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VALE.

THE past year has produced fewer candidates in the field of external scholarships than that which preceded it. A voluntary Inspection has indeed been undergone, but its results are at present veiled by a decent obscurity.

Meanwhile the Football season has disclosed a slight but decided improvement. There have been more victories on the water, and the numbers of those who go down is steadily increasing. There are hopes of the revival of an old tradition, and that a Westminster eight may be put on the river. The cricket season has shown, hitherto, a great improvement upon that of last year. Fives has been keenly played throughout the year, though rackets is not so popular owing to expense. The numbers of the Corps are as high as ever and the inspection has, it is hoped, proved that it is not inefficient. The Gymnasium has never been a very prominent feature of the school, but much useful work is being done there under the supervision of Mr. Rudwick. The Societies have shown a creditable amount of vitality, though the Art Society is not yet firmly established.

It is difficult for a member of the school to say anything about its spirit. However, the great thing seems to be to put plenty of energy into all the institutions which are here to instruct or amuse us, and yet never to lose our sense of proportion about ourselves or them. Any failures in one year either in modesty or in energy may help to make the successes of the next, and meanwhile the spirit of the school, as a whole, is as cheerful and as aspiring as it has ever been, and those who care for the school need not, we hope, repeat in vain the old wish :—

FLOREAT.

School Rotes.

ELECTION Dinner will be held on Monday, July 25. The theses for Hall Epigrams are (i) Concordia discors. (ii) Omne ignotum pro magnifico.

The result of the Challenge for 1921 is as follows:—Elected to Resident King's Scholarships: J. St. L. Philpot, W. A. Macfarlane, A. J. Winnifrith, J. R. Homfray, S. Chapman,* A. L. Binney,* M. F. L. Haymes, A. B. L. Murison, H. Pagan, A. A. G. Black.

Elected to Non-Resident Scholarships: F. M. Oppenheimer, A. B. Gourlay.*

Elected to Exhibitions: G. P. Young, C. W. Myring.

* Already in the School.

The Chamber's Post-Mastership for Natural Science at Merton College, Oxford, has been won by M. C. Petitpierre.

The Collections for the School Mission on the festivals of St. John the Baptist and St. Peter amounted to $\pounds 4$ IOS. 7d. and $\pounds 4$ IIS. 6d. respectively.

The usual competitions for vocal and instrumental music were held up School on July 7.

Shooting matches arranged against Sherborne, Malvern, Cranleigh, Highgate and Haileybury have all gone by the board owing to the impossibility of getting to Bisley during the Strike.

THE FIELDS.

3RD MATCH.—WESTMINSTER v. I ZINGARI. Played at Vincent Square on May 28.

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R. H. Twining, b Lowe			 IIO
D. J. C. Glass, lbw, b Munt			 I
M. Falcon, b Lowe			 14
J. C. Hartley, c Lowe, b Munt			 46
Hon. J. S. R. Tufton, b Munt			 19
E. J. Metcalfe, c Lloyd, b Munt			 25
R. H. Fox, b Taylor			 4
N. C. Tuffnell, b Taylor			 19
G. Burnham, not out			 26
Extras			 8
Innings declared	(8 wk	ts.)	272

J. Head and C. Heseltine did not bat.

Bowling .- Munt 4 for 105, Lowe 2 for 85, Taylor 2 for 23.

WESTMINSTER.

J. D. Percival, b Falcon			 0
C. H. Taylor, lbw, b Hartley			 28
J. R. Peacock, c Tufton, b Falcon			 0
H. R. Munt, c Hartley, b Falcon			 26
R. G. H. Lowe, b Burnham			 34
P. E. Mellor, b Falcon			 16
W. L. Hartley, b Falcon		-	 9
G. T. Swann, run out			2
T. I. Lloyd, not out			
G. W. Stonier, run out			
R. W. Hartley, b Falcon			 ĩ
Extras	(Internet		 16
			 10
Total			7.40
Total			 140

Bowling.—Falcon 6 for 57, Burnham I for 22, Hartley I for 31. Lost by 132 runs.

WESTMINSTER v. SHERBORNE SCHOOL. Played at Vincent Square, May 31 and June 1.

Sherborne won the toss and batted first.

The school dismissed them for the poor total of 92, thanks to the good bowling of Lowe, Munt, and Hartley. The school first pair had to play before luncheon and 43 was on the board for the loss of no wicket when lunch was taken. Taylor lost his wicket very soon after lunch, but Munt and Percival settled down and runs came at a tremendous pace.

As has been said already in *The Times*, Percival played professional cricket, while Munt, though not so attractive to watch, scored if anything quicker. His innings of 122 was a red letter day in his annals.

The school then declared and gave the visitors slow batting before close of play. Six wickets were down at the end of that time. Partridge, 40 not out, played, in difficult circumstances, a very plucky innings. Next morning the wicket played easier than ever and Partridge completed his century, thereby leaving the school 29 runs to get. These were got for the loss of no wickets.

The school are to be congratulated on winning their first school match so easily. Certainly our batsmen were in form.

SHERBORNE. 1st Innings.

