory for the School by 197 runs. In spite of the age of our opponents, it was undoubtedly a very good performance on the part of the School to win so decisively, as the M.C.C. team contained many well-known cricketers of former days.

Score and analysis :—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

F. R. Oliver, st Latham, b Dr. Holton .....	80
C. E. Stones, b Hearne .....	6
N. P. Andrews, c Christopherson, b Hearne ...	35
M. G. Farquharson, c & b Dr. Holton .....	65
H. J. Salwey, c Latham, b Hearne .....	14
G. G. F. Greig, c Hale b Dr. Holton .....	72
D. A. Radermacher, c Latham, b Hale .....	13
G. Pakenham-Walsh, st Latham, b Dr. Holton	8
T. M. Ker, not out .....	21
L. H. H. Lowe, not out.....	7
V. Croome, lbw, Dr. Holton.....	0
Extras, byes 8, leg-byes 3 ..	11

Total ..... 330

M.C.C.

D. J. Cassavetti, lbw, b Oliver .....	6
A. M. Latham, b Pakenham-Walsh .....	2
W. R. Collins, b Pakenham-Walsh .....	0
W. S. Hale, b Stones .....	38
P. J. M. More, b Oliver.....	5
O. R. Borrodaile, c Salwey, b Pakenham-Walsh	11
Dr. E. W. Holton, c Andrews, b Stones .....	1
S. Christopherson, c Pakenham-Walsh, b Oliver	29
Hearne (J. T.), run out .....	0
R. Leigh Ibbs, st Croome, b Oliver .....	21
C. G. Hulton, not out .....	4
Extras, byes 10, leg-byes, 6 .....	16

Total ..... 133

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Hearne (J. T.) .....	27	0	123	3
S. Christopherson ...	10	0	47	0
P. J. More .....	4	0	20	0
Dr. F. W. Holton ...	19	0	99	5
D. J. Cassavetti .....	4	0	22	0
W. S. Hale .....	2	0	8	1

M.C.C.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. Oliver .....	14	1	51	4
G. Pakenham-Walsh	7	3	19	3
G. G. F. Greig .....	7	0	27	0
C. E. Stones .....	8	1	20	2

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. CHARTERHOUSE.

JUNE 3.

(Lost.)

In the first of our two matches against Charterhouse, as so often happens when we visit Godalming, we completely failed to play up to our proper form, and were well beaten by an innings and 83 runs. Oliver won the toss, and himself opened the innings with Stones. Runs soon came freely, and

both batsmen seemed quite at home with the bowling of Hollowell and Cawston. At 28, however, Stones played a ball on to his wicket. Andrews hit a couple of fours, but was then bowled by Cawston, 2 wickets being down for 43. Farquharson was easily caught and bowled, and Salwey and Greig followed in quick succession, all three being dismissed without scoring. Radermacher then joined Oliver, but soon after the latter was unfortunately bowled off his pads; he had played a very good innings, and was the only one to show any confidence, and he was batting three-quarters of an hour for his 24. The rest offered little resistance, and the innings closed for 76, Hollowell taking 6 wickets for 32, and Cawston 4 for 39. Charterhouse started confidently, but Watkins going on at 31 soon dismissed three of their best batsmen, while Oliver bowled Rucker first ball, four wickets then being down for 53. Beck and Cooke, however, made a useful stand, taking the score to 99, when both were dismissed, Beck having played a fine innings for 56. Eight wickets were down for 110 when Woodlridge was joined by Vincent, and though neither showed particularly good form we were unable to separate them, Cawston finally declaring at 224 for 8. Stones came out with the best analysis, 4 for 46, while Watkins secured 3 for 45. On going in a second time Westminster fared even worse. Salwey played very well for his 22, and Greig looked like making runs until bowled by a slower ball from Hollowell, but no one else did anything, and we were all out for 65. The heavy defeat was especially disappointing, as the majority of the Carthusian batsmen did not shape particularly well, and their bowling was flattered considerably by our very poor batting display, though Hollowell and Cawston are undoubtedly a dangerous pair. Our very best thanks are due to all Carthusians for their kindness.

Score and analysis :—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

F. R. Oliver, b Hollowell... 24	b Hollowell.....	0	
C. E. Stones, b Hollowell 13	c Reiss, b Cawston .....	1	
N. P. Andrews, b Cawston 9	b Hollowell.....	8	
M. G. Farquharson, c & b Hollowell .....	b Cawston .....	0	
H. J. Salwey, lbw, b Cawston 0	st Vincent, b Beck.....	22	
G. G. F. Greig, b Cawston 0	b Hollowell.....	18	
D. A. Radermacher, b Hollowell .....	c Broadway, b Beck .....	2	
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, lbw, b Cawston .....	c Cawston, b Beck.....	2	
L. H. H. Lowe, c Reiss, b Hollowell .....	not out.....	0	
H. W. Watkins, c Reiss, b Hollowell .....	c Broadway, b Beck .....	0	
W. E. Gerrish, not out .....	lbw, b Hollowell .....	0	
Extras, byes 6, leg-byes 6 ...		12	
Extras, byes 5 ...		5	
Total .....	76	Total .....	65

CHARTERHOUSE.

