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VALE.

How hard it is in war-time to express an adequate farewell to all those whose last days with us are all but come, and who are going, we know not where, cheerily and willingly to brave the perils of the service of the country.

Parting is such a different thing now from what it was in those far-off, all-but-forgotten days of peace; we let our friends go with only a vague idea of what may befall them, and all the more unwillingly because their very willingness to go has but enhanced their value in our eyes. War has emphasised the true meaning of friendship and added a fresh significance to the act of parting; in peace-time we might wish them but a careless *au revoir*, now with heart and soul we bid them fervently *adieu*. Moreover, with the sadness we cannot but feel at parting

from them, there is now mingled another feeling—one of pride and faith and confidence in them, such as was engendered perhaps by but few peace-time partings. We know well that they, though their helping hand is no longer to be felt in the School, are but gone forth to shed, on foreign fields, fresh lustre on its name, and that they are now looking to us who stay behind to Carry On in a way worthy of the supreme sacrifice they are prepared to make.

And so, when over the elder of us there comes that inevitable and depressing sensation of uselessness amid such mighty issues, and when we wish with all our heart that it might have been ours to have gone with them, then let us remind ourselves that it is Carrying On that is to win the war, and Carrying On for no little time yet; for another dreary winter, another spring bright with hope and expectations—when at last our turn will have come to pre-

pare for the final scene of this great tragedy, and others will have assumed the task of Carrying On—must pass, and then—who knows?—perhaps then we may have Carried On until the appointed hour, and may be allowed to reap in Victory the fruits of our Tenacity and Patience.

In the air, then, on the sea and on the land, wherever you are, may God be with you, and may every success and happiness attend you. Valete.

floreat.

PRO PATRIA.

ROLF MAYNE NEILL, 2nd Lieutenant, R.F.C. ;
Captain JAMES MONTAGUE EDWARD SHEPHERD,
R.F.C.

Mr. NEILL, the only son of Mr. Harold Neill, of Kensington, was at the School from September 1911 to Easter 1916, and was second Monitor in Ashburnham. He left School to join the Flying Corps, and after some meritorious and successful service, fell within the German lines. Our own generation mourns an excellent fellow.

Captain SHEPHERD was at the School from April 1910 to Election 1914. He was an officer in the Rifle Brigade, and afterwards joined the Flying Corps.

School Notes.

THE offertory on the Patron Festival of St. Peter, Apostle and Martyr, amounted to £4 6s. 8d.

The O.W.W. Masonic Prizes have been awarded as follows : For Practical work, to Scholefield ; for Essay, to Cahn.

The Phillimore Essay Prize has been awarded to Baty.

The third trial of Orations was heard Up School on June 25. The piece set was part of a speech by Chatham, on the American Colonies. The prize was divided between Ellis and Warburg.

There will be no Election Dinner this year.

As a result of the recent Challenge, the following were recommended :—

To *Resident King's Scholarships* : H. D. Berman, A. J. N. Cross, H. W. M. Dullely, C. H. Taylor, R. W. Daniels, M. C. Petitpierre*, D. L. M. Moonan, M. de Selincourt, J. G. Tiarcks.

To *Non-Residential King's Scholarships* : J. J. B. Shaw*, F. M. E. Jackson*, P. G. R. Burford*, W. H. Troutbeck*, C. F. Macfarlane.

To *Exhibitions* (£30) : J. G. S. Montagu, A. T. Lloyd-Jones, G. K. Whitlamsmith.

* Already in the School.

On Thursday, June 28, Major Gaye, an old Captain of College, gave us an interesting lecture Up School on the subject of 'Supplies.' He explained in detail the marvellous way in which a Division is fed, living, as it does, from hand to mouth, and made quite clear the fact that a Supply Officer in France leads anything but an easy life.

The Swimming Sports were held at St. George's Baths on Monday and Tuesday, July 16 and 17. An account will appear in the next number.

C. E. Stones and M. G. Farquharson regained their Pinks after the match *v.* Artists' Rifles, H. J. Salwey after Essex Club and Ground, H. W. Watkins and V. Croome after match *v.* A.S.C. M.T.