15t Innings.		
V. H. Phillips, b Munt	 	8
W. E. Tucker, c Hartley (R.), b Munt	 	5
G. A. Wallinger, c Peacock, b Hartley (L.)	 	20
H. C. Partridge, lbw, b Taylor	 	17
T. G. Devitt, run out	 	ó
H. M. de Villiers, c Percival, b Taylor	 	4
T. R. de Ward, b Hartley (L.)	 	i
C. B. Sharpe, not out	 	8
D. B. Gaye, b Hartley (L.)	 1.19	
H. W. Brady, b Hartley (L.)	 	-
J. L. Norris, c Peacock, b Hartley (L.)	 	õ
Extras	 	23
	 	-5
Total	 	92

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WESTMINSTER.

C. H. Taylor, Ibw, b Sharpe	 		14
J. D. Percival, st Partridge, b Gaye	 		86
L. W. Hartley, st Partridge, b Gaye	 		14
H. R. Munt, c de Villiers, b Gaye	 	i	I22
R. G. H. Lowe, c and b Sharpe	 		16
J. R. Peacock, not out	 		IO
• Extras	 		9

Total (5 wkts.) 271

Innings declared closed.

T. J. Lloyd, G. T. Swann, P. E. Mellor, R. W. Hartley, G. W. Stonier did not bat.

2nd Innings .- C. H. Taylor, not out 17, J. D. Percival, not out 10. Extras 2. Total 29 (o wkt.).

Won by 10 wkts.

5TH MATCH v. BUTTERFLIES C.C.

Played at Vincent Square on June 4.

BUTTERFLIES.

H. G. Patterson, c Munt, b Lowe				IO
F. G. Turner, c Lloyd, b Lowe				0
R. F. Potter, c Taylor, b Munt				13
L. H. Savile, c Peacock, b Taylor				24
P. W. G. Kann, b Taylor				-4
F. R. Oliver, not out				
A. C. Feasey, c Hartley (L.), b Munt				36
				4
H. R. Blaker, b Lowe				8
C. E. Stones, b Lowe				0
R. C. May, hit wkt., b Taylor			•••	18
E. Cleveland Stevens, c Swann, b Ha	rtley	(L.)		5
Extras				9
Total				135/
WESTMINSTEF	2.			
C. H. Taylor, b Stones				IOI
J. D. Percival, c Savile, b Turner				43
J. R. Peacock, run out				17
H. R. Munt, c Feasey, b Turner				3
T W Hantley h Ctorroug				
D C II Lowe h Dotton				9
				12
P. E. Mellor, not out, 5				5
Extras				4
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	Tota	al (6 wl	kts.)	194
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Won by 4 wkts. (and 59 runs).	12.00			
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and R. W. Hartley did not bat.

6TH MATCH v. FREE FORESTERS.

The match was played at Vincent Square on June 7 and resulted in a win for the School against a strong side. The School batted first and Dr. Mellé opened, with three "short legs," and it was not long before Taylor was taken by one of them. He was unlucky to be out as the ball seemed to jump as it met the bat. The School batting was not seen at its best, only Percival, Munt and Hartley being able to look comfortable. Hartley played his highest innings for the School, and did so at a time when runs were badly needed. Dr. Mellé had the best bowling figures. The Foresters did not start any better than the School and had lost 7 wickets for III. Up to this point Lowe had been bowling extremely well and had given much the most trouble to the batsmen. B. S. Cumberlege then played a very good game and carried his bat for 55. Lowe took the last wicket with the last ball of the day. Scores :--

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

J. D. Per	cival,	b Nimi	mo			 	42
Č. H. Tay	lor, c s	sub, b	Mellé			 	. I
J. R. Pea	acock,	b Swal	well			 	9
H. R. Mu	nt, b E	Erskine				 	31
R. G. H.	Lowe,	b Nim	mo			 	9
P. E. Mel	lor, st.	Cumb	erlege,	b Melle	· · · ·	 	18
L. W. Ha	rtley, 1	not out				 	54
G. T. Swa	unn, b l	Mellé				 	I
T. J. Lloy	rd, b S	walwel	1			 	I
G. W. Sto	onier, s	t. Cum	berlege	e, b Swa	alwell	 	5
R. W. Ha	rtley, 1	b Ersk	ine			 	0
Extra	as					 	30
	Total					 	201

Bowling .- Mellé 3 for 47, Swalwell 3 for 53.

FREE FORESTERS C.C.

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B. G. Mellé, b Hartley (L.)			 15
A. C. Johnston, b Lowe			 3
K. E. Cooper, c Stonier, b Munt			 19
R. S. Swalwell, c Percival, b Munt			 17
L. C. M. Gibbs, c Taylor, b Hartley	(L.)		 8
E. C. Mordaunt, b Lowe			 31
B. S. Cumberlege, not out			 55
MajGen. Lillem, b Lowe			 0
J. D. Erskine, c Hartley (R.), b Ha	rtley	(L.)	 4
S. W. Beadle, b Taylor			 16
W. C. Nimmo, b Lowe			 I
Extras			 IO
Total			 179

Won by 22 runs.

Bowling .- Lowe 4 for 41, Hartley 3 for 34, Munt 2 for 54.

7TH MATCH v. SUTTON C.C.

Played at Vincent Square on June 16. SUTTON.