P. R. Broadway, b Watkins .....	14
J. B. Beck, c Oliver, b Stones .....	56
R. S. Rucker, b Oliver .....	0
T. H. P. Beeching, b Watkins .....	14
V. Reiss, b Watkins .....	0
R. B. B. Cooke, c Gerrish, b Stones .....	18
G. Cawston, c Watkins, b Stones .....	0
R. L. G. Garth, c Greig, b Stones .....	4
J. W. T. Woolridge, not out.....	63
H. N. Vincent, not out .....	45
P. W. C. Hollowell did not bat.	
Extras, byes 6, leg-byes 2 .....	10

Total ..... 224\*

\* Innings declared closed.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.—1st innings.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
P. W. C. Hollowell	14.4	2	32	6
G. Cawston .....	14	3	39	4

2nd innings.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
P. W. C. Hollowell	9	2	25	4
G. Cawston .....	10	1	21	2
J. B. Beck .....	2.4	1	6	4
P. R. Broadway.....	1	0	1	0

CHARTERHOUSE.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. Oliver .....	14	0	54	1
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	5	0	28	0
H. W. Watkins .....	10	0	45	3
C. E. Stones .....	14	2	46	4
G. G. F. Greig .....	7	0	31	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. SURREY C. & G.  
AT THE OVAL.

JUNE 7.

(Lost.)

Surrey winning the toss took first innings on a very easy wicket, and runs came steadily from Sewell and Colman, in spite of some good bowling. The century was reached without loss, but at 108 Colman was bowled by Walsh, and lunch was taken with the score at 187 for 3, Sewell being splendidly caught in the long field by Stones for a magnificent innings of 115, compiled without a chance in one and three-quarter hours, and marked by very powerful driving. Feeny also made some good strokes before being bowled off his pads by a swinger from Oliver, while Gilligan also hit hard. The game was now frequently interrupted by showers, and after a particularly heavy one the Surrey innings was closed at 259 for 7.

The School innings was opened by Oliver and Stones to the bowling of Gilligan and Sewell, fast and slow right hand respectively. Three wickets fell for 46, Andrews being very well caught at the wicket on the leg side, and Oliver bowled by a beautiful ball from Gilligan, which just removed the leg bail. Farquharson was then joined by Salwey, and the most profitable stand of the

innings ensued; both playing good cricket, Salwey especially making some excellent shots. Farquharson was dismissed at 108, Davies made one or two good shots, and Greig hit very hard, but no one did very much, and the innings closed for 171, the School thus losing by 88 runs. Salwey was out in rather unfortunate fashion, for Sewell, stopping a very hard return from Greig, put the wicket down very cleverly.

Score and analysis:—

SURREY CLUB AND GROUND.

S. Colman, b Pakenham-Walsh .....	39
E. H. D. Sewell, c Stones, b Watkins .....	115
L. S. Wells, b Greig .....	10
V. F. Feeny, b Oliver .....	23
A. E. R. Gilligan, c & b Stones.....	19
A. M. Latham, not out .....	11
W. T. Graburn, c Greig, b Oliver .....	12
G. R. Blades, b Watkins .....	10
Sullivan, not out .....	3
S. Barraclough } did not bat	
W. Lotinga }	
Extras, byes 17 .....	17

Total ..... 259\*

\* Innings declared closed.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

F. R. Oliver, b Gilligan .....	15
C. E. Stones, c Colman, b Sewell.....	10
N. P. Andrews, c Latham, b Sewell.....	11
M. G. Farquharson, c Colman, b Wells .....	29
H. J. Salwey, run out .....	56
H. C. D. Davies, st Latham, b Sewell .....	5
T. M. Ker, c & b Sewell.....	9
G. G. F. Greig, c & b Wells .....	16
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, c Colman, b Wells.....	2
H. W. Watkins, c Feeny, b Wells .....	7
W. E. Gerrish, not out .....	2
Extras, byes 7, leg-byes 2 .....	9

Total ..... 171

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

SURREY CLUB AND GROUND.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. Oliver .. . . . .	19	1	78	2
C. E. Stones .....	14	1	54	1
G. G. F. Greig .....	10	1	58	1
H. W. Watkins .....	7	0	33	2
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	4	0	19	1

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
E. H. D. Sewell .....	21	0	72	4
A. E. R. Gilligan .....	11	2	28	1
V. F. Feeny .....	3	0	16	0
L. S. Wells .....	9	1	37	4
G. R. Blades .....	3	0	9	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. RADLEY COLLEGE.

JUNE 10.

(Won.)

Baker won the toss, and Radley opened their innings with ffolkes and B. R. Hannen. Off Oliver's second ball the former was caught in the slips,

and soon after Hannen fell to the same bowler. Wickets continued to fall fast, six men being out for 58. Baker helped L. G. Hannen to take the score to 93, and the last wicket put on a valuable 30 runs, the whole side being out at lunch time for 129 runs. L. G. Hannen, who was last out, played a splendid innings, and his 61 was a very fine effort. Greig and Stones both came out with good analyses, the former taking 4 wickets for 11, and the latter 4 for 25. There had been frequent showers during the morning, and when the School went in the wicket was very slow and easy. Stones was soon out, but Oliver and Andrews made a good stand which practically settled the match, taking the score to 88 before the former was well caught at cover point for a sound 32. At 112 Andrews was caught and bowled for an excellent innings of 65. The score was passed with 3 wickets down, and soon after there was another heavy shower. Greig and Pakenham-Walsh both hit hard, and our score finally reached 238. The Radley bowling was never very dangerous, though they were handicapped to some extent by the slow wicket, as most of them were of fast medium pace.

Score and analysis :—

RADLEY COLLEGE.