G. Jackson received Pink and Whites after A.S.C. M.T., and Hobson after match *v.* Tonbridge.

Owing to pressure of space, additions and corrections of the last War Number which had been received for publication in the present number have been unavoidably held over.

THE FIELDS.

WESTMINSTER *v.* GRENADIER GUARDS.

SATURDAY, MAY 5.

THIS match, which was arranged at the last moment, resulted in a draw in our favour, and between 2 o'clock and 6.30 p.m. nearly 500 runs were scored on a beautiful wicket. It was mainly notable for a magnificent stand by Farquharson and Andrews, who put on 182 for the second wicket by fine forcing cricket, and the former was very unlucky in being run out when he wanted only two for his century. Croome and Farquharson opened the innings, and 29 was scored before the former was bowled by a good ball from Bruce. Then, as stated earlier, the latter and Andrews carried the score to 211 for 2. Andrews was then bowled by Bruce, and immediately after, Farquharson was run out. Pakenham-Walsh and Hobson then added 36 before the former was

caught, and at this point Andrews declared, with the score at 247 for 4.

The Grenadier Guards were given a good start by Clarke and Twining, who scored 33 before the former was bowled by Pakenham-Walsh for 22. Chitty was soon disposed of by the same bowler, but when Twining was joined by Cavendish, a very large stand of 132 was made, and the score reached 165, when Pakenham-Walsh bowled Cavendish, and one ball after he took two wickets with two consecutive balls. However, before stumps were drawn, the Guards had scored 212 for the loss of one more wicket.

Score and Analysis:—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.	
V. Croome, b Bruce	10
M. G. Farquharson, run out	98
N. P. Andrews, b Bruce	86
A. W. F. Hobson, not out	14
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, c Clarke, b Cornell	19
H. J. Salwey	} did not bat
H. F. Gorman	
G. Jackson	
C. E. Stones	
H. N. Rudge	
H. W. Watkins	
Extras	20
Total (for 4 wickets)	247

GRENADIER GUARDS.	
S. Clarke, b Pakenham-Walsh	22
T. C. Twining, b Pakenham-Walsh	84
T. M. Chitty, b Pakenham-Walsh	0
Capt. R. Cavendish, b Pakenham-Walsh	75
R. Cornell, b Pakenham-Walsh	0
Pte. Whitlock, b Pakenham-Walsh	0
R. Bruce, not out	0
Capt. Loftus, not out	9
H. Cooper	} did not bat
Sir J. Hanham	
Pte. Clarke	
Extras	22
Total (for 6 wickets)	212

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.				
	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Bruce	15	1	63	2
Clarke, S.	9	0	62	0
Cornell	11	0	51	1
Cavendish	3	0	25	0
Clarke, W.	5	0	20	0
Cooper	2	0	8	0

GRENADIER GUARDS.				
	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Rudge	10	2	41	0
Pakenham-Walsh	17	2	62	6
Stones	4	0	30	0
Andrews	3	0	23	0
Watkins	4	0	29	0
Jackson	2	0	10	0

WESTMINSTER v. ARTISTS' RIFLES.
SATURDAY, MAY 12.

With such players as the Artists' Rifles had, it is not surprising that the School suffered a heavy

defeat. The visitors won the toss, and, according to their usual custom, put the School in to face the attack of Kirke and Ford. When only 7 had been scored, Croome was caught off Ford. On Andrews and Farquharson getting together, it looked as though the School would succeed in making a large total. At 58, however, Andrews was bowled by Kirke for 41. He had made his runs very quickly with three fives and five fours. Farquharson continued to play steadily, but was out c & b by Day off his first ball. From this point little resistance was offered to the bowling except for Radermacher, who made 24 in good style, and the innings closed for 135.

Glibbery and Day opened for the Artists to the bowling of Pakenham-Walsh and Stones, and the former was caught by Watkins off Pakenham-Walsh at 16. The score then mounted to 185, both Day and Titchmarsh playing beautifully, the former making some fine shots past third-man.