J. D. Crosthwaite, b Munt	 	 0
D. J. Knight, c Stonier, b Lowe	 	 34
R. G. Gulland, lbw, b Munt	 	 3
D. D. Napper, c Stonier, b Munt	 	 15
A. C. Beaton, st. Lloyd, b Stonier	 	 2
R. J. Trollope, c Lloyd, b Lowe	 	 37
A. F. A. Freeman, not out	 	 51
R. S. Daley, b Lowe	 	 I
H. L. Reeves, b Taylor	 	 9
F. W. Wilson, c Lowe, b Taylor	 	 0
A. R. Dagg, b Taylor '	 	 0
Extras	 	 9
Total	 	 161

Bowling .- Taylor 3 for 22, Munt 3 for 46, Lowe 3 for 49.

WESTMINSTER.

C. H. Taylor, b Gulland	 	 74
J. D. Percival, not out	 	 IOI
J. R. Peacock, b Gulland	 	 2
H. R. Munt, not out	 	 17
Extras	 	 6

Total (2 wkts.) 200

R. G. H. Lowe, P. E. Mellor, G. T. Swann, T. J. Lloyd, W. B. Frampton, G. W. Stonier, J. H. Blair did not bat. Won by 8 wickets and 39 runs.

8TH MATCH V. HOUSEHOLD BRIGADE.

Played at Vincent Square on June 18.

HOUSEHOLD BRIGADE.

I.	Jefferson, c Peacock, b Lowe		 	3
A.	C. Wilkinson, st. Lloyd, b Perci	val	 	
С.	M. D. Llewellyn, c Mellor, b Lov	we	 	II
С.	E. M. Bird, st. Lloyd, b Taylor		 	2
G.	N. Scott-Chad, run out		 	
Τ.	L. C. Curtis, c Lloyd, b Lowe			2
G.	N. Palmer, c Percival, b Framp	ton	 	71
Ι.	S. Hughes, c Swann, b Munt		 	26
Ĭ.	D. Erskine, not out		 	2
	Extras			9
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Total (8 wkts.) 283

G. C. Firbank, Gdsm. G. Beck, did not bat. Innings declared closed.

Lowe 3 for 60, Munt 1 for 77, Taylor 1 for 50, Percival 1 for 33.

WESTMINSTER.

I. D. Percival, lbw, b Curtis	 	 29
C. H. Taylor, c Wilkinson, b Hughes		24
TT D M D. 1 1 MPH .	 	
R. G. H. Lowe, not out	 	
J. R. Peacock, b Jefferson	 	 0
W. B. Frampton, b Wilkinson	 	II
P. E. Mellor, not out	 	2
Extras	 	
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Total (5 wkts.) 162

G. T. Swann, T. J. Lloyd, G. W. Stonier, and J. H. Blair did not bat. Drawn.

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Played at Vincent Square on June 28.

• M.C.C.

A. W. Brakspear, c Mellor, b Taylor	 12 14	 12
A. Scott-Murray, lbw, b Taylor	 	 33
A. R. I. Mellor, c Lowe, b Munt	 	 8
E. J. Fulcher, c Swann, b Stonier	 	 33
F. R. Oliver, b Lowe	 •	 17
Brian Smith, c Percival, b Taylor	 	 13
Rev. L. J. Percival, run out	 	 I.
H. R. Blaker, c Munt, b Lowe	 	 . 3
G. S. Blaker, c Stonier, b Taylor	 	 2
D. L. Thomas, not out	 	 3
Burton, c Blair, b Lowe	 	 I
Extras	 	 6

Total 132

Taylor 4 for 37, Lowe 3 for 19, Stonier 1 for 22, Munt I for 48.

WESTMINSTER.

J. D. Percival, b Fulcher	 	 II
C. H. Taylor, c Blaker (H.), b Mellor	 	 37
H. R. Munt, b Scott-Murray	 	 19
R. G. H. Lowe, b Burton	 	 14
T. I. Lloyd, b Mellor	 	 2
J. R. Peacock, lbw, b Thomas	 	 47
P. E. Mellor, c Percival, b Mellor	 	 7
G. T. Swann, lbw, b Blaker (H.)	 	 12
G. W. Stonier, b Thomas	 	 22
W. B. Frampton, Ibw, b Fulcher	 	 2
J. H. Blair, not out	 	2.
Extras	 	 27
Total	 	 202

Won by 70 runs.

WESTMINSTER (COLTS) v. HARROW (UNDER 16).

At Harrow.

This match was played on Saturday, June 18, on a fast wicket. Westminster batted first and Clare and Gorman opened in quite good style. Clare, however, left after some ten minutes and Gorman was out shortly after for a very nicely played fifteen. Hornsby was bowled by a good ball, but Rowland and Salvi made amends. Rowland played a very useful innings of 43, while Salvi knocked up twenty-one in a style that was rather excitable than orthodox, and had several lucky escapes from being caught. Jacomb-Hood, who followed, was run out, when a little effort would have saved his wicket, but Robson played a useful innings, as also did Ormerod, who went in last wicket down. Our opponents batted in good style and before the sixth wicket had fallen we were beaten. Foster, especially, should, in time, be a really good bat. All of those who batted played a sound game with a good straight bat. Their bowling, however, was very little superior to ours, and Ormerod and Clare, though uncertain of their length, bowled some good balls. Our fielding was rather uncertain. Some catches were dropped, several overthrows occurred, and there was an occasion when the ball was in the wicketkeeper's hands and both batsmen were at his end of the pitch; no wicket, however, resulted, for the ball, thrown to the other end of the pitch, hit the batsman on the back of the head as he got back over the crease. A most excellent and lavish tea was provided, a fact to which some attributed the collapse in our batting which occurred shortly after.

