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THE PAST CRICKET SEASON.

ONCE again it is our duty to give a short account of the progress of School cricket during the past year. It is by no means an easy task to condense into a few columns what might spread over pages.

Last term being the first cricket season since the declaration of peace, a great many old clubs re-opened, and it was with great pleasure that we all saw what was practically the pre-war fixture card appear once more. It contained amongst others the Incogniti, Butterflies, Free Foresters, I Zingari, and Eton Ramblers. In spite of the fact that many men were using a bat for the first time for five years and the majority has only just been demobilised, the standard of our oppo-

nents' play was exceedingly high. This may, I think, be pleaded as some sort of an excuse for the somewhat disappointing results of our matches.

It is true that in our School matches, which are after all the gauge by which our standard of cricket should be judged, we were, as a team, by no means an unqualified success. We had a good game with Charterhouse, and the batting and fielding were quite satisfactory. The bowling, however, lacked any kind of sting; exactly the same thing happening at Wellington, except that in this case the batting also did not come up to the mark. The latter is in some degree explained by the general lack of strength and confidence in the School batting. Again and again a wicket was thrown away by a slow, undecided shot

that proved fatal, or by abominable running between the wickets. Our third School match, which resulted in a creditable victory over Radley amply avenged our defeat in 1918; while in the Tonbridge match we were badly beaten, chiefly owing to a magnificent innings by Hedges and a century by Knott. So much for School matches.

There is plenty of young talent to be found in the School if it is only developed and coached. Some of the grounds used last term were really in a state unfit for cricket, and it was not surprising that there were some people who showed surprisingly little interest in the game. This will, I hope, be remedied next year when all the bad wickets will be covered with cocoanut matting. We also look forward to the help we shall get from Mr. D. J. Knight in 1920.

I would like to say a word of thanks to R. N. R. Blaker, the famous old Westminster cricketer, for his untiring coaching of the XI. Mr. Michell and Capt. A. T. Willett were also very energetic and extremely helpful at the nets all through the season.

Matches were started at 12.30, instead of the pre-war time of 11.30, and stumps were usually drawn at 6 or 6.30. The masters kindly provided tea.

The fielding of the team, as a rule, showed a marked improvement on that of last season, and one or two remarkable catches were made. Amongst the most creditable performances of the year was that of P. V. Wade at Godalming, who went in first against Charterhouse and made 78. It was a good innings, sprinkled here and there with elements of luck. Another 78 was made by J. D. Percival in the Tonbridge match. His style was far better than Wade's, although his runs came much slower. However, under the circumstances, he played exactly the right game, and would have certainly reached 100 if he had not mistimed a leg ball and got stumped by Mackay.

Appended is a criticism of individual players:—

H. F. GORMAN, though Captain of an unsuccessful XI., kept his house in order, and led the side with grit, strength, and judgment. Cares and worries prevented his batting from altogether fulfilling the promise of 1918. With the bat he should go more for

the ball; on the leg side, he has a tendency to edge towards the leg stump. His bowling proved unsuitable for our wicket, but did excellent service, and his resolute batting against Radley won us our one victory. In the field he should keep close in.

H. A. CLEGG started off well at the beginning of the season with a 71 not out against the Incogniti, and got one other 50 against the Free Foresters. He had a good forcing stroke over the mid-off's head which got many runs. He was a somewhat erratic bowler, who sometimes proved useful with the ball, and an excellent fielder in the deep.

F. D. BERRYMAN, after promising so well last year, was decidedly disappointing. His batting never seemed to succeed in matches, and his bowling fell very short of expectations. His great mistake was sacrificing his length to his pace. A good field and an excellent thrower in.

P. V. WADE played several good innings during the year, one of which has already been mentioned. His style was exceedingly ugly, and his best shots were on the leg side. As a bowler he was disappointing. A good field.

J. D. PERCIVAL has a free and pretty style and some lovely shots on the off. He fell off greatly towards the end of the season. This is particularly applicable to his fielding.

C. H. TAYLOR is a promising all-round cricketer. He has plenty of good strokes all round the wicket. He developed during the term into a very fair slow bowler, and was particularly successful on slow wickets. One of the best fielders of the side.

K. C. HAME was one of the successes of the season. He is one of the best wicket-keepers Westminster has seen for some years, and his play has been greatly improved by the coaching of Sullivan, the Surrey 2nd XI. keeper. It is to be hoped that he will still be here next season.

L. R. LAST promised remarkably well as a bat at the beginning of the term, but failed to come up to expectations. He caught a magnificent catch in the deep against the Essex Club and Ground, and was generally very smart in the field.

E. D. HARFORD, whose sad death took place during the term, will be missed greatly by all

Westminsters. He was left top of the list of batting averages at the end of the year.

CRICKET AVERAGES 1919.

BATTING.

Name	No. of Innings	Times not out	Total runs	Most n innings	Average
E. D. Harford	7	1	159	42*	26.50
J. D. Percival	14	0	292	78	20.86
C. H. Taylor	14	1	240	52*	18.46
P. V. Wade	14	0	222	68	15.86
H. A. Clegg	14	1	196	71*	15.08
K. C. Hame	11	5	83	33*	13.83
L. R. Last	13	3	109	32	10.90
H. F. Gorman	14	0	141	47	10.85
F. D. Berryman	13	3	68	14	6.80

* Signifies 'not out.'

BOWLING.

Name	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Averages
C. H. Taylor	102	14	321	17	18.88
H. F. Gorman	94	10	400	24	20.75
P. V. Wade	165	12	730	32	22.81
H. A. Clegg	36	3	195	5	39.00
J. D. Berryman	205	14	890	22	40.48

The 'Dallas-Veitch' Cup, presented to the School three years ago by Mrs. Veitch in memory of her son who was killed in France, was won this year by E. D. Harford. It is given for the best batting average, and up to now has been won by N. P. Andrews, C. E. Stones, and H. F. Gorman in 1916, 1917, and 1918 respectively.