Titchmarsh and Petters had added 45 for the next wicket, when the former was well caught at mid-on. The Artists' batting was exceedingly strong, and the large total of 286 for 4 was obtained.

The School's second venture was not more successful, four wickets being down for 24. However, Jackson, Stones, Salwey, and Radermacher all batted well, and when stumps were drawn 106 for 7 had been scored.

Score and Analysis:—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.			
V. Croome, c Ellis, b Ford	3	b Taylor.....	8
M. G. Farquharson, c & b			
Day	31	b Taylor.....	3
N. P. Andrews, b Kirke...	41	c Dumbleton, b Kirke	5
H. F. Gorman, lbw, b Kirke	0	lbw, b Kirke	4
H. J. Salwey, b Kirke ...	2	b Taylor.....	15
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh,			
b Ford	8	b Taylor.....	6
D. A. Radermacher, b Day	24	b Taylor.....	13
G. Jackson, b Kirke	1	not out	20
C. E. Stones, b Kirke	0	not out	17
H. N. Rudge, b Day.....	5		
H. W. Watkins, not out...	12		
Extras	8	Extras.....	15
Total.....	135	Total ...	106

ARTISTS' RIFLES.

H. E. Glibbery, c Watkins, b Pakenham-Walsh	4
A. P. Day, b Andrews	90
C. H. Titchmarsh, c Watkins, b Pakenham-Walsh	112
L. M. Petters, b Stones	23
G. G. Dumbleton, not out	25
A. J. Taylor, not out.....	16
E. C. Kirke	} did not bat
R. H. Day	
A. D. Ellis	
L. G. Phillips	
P. C. Ford	
Extras	16
Total (for 4 wkts.)	286

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.—1st Innings.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
E. C. Kirke.....	14	3	54	5
P. C. Ford	8	0	49	2
A. P. Day	5	0	24	3

2nd Innings.

E. C. Kirke.....	7	2	26	2
A. Taylor.....	11	0	42	5
G. Dumbleton.....	5	0	23	0

ARTISTS' RIFLES.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	16	1	60	2
C. E. Stones	12	0	71	1
H. W. Watkins.....	5	0	29	0
H. F. Gorman	5	1	24	0
H. N. Rudge.....	8	1	37	0
N. P. Andrews	4	0	27	1
G. Jackson.....	2	0	22	0

WESTMINSTER v. ESSEX CLUB AND GROUND.

SATURDAY, MAY 26.

Against Essex, who were not very strongly represented, the School gained a handsome victory by the big margin of 198 runs. The batting was excellent throughout, eight reaching double figures. The biggest score, however, was made by Andrews, who made 80 in an hour-and-a-half, and although starting in an unsteady way, afterwards played very well. Batting first, the School, after losing two wickets for 87, then nearly doubled their total before Andrews and Radermacher were parted. Several of the later batsmen rendered able assistance, and the large total of 355 was reached just after 4 o'clock.

When, for the loss of two wickets, Essex had scored 70, it seemed possible that the game would end in a draw, but Pakenham-Walsh bowled extremely well, and obtained six for 62. The finish was very exciting, inasmuch as the last wicket did not fall until the last ball but one of the match.

Throughout this match Croome kept wicket excellently, although the bowling was at times erratic.

Score and Analysis :—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

V. Croome, st Cooper, b Thompson.....	17
M. G. Farquharson, c Thompson, b Waugh	24
N. P. Andrews, b Waugh	80
D. A. Radermacher, b Waugh	22
H. J. Salwey, b Waugh	43
H. F. Gorman, lbw, b Waugh	8
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, c Cooper, b Cockett.....	39
G. Jackson, c Waugh, b Watts	42
C. E. Stones, c Cummings, b Thompson	23
H. N. Rudge, not out	7
H. W. Watkins, c Cooper, b Watts	7
Extras	43
Total	355

ESSEX CLUB.