WESTMINSTER COLTS.

Clare, b Hoare		 	 	IO
Gorman, st, b Backhor	use	 	 ·	12
Hornsby, b Hoare		 	 	0
Rowland, b Hoare		 	 	43
Salvi, b Kemp		 	 	21
Jacomb-Hood, run out	t	 	 	0
Robson, lbw, b Hollan	d	 	 	3
Horne, b Hoare		 	 	5
Devereux, b Hoare		 	 	0
Pickering, not out		 	 	5
Ormerod, st, b Kemp		 	 	58
Extras	*** *	 	 	II
Total		 	 	117

HARROW (under 16).

Foster, c Devereux, b Jacon	nb-Hood	d		 45
Baucher, st, Robson, b Clar	е			 7
Brigstocke, b Salvi				 I
McCall, lbw, b Clare				 4
Raphael, b Ormerod				 33
Lindsay, not out				 40
Holland, c Robson, b Clare				 27
Proctor, c Salvi, b Clare		140	· · · ·	 8
Backhouse, not out				 19
Extras				 4

Total (for 7 wkts.) 188

COLTS' MATCH.

WESTMINSTER v. LANCING.

This match was played at Vincent Square on June 23 and resulted in a win for the visitors by five wickets.

The School batted first and were given a good start by Clare and Gorman. They scored 37 before Clare was bowled by a very good ball from Eve. Hornsby shaped very well and was unfortunate in being run out. Things looked hopeful enough with only 2 wickets down for 60 runs, but after Gorman left, no one offered any real resistance to the quite moderate bowling, the whole side being out for a meagre 93. Bowen had the best figures, but Crockford seemed to be the hardest to score off. Of the batsmen, Gorman was the best and showed considerable promise in getting his 24, the highest score of the side.

In Lancing's innings, wickets fell cheaply at the start, but not at the end. They had 4 wickets down for 25, but Melsome and Davey passed the School total, having put on 47 runs for the 6th wicket and were both not out at the close. Ormerod bowled really well and it was surprising that he took only one wicket. The fielding of both sides was good, and both wicket-keepers did good work. Scores :—

WESTMINSTER COLTS.

Clare, b Eve		 	 17
R. W. Gorman, b Crockford		 	 24
J. H. Hornsby, run out		 	 12
Rowland, b Crockford		 	 7
Salvi, c Eve (D.), b Melsome		 	 5
JHood, lbw, b Melsome		 	 I
Robson, not out		 	 10
Devereux, st Ferguson, b Mels	ome	 	 0
Pickering- b Bowen		 	 0
Horne, b Bowen		 	 0
Ormerod, st Ferguson, b Melso	ome	 	 0
Extras		 	 17
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Total

Melsome 4 for 27, Crockford 2 for 10, Bowen 2 for 6.

LANCING COLTS.

Gibbs, st Robson, b Clare	 	 	8
Brooke, b Ormerod	 	 	0
Eve (D.), c Rowland, b Salvi		 	22
Eve (P.), b Clare	 	 	9
Ferguson, c Hornsby, b Clare	 	 	9
Melsome, not out	 	 	22
Davey, not out	 	 	.29
Extras	 	 	6

Total (5 wkts.) 99

Crockford, Goodman, Walters and Bowen did not bat. Lost by 5 wkts. Clare 3 for 38.

BATTING AVERAGES (TO JUNE 26).

	No. of Innings	Highest Score	No. of Times 'not out'	Total	Average
J. D. Percival	IO	128	2	488	61.00
H. R. Munt	9	122	2	401	57.28
C. H. Taylor	10	IOI	I	337	37.44
L. W. Hartley	4	54*	I "	86	28.66
P. E. Mellor	6	29*	3	77	25.66
R. G. H. Lowe	8.	56*	I	157	22.43
J. R. Peacock	8	47	I	126	18.00
G. T. Swann	4	24*	I	39-	13.00
G. W. Stonier	3	22	0	28	9.33
T. I. Lloyd	3	7*	I	10	5.00
*	Signifi	les 'no	t out.'		

BOWLING AVERAGES (TO JUNE 26).

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
C. H. Taylor	79.5	5	260	22	11.82
L. W. Hartley	53.4	9	161	12	13.41
R. G. H. Lowe	142.3	18	438	28	15.64
J. D. Percival	12	-	51	3	17.00
G. W. Stonier	45	2	185	9	20.55
H. R. Munt	148.5	29	553	22	25.14

WATER.

WESTMINSTER v. TONBRIDGE.

THIS race was rowed on the Medway on the afternoon of Saturday, June 11. The course is very winding and the crew paddled over it in the morning to give the cox practise in negotiating the many difficult bends, and to feel the effect of the very deep rudders necessary. Westminster had the front station and Tonbridge the second. The IV started badly and did not settle down together until near the middle of the course. Here they began to gain slowly on Tonbridge and at the last bend were over 2 lengths over their distance ahead. At the finish, on passing the first flag, there was almost a disaster because, imagining the race over, the crew easied. Fortunately they drifted past their own flag ahead and won by I length in 4 min. 45 sec. The time was not fast, but there was a steady head wind and the misunderstanding lost some 5 secs.