B. R. Hannen, b Oliver .....	13
W. R. C. ffolkes, c Stones, b Oliver .....	0
L. G. Hannen, c & b Greig .....	61
R. J. Moreton, c Farquharson, b Stones .....	5
F. S. May, st Gerrish, b Stones .....	2
V. P. Vickerman, b Stones .....	0
M. W. Yates, b Stones .....	8
A. R. Baker, c Gerrish, b Greig .....	18
C. H. L. Bubb, lbw, b Greig .....	4
D. B. Cancellor, b Greig .....	1
G. L. Garratt, not out .....	8
Extras, byes 5, leg-byes 2, wide 1, no-ball 1	9
Total .....	129

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

F. R. Oliver, c L. G. Hannen, b Garratt .....	32
C. E. Stones, c Garratt, b Baker .....	4
N. P. Andrews, c & b Yates .....	65
M. G. Farquharson, b L. G. Hannen .....	6
H. J. Salwey, c ffolkes, b Bubb .....	14
G. G. F. Greig, b Cancellor .....	34
H. C. D. Davies, b L. G. Hannen .....	0
T. M. Ker, c Garratt, b Cancellor .....	13
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, not out .....	39
H. W. Watkins, run out .....	9
W. E. Gerrish, c Baker, b Bubb .....	0
Extras, byes 19, wides 3 .....	22
Total .....	238

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

RADLEY COLLEGE.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. Oliver .....	13	1	58	2
H. W. Watkins.....	3	0	26	0
C. E. Stones .....	7	2	25	4
G. G. F. Greig .....	4.4	1	11	4

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
A. R. Baker .....	11	1	41	1
C. H. L. Bubb .....	13	3	42	2
G. L. Garratt.....	10	2	31	1
D. B. Cancellor .....	12	0	48	2
L. G. Hannen .....	14	1	30	2
M. W. Yates .....	2	1	4	1
B. R. Hannen .....	1	1	0	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. TONBRIDGE.  
JUNE 24.

(Lost.)

Tonbridge having won the toss opened their innings on a very slow and easy wicket to the bowling of Oliver and Stones. The former, helped by a cross wind, was swinging the ball considerably, and soon bowled Fitzgerald off his pads. Hedges now joined Garratt, and the score mounted steadily, no one except Oliver being able to find a length. After rain had caused a brief interval Garratt was out lbw, but Hedges and Culhane made another useful stand, and Evans hit very hard. Seven wickets were down for 101, but the last three batsmen, helped by the missing of two easy catches, put on 60 runs by hard hitting. Oliver, who had bowled consistently well throughout, had the fine analysis of 6 for 53, but our other bowlers were quite out of form, and were punished severely. Disaster soon overtook us, Ker being bowled in the first over, and wickets fell quickly. Salwey was magnificently caught in the slips by Culhane, and 6 wickets were down for 49, no one playing Weldon's fast bowling or Fitzgerald's lobs with any confidence. Oliver, who was batting well, was caught at the wicket at 61, and then Radermacher, who had at last settled down, was joined by Pakenham-Walsh. This pair made a valuable stand, and took the score to 100 before being separated. Watkins kept up his end well, but at 117 Pakenham-Walsh was bowled for a very useful innings of 33. Gerrish and Watkins put on a further 15, when we were all out for 132, thus losing by 29 runs. Our batting was very disappointing as the wicket was very easy all through. Gerrish, as in the previous match against Radley, kept wicket very well indeed.

Score and analysis :—

TONBRIDGE SCHOOL.

P. H. Fitzgerald, b Oliver .....	8
A. L. Garratt, lbw, b Oliver .....	19
L. P. Hedges, b Stones .....	35
R. C. Culhane, c Radermacher, b Oliver .....	10
C. H. Evans, b Stones.....	15
T. F. S. Sawyer, c Watkins, b Oliver .....	5
E. P. W. Lewis, run out.....	5
F. W. Bennett, b Greig .....	10
G. D. Hale, b Oliver .....	19
A. H. Musson, run out .....	12
J. H. Weldon, b Oliver .....	14
Extras, byes 7, leg-bye 1, wide 1 .....	9
Total .....	161



WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

C. E. Stones, b Welldon .....	7
T. M. Ker, b Musson .....	6
N. P. Andrews, b Welldon.....	1
M. G. Farquharson, b Fitzgerald .....	9
H. J. Salwey, c Culhane, b Hale .....	6
F. R. Oliver, c Bennett, b Welldon .....	10
G. G. F. Greig, c Hale, b Fitzgerald .....	8
D. A. Radermacher, c Hale, b Fitzgerald .....	19
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, b Welldon .....	33
H. W. Watkins, c Hale, b Fitzgerald .....	4
W. E. Gerrish, not out .....	6
Extras, byes 21, leg-byes 1, no ball 1 .....	23
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>132</b>

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

TONBRIDGE SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. Oliver .....	19	4	53	6
C. E. Stones .....	11	0	53	2
G. G. F. Greig .....	9	1	34	1
H. W. Watkins .....	3	1	12	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
A. H. Musson.....	14	4	20	1
J. H. Welldon .....	17	5	27	4
G. D. Hale .....	12	4	20	1
P. H. Fitzgerald.....	14.2	2	23	4
T. F. S. Sawyer.....	4	2	6	0
E. P. W. Lewis.....	5	1	13	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. ARTISTS' RIFLES.

JUNE 28.

(Won.)