Dr. Cummings, b Pakenham-Walsh ..	24
Rev. C. F. Hodges, c Croome, b Stones	11
E. E. Cockett, b Stones.....	12
F. H. Smith, c Farquharson, b Pakenham-Walsh	25
H. P. Waugh, lbw, b Watkins	30
W. Lotinga, b Pakenham-Walsh	0
Campbell P. Hulton, b Pakenham-Walsh	1
F. H. Watts, b Pakenham-Walsh.....	4
Dr. F. W. P. Holton, b Pakenham-Walsh	0
H. E. A. Cooper, c Croome, b Rudge.....	7
A. Thompson, not out.....	13
Extras	30

Total 157

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Waugh.....	20	0	91	5
Thompson	16	2	78	2
Holton.....	11	1	52	0
Cockett	10	0	42	1
Watts	14	2	49	2

ESSEX CLUB.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Pakenham-Walsh	22	2	62	6
Stones	15	3	53	2
Watkins	5	1	11	1
Rudge.....	1.5	0	1	1

WESTMINSTER v. SURREY CLUB AND GROUND.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30.

This match, which is the third at the Oval since the beginning of war, resulted in a very creditable way for the School, although we were defeated. In the Surrey side were included such players as D. J. Knight, E. H. D. Sewell, P. G. H. Fender, and W. M. Bradley. A lot of rain had fallen on the day before the match, so that, on winning the toss, Andrews had no hesitation in putting the Club in. That this policy was justified was proved by the dismissal of such a powerful side for under 200, which might have been considerably reduced had the first chance offered by D. J. Knight been accepted. Stones and Rudge bowled very well indeed, and runs were never easy to obtain, as fielding was close and keen, and the catching excellent. Radermacher and Jackson specially distinguished themselves, as did Croome keeping wicket. Andrews made a wonderful catch at mid-on to dismiss Hope. Our bowling was greatly weakened by the absence of Pakenham-Walsh.

After Croome's dismissal by a beautiful ball from Bradley, Andrews and Farquharson played delightful cricket, but both were out to Sewell, the latter caught at square leg from a fine hit. For the most part we were unsuccessful against the bowling of Fender, who obtained seven wickets for just over four runs apiece, except for Salwey and

Stones, who both played very useful innings, the hitting of the latter being especially good. The fielding of the Club was very good, Knight at cover saving many runs.

In the second innings Knight, who obtained 75 out of a total of 98, played a delightful innings, but he was eventually caught at cover with a good catch by Andrews.

Score and Analysis :—

SURREY CLUB AND GROUND.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
S. Colman, c Hobson, b Stones	4	c Andrews, b Farquharson	75
D. J. Knight, c Hobson, b Stones	19	c Andrews, b Farquharson	19
E. H. D. Sewell, b Rudge	45		
W. S. Sterling, b Rudge	7		
P. G. H. Fender, c Stones, b Watkins	13		
A. Hope, c Andrews, b Watkins	24	b Stones	1
W. Gracey, not out	48	b Watkins	2
W. Reay, c Jackson, b Watkins	0	c Radermacher, b Stones	0
V. F. Feeny, b Rudge	10		
A. M. Latham, b Rudge	5		
W. M. Bradley, b Rudge	0		
W. Lotinga, st Croome, b Stones	4	not out	0
Extras	10	Extra	1
Total	189	Total (for 5 wickets)	98

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

V. Croome, b Bradley	5
M. G. Farquharson, c Gracey, b Sewell	26
N. P. Andrews, c Colman, b Sewell	20
D. A. Radermacher, b Fender	5
H. J. Salwey, b Fender	16
A. W. F. Hobson, b Fender	4
H. A. Clegg, b Fender	8
G. Jackson, b Fender	3
H. F. Gorman, b Fender	10
C. E. Stones, c Feeny, b Sewell	22
H. N. Rudge, not out	6
H. W. Watkins, b Fender	0
Extras	9
Total	138

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

SURREY CLUB AND GROUND.—1st Innings.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Stones	20	2	82	3
Rudge	21	5	59	5
Watkins	6	0	26	3
Andrews	1	0	10	0

2nd Innings.