Tonbridge were the neater crew to watch. They had a sharp catch at the beginning and recovered smartly, but the finish seemed weak and they were not very steady. The School IV were distinctly clumsier. They do not get the hands away really smartly, especially 3, and consequently are apt to go to pieces if rowing a fast stroke. On the other hand they have a hard beginning, are learning to hold out the finish and are very hard workers. Bow has much im-proved. He has a smart recovery, but is sometimes heavy with his hands. 2 is inclined to row deep and when tired gets short. 3 is a clumsy but very hard-working oar and has improved more than any member in the crew. When he learns to get his hands away smartly he will greatly increase his value in the crew. Stroke is long and drives his crew. Cox. succeeded in getting over the Medway course without hitting the bank in the race. His hands are rather heavy, but he watches his crew well.

The names and weights are :---

H. W. Dulley (bow), 10 st., 8 oz.
R. C. Storrs (No. 2), 10 st., 13¹/₂ oz.
J. C. Dobbie (No. 3), 12 st., 6 oz.
J. B. Shaw (stroke), 10 st., 11 oz.
M. S. Murphy (cox.), 6 st., 4 oz.

WINCHESTER v. WESTMINSTER.

The annual race against Winchester took place on the Itchin, on Tuesday, June 21. Westminster won the toss and took the front station, sixty yards in front of the Winchester boat. In the first part of the course Westminster rowed well together and established a lead of nearly a length which they maintained till the last few hundred yards. But towards the end they became rather unsteady and Winchester, who had spurted splendidly, came in a length up, doing the course in better time than against St. Paul's or Tonbridge. As Murphy was out of School Dix coxed the four and steered with great presence of mind on a somewhat difficult course. Winchester set a fine example of sportsmanship by providing an encourager who rode along the bank performing his duties with great energy. Time, 4 min. $23\frac{1}{2}$ secs.

NAMES AND WEIGHTS.

Winchester :-

- Keswick (bow), II st., 3 oz.

M. G. Grant (2), 11 st., 2 oz.

E. N. Butler (3), 11 st., 6 oz.

- Porter (stroke), 9 st., II oz.

V. S. Maxwell (cox.), 6 st., 8 oz.

Westminster :--

- H. W. Dulley (bow), 10 st., 8 oz.
- R. C. Storrs (2), 10 st., 132 oz.
- J. C. Dobbie (3), 12 st., 6 oz.
- J. J. B. Shaw (stroke), 10 st., 11 oz.
- R. J. E. Dix (cox.), 6 st., 4 oz.

FOOTBALL XI, 1920-1921.

CHARACTERS.

H. R. MUNT (captain and goal-keeper).

A most promising goal-keeper with a splendid reach of which he makes full use. Has saved his side from defeat on several occasions, and by his keenness and enthusiasm has not only contributed largely to the success of his side, but moreover has done a great deal to help the football of the school in general. He should learn to cultivate a little more quickness in clearing and getting rid of the ball when in possession.

KEILY (left back).

Hard working and much improved player. Uses his head well in more senses than one. Must remember that speed is the most important of a back's assets, and he should cultivate that gift accordingly.

CHISHOLM (right back).

A clumsy and rather unpolished player. But he is most fearless and plucky, and by his splendid robust methods has done a great deal to stiffen our defence in general.

MELLOR (left half).

A sound and reliable half-back. But has the great fault of lying too far back and thus con-

centrating on defence to the entire exclusion of attack.

TAYLOR (centre-half).

The brains of the team. Not only is his play sound and effective, but it has the additional merit of being graceful to watch. A born footballer, his style should be copied by everyone. His shooting is weak, and he must try and cultivate a little more pace.

JACOMB-HOOD (right-half).

His chief merit is that he always goes "all out" from start to finish, and by his example helps to impart a spirit of vigour to the whole side. But he is totally deficient in speed and also in the art of feeding the two forwards in front of him.

PEACOCK (outside-left).

Has improved. Centres well and combines intelligently with his inside forward. But still shows a lack of resolution in racing down the wing, and is altogether too lackadaisical in his methods.

. LOWE (inside left).

Has played splendid football this season, and easily the outstanding figure in our forward line. Has a knowledge of the short passing forward game, but should remember to sling the ball about a little bit more sometimes. An excellent shot at goal, and a clever dribbler who lacks one essential—speed.

MACFARLANE (centre-forward).

A clumsy footballer, who has done his best to fill a most difficult position. Must knit his forward line together more, by means of long passes to his wings when in mid-field. Has scored one or two useful goals, but his shooting, on the whole, is lacking in power and direction.

SWANN (inside right).

Looks a good player, but never seems to do the right thing, largely due to over-anxiousness. Must be more calm and collected, and must use his intelligence more for spotting openings. Has a fine burst of speed, a most useful asset.

BURFORD (outside right).

Fearfully clumsy and has no control of the ball when dribbling, so quite rightly employed the kick and rush method, for he has great speed. A magnificent "tryer" who has done one or two brilliant things.

D. J. K.

Bouse Hotes.