School Notes.

MR. KNIGHT is not joining us till next term, but Mr. Shairp has come to take his place for this term.

There are fifty-eight new boys this term.

The Rt. Rev. the Dean admitted the new King's Scholars up-School on October 9.

The Play this year is the 'Adelphi'; the Play nights are December 11, 15, and 17.

At Election M. R. Holmes received Maundy for a School Epigram.

On Michaelmas Day the Mission Offertory amounted to £4 18s. 6d. and on Election Sunday to £37 os. 8d.

Two shifts, one recruited from College and the other from Grant's and Rigaud's, did good work at Lots Road Power Station during the recent strike.

There will be an exeat from November 7 to November 11.

The Mure Scholarship has been awarded to A. H. T. Chisholm.

Commemoration will be held in Abbey, by permission of the Dean, on Monday, November 17, at 8.30 P.M.

After the Service the Headmaster and Masters will be glad to receive Old Westminsters and vistors Up School and in Ashburnham House. It has been found impossible this year at short notice to arrange for the provision of refreshments such as were available on the last occasion when this ceremony was held, in 1913.

No tickets will be issued, but O.WW. who intend to be present are asked to send a postcard to the Bursar, stating the probable number of their party, and requesting the Invitation Form which is required to be presented at the Abbey doors. O.WW. who are able and willing to help in the Choir are asked to communicate *at once* with Mr. J. G. RANALOW. Evening dress is optional.

SCHOOL OFFICERS.

THE following are officers for the ensuing year:—

Captain—R. L. Bennett.

Monitors— { H. F. Gorman.
H. G. G. Payne.
T. E. E. Cocks.

Head Town Boy—H. G. G. Payne.

Captain of K.SS—R. L. Bennett.

Head of Grant's—P. J. S. Bevan.

Head of Rigaud's—P. G. R. Burford.

Head of Ashburnham—J. S. Bentwich.

Head of Home-Boarders—H. G. G. Payne.

Captain of Football—H. F. Gorman.

Captain of Cricket—H. F. Gorman.

Head of Water—W. T. Lord.

Captain of Racquets—J. D. Percival.

Captain of Shooting—D. F. Knight.

Company Sergeant-Major, O.T.C.—K. C. Hame.

'THE ELIZABETHAN.'

THE following are officers for the coming year:—

Editor—R. L. Bennett.

Hon. Secretary—H. F. Gorman.

Hon. Treasurer—I. F. Smedley, Esq.

ELECTION, 1919.

Elected to Christ Church :

C. M. Cahn.
R. A. P. Bevan.
H. Chisholm.

Elected to Trinity :

H. L. Pettitt.
G. F. Lea.
H. A. Clegg.

Elected to Christ Church Exhibitions :

P. A. Hendy.
A. Hyde.

Triplett Exhibitions of £25 a year for three years were awarded to :

H. L. Pettitt.
G. F. Lea.
H. A. Clegg.
P. A. Hendy.
A. Hyde.

Samwales Exhibitions were awarded to :

H. L. Pettitt.
G. F. Lea.
H. A. Clegg.

ELECTION DINNER.

FOR the first time since 1914 Election Dinner was held on Election Monday, July 28. There were present the Dean of Westminster, the Dean of Christ Church, the Sub-Dean (Canon Carnegie), Canon de Candole, Lord Phillimore, the Bishop of Bangor, Sir Henry Craik, K.C.B., Mr. W. E. Horne, M.P., Mr. H. F. Manisty, K.C., the Head-Master Elect (the Rev. H. Costley-White), Major-General Sir George Aston, K.C.B., Mr. Russell Barker, Sir Charles Brickdale, Major-General Sir A. R. Hoskins, K.C.B., Major-General Sir William Leishman, K.C.B., Sir George Sutherland, Brigadier-General J. B. Wells, C.M.G., Sir Charles Davson, Mr. C. C. J. Webb, Dr. West, and many other Old Westminsters. The Master of Trinity was prevented from being present.

HALL EPIGRAMS.

As might be expected the epigrams recited at Election Dinner were largely concerned with the events of the war. In most instances the manner was but mildly satirical, not, however, in the case of a somewhat cruel jibe at our Portuguese allies.

EXITUS ACTA PROBAT.

O Lusitani, accipite debitas grates,
Vestra quod opera bene peregrinus bellum.
Cum pallidi pavore terga vertistis,
Victoriam insecutus hostis amisit.
O utilem pavorem et o fugam faustam!

So caustic a touch might well have been reserved for the Kaiser—who in point of fact was let off with a little good-humoured banter :—

OBSUNT AUCTORIBUS ARTES.

The Kaiser in his younger days
For Wagner's works conceived a craze,
In silver helm he oft was seen
Posing as knightly *Lohengrin*.
But now with deeper knowledge of his art
The *Flying Dutchman* is his favourite part.

This was a typical specimen of the war-epigrams. The best of them, however, were neither playful nor satirical, but entirely serious in tone—this, for example, on the employment by Germany of poison gas, material and moral :—

OBSUNT AUCTORIBUS ARTES.

Tu, Germania, noxios vapores
Misisti medios atrox in hostes ;
Sed longe populum nocentiore
Demens imbueras tuum veneno.
Vanos et dociles doli maligne
Fecisti a pueris ; tua inde poena est
Quod norunt neque rebus in secundis
Quid sit magnanimi neque ut viri sit
Forti pectore sustinere cladem.