Rudge	5	1	30	0
Stones	4	0	32	2
Watkins	2	0	4	1
Farquharson	2	0	11	2

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Run3.	Wickets.
Bradley	7	1	22	1
Sterling	7	2	31	0
Reay	5	0	5	2
Sewell	18	5	39	3
Fender	13	3	32	7

WESTMINSTER v. A.S.C. M.T.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2.

Owing to the cancelling of the match v. Charterhouse at Vincent Square, a match against the above was arranged, and again we were opposed by a side made up of some exceedingly good players. Among these were A. C. Maclaren, the former Captain of England, and Heap and Tyldesley (E.), the two Lancashire professionals. The visitors won the toss and Heap, who is left-handed, came in first with Sgt. Eddowes, but only 17 had been scored when the latter was bowled by Pakenham Walsh. Runs came freely all through, but the longest partnership was that of Heap and Maclaren, who added 99 for the fifth wicket. We were unfortunate in that throughout our opponents' innings there was always one left-hander in, so that the field was continuously changed. Croome 'kept' excellently throughout, making a specially fine catch on the leg side. The School batting failed miserably except Croome, Jackson, and Andrews. Andrews was very unlucky in being caught behind the wicket off a ball that 'got up' very quickly.

Score and Analysis :—

A.S.C.

Sgt. Eddowes, b Walsh	3
Pte. Heap, st Croome, b Watkins	126
Pte. Tyldesley, b Rudge	15
Lce.-Corp. Keeling, c Radermacher, b Stones	26
Pte. Miles, b Stones	6
Capt. A. C. Maclaren, c Croome, b Stones	61
Lce.-Corp. Newey, c and b Watkins	0
Pte. Laws, not out	5
Pte. Barber, b Watkins	0
Corp. Hawtin, b Watkins	4
Pte. Scott, st Croome, b Stones	0
Extras	15
Total	261

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

V. Croome, b Barber	28
D. A. Radermacher, b Barber	7
N. P. Andrews, c Hawtin, b Heap	20
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, b Heap	9
H. F. Gorman, c Maclaren, b Barber	6
H. J. Salwey, b Barber	0
C. E. Stones, c Keeling, b Barber	11
G. Jackson, b Barber	25
H. A. Clegg, not out	1
H. N. Rudge, b Barber	0
H. W. Watkins, c and b Barber	0
Extras	5
Total	112

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

A.S.C.				
	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	13	1	42	1
H. N. Rudge	13	1	73	1
C. E. Stones	19.5	5	58	4
H. W. Watkins	10	2	45	4
N. P. Andrews	3	0	24	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.				
	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Heap	17	5	48	2
Barber	16.3	0	59	8

RADLEY *v.* WESTMINSTER.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9.

This match, the first of our School matches, was won by the School by the large margin of 134, thanks to a magnificent innings of Stones, who also, with Pakenham-Walsh, shared the honours of Radley's dismissal for the small total of 106. The wicket was not up to the high standard of those at Vincent Square, the ball at times keeping low and at others getting up.

The Radley innings started most disastrously for them, and owing to the deadly bowling of Pakenham-Walsh and Stones eight of their wickets fell for 44. K. C. Miller and H. R. M. Nicholl, however, made a stand of 59, and before the ninth wicket fell 103 was on the board, but the innings closed for 106.

Farquharson and Croome started well, but the former was unluckily caught with an excellent catch, and not long after Andrews was caught at the wicket. After Radermacher was out Stones and Croome put the result beyond doubt, carrying the score to 84 before the latter was out. He had played very well, and was caught with a good catch. Salwey was soon out, but with Stones and Jackson still in our opponents' score was passed, and before the latter was out 165 had been scored, and the innings eventually closed for 240, Stones making 126 before being caught in the deep. He had played magnificently, and among his hits were one six and twelve fours.