K.SS.—Our respectful congratulations are due to Mr. W. D. Jenkyn Thomas on his first in the Cambridge Mathematical Tripos. We congratulate Moonan, R., on his Exhibition at St. John's College, Cambridge, and M. C. Petitpierre un his Merton triumph.

In the cricket field Lloyd now keeps wicket and Blair plays regularly for the team. Our Juniors were well beaten by Home Boarders in spite of a good innings by Gorman, who represents us in Colts with no little success.

On the water, Storrs and Dulley have received their pinks and Popplewell his Pink and Whites our congratulations go to all three. Curtis, who might have got a place in the second boat, has unfortunately been incapacitated by illness. Our commiserations also go to Moonan, D., who has been kept out of action all this term by a strained knee.

To turn to military matters, Sergeant Lloyd is a most efficient Instructor of Signallers, while the prestige of Sergeant Eyton-Jones is only equalled by that of Corporals Storrs, Dulley, Tiarks and Murphy.

The Literary Society has read "Much Ado About Nothing," and has now lapsed into Gilbert and read "Iolanthe."

H.BB.—We heartily congratulate Binney upon his success in the Challenge, though we are very sorry to lose him from Home Boarders.

Congratulations are also due to Lowe, on gaining his Cricket Pinks and being one of the mainstays of the XI, both batting and bowling ; to Salvi and Clare on playing for the Colts against Harrow, the former as Captain ;, to G. A. B. Shaw on gaining his Pink and Whites at Water as stroke of the Second IV.

We have not yet begun our match with Grant's in the 1st Round of Cricket Seniors, but in Juniors we are well on the way to victory over the same House. Other prospects are uncertain, but we hope to retain the Town Boy Rudder.

In the Corps Ross, McFarlane and Taylor are promoted to be Corporals.

A.HH.—In Seniors we beat Rigaud's by an innings with a hundred and fifty runs to spare, and we are now looking forward hopefully to the Final.

There are many people to be congratulated this month. H. Munt regained his Cricket Pinks after the match against Toc. H., and Dobbie (who must also be congratulated on becoming a monitor) was given Water Pinks before the Tonbridge race. We have now five Pinks of various kinds. Dix, after being given his Water House-colours, has now won his Pink-and-Whites. We have also to congratulate Gourlay and S. Chapman on their success in the Challenge, though we are sorry that the latter will have to leave us for College. T. Lund and Dix won the Junior School Fives Ties with great ease. Rowland and J. B. Pickering played in the Colts XI against Harrow. Finally we must not forget all those who passed the "A" Certificate, and have been promoted in consequence.

RR.—There are very few definite events to relate. We must not spend any time in regretting our heavy defeat in Seniors—that was quite definite enough. Our Juniors should at least put up a good fight, though we have no great hopes of ultimate victory.

We congratulate Robson and Ormerod on winning their Colt's Caps.

The House Singing Quartet is working hard for the coming Competition and seems confident of keeping the Cup.

Before concluding we must say good-bye to Maitland, who left us after the Exeat. We wish him every success at Cambridge.

GG.—We must begin this term's house notes by congratulating J. W. Burford and A. J. Gielgud on becoming Monitors; also A. N. Chart, D. E. Lashmore, M. S. Murphy, R. S. Randolph, W. B. Enever, and S. R. Finn on coming into Chiswicks.

Yard and Fives Ties are well under way, but Woodens have stuck at the outset, no ties having been played off so far.

We have just played Home Boarders in the first round of Juniors and have unfortunately put up a very poor show, our opponents winning easily in one innings. However, we are confident that our Senior team will have more success.

Last but not least, hearty congratulations are due to W. L. Hartley on gaining his Cricket Pinks and to M. S. Murphy on his rowing Pinks, being cox. for the first four; also to J. A. Brownell on his rowing House Colours.

Old Westminsters.

THE Rev. Thomas Morrell Gilbert, Honorary Canon of Carlisle, has resigned the vicarage of Heversham, which he has held for fifty-five years. Mr. Gilbert's father was Principal of Brasenose and Bishop of Chichester, and his maternal grandfather was Robert Wintle, Prebendary of St. Paul's, who was admitted to the School in 1784. Mr. Gilbert, who was admitted in 1847 and elected head to Trinity in 1853, was 12th Wrangler and also took honours in Classics. He became Fellow of Trinity in 1859. At Cambridge Mr. G. Turberville has taken a First Class in the Classical Tripos, Part II., and Mr. R. M. Rattenbury a First and Mr. D. B. Harden and Mr. H. L. Pettitt Seconds in Part I. In the Natural Science Tripos Mr. M. G, L. Perkins has taken a First Class in Part I. and Mr. R. B. J. Pulvertaft a Second Class in Part II. Mr. J. S. Bentwich, Mr. F. G. Maunsell and Mr. W. D. Jenkyn Thomas have taken First Classes in the Mathematical Tripos, Part I. In the Medieval and Modern Languages Tripos Mr. J. C. W. Horne and Mr. A. S. Macpherson are in the Second Class.

Mr. L. E. Tanner has been appointed Secretary of H.M.'s Royal Almonry. It is through the Almonry Office that the annual grant of Maundy money is made to the School.

Major E. C. Chesney and Mr. T. M. Mavrogordato represented Westminster and, by defeating Eton, won the Public Schools Old Boys' Doubles in the Surrey Lawn Tennis Championships.