There are many good things among the miscellaneous epigrams. Space allows us to quote but one of them—the neatest.

EXITUS ACTA NON PROBAT.

I felt the cane descend ;
They gave me beans ;
Theirs were the means,
Mine the unhappy end.

Looking at the epigrams as a whole we get the impression that they are less exuberant than usual—that they are somewhat subdued and serious in tone. This is not unnatural. The war, with its long-drawn suspense and tragic losses, has had its effect upon our minds ; and, apart from feelings which are shared by the whole nation, the breaking of old ties has recently brought into the sphere of our school life an unwonted element of sadness and regret. The epigrams now under notice were written for an occasion on which we were parting with old and tried friends. That which came first in the order of recitation worthily expressed our regret at the departure of Dr. Gow, our gratitude for his many services to the school, and our deep sympathy with him in the affliction that has clouded his latter years. We reproduce it here, together with the touching lines—so characteristic in their modesty and simple kindness—in which our old Headmaster bade us farewell.

EXITUS ACTA PROBAT.

Rector per annos bis novem nostrae Domus,
Ruente caelo pertinax,
In pace cedens, audiat nostrum 'Vale'
Fausta omnia imprecantium.
Terentio quis auctor hac saltem in Schola
Potior? Terenti vox mihi

WESTMINSTER.

H. F. Gorman, lbw, Hon. R. Anson	5
P. V. Wade, lbw, Sir F. Fitzwygram	8
J. D. Percival, b Sir F. Fitzwygram	0
C. H. Taylor, b R. H. Fox	11
H. A. Clegg, c and b Hon. R. Anson	11
E. D. Harford, c Maj. Crichton-Maitland, b Sir F. Fitzwygram	24
L. R. Last, st Col. Browning, b Crichton- Maitland	5
H. Clare, c A. Rothschild, b Sir F. Fitzwygram	12
F. D. Berryman, b Sir F. Fitzwygram	8
K. C. Hame, not out	0
E. L. Cowan, c R. H. Fox, b Sir F. Fitzwygram	0
Extras	14
Total	94

I ZINGARI.

Colin Mactea, b C. H. Taylor	12
R. H. Fox, b F. D. Berryman	7
Maj. F. Crichton-Maitland, c Hame, b C. H. Taylor	21
Ivan Cobbold, c Gorman, b F. D. Berryman ..	0
Hon. Rupert Anson, not out	29
J. R. Head, lbw, C. H. Taylor	1
A. Rothschild, b C. H. Taylor	5
P. R. Selby, c Clare, b C. H. Taylor	5
H. W. de Zoete, c Cowan, b P. V. Wade	21
Sir F. Fitzwygram, Col. F. H. Browning did not bat.	
Extras	4

Total (for 8 wickets) 105

WESTMINSTER v. RADLEY.

SATURDAY, JULY 12.

This game was played at Radley and resulted in a win for Westminster. The weather was extremely bad all the morning and the ground was very soft when play was started just before lunch. Westminster won the toss and decided to take advantage of the wicket and bat first. Although there were no high scores on either side, as might be expected, there were one or two very creditable performances. Wade and Last started well with 17 and 21 respectively. Both played a sound innings, hitting hard when they were given the opportunity. Gorman followed Percival, and settled down at once. With Taylor, who played a very good innings, he brought the score up to 101 before he was bowled by Worsley with a half volley. The latter took 5 wickets for 39 runs. The remaining 5 fell to Yates, who was their most successful bowler. Buckley played rather better than usual and made several very good hits.

When Radley started to bat the wicket was decidedly more dangerous than it had been at the start. 133 was quite a formidable score on such a tricky wicket and the home team never looked like getting the runs. The best batting performances were given by Park and Merrish-James. Bristowe and Hodgson also hit out well at the

Praestost, patrem qua natus in comoedia
Alloquitur, 'O lepidum caput.'
In hoc videte spes bona ut semper metu
Magis valuerit, ut nigras
Vir mentis aequae nubium semp̄r minas
Dispulerit, ut solis iubar.
Solem, heu, requirit ipse, sed noster dolor,
Re vera amantium dolor,
Eo levetur quod virum admirabilem
Caelestis intus lux alit.

EXITUS ACTA PROBAT.

Abscedit longo defessus munere tandem
Et ponit gravius ludimagister onus.
Vos hodie, pueri, si quid male fecerit olim,
Obliviscimini iam, veniamque date.
Si quid neglexit quod non debebat omitti,
Parcite peccatum commemorare nimis.
Quod bene tentarit, quodve utile dixerit, illud
Omne pius fido pectore servet amor.

THE FIELDS.

WESTMINSTER v. I ZINGARI.

SATURDAY, JULY 5.

WESTMINSTER batted first and the innings was opened by H. F. Gorman and P. V. Wade. The former was lbw to Anson before either had settled down, and the latter was dismissed in the same way by Fitzwygram, with the score at 13 for 3 wickets. Taylor and Clegg, who were now in, brought the number up to 24 before Taylor was bowled by a good ball from Fox. Although 24 for 4 was a bad beginning, Harford showed very determined resistance and had a good total of 24 to his credit before he was caught off Fitzwygram. The latter, who bowled considerably well all through the innings, took 6 wickets for 26 runs.

The visitors started to bat, with the very moderate total of 95 runs to win. Westminster started well in getting the first wicket for 8 runs, but Major Crichton-Maitland, who followed R. F. Fox, changed the outlook and with Colin Mactea brought the score up to 42 before the second wicket fell.