The School batted first on an excellent wicket, and very quickly lost Oliver and Radermacher. Farquharson and Andrews made a good stand until the former was well caught at the wicket, while Andrews continued to play splendid cricket, receiving further help from Salwey, who, however, was most unfortunately run out. At 118 Andrews was caught at mid-off for a brilliant and invaluable 71, and eight wickets were down for 138. The last two wickets added 91 runs, Pakenham-Walsh and Stones taking the score to 182, while the latter and Croome put on 49 more for the last wicket, all three showing very good form, and finally we reached 229, a total far larger than at one time seemed probable. A heavy storm then broke over the ground, and when play was continued both the ball and the turf were very slippery. Glibbery did not stay long, but Hartley, the Lancashire cricketer, aided by Grenside, took the score to 84 before the latter was bowled by Oliver, and soon after Hartley was dismissed by Greig, both having played excellent cricket. A collapse ensued, and 9 wickets were down for 120. A good stand was made for the last wicket, and 40 runs were added before Ford was out lbw to Oliver. The latter and Greig, who both bowled very well, took 5 for 66 and 5 for 39 respectively. This victory by 69 runs was quite one of the best performances we have

accomplished this term, as the Artists had a hitherto unbeaten record.

Score and analysis :—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

F. R. Oliver, b Sgt. Thorpe .....	1
D. A. Radermacher, b Cadet Ford .....	2
M. G. Farquharson, c Lubbock, b Sgt. Thorpe ..	19
N. P. Andrews, c Swainson, b Sgt. Thorpe ...	71
H. J. Salwey, run out.....	16
G. G. F. Greig, b Sgt. Thorpe .....	2
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, b Cadet Wailes .....	48
L. H. H. Lowe, b Cadet Ford.....	0
T. M. Ker, b Sgt. Thorpe.....	9
C. E. Stones, lbw, b Cadet Beach .....	36
V. Croome, not out.....	18
Extras, byes 7 .....	7
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>229</b>

ARTISTS' RIFLES.

Cadet A. Hartley, b Greig.....	43
B. G. M. S. Glibbery, c Greig, b Oliver.....	5
Cadet Grenside, b Oliver .....	36
Cadet Gunn, b Oliver.....	2
Cadet Wailes, c Lowe, b Greig.....	5
Sgt. Thorpe, b Greig .....	4
Lce-Corpl. Swainson, not out.....	33
Cadet Beach, b Greig .....	0
2nd Lieut. Lubbock, b Greig .....	0
Cadet Ford, lbw, b Oliver.....	9
Cadet Hughes, lbw, b Oliver.....	10
Extras, byes 13 .....	13
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>160</b>

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

ARTISTS' RIFLES.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets
F. R. Oliver .....	22	3	66	5
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh .....	6	0	27	0
C. E. Stones .....	5	1	15	0
G. G. F. Greig .....	18	6	39	5

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Sgt. Thorpe .....	31	2	105	5
Cadet Ford.....	15	2	50	2
Lce-Corpl. Swainson .....	4	0	25	0
Cadet Beach .....	1.5	0	5	1
Cadet Wailes .....	9	1	37	1

AVERAGES up to Charterhouse.

BATTING.

	No. of Innings	Times not out	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average
N. P. Andrews ...	10	0	255	71	25.50
F. R. Oliver .....	10	1	192	80	21.33
G. G. F. Greig ...	10	0	213	72	21.30
V. Croome .....	3	1	40	22	20.00
M. G. Farquharson	10	0	193	63	19.30
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh .....	10	2	152	48	19.00
H. J. Salwey .....	9	0	169	56	18.78
T. M. Ker .....	8	0	123	41	15.38
D. A. Radermacher	7	1	66	19	11.00
H. N. Rudge .....	2	1	11	11*	11.00
C. E. Stones .....	9	0	81	36	9.00
W. E. Gerrish ...	7	3	18	7*	4.50
H. W. Watkins ...	5	0	21	9	4.25
L. H. H. Lowe... ..	5	2	10	7*	3.33
H. C. D. Davies ..	2	0	5	5	2.50

\* Signifies not out.

## BOWLING.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
F. R. Oliver .....	153	14	578	30	19'23
C. E. Stones .....	74	10	281	14	20'07
G. G. F. Greig ...	94'4	16	404	16	25'25
H. W. Watkins...	31	2	143	5	28'60
G. P. Pakenham- Walsh .....	30	1	144	4	36'00
N. P. Andrews ...	4	0	37	1	37'00
H. N. Rudge.....	7	1	25	0	—

## THE GLEE SOCIETY.

## OFFICERS.

President ..	The Rev. The Headmaster
Vice-President ..	J. G. Ranalow, Esq.
Secretary ..	J. R. Brandon-Thomas
Treasurer ..	H. A. Meyer

The Glee Society has made a very welcome re-appearance this term, and this time we hope it has come to stay. Founded in 1884, it has been neglected, dropped and revived countless times in its varied career, its last concert being in 1912. Before criticising the actual concerts, a few words might be said of the work of the Society. At first glance it would seem that the School is phenomenally devoid of musical talent, and yet if opportunity arises how much there is if a little trouble be taken. The Society aims, firstly, at interesting the School in music and reading, introducing pieces not frequently heard, and yet now and then reviving an old favourite well worth the reviving; secondly, it endeavours to discover and foster any budding musician or singer and show him to the best advantage; and thirdly, to provide during the term an hour's concert, light and full of variety. In no way does the Society pretend to compete with the School Concert, but it does profess to give as varied a programme as an hour permits.