Mr. F. T. Barrington-Ward, K.C., and Col. F. T. H. Bernard have become life-subscribers to 'The Elizabethan.'

Birth.

On May 25, the wife of Capt. Victor Gascoyne-Cecil, of a son.

Marriages.

PARTRIDGE—CARRINGTON.—On May 21, Reginald Sherring Partridge to Dora, younger daughter of the late Samuel Carrington and Mrs. Carrington, of Middle Wallop, Hants.

COLLIER—WILLOUGHBY WILLIAMS.—On June II Lionel Williams Collier to Marjory Vyse, only child of Willoughby Williams, of 20, Carlyle Mansions, Cheyne-Walk, Chelsea.

Obituary.

WE regret to announce the death of Geoffrey Severin Anthony Hawkins, who was a Home-Boarder from 1909 to 1914. He served with distinction in the War in the R.F.A. and was awarded the Military Cross. His death took place some months ago as the result of a motor bicycle accident.

HISTORICAL NOTE.

ANOTHER PUGNACIOUS O.W.

IT appears from the 'Acts of Chapter' of the Dean and Chapter of Westminster that on February 6, 1723, Thomas Burrowes, one of the King's Scholars, was 'suspended during the pleasure of the Dean and Chapter for striking in the Church.' Suspension probably meant exclusion from commons; so Thomas Burrowes must have fared badly for the next ten days. On February 17 he was ordered to be admitted again 'upon such punishment as the Dean shall direct.' The Dean at the time was in the Tower on a charge of high treason; so it is to be hoped that he dealt gently with Thomas Burrowes. Whatever the punishment was, Burrowes survived it, for he was elected to Cambridge in 1725, and became a Fellow of Trinity. His youthful pugnacity is perhaps accounted for by the fact that he was a native of Dublin County; at any rate his subsequent career was peaceful. In 1734 he was elected as one of the Esquire Bedells of the University of Cambridge, and held that office until his death. He was proctor for Bentley when the latter, as Archdeacon of Ely, prosecuted Colbatch, who held the College living of Orwell, for non-payment of fees due to the Archdeacon on his visitation; the Archdeacon never visited, but the fees were held to be payable.

The Esquire Bedells of that day were fat and well-liking. Christopher Smart made fun of the "Pinguia tergeminorum abdomina Bedellorum." And Cole describes Burrowes as :—

' Jovial and sociable and marrying a lady 'of Cambridge of the name of Yardley; by 'indolence and carelessness they eat and drank 'their fortune almost all up, so that they were 'always in the utmost distress. The Duke of 'Newcastle got him a place of about £100 per 'annum; I think it was Chimney Sweeper to 'the King, which was of great use to him. 'His wife was one of the most slatternly bad-'housewifely women he could have met with; 'always lolling her head out of the window if 'the season allowed it. They had a son of 'Trinity College who was very wild and ex-'travagant, and what was left of the estate at 'the father's death he soon made an end of.'

Burrowes died in 1767, having outlived the lady of whom Cole wrote in such unflattering terms. They had several children besides the extravagant son. One of them, a daughter named Flizabeth, survived till 1826, when she was buried at St. Michael's, Cambridge. Her death has probably deprived us of our last chance of finding out who it was that her father struck in the Abbey more than a hundred years before, or why he struck anyone, or what the Dean had to say about it.

VINCENT SQUARE.

It is proposed to dig up and returf the first game football ground during the summer holidays.

To do so will require a large amount of labour, which could be supplied very well by O.WW., and would be a valuable contribution towards the heavy expenditure involved. Many members of the Football and Cricket Club have already volunteered.

The gates will be opened at 6.30 a.m. and closed at sundown, and arrangements will be made for food, etc.

The scheme is cordially approved of by the Headmaster and Games Committee.

All O.WW. willing to take their coats off and come and help Elson, please apply to L. A. M. *Fevez*, 48, Bread Street, E.C. 4.

When applying please state probable *period* and *hours* of attendance.

Correspondence.

THE SCHOOL MISSION.

15, Corfton Road, Ealing, W. 5. June 29, 1921.

To the Editor of ' The Elizabethan.'

SIR,—The School Mission is undoubtedly well known by name to all your readers. Some subscribe annually to its funds. Others realize that the offertories in Abbey on Saints' Days are devoted to its needs. For all such assistance the Mission is extremely grateful. But there are few who know all that the Mission means to the working lads in the neighbourhood of the parish of St. Mary, Vincent Square.

For the information of the uninitiated—the Mission has its headquarters at Napier Hall, fifty yards to the west of Vincent Square. Under the auspices of the School Mission Committee, St. Mary's Club at present exists— I cannot say more—for the benefit of the boys and young men of the parish. Also there is a troop of Boy Scouts young but very enthusiastic. Near at hand in Tufton Street is the Cadet Company, an efficiently organised unit in the 1st Cadet Battalion, London Regiment (The Queen's).