Score and Analysis :—

RADLEY COLLEGE.				
R. W. R. Glasgow, b Pakenham-Walsh	1			
B. E. Gates, c Andrews, b Pakenham-Walsh	2			
V. P. Vickermann, c Radermacher, b Pakenham-Walsh	17			
E. D. H. Davies, c Farquharson, b Stones	3			
W. F. Anning, b Pakenham-Walsh	0			
S. E. Clarke, st Croome, b Stones	0			
F. G. Potts, c Andrews, b Stones	0			
G. L. Garratt, c Salwey, b Pakenham-Walsh	10			
K. C. Miller, c Andrews, b Stones	23			
H. R. M. Nicholl, st Croome, b Stones	35			
R. E. Arden-Bott, not out	0			
Extras	15			
Total	106			

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

V. Croome, c Garratt, b Miller	30
M. G. Farquharson, c Garratt, b R. Glasgow	8
N. P. Andrews, c Clarke, b R. Glasgow	5
D. A. Radermacher, c Nicholl, b R. Glasgow	0
C. E. Stones, c Davies, b R. Glasgow	126
H. J. Salwey, c Anning, b Pott	0
G. Jackson, c Clarke, b Vickermann	22
G. Pakenham-Walsh, c Miller, b R. Glasgow	3
A. W. F. Hobson, b R. Glasgow	18
H. N. Rudge, b R. Glasgow	7
H. W. Watkins, not out	4
Extras	17
Total	240

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

RADLEY COLLEGE.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	10	2	37	5
C. E. Stones	9	1	36	5
H. W. Watkins	2	0	13	0
H. N. Rudge	1	0	5	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
R. W. R. Glasgow	23.3	1	84	7
F. G. Potts	11	0	31	1
G. L. Garratt	12	1	63	0
W. F. Anning	1	0	4	0
V. P. Vickermann	4	0	32	1
R. C. Miller	2	1	7	1

WESTMINSTERS *v.* WANDERERS.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16.

On a good wicket, the School were dismissed by the Wanderers for a moderate total of 120, and as the visitors replied with 256, we suffered a heavy defeat. The School batting broke down completely, and Andrews, Pakenham-Walsh, Croome and Stones alone reached double figures. A good start was made by the School, 31 being scored for the first wicket, but after that little opposition was given to W. M. Bradley, the one-time Kent and England bowler, and the innings closed for the small total of 120.

Although the first wicket of the Wanderers' innings fell for 15, S. Colman and L. S. Wells paved the way to victory by adding 63 for the second wicket. Three wickets, however, went down cheaply after the former had been disposed of for 17, and with the score standing at 116 for 6 the School seemed likely to escape a severe reverse, but then Wells and Gann became associated in a prolonged stand which added 94 runs, 210 being scored before the seventh wicket fell. Wells, who made 107, played somewhat uninteresting cricket, while his partner Gann hit finely until he was caught on the boundary by Farquharson for 57. The score was brought to 256 before the visitors were all out.

Score and Analysis :—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.	
M. G. Farquharson, lbw, b Graburn	9
V. Croome, b Bradley	18
N. P. Andrews, b Bradley	26
D. A. Radermacher, b Bradley	6
C. E. Stones, st Latham, b Bradley	17
H. J. Salwey, b Graburn	1
G. Jackson, b Bradley	4
G. Pakenham-Walsh, b Bradley	22
H. F. Gorman, b Ashbury	5
H. W. Watkins, not out	0
H. N. Rudge, b Ashbury	0
Extras	12
Total	120

WANDERERS.	
S. Colman, c Pakenham-Walsh, b Rudge	17
G. Dawdry, b Pakenham-Walsh	12
L. S. Wells, st Croome, b Stones	107
G. H. Ashbury, b Stones	5
A. M. Latham, b Pakenham-Walsh	1
A. C. Beaton, b Stones	5
E. D. Carolis, c Stones, b Pakenham-Walsh.....	0
Capt. W. P. Gann, c Farquharson, b Stones	57
W. T. Graburn, not out	21
A. G. Parsons, b Watkins	2
W. G. Bradley, b Watkins	5
Extras	24
Total	256

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.				
	Overs	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
W. M. Bradley	17	3	53	6
W. T. Graburn	14	1	45	2
G. Ashbury	2.5	0	10	2

WANDERERS.				
	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh... ..	13	2	44	3
C. E. Stones	19	3	50	4
H. W. Watkins	12	1	48	2
H. N. Rudge	8	1	37	1
N. P. Andrews	3	0	15	0
M. G. Farquharson	3	0	17	0
H. F. Gorman	2	0	11	0

WESTMINSTER v. TONBRIDGE.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23.