The next 3 wickets fell quickly, one to Berryman and two to Taylor. Hon. Rupert Anson played a good game and was not out with 29 runs to his credit. The score was passed with 3 wickets in hand. The visitors declared at 105, thereby gaining a victory by 2 wickets. Taylor's bowling, which got 5 wickets, was greatly helped by the state of the ground, rain having fallen in the night. He kept a good length all through the game.

end and got 16 and 18 runs respectively. The bowling honours went to Taylor, who took advantage of the state of the ground and got 5 wickets for 26 runs. Of the others, 2 fell to Gorman for 6 runs, 2 to Wade, and 1 to Berryman. Hame kept wicket well, as usual.

WESTMINSTER.

P. V. Wade, b R. E. Yates	17
L. R. Last, c Hodgson, b R. E. Yates	21
J. D. Percival, b R. E. Yates	0
C. H. Taylor, b C. E. A. Worsley	16
H. F. Gorman, b C. E. A. Worsley	32
H. A. Clegg, b C. E. A. Worsley	0
K. C. Hame, c and b C. E. A. Worsley	4
E. G. Buckley, b C. E. A. Worsley	16
F. D. Berryman, c Davies, b R. E. Yates	0
W. L. Hartley, c Adams, b R. E. Yates	1
A. P. Main, not out	3
Extras	23
Total	133

RADLEY.

R. E. Yates, lbw, C. H. Taylor	5
J. F. Park, st Hame, b F. D. Berryman	15
C. E. A. Worsley, b C. H. Taylor	8
E. T. B. Merrish-James, c Taylor, b P. V. Wade	15
L. Cooper, c Percival, b P. V. Wade	10
W. D. Davies, lbw, C. H. Taylor	2
G. P. Murray, c and b C. H. Taylor	16
R. L. Bristowe, b C. H. Taylor	18
L. H. Hodgson, b H. F. Gorman	1
O. L. Adams, c Percival, b H. F. Gorman	1
E. H. Hodgson, not out	2
Extras	6
Total	99

WESTMINSTERS v. OLD WESTMINSTERS.

SATURDAY, JULY 19.

The O.W.W. batted first. The innings was chiefly remarkable for a century by A. C. Feasey. He paid very little respect to the bowling throughout and hit 14 fours during his innings. He came in when 6 wickets were down for 47, and proved the ideal supplement of O. R. Borradaile, who played a steady game throughout. When these two were dismissed the remaining wickets fell quickly. Berryman was bowling up to his old form and got 5 wickets for 65. Gorman was quite successful and had 3 wickets to his credit. The School made a bad start and Last was bowled by Feasey with the score at 4. A short stand was then made before Wade was caught. Taylor and Percival settled down well and both got their fifties. It was an exhibition of good, stylish cricket. Taylor played well all round the wicket, though Percival was rather weak on his leg-side, and failed to punish many balls which should have gone to a boundary. No one else distinguished himself and the score stood at 175 for 7 wickets when stumps were drawn, Taylor and Berryman

being not out. For the O.W.W. Feasey got 5 wickets for 65 and Stones 2 for 51.

OLD WESTMINSTERS.

G. Jackson, c sub, b C. H. Taylor	12
G. E. Gerrish, c Fevez, b F. D. Berryman	3
H. R. Blaker, run out	26
C. E. Stones, lbw, F. D. Berryman	6
N. P. Andrews, b F. D. Berryman	2
F. S. Fleuret, b F. D. Berryman	0
O. R. Borradaile, b H. F. Gorman	20
A. C. Feasey, c Fevez, b H. F. Gorman	110
R. Smith, b F. D. Berryman	7
Capt. G. B. Gardiner, c Hame, b H. F. Gorman	0
L. A. M. Fevez, not out	1
Extras	14

Total 201

WESTMINSTER.

P. V. Wade, c Smith, b A. C. Feasey	17
L. R. Last, c Smith, b A. C. Feasey	0
J. D. Percival, b A. C. Feasey	61
C. H. Taylor, not out	52
H. F. Gorman, c Feasey, b C. E. Stones	12
H. A. Clegg, c and b A. C. Feasey	2
H. Clare, b A. C. Feasey	0
K. C. Hame, lbw, A. C. Feasey	0
F. D. Berryman, not out	3
E. G. Buckley, D. J. Fevez did not bat.	
Extras	26

Total (for 7 wickets) 173

WESTMINSTER v. ETON RAMBLERS.
SATURDAY, JULY 26.

This, the last match of the season at Vincent Square, resulted in a decisive victory for the Eton Ramblers. Westminster batted first and were all out before lunch. Sir F. FitzWygram proved far too good for the School batting, and took 8 of the 10 wickets for a total of 25 runs. K. C. Hame alone reached double figures. No one, however, was playing up to his usual form and the result was a foregone conclusion.

The Westminster bowling, too, seemed to be having an off day. 97 was up before C. H. Ebdon was bowled by Gorman. Major Twining was stumped shortly afterwards by Hame to the same bowler, after a magnificent innings of 69. M. E. C. Baggelly and Major P. R. Johnson made 44 not out and 36 not out respectively, but the brightest feature of the match was undoubtedly the batting of Major R. H. Twining. With four wickets in hand the visitors declared with a total of 235. Westminster batted again for a short time. Last and Percival both did better, though neither quite realised that under the circumstances a little harder hitting might have been beneficial. Percival was not out for 26 and Gorman for 20. Seventy-five (for two wickets) was up when stumps were drawn. Of the Westminster bowling Gorman had the best average, taking four for 51, Fevez and Berryman getting the other wickets.

WESTMINSTER.

H. A. Clegg, b Foster	2
P. V. Wade, lbw, FitzWygram	8
J. D. Percival, c Foster, b FitzWygram	3
C. H. Taylor, st Baggelly, b FitzWygram	0
H. F. Gorman, hit wicket, b FitzWygram	0
L. R. Last, c and b FitzWygram	0
K. C. Hame, c Foster, b FitzWygram	14
H. Clare, b FitzWygram	1
F. D. Berryman, not out	9
E. G. Buckley, c Colman, b FitzWygram	6
D. L. Fevez, b Foster	0
Extras	8

Total 51

ETON RAMBLERS.