These organisations are collectively the Westminster School Mission, and financial assistance for their upkeep is forthcoming from funds provided by past and present members of the School, but at the present time not a single Old Westminster is giving active and regular assisance at the Mission. By the helpful desire of the Headmaster a few senior members of the School are rendering most valuable aid to the Scout Troop—otherwise Westminsters are unknown at Napier Hall or in Tufton Street. Efforts are being made to restore the Mission to its standard of pre-war days, when several O.WW., some of whom can never return, devoted a part of their spare time to splendid work, which is still remembered with gratitude by some senior members of the Mission. All efforts at re-organisation depend, however, on one condition, and that is that there must be a guarantee of adequate supervision; this can only be provided most suitably by O.WW.

On September 19 the St. Mary's Club is to start its new season, and on behalf of the Mission Committee I wish to appeal to O.WW. to come to the support of this work, carried on in the School's name, by volunteering to give up one or more evenings a week or month during the coming winter. The joy of such work is well known to those who have ever tried it. There are no special qualifications required, and suitable jobs can be found for all, young and old. The jobs vary from running a football team to judging a tiddly-winks competition, and from keeping order in seven club-rooms at the same time to being shown how to tie knots by a diminutive Boy Scout. Those who incline to more disciplined methods can do most useful work as Cadet Officers. Those who are married will find that their wives can be easily encouraged to form a committee to assist the local Girl Guides. Those who hate boys we would ask to write Mission Reports and letters to 'The Elizabethan ' from their homes.

We want some men who will fulfil this definition of a friend, as supplied by a Mission lad : "A pal is a bloke that knows all about yer, and yet loves yer."

Not to be content with men only, the Mission also wants gifts in kind. The June number of 'The Elizabethan' contains an appeal for a three-quarter size billiard table, new or second-hand. This has not yet materialised. All kinds of sports equipment and games in good condition suitable for lads will be welcome, also a regular supply of illustrated papers. I shall be glad to arrange for such articles to be received at the most suitable place on receipt of particulars. Finally, sir, may I remind your readers that the Hon.

Finally, sir, may I remind your readers that the Hon. Treasurer of the Mission Committee is Mr. B. F. Hardy, and his address, Westminster School, Little Dean's Yard, S.W. I?

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant, R. R. CALKIN.

CAMBRIDGE,

June 22, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—We are fifty in number, mediocre in our greatness and great in our mediocrity. We are very ordinary people. Any fifty names taken at random from the Varsity list would give you fifty similar folk. And yet—there is one thing that marks us as distinct and superior beings—we are all sons of Westminster. We must now give our list of names, append to each some endearing characteristic and, voilà, we shall have written. We remember that in the procession of the regalia ten years ago to-day the greatest came last—we were first. We will follow this precedent and leave our dons till the last.

Freshers.—In Trinity Fleming has embarked on the downward path, he no longer works. Mr. Flint was seen on the Cam. at 10.30 one night. Had he taken more water internally he would not have shown the same affection for its external application. Harden, Lord and Bevan row seriously. Hobday shoots, Maunsell solves acrostics. E. S. Montagu is less dangerous to his rivals for the Union Committee than he is to pedestrians. Rattenbury works. Thomas works still harder. He is secretary of the C.O.W.S. and canvassed forty-nine C.O.WW. before he found us to write this letter. Bentwich is frightfully clever. So are Evans and Felix-Jones of Trinity Hall. They have both eluded our eagle eye. Rea of Christ's strokes third boat. Morris of Downing does not even play a violin. Barclay-Smith and Cowan are both of Caius. The latter bought a motor-cycle, and showed it to a policeman four times in the same day —he was so proud of it, and besides, the brakes would not work. Mellor of Sidney carries on the family tradition of causing us no trouble in any way.

of causing us no trouble in any way. Second year men.—In Trinity Blundell is our artisticlooking plutocrat. Clegg is not. Nor is Guymer, Lea and Raikes appear to be in deepest earnest about something. We do not know what. S. A. Montagu is the elder brother of the other. Morris and Pettitt combine to evoke the nurse and the porter alternately Samuel now enters the scene in horn-rimmed spectacles and leaves at once. Stevens is great, but intends to go down. Amos and Gibbs-Smith of Clare have nothing except their college in common. Similarly Proger and Walker of Pembroke. Wylie is at Peterhouse. Why is Wylie?

Trinity Third Year.—Pite is in America. Yet he was with honour in his own country. Vatcher occasionally visits his college from the suburbs. Cahn maintains his dignified attitude as a worker and is awfully serious. Chidson is neither dignified nor a worker. Curry keeps just below Turberville. Turberville keeps just above Curry. The two never meet. Home is a picture of bespectacled respectability. Graham will show any visitor round his library. Junkin—oh, bother Junkin ! Lowe is our star turnout. Pulvertaft, well he has not altered much.

Young of Christ's is benevolent, Christian and nice. Ruegg of Jesus eats dinner in the Temple and attempts examinations occasionally. Mellor of King's and Macpherson of Magdalen complete our list except for our dons.

Dr. Adrian has a side car and maintains his reputation for cynical humour. Mr. Robertson has his leg pulled by Dr. Adrian during solemn ceremonies. Mr. Robertson is blushful, shy and beaming. Mr. Hackforth lives a quiet life in Sidney Sussex. Most of our examining O.WW. are leaving. What has been their influence on the Cambridge O.W. tradition ? We leave it to you. It is an interesting subject for an essay.

Voicing through your columns the wish of all C.O.WW. to their school—FLOREAT,

We beg to subscribe ourselves,

Your obedient servant, C.O.W.

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