After an exceedingly exciting game the School were victorious by one wicket, although at one time our chances of victory seemed very remote. In this match the batting and bowling were decidedly inconsistent, whereas the catching was distinctly weak, three catches being missed. Until about four o'clock the weather was dull and rain fell at intervals, but there was a good muster of visitors during the afternoon.

FitzGerald and Garratt opened for Tonbridge, and both of these batsmen played good cricket, the former making some beautiful strokes. During this first period our bowling was bad, and it looked as though a large score would be obtained. However, Watkins, who went on at Pakenham-Walsh's end, bowled finely, and from the time he bowled

Garratt onwards the wickets fell quickly, inasmuch that, after being 75 for one, nine men were out for 174. Solbé and Pargiter put on 84 for the last wicket, the former carrying his bat from second wicket down. He played a magnificent innings, making some splendid shots all round the wicket.

The School innings started disastrously, four of the best bats being out for 32. Stones, however, as at Radley, came to the rescue, and with Salwey carried the score to 70, when the latter was bowled. Seven runs later the sixth wicket fell, and the score stood at 77. Then came the invaluable stand of Stones and Hobson, who though playing somewhat slowly revived our hopes, but with the score at 143 Stones was really unfortunate in being caught off a rising ball which he tried not to hit. Pakenham-Walsh and Hobson, however, took the score to 186 for 8 before Hobson was bowled after having played an invaluable innings of 44. The game now became intensely exciting, and it seemed as though either side might win. However, the score had reached 198 when Rudge ran himself out. The last man went in, and eight runs were needed for a victory, and six of these had been obtained when a muddle was made over the running, and Pakenham-Walsh, who had reached the middle of the pitch fell over. It seemed certain that he must be run out, but the state of excitement which prevailed made the fielding and throwing-in erratic, and Pakenham-Walsh got back before the wicket was put down. Two balls, however, were bowled before Watkins hit a four—the winning hit—and Westminster won a memorable game by one wicket.

Score and Analysis :—

TONBRIDGE.	
P. H. FitzGerald, c Salwey, b Stones	43
A. L. Garratt, b Watkins	38
L. P. Hedges, b Stones	2
E. P. Solbé, not out	76
T. E. S. Sawyer, b Stones.....	10
J. H. Head, b Rudge.....	1
E. P. W. Lewis, c Farquharson, b Rudge	11
A. H. Musson, lbw, b Pakenham-Walsh.....	0
J. Kidman, b Watkins.....	1
J. L. Lotinga, c Radermacher, b Watkins	0
W. Partiger, c Farquharson, b Watkins	11
Extras	13
Total	206

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.	
M. G. Farquharson, b Lotinga	13
V. Croome, lbw, b Musson	0
N. P. Andrews, c Garrett, b Musson	11
D. A. Radermacher, b Musson	0
C. E. Stones, c Musson, b Lotinga	59
H. J. Salwey, b Lewis	15
G. Jackson, c FitzGerald, b Sawyer	5
A. W. F. Hobson, b Lotinga.....	44
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, not out	29
H. W. Watkins, not out.....	8
H. N. Rudge, run out.....	1
Extras	24
Total (for 9 wickets)	209

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

TONBRIDGE.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Pakenham-Walsh	13	3	70	1
Stones	13	1	55	3
Watkins	12	0	41	4
Rudge	6	0	27	2

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
A. Musson	18	5	47	3
J. Lotinga	22	9	40	3
P. FitzGerald	8	0	34	0
E. Lewis	12	3	31	1
T. Sawyer	3	2	4	1
E. P. Solbé	4	0	14	0
A. L. Garratt	3	0	15	0

WESTMINSTER v. CAPT. P. F. WARNER'S XI.