The first concert this term was given on Friday, May 26, at 4 p.m., the Headmaster having kindly given a play. The following is the programme:—

CHORUS	'Now is the Month of Maying'	Thomas Morley
	GLEE SOCIETY.	(1595).
VIOLIN SOLO ..	'Legende' .. ..	Bohm.
	A. G. MORRIS.	
DUET ..	'The Bold Gendarmes'	Offenbach.
	N. P. ANDREWS AND S. M. POTTER.	
CATCH ..	'The Spring is Come' .. ..	.. ..
	GLEE SOCIETY.	
RECITATION ..	.. ..	.. ..
	J. SARGEANT, ESQ.	
SONG	'Shipmates o' Mine'	Wilfred Sanderson.
	N. P. ANDREWS.	
VIOLIN SOLO	Variations on a theme of Corelli	Tartini- Kreisler.
	H. A. MEYER.	
CATCH	'White Sand and Grey Sand' .. ..	.. ..
	GLEE SOCIETY.	

SONG "A Thickening of the Tympanum" *Brandon-Thomas.*  
J. R. BRANDON-THOMAS.  
PART-SONG 'It was a Lover and his Lass' *J. Bishop.*  
GLEE SOCIETY.  
'GOD SAVE THE KING.'

The Society was not quite at home in the choruses, and no doubt this can be improved upon. Of the two violinists, Morris played with great charm, and Meyer perhaps showed greater spirit in his playing. The duet, 'The Bold Gendarmes,' was splendidly sung by Andrews and Potter, and every point in it was made. The star 'turn' of the day was Mr. Sargeant's recitation, and his amazing tales of nautical adventure 'in the year 12' kept the School in roars of laughter, which nearly became hysterics when he reached the sinking of the good ship 'Mudturtle.'

## WATER.

THE past Water Season has, on the whole, been very successful, due, in a great measure, to the kindness of the Thames Rowing Club in admitting us as hon. members and helping us in every way.

The 'Four' began training last Lent term under the guidance of M. Felix Taymans, an excellent coach and an amateur oarsman of the first rank, according to the unanimous opinion of Putney rowing men. This training has been pursued most vigorously throughout last term, the holidays, and the present term, with scarcely the intermission of a single day, which does great credit to the keenness and determination of the 'Four.'

During this term H. L. Storrs, a most excellent and capable stroke, unfortunately developed impetigo, which kept him from school for six weeks, and his place was taken by Young. Delay was also caused by Bare being down with measles, but the coach rowed in his place until his return some three weeks later.

As soon as it was seen that Storrs' illness was likely to last the 'Four' were finally settled, and consisted of:—G. F. Young (stroke), 10 st. 6 lb.; H. A. Howell, 11st. 5 lb.; R. G. Bare, 10 st. 5 lb.; P. T. E. Jackson (bow), 9 st. 8 lb.; C. A. A. Robertson, 7 st. 6 lb., cox. for the third year.

G. F. Young is especially to be commended for his splendid-stroking, though he is still rather inexperienced and sometimes does not use his head enough; however, he works very hard, and makes the rest of the crew follow him. His style is excellent in getting a splendid lift with his shoulders in the beginning and in making a very speedy recovery, and he has a very good chance of his Blue if he keeps up at the 'Varsity what he is doing at School.

H. A. Howell has not the style of Young, but his extremely long reach and power over the oar more than make up for this deficiency. He is not yet quite strong enough in his back, but practice will cure this weakness, and in course of time he should make a very powerful oar.

R. G. Bare, at first the strongest though youngest in the crew, changed considerably owing to his illness. He lost his strong, straight pull and finished with his hands low, which deprived his stroke of a great deal of its power, and made the recovery more difficult. In the last School race he had almost conquered these faults, and by next season will undoubtedly be a powerful oarsman, and in years to come should not fail to keep up the traditions of Water at Westminster.

P. T. E. Jackson has an excellent swing, and has done very hard work at bow. He is apt sometimes to row a little short, but his hard work on the water makes up for it. With more practice he should become a first-class oar.

The 'Four' as a whole, both in practice and races, have shown great powers of endurance and strength of will. They have acquired an exceptionally good style, which has won for them much praise from rowing experts.

#### TONBRIDGE *v.* WESTMINSTER.

This race was rowed on June 14 at Tonbridge, and resulted in a victory for the School by one and a half lengths.

The crew and coach went down to Tonbridge the day before and attempted to get used to the boat and course, which was three-quarters of a mile over an exceptionally difficult course of three 'S' bends, which proved a strain upon the cox, the two boats having two clear lengths water between them. However, in the race itself Young set a very slow stroke, which enabled Westminster to round all the corners including the worst one, where bowside had to stop rowing. During this time Tonbridge, who were accustomed to the river, caught up a length and a half. Young then quickened the stroke up gradually, and in the last two hundred yards Young worked the stroke up to such a pace that Tonbridge were left four and a half lengths behind, thus making the victory one and a half lengths. It is worthy of notice that Westminster now holds the record for this course, having rowed it in 4 min. 4 sec., beating the previous record (Winchester) by 2 sec.

TONBRIDGE CREW: Beadle (stroke), Porter, Peppercorn, Gamble (bow), Jeffries (cox).

#### THAMES CLUB RACE.

June 17, from Harrods' Wharf to Thames Rowing Club Boat House.

It was exceedingly disappointing that only three schools entered for this race, i.e. West-

minster, St. Paul's, and Kingston. Before speaking of this race, an important point must be noticed, namely, that St. Paul's had a very great advantage in their boat, which was a racing craft of the lightest build, as opposed to ours, which was heavy and strongly built.

At the start the School got away well and led for the first half-minute by half a length, when the weight of the boat forced them to give first place to St. Paul's. However, towards the end Westminster made a good spurt and pulled up considerably, but the victory of four lengths, as had been anticipated, went to the crew with the racing boat. Kingston rowed pluckily, but were completely outclassed.