Major R. H. Twining, st Hame, b H. F. Gorman	69
C. H. Ebden, b H. F. Gorman	31
Capt. G. R. R. Colman, c Taylor, b H. F. Gorman	10
M. E. C. Baggelly, not out	44
G. K. Dunning, b H. F. Gorman	0
T. J. M. More, c Last, b F. D. Berryman	14
F. D. M. Cornwallis, b D. L. Fevez	21
Major P. R. Johnson, not out	36
C. H. Foster, Sir F. FitzWygram did not bat.	
Extras	10

Total (for 6 wickets) 235

WESTMINSTER (2nd Innings).

P. V. Wade, st Baggelly, b More	2
L. R. Last, st Baggelly, b Ebden	17
J. D. Percival, not out	26
H. F. Gorman, not out	20
Extras	10

Total (for 2 wickets) 75

H. A. Clegg, C. H. Taylor, E. G. Buckley, K. C. Hame, F. D. Berryman, H. Clare, and D. L. Fevez did not bat.

K.SS. v. T.BB.

MONDAY, JULY 28.

ALTHOUGH K.SS. had great expectations this year of winning, the result was another victory for T.BB. It was the turn of the latter to bat first, which they did on one of Elson's very best of good wickets. It was a batsman's wicket all through the match, and especially unsuitable for the bowlers which K.SS. possessed. Wade and Clare opened the innings for T.BB., and reached 36 before Wade was dismissed, caught and bowled by Gorman, and the former was followed shortly afterwards by Clare, who had played a good steady innings. Berryman then came in, and played a far better game than he had done at any other time in the season. Of the rest, Cowan and Main hit up 32 and 21 respectively. They were all out for 198. Gorman took five wickets for 70, and Taylor five for 82 for K.SS. The fielding was only moderate.

K.SS. made a bad start, and Taylor and Last, two of the most valuable batsmen on the side,

were out for 15. This was an unexpected calamity, which was in small measure made good by a determined stand by Cocks and Gorman. The latter was l.b.w. to Wade in trying to put a ball round to leg, after a good innings of 33. Cocks came well up to the mark, as last year, and made an invaluable 39 not out, carrying his bat right through the innings. There were no more big scores, and the whole side were out for 145. Montagu was not quite nimble enough behind the wicket, and let pass rather a lot of byes. Otherwise the fielding was good. Berryman, unfortunately, hurt himself half way through the innings, and was unable to continue playing. Wade took four for 44, Berryman two for 14, and Cowan two for 29. It was, on the whole, a very creditable win for T.BB.

TOWN BOYS.

P. V. Wade, c and b H. F. Gorman	22
H. Clare, b H. F. Gorman	14
J. D. Percival, b C. H. Taylor	27
F. D. Berryman, b C. H. Taylor	48
E. G. Buckley, b H. F. Gorman	6
A. P. Main, c Last, b H. F. Gorman	21
E. L. Cowan, c Last, b C. H. Taylor	32
Hon. E. E. S. Montagu, b H. F. Gorman	0
H. R. Munt, not out	6
R. H. Lowe, b C. H. Taylor	0
D. L. Fevez, b C. H. Taylor	1
Extras	21

Total 198

KING'S SCHOLARS.

L. R. Last, b F. D. Berryman	6
T. E. E. Cocks, not out	39
C. H. Taylor, b F. D. Berryman	1
H. F. Gorman, lbw, P. V. Wade	33
H. A. Clegg, c Main, b P. V. Wade	8
K. C. Hame, b P. V. Wade	6
T. I. Lloyd, run out	7
R. C. Fisher, b P. V. Wade	7
J. H. Blair, run out	2
D. B. Murphy, b E. L. Cowan	0
G. H. Gompertz, b E. L. Cowan	0
Extras	36

Total 145

SCHOOL COLOURS.

The following were the School colours given for Election Term, 1919:—

PINKS.	PINK AND WHITES.	THIRDS.
H. F. Gorman.	*E. G. Buckley.	T. E. E. Cocks.
*H. A. Clegg.	*A. P. Main.	*E. L. Cowan.
F. D. Berryman.	H. Clare.	R. G. H. Lowe.
*P. V. Wade.	D. L. Fevez.	H. R. Munt.
J. D. Percival.		J. R. Peacock.
C. H. Taylor.		*Hon. E. G. S. Montagu.
K. C. Hame.		W. L. Hartley.
L. R. Last		*H. Chisholm.
*E. D. Harford.		W. B. Frampton.
		T. I. Lloyd.
		*E. M. Cazeaux.

* Indicates has left, or will have left by next season.

WATER.

NOTWITHSTANDING our ill-luck at Henley, Water last term flourished, and a greater number than ever came down to row.

Owing to ill-health and such things as overtake rowers, the 'Four' was unable to get together much before the end of May, and as a result was not fit enough for such a race as the Henley course provides. This year, for the first time since the revival of Water, the King's Scholars have won their race against Town Boys, and were lucky enough to receive the large silver cup which was presented this year. It was a misfortune for T.B.B. that two members of the 'Four' were unable to row on the day of the race. The House races were won by Ashburnham, who has now held the rudder for three years in succession. The silver sculls were won by R. H. Schlotel, who stroked the 'Four' at Henley. We congratulate P. J. S. Bevan and J. J. B. Shaw on gaining their pinks, and R. L. Bennett on his pink and whites. The list of last year's colours is as follows:—

J. J. B. Shaw.	} PINKS.
P. J. S. Bevan.	
R. H. Schlotel.	
W. T. Lord.	
G. O. George.	} PINK AND WHITES.
W. P. Gibson.	
R. L. Bennett.	
W. T. LORD.	