SATURDAY, JUNE 30.

It was a memorable gathering at Vincent Square when Capt. P. F. Warner brought his side, containing some of England's foremost cricketers, and it is not to be wondered at that the School suffered a heavy defeat.

E. H. D. Sewell and N. Haig opened the innings for the visitors, and 56 had been scored before the latter was lbw to Watkins. Fender soon fell a victim to the same bowler, who was bowling very well. The score mounted rapidly, both Sewell and Henderson playing delightfully. However, at 171 Andrews, who had come on at the Pavilion end, got Hendren lbw. Immediately after lunch Warner was out to Andrews. Harrison, who came in next, played some fine forcing cricket, making some exceedingly big hits all round the wicket. Our opponents, however, declared with 311 for eight. Any chance we might have had was barred by the wonderful bowling of Massie, who took 7 for 30, Hobson, Andrews and Farquharson alone obtaining double figures, and we were all out for 74. In the second innings, thanks to some fine hitting by Andrews, who scored 64 in 35 minutes, we got 117 for four wickets.

Score and Analysis:—

CAPTAIN P. F. WARNER'S XI.

E. H. Sewell, c Radermacher, b Stones	111
Lieut. N. Haig, lbw, b Watkins	15
Lieut. P. G. H. Fender, b Watkins	2
Hendren, lbw, b Andrews	39
Capt. P. F. Warner, lbw, b Andrews	4
Lieut.-Comdr. Harrison, c Pakenham-Walsh, b Rudge	92
Lord Harris, retired	21
L. C. V. Bathurst, not out	4
Major R. Massie, b Rudge	6
Lord Hawke	
S. Christopherson	
A. G. Archer	
Extras	17
Total (for 7 wickets)	311

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

1st Innings.

2nd Innings.

M. G. Farquharson, c Haig, b Massie	12	c Archer, b Christopherson	5
V. Croome, c Massie, b Fender	2	b Sewell	19
N. P. Andrews, c Haig, b Fender	16	lbw, b Bathurst	64
D. A. Radermacher, b Fender	0	not out	11
C. E. Stones, b Massie	1		
H. J. Salwey, c Hendren, b Massie	4		
A. W. F. Hobson, c Haig, b Massie	17	c Sewell, b Bathurst	13
G. Jackson, b Massie	2		
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh, lbw, b Massie	7		
H. F. Gorman, c Lord Harris, b Fender	0		
H. N. Rudge, not out	1		
H. W. Watkins, c Lord Hawke, b Massie	0		
Extras	12	Extras	5
Total	74	Total (for 4 wickets)	117

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

CAPTAIN P. F. WARNER'S XI.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	12	0	77	0
C. E. Stones	14	0	69	1
H. N. Rudge	13	2	58	2
H. W. Watkins	11	0	58	2
N. P. Andrews	8	1	32	2

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.—1st Innings.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
R. Massie	11	1	24	7
N. Haig	3	0	8	0
P. G. H. Fender	7	0	30	4

2nd Innings.

S. Christopherson	8	0	29	1
L. C. Bathurst	8	2	36	2
E. H. Sewell	3	0	24	1
Lord Harris	3	0	23	0

BATTING AVERAGES.

	No. of Innings.	No. of Runs.	Times not out.	Most in Innings.	Average.
C. E. Stones	10	287	2	126	35.8
N. P. Andrews	11	378	0	86	34.3
M. G. Farquharson	10	229	0	98	22.9
A. W. F. Hobson	6	110	1	44	22.0
G. P. Pakenham-Walsh	9	142	1	39*	17.7
G. Jackson	9	124	1	42	15.5
V. Croome	11	140	0	30	12.7
H. J. Salwey	9	106	0	43	11.7
D. A. Radermacher	9	77	0	24	8.5
H. W. Watkins	8	31	4	12*	7.75
H. F. Gorman	6	33	0	10	5.5
H. N. Rudge	8	27	3	7*	5.4

Also batted:—

H. A. Clegg	2	9	1	9	9.0
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* Signifies not