ST. PAUL'S CREW: C. J. Lambert (stroke), 10 st. 7 lb.; S. R. Catterall, 10 st. 5 lb.; R. L. Heaton, 11 st. 5 lb.; L. C. Neville, 10 st. 3 lb. (bow); F. R. Richardson (cox), 7 st. 10 lb.

KINGSTON CREW: R. G. Alderson, 10 st. (stroke); G. M. Linzell, 11 st. 6 lb.; E. N. Duckering, 10 st. 4 lb.; J. H. Harmsworth, 8 st. 5 lb. (bow); D. Watson (cox), 7 st. 6 lb.

In a speech made at the Club afterwards Mr. Woodgate, one of the oldest and greatest authorities on rowing, especially complimented the Westminster crew on their style and the pluck with which they had so completely 'rowed themselves out.'

#### WESTMINSTER, WINCHESTER, ST. PAUL'S.

This, the last School race, was rowed at Putney on June 22. In this race also the School had the impossible handicap of contending with schools with racing boats, and the race, as far as Westminster was concerned, was a foregone conclusion. It must be remembered that the School rowed this uphill race with even greater determination than before, and succeeded in reducing the distance of their previous defeat. In fact, the race ended with the boats of St. Paul's, Winchester, and Westminster almost overlapping.

It should be noticed that St. Paul's time for this race of 1 mile 300 yds. was very good, being 5 min.

The School's time was 5 min. 4 sec.; and as St. Paul's boat is judged by rowing experts to be 10 sec. faster than that of Westminster it may be seen that the apparent loss of this race was really a victory.

#### THE SILVER SCULLS.

The activities of M. Taymans have not stopped at teaching the 'Four' rowing, but have also made a very fair sculler of each member of the crew, as was seen from the competition for the Silver Sculls on July 1, 3, 4, 5, which resulted in a victory for H. A. Howell, who sculled with distinct skill and strength, and will without doubt win laurels for himself and the School at Henley in years to come.

1ST ROUND: *Robertson v. Aitken*. In this race Robertson was defeated by a length and a half. *Young v. Brandon-Thomas*. The latter scratched allowing Young to enter the second round.

2ND ROUND: *Jackson v. Storrs*. Jackson won by a length and a half. *Aitken v. Bare*.—Bare won easily by five lengths. *Howell v. Friedberger*.—Howell won by three lengths. *Young v. Binney*.—Young won by three lengths.

SEMI-FINALS: *Jackson v. Bare*.—Bare won by a length. *Howell v. Young*.—Howell won.

FINAL: *Howell v. Bare*.—Bare got away at the start, but the greater weight of Howell soon gave him the lead. The race was very exciting, both rowing hard and well. Just at the finish Bare caught up half a length, but was finally beaten by a length and a half.

C. A. A. R.

### House Notes.

K.S.S.—We have to congratulate G. Pakenham-Walsh, G. G. F. Greig and M. G. Farquharson on cricket Pinks, and D. A. Radermacher and H. C. D. Davies on playing in the XI.

Considering we had not one member of the VIII in college we acquitted ourselves creditably in the Shooting Competition, being ten marks behind the winners.

We have to congratulate H. A. Meyer on winning the Eastlake Drawing Prize.

The Singing and Swimming Competitions are yet to come, as are the matches with the Town Boys up Fields and on the river; everywhere our prospects seem fairly bright.

We put up a good fight against Ashburnham in Cricket Juniors, but had bad luck in the state of the wicket.

The Literary Society is concluding the year's reading with the usual selections. We offer our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Raynor for the pleasant evenings this Society has always afforded us.

The death in action has been reported of M. A. Phillimore, who was a King's Scholar from 1909-1914, and of W. H. V. Nelson, who was also up College during the same years.

ASHBURNHAM.—Our House Notes this month consist chiefly in hopes for the future. We have good hopes of winning Cricket Juniors and the Inter-House Shooting. As regards the Swimming Cup, we have three of last year's team left.

Gerrish was given Pink and Whites after the Radley match, and Pinks after the Tonbridge match. Ker was given Pinks after the match against Mr. E. H. D. Sewell's XI. We heartily congratulate them both.

We also congratulate Dobbie on being made a monitor, bringing the number up to five, and Bare

on rowing for the School, and getting Pink and Whites.

In Seniors we were only three runs behind the holders on the first innings, Hobson and Holford especially distinguishing themselves. In Juniors we made a very creditable score against K.S.S.

Fives Ties are progressing rather uncertainly, but the end is at length in sight. Preparations for the Singing Competition are in full swing under Gerrish's able management, and we have great hopes of finding six people who can produce the required notes.

We heartily congratulate Lord on winning a Non-Resident Scholarship. Also Harrod on carrying off the Phillimore Essay Prize.

The Roll of Honour contains the names of two old Ashburnhamites, H. P. Frith and Major E. W. R. Hadden.

GRANT'S.—First we have to congratulate Salwey on getting his Pinks after the match against Surrey Club and Ground, and winning a bat for his score in the same match; Croome on winning his Pink and Whites; Oliver on winning two bats, one for his bowling against Tonbridge and another for his batting against the M.C.C.; Andrews also on winning two bats, one for his score against Radley and another for his score against the Artists' Rifles; and Morris and Vatcher on passing the exams. that they have been in for.

We have unfortunately lost Juniors this year, after holding the Cup for the last four years. In Seniors we led by a few runs on the first innings against A. H. H., and we look forward to winning the Shield for the third year in succession.