CAMP.

THE contingent went into camp at Mytchett Farm, Aldershot, on Tuesday, July 29. We arrived about 6 P.M., and at once set about the work of unloading kit and drawing equipment. The different contingents were formed into a brigade of four battalions of infantry under Colonel Darell, C.M.G., D.S.O., of the Coldstream Guards. We were in No. 3 Battalion, commanded by Capt. Stewart Menzies, of the Scots Guards. With a strength of three officers and only 94 other ranks, we were unfortunately too weak to form a company by ourselves. If we could only have increased our numbers by 20, we should not have required the assistance of a smaller school.

Training was at first very light, and passed through the usual stages of platoon and company to battalion training. The afternoon was devoted to lectures and visits to the R.A.F. factory at Farnborough. The most stirring event during the first three days was a fire alarm about 1 A.M., due to a cook having inadvertently set fire to his tent. The contingent turned out with commendable speed and quietness. Saturday afternoon was, as usual, devoted to sports.

After Sunday life became more strenuous but not less interesting. The lessons of the final advance in France were shown by the methods adopted. The days of bombs and trench warfare were gone, and special attention was paid to reconnaissance, fire-control, use of ground and cover, suitable formations, march discipline, and the other requisites of open warfare. At the same time drill was not neglected, and we saw an interesting demonstration by the 1st Scots Guards. In field work the officers acted as supervisors only, and their place was taken by senior N.C.O.'s.

On Monday night the Brigade carried out an interesting outpost scheme on Tunnel Hill, astride the Pirbright-Farnborough Road. Two battalions, of which No. 3 was on the right, were actually in the outpost line with one in Brigade reserve. The 4th battalion formed the enemy. Though our company was in local reserve the N.C.O.s had useful work in reconnoitring all possible lines of advance to the pickets, and when 'Cease Fire' sounded we were preparing to deliver a counter-attack against a large body of the enemy which had rushed one of the pickets. On Thursday the Brigade had a field day against the K.O.S.B's, who were to hold the line of the Basingstoke Canal against our advance from the direction of Fleet. No. 3 Battalion formed the advanced guard, and its rôle was to secure the three bridge heads on the brigade's front and so cover the deployment of the main body. The work was on the whole well done, and the operations proceeded 'according to plan.' On the 'Cease Fire' sounding we marched to the Gas School, near which dinners were awaiting us in the travelling kitchens. After dinner, the Commandant of the Gas School gave a very realistic display of methods adopted on the Western Front, including a cloud gas attack, a miniature barrage, and a projector discharge. At the conclusion of this we marched back to camp where we began to make preparations for departure. This was complicated by a strike on the South-Western Railway, but after various false alarms we arrived at Cannon Street by the South-Eastern Railway at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

D. P. S.

BAYONETS.

THE War Office having issued 170 new rifles and bayonets, all the old bayonets have to be returned to the A.O.D. at once. The C.O. would be greatly obliged if anyone who has left the School, and still has a Corps bayonet in his possession, would return it at once, addressed to the School Sergeant.

LIBRARY REPORT, 1918—1919.

I.—THE SCOTT LIBRARY.

<i>Play Term, 1918 :—</i>	
Volumes purchased	19
Volumes presented	0
<i>Lent Term, 1919 :—</i>	
Volumes purchased	18
Volumes presented	1
<i>Election Term, 1919 :—</i>	
Volumes purchased	16
Volumes presented	9
Total	
Number of Volumes at Election, 1918	9,726
Less Volumes lost and not replaced, and	
Volumes withdrawn	23
Total at Election, 1919	
	9,766

II.—THE SCIENCE LIBRARY.

Number of Volumes at Election, 1918	261
Volumes purchased or presented	0
Total at Election, 1919	
	261

GOVERNING BODY RETURNS.
LIBRARY ATTENDANCE,
1918-1919.

Library, Election 1918 to Election 1919	Play Term, 1918		Lent Term, 1919		Election Term, 1919
	Midday	Evening	Midday	Evening	Midday
Number of times Library was open	53	56	55	54	54
Total number of attend- ances	3,134	2,909	2,538	2,866	2,800
Greatest number present	149	85	149	50	172
Least number present	3	16	1	29	1
Average number present	59	52	46	53	51

SWIMMING SPORTS.

THE Sports were held at the St. George's Baths on July 7 and 8. The results were as follows :—
Junior Race—1st, I. G. Brodie; 2nd, C. W. Scott.
Neat Diving—1st, F. D. Berryman; 2nd, P. Mellor.
Senior Race—1st, F. D. Berryman; 2nd, I. G. Brodie.
Plate Diving—1st, R. P. Duttson; 2nd, P. Mellor.
F. D. Berryman won the Open Challenge Cup, while Ashburnham carried off the honours of the Inter-House Team Race.

DEBATING SOCIETY.

At an extraordinary meeting of the Society held on Thursday, September 25, the following officers were elected :—

- Visitor*—The Rev. the Headmaster.
- President*—R. L. Bennett.
- Vice-President*—H. G. G. Payne.
- Hon. Secretary*—R. C. Fisher.
- Hon. Treasurer*—W. D. J. Thomas.

These, with R. M. Rattenbury and K. C. Hame (elected), and J. S. Bentwich (co-opted), form the Committee.

House Notes.