We have entered a four for the Inter-House rowing Competition, and the Inter-House Shooting Cup, and we hope to put up a creditable performance in both. We were glad to see that in the last Glee Society concert Grantites took as prominent a part as they always used to do. Brandon-Thomas must be congratulated on his highly successful work as Hon. Secretary in arranging the concert. Three more old Grantites have laid down their lives for their country: Capt. A. F. Noble, Capt. A. H. Kellie and 2nd Lieut. O. J. C. Kohnstamm.

Finally we wish all good luck to those of us who are going in for Election and are leaving to join the Army.

H.B.B.—Congratulations are due to Stones on regaining his Pinks, also to Robertson and Jackson, P. T. E., on representing the School in rowing, and to the latter on getting his Pink and Whites.

Harden, Gibson and Jackson F. must be congratulated on their successes in the Challenge. We are sorry to hear that Gibson has refused his Scholarship, but we are glad he is not leaving the House.

In Juniors we were, unfortunately, beaten by Rigaud's in the first round, while against the same House our Seniors are not doing very well, but we hope to do better on Brookman's return.

We wish all success to our swimming four, our shooting four, our singers and our House rowing four.

Finally we wish Maunsell, Brookman, Stones and Kitchin every success in their exams, and we hope that Lowe will manage to deceive the electors.

RIGAUD'S.—For once there is no lack of news to fill up our House Notes.

In the cricket world things are progressing slowly but favourably. In Juniors we gained an easy victory by 9 wickets over Home Boarders, and have drawn Grant's in the second round. In Seniors we again drew H.B.B., and have a lead of 50 runs on the first innings, thanks to a valuable 76 not out from Duttson. We are glad to see H. W. Watkins playing for the School against Tonbridge and Charterhouse, and congratulate him on his Pink and Whites. Duttson must also be congratulated on well-deserved House Colours.

Our chances in the Inter-House Shooting Competition should be good, as we have five people who have shot for the School VIII. from time to time, viz. Duttson, Bailey, Scholefield, Moss and Proger.

Howell and Young are to be congratulated on rowing for the School this year, and on getting their School rowing colours. With two of the School four in our boat, our chances for the Town Boy rudder are decidedly rosy.

We must not forget to congratulate B. G. Scholefield on getting the Masonic Lodge Essay.

The Literary Society has finished 'The Rivals' and is now half way through 'The School for Scandal.'

In conclusion we must again mourn the loss of Old Rigaudites who have fallen fighting: Engineer Commander E. H. T. Meeson, D.S.O., killed in the Naval Battle, and Lieut. E. H. Bird.

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### Old Westminsters.

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THE Rolleston Memorial Prize has been awarded to Mr. E. D. Adrian, Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge.

Mr. Ernest F. Goodhart has succeeded to his father's baronetcy.

Mr. Robert F. Macmillan, Chief Justice of West Australia, has received the honour of knight-hood.

We omitted to record in due time the preference of the Rev. Philip Druitt to the rectory of Fillingham in Lincolnshire.

Colonel (Temporary Brigadier-General) R. W. R. Barnes, D.S.O., has been made a Companion of the Bath, and Lieut.-Colonel A. A. McHardy, D.S.O., Major A. R. Hoskins, D.S.O., Colonel E. C. Freeman, M.D., and Lieut.-Colonel E. G. Curtis have been made Companions of St. Michael and St. George.

As we have hardly any undergraduates in residence, we cannot expect many names in the class lists. At Oxford Mr. J. W. N. Smith is in the second class in the Final Classical School.

Mr. J. H. Alderson has become a Life Subscriber to THE ELIZABETHAN.

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### Birth.

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ON May 28th, the wife of Sir James W. Ritchie, Bart., of a daughter.

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### Marriage.

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LOGAN-EVERARD.—On July 18th John Montagu Logan, Major in the Leicestershire Yeomanry, to Phyllis Muriel, only daughter of T. W. Everard, of Bradgate Park, Leicestershire.

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### Obituary.

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WITH deep regret we record the death of THOMAS STIRLING LEE, the distinguished sculptor, who was admitted in 1870. In 1877 he won the Gold Medal in the Royal Academy Schools, and was afterwards a frequent contributor to the exhibitions of the Royal Academy and the New Gallery. Among the former was the first of his panels designed for St. George's Hall, Liverpool. He carved the bust of Busby, presented by Dr. Rutherford on the Busby bicentenary, and now placed behind the Headmaster's chair up School. In social life he had great charm. He was a leading spirit in the Chelsea Art Club, and a very active Freemason. Since the beginning of the War he had done much work for the Old Westminsters Lodge. He was also a chief organiser of the first gathering of Public Schools Freemasons, when the service was held in the Abbey and School was lent for the dinner. He died suddenly on June 28th.

A younger generation regrets the death of HUGH FRANCIS JACOB, the younger son of Mr. Frank Jacob, C.E., admitted as a Q.S. in 1895. He left in 1901 to become a solicitor, and after admission went to Calcutta, where he afterwards became a partner in one of the leading firms in that city. He had an aptitude for law, and was thought likely to become one of the highest legal authorities in Bengal. He died on April 23 of enteric fever.

Almost contemporary was GEORGE WALTER ROSS, who died at Montreal on December 7. He was the son of Mr. G. E. A. Ross, barrister-at-law, and was at the School from September 1897 to Easter 1901.

Some years younger was THOMAS FRANK CANTLEY MARRIOTT, son of Mr. T. F. Marriott, of Bromley, Kent, who was at the School as a non-resident K.S. from September 1905, to Election 1910. He was in the Consular Service, and was for a time in Spain. His health broke and he was sent to St. Moritz as Acting Consul. There he died on July 6th.