K.SS.—First we must congratulate Bevan on Election to Oxford, Clegg and Pettitt on Election to Cambridge, and Hendy on his Christ Church Exhibition.—Since our last notes were published Last has gained his Pinks, and Cocks and Lloyd their Thirds. Though we failed to beat T.BB. up Fields we created a precedent at Putney, which we hope to see followed many a time in our oldest Westminster sport. Election was carried through with full ceremonial this year, and Graces and Epigrams were once more heard in Hall, to the credit of College.

This term we are glad to have in College two School Monitors, the Captain of Cricket and Football, offices combined in the person of Gorman, and Hame holds the onerous post of C.S.M. We hope these many responsibilities will not dim the ardour of our Victory Play.

Finally, we must congratulate Mr. R. R. Sedgwick on his election to a Trinity Fellowship.

A.HH.—Fourteen boys left last term, including Chisholm, our head (and C.S.M. and School Monitor besides), Atwood, Schlotel, Gilbert, and others of note; 21 new boys, however, have come in their place, and we now number 87. Bentwich is Head of House, and Gordon, Lord, and McGregor Monitors. A. Chisholm, Brodie, and Bassett are in Upper. Bentwich is to be congratulated on winning the O.W. Masonic Prize, and the whole house on its new heating system. Our prospects for the coming season are good. Juniors we deserve to win, Seniors with a little luck, and we look forward hopefully to the Drill Competition. Chisholm has handed down such a legacy of cups that we can only hope to keep what we have. We won four more events last term—swimming, shooting, the rudder, and Cricket Juniors, the last thanks to the captaincy

of H. R. Munt, to whom heartiest congratulations. Congratulations also to A. Chisholm on winning the Mure.

GG.—It is our first duty to lament the loss of Mr. Tanner, and to welcome Major Shaw as Housemaster. Mr. Tanner's kindness and sympathy were proverbial, and he will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Mrs. Thresher has also retired after 27 years' service as Matron.

There also left us C. M. Cahn, E. G. Buckley, A. P. Main, F. J. Thorold, Z. D. Berry, I. G. Montagu, and J. R. Howe. We wish them every success. However, 12 new boys raise our numbers above the normal.

We must congratulate W. J. Amherst, S. F. P. Jacob-Hood, and J. R. Peacock on being made Monitors, P. J. S. Bevan on gaining his Rowing Pinks, E. G. Buckley, A. P. Main, and D. J. Fevez on their Cricket Pink and Whites, and J. R. Peacock, W. L. Hartley, and W. B. Frampton on Cricket Thirds.

Congratulations are also due to P. J. S. Bevan on being promoted to Corporal and on being House-Commander.

The House Literary Society has been revived this term, and we are about to embark on the 'School for Scandal.'

H.BB.—It is pleasant to be able to record several successes for H.BB. last term. First and foremost we are to be congratulated on our victory in Cricket Seniors over Rigaud's; next our Singing team, after strenuous coaching by Cazeaux and Fleming, easily carried off the cup; and, lastly, we were successful in the Junior Shooting Competition, and acquitted ourselves very creditably in the Senior. We must congratulate various members of the House on cricket colours—H. Clare on Pink and Whites, R. G. H. Lowe on Thirds and T.B. Cap, and Pennington and P. Mellor on House Colours. Rattenbury and G. Shaw must be congratulated on winning the Fives Ties last term. Cazeaux, we are glad to say, has returned from his peregrinations in France, and is Vice-Captain of Football; we had four other representatives in the first match of term. Payne must be congratulated on becoming a School Monitor and Head Town Boy, and Fleming on being made a House Monitor at the end of term. We have three new members in the Upper—Knight, Balfour, and H. Clare. Lastly, we are sorry to lose all those who left us last term—especially C. H. Clare and H. A. Jenkins, whilst P. V. Wade will be much missed in the School and House teams.

R.R.—This term we mourn the loss of some of the most valuable members of the House.

Hyde has gone to Oxford with a Christ Church and a Triplett Exhibition, on which we congratulate him heartily. Montagu has gone to America, and Dewsbery, Colquhoun, Raikes, Dauber, and Davidson have also left us. We wish them all the best of luck. Congratulations are due to Burford on becoming Head of the House, to Pantin, Troutbeck, and Brown, on becoming Monitors, and to Little, John, Philcox, Psycha, and Cowan on coming into Under. Percival has become Captain of Racquets, and Burford, Brown, and Cobbold have appeared for the Second XI. It is much too early to prophesy, but our chances in Seniors seem reasonably bright. This term our new boys are Albert, Henry, Payne, Stern, Philpot boarders, and Raikes, Bonar, and Young half-boarders. Finally it is our sad duty to record the death of E. D. Harford, who passed away on the morning of July 19. His cheerful and generous nature made him a friend of all, and his loss was a very real blow to us. We offer our deepest condolences to Canon and Mrs. Harford.

Old Westminsters.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL SIR THEODORE MORISON, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., C.B.E., has been appointed Principal of Armstrong College, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

The Rev. E. N. Sharpe, rector of St. Mary's Woolnoth, has been appointed Vicar and Rural Dean of Paddington.

Mr. F. H. Collier, C.B., has been appointed Secretary of the Ministry of Food.

Mr. A. R. I. Mellor is among the candidates selected for appointments in the Egyptian Civil Service.

Mr. T. M. Mavrogordato has won the Lawn Tennis Championship Cup for the South of England.

Dr. E. D. Adrian has been appointed Junior Demonstrator in Physiology at Cambridge. He has been awarded the Raymond Horton-Smith Prize.

Mr. A. C. Boulton, who has been for some time on the staff of the Royal College of Music, has been appointed Musical Director of the Russian Ballet for the present season.

Mr. R. R. Sedgwick has been elected a Fellow of Trinity. Mr. Sedgwick was elected Head of Trinity in 1912 and took a first in both parts of the History Tripos.