### Correspondence.

#### THE LATE C. D. FISHER.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

SIR,—May I, as a contemporary of C. D. Fisher, indulge in the luxury of recalling his Westminster days? It was a school career of exceptional brilliance. He entered College as head of a By-Election in January, 1891, but at first showed no special promise, being handicapped by a poor state of health. At this time he used to go about with a face of such portentous solemnity that he was called 'The Owl.' It was the first of many nicknames, one of mysterious origin being 'Koshky'; another was 'Fuller,' as on some occasion or other he was confused with a boy of that name; later on (even to undergraduates as a Don at Oxford) he was simply 'Charles.'

After a considerable period 'out of School,' he returned, with his health firmly established, to leap into fame as a cricketer, and at the same time began to forge his way steadily through the Upper Forms, mathematics, for which he had a profound contempt, being his only stumbling-block. He never won a School Prize; but he had two years in the VIIth, and rose to be second monitor. He acted in three plays (as Lysiteles in 'Trinummus,' Pamphilus in 'Andria,' and Syrus in 'Adelphi'), and we find his performances criticised as 'manly' and 'humorous.'

At football, he gained his Third Elevens in 1893 as a forward, and his Pink and Whites in 1894. For the bulk of the 1894-5 season he played for the School in goal, a position for which his height and reach well suited him; but when another goalkeeper was found in K. H. Stenning he was wanted in the forward line, and gained his Pinks as inside-left in 1895, going centre in his last year. But he never shone as a footballer, being, in fact, somewhat clumsy on his legs; it is significant that he took no part in the Sports.

At cricket, though rather a stately figure, he had a natural aptitude for both batting and bowling, and soon

attracted notice, gaining his Pink and Whites in his second year, 1892, his Pinks in 1893, and being captain in 1895 and 1896. In the four years he played for the School, he was the mainstay of the bowling, taking no fewer than 173 wickets; is this a record? With the bat he was strangely unfortunate till his last year, though an occasional score of 70, attractively and faultlessly played, showed his undoubted ability.

The cricket team of 1896 was a three-man show, L. J. Moon and R. E. More making up the triumvirate with Fisher. Between them they made 67 per cent. of the runs; Fisher and More took 83 per cent. of the wickets, and Moon was the wicket-keeper. The averages are worth recalling:—

BATTING.				
	No. of Innings.	Highest Score.	Total.	Average
C. D. Fisher .....	13*	113	568	47'33
L. J. Moon .....	13	80	607	46'69
R. E. More .....	13	109	439	33'76

\*Once not out.

BOWLING.					
	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
C. D. Fisher.....	278	61	728	49	14'86
R. E. More .....	348	111	744	50	14'88

Fisher's not-out innings was a century (his second that season), brilliantly played to win the match against time, just after taking 7 wickets for 51 runs. These three players, with R. N. R. Blaker, also in that XI, met again at Lords in 1900, Fisher and More playing for Oxford and Moon and Blaker for Cambridge; it was the year of Oxford's record total of over 500, to which, if I remember aright, Fisher contributed about a score; I have also a recollection of him bowling S. H. Day. All four played for their counties, Fisher's being Sussex.

Even in those days he had, through a brother, a fairly intimate acquaintance with the Navy; I well remember him imparting to us the information that sailors judged how newly joined a man was by his ability (or the reverse) to spit brown.

An O.W., who met him a few weeks ago, told me he had acquired a regular nautical flavour, and looked more gigantic than ever. Well may it be said of him in the Homeric phrase (as we used to translate it) that he was 'mighty and mightily fallen.'—Yours, etc.,

Q. S.

#### JAMES CARKESSE.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE CLUB,  
PALM MALL, S.W.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—According to a note in Macray's Addenda to Bloxam's Register, James Carkesse in 1683 was Headmaster of Chelmsford School.—Yours, etc.,

W. A. P.

#### A PLEA FOR 'WATER.'

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

SIR,—The welcome revival of rowing during the present season has been due to three causes. First to the enthusiasm of a few of the boys; secondly to the generous hospitality of the Thames Rowing Club, who placed their Club-house and boats at the disposal of the School, and whose members took a keen interest in the training and performances of the boys; and thirdly, to the fortunate selection of that first-rate oarsman and admirable coach M. Felix Taymans. Any one who has watched the crews at practice must have admired the sound methods adopted by M. Taymans to develop a polished style and good water-

manship in his pupils, with the result that, in the opinion of rowing men, he has turned out one of the best School fours seen on the river for some years. Had the boats in the recent inter-schools races been equal there is not the least doubt that Westminster would have won. It is to be hoped that next year's crew will be provided with a boat which will put them on equal terms with their competitors.

An impression prevails in some quarters that no special training is necessary for rowing, but in point of fact no form of athletics demands from its votaries more strict and arduous preparation, or calls for higher qualities of endurance and nerve. Above all other games it instils the priceless virtue of discipline and self-effacement. There can be no playing to the gallery by any member of a four or an eight which is out to win.

Seventy or eighty years ago Westminster enjoyed a high reputation on the river, and many a school eight in those bygone times carried the famous Pinks to victory. If this pre-eminence is to be regained, 'Water' must be actively encouraged by the authorities. The boys who take up rowing should have the sympathy and support of their House Masters, and the whole School should be taught to take a pride in their achievements. In the race against Winchester and St. Paul's, the latter School not only chartered a steamer, but the towing path was crowded with boys and Masters cheering their boat on to victory, and giving the winners a veritable ovation. If Westminster will take a leaf out of their rival's book and display similar enthusiasm, next season may see the pink blades doing great deeds on Hammersmith reach.

A SPECTATOR.

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