Mr. Clement Dunscombe has been appointed a House Surgeon at St. Bartholomew's Hospital.

Mr. G. C. Brooke, Mr. J. H. Clarke, Capt. W. A. E. Stamp, and the Rev. F. M. Yglesias have become life subscribers to THE ELIZABETHAN.

Mr. R. J. B. Beale, one of our life subscribers, has very kindly sent us a donation of £1 1s. towards the cost of producing THE ELIZABETHAN.

Births.

ON July 12, the wife of William Cleveland-Stevens, of a son.

On July 16, the wife of Gerrard M. Rambaut, D.S.O., of a daughter.

On August 14, the wife of Frank Brodie Sherring, I.C.S., of a son.

On August 29, the Lady Ritchie of Dundee, of a son.

On September 15, the wife of Robert Ronald Campbell, of a daughter.

On September 18, the wife of Hugh Pearce-Gould, of a son.

On September 25, the wife of Arthur Stretton Gaye, of twin-daughters.

On October 6, the wife of L. E. Barrington-Ward, of a daughter.

Marriages.

BARNES—WIJK.—On August 28, Major-General Sir Reginald Barnes, K.C.B., to Gunilla, widow of C. D. Wijk.

CASTLE-SMITH—EVANS.—On July 22, Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Castle-Smith, A.D.C. to the late Sultan of Egypt, to Maude Ellefred, M.B.E., only daughter of Sir Frederick Evans, Colonial Secretary at Gibraltar.

SLAUGHTER—WASTALL.—On August 12, Leonard Lansdell Slaughter, M.B.E., to Doris, daughter of — Wastall, of Durlock Grange, Minster.

FRASER—COMINS.—On September 30, Captain Francis W. I. V. Fraser, M.C., to Naomi, youngest daughter of Frederick Innes Comins, of Caergwrle, near Wrexham.

CIRCUITT—POWELL.—On July 18, George F. Langdale Circuit, to Helen Rosamund Hope, eldest daughter of A. S. Powell, of Hampstead, N.W.

SHAW—STEPHENS.—On September 6, Donald Patrick Shaw, D.S.O., Master of Grant's, to Maud Vivian, only daughter of T. A. Stephens, H.M.I., 25 Corn Market, Oxford.

Obituary.

WE have to regret the deaths of several Westminsterians who in different ways have attained to distinction.

SIR EDWARD POYNTER, G.C.V.O., P.R.A., who died on July 26 at the age of 83, was at the School in Liddell's first years, but for reasons of health his later boyhood was spent at Madeira and at Rome. Here he made acquaintance with Leighton, who confirmed his love for art. Later he worked at Paris under Gleyre. In 1861 he had a picture in the Royal Academy Exhibition. In 1867 was exhibited the great picture of 'Israel in Egypt.' In 1868 he was elected an A.R.A. Many classical pictures followed, and in 1878 the 'Visit to Æsculapius,' which was bought for the National Gallery through the Chantrey Fund. Both before and after that date he painted many portraits. In 1894 he became Director of the National Gallery, having been an R.A. since 1876, and in 1896 he became P.R.A. and was knighted. A baronetcy followed in the same year. His 'Lectures on Art,' some of them delivered by him as Slade Professor, have a high permanent value. He was a great artist, an eloquent speaker, and a notable man of affairs.

HUGH LAWRENCE DOHERTY, the youngest of three brothers who were at the School in the eighties and nineties, was probably the greatest of all lawn-tennis players. From School he went to Cambridge and played for the University in the three years 1896-98. His brother 'R.F.' was then champion and so continued until 1900. From 1902 to 1906 the championship was held by 'H.L.' and except for one year the brothers held the double championship from 1897 to 1905. For four years 'H.L.' played in the Davis Cup competition without losing a match. In later years he gave up the game for golf.

Physically he was never very strong, and the strain of war work in the R.N.V.R. brought on a long illness from which he died on August 21. He had borne his athletic honours with great modesty and was the object of great and widespread affection.

MAJOR ARCHIBALD HENRY HOGARTH, M.D., the only son of Mr. Edward L. Hogarth, of Saxmundham, was at the School as a Q.S. from September 1891 to 1896, when he was elected to a Christ Church Exhibition. After taking his degree he went to St. Bartholomew's Hospital, and after qualifying, became, as *The Times* calls him, 'one of the most distinguished and active of English sanitarians.' He worked especially for the Port of London Authority and for the L.C.C., and later became Medical Officer for Buckinghamshire. In the Boer War while still an undergraduate he served in the Oxford and Bucks Yeomanry and won the D.C.M. In the late war he saw much service as a regimental surgeon, and later was sent on a special mission to the influenza-stricken camp in the Eastern Mediterranean. On his return voyage he contracted a septic sore throat, of which he died on September 5. His death is a great loss to practical science.

CHARLES FREDERICK INGRAM, second son of the last Under-Master of the School, was admitted in 1874 and left in 1881 for Trinity College, Cambridge. He was admitted a solicitor in 1888. His death occurred on August 2.

The Hon. ROBERT CHARLES PHILLIMORE, eldest son of Lord Phillimore, was admitted in 1885 and went to Christ Church, Oxford, where he graduated in 1894, having been President of the Union. He was already taking an active part in politics and had unsuccessfully stood as Liberal candidate for the Ripon Division. For many years he was on the London County Council as Progressive Member for Deptford, and in 1912 he again stood for Parliament, this time for the St. Albans Division, but was again defeated. On the outbreak of the war he went to do hospital work at Arc en Barrois. In the course of this work his heart received an injury from which it never recovered, and a four years' illness has ended in death. In his life he had done much useful work and his loss will be felt in many places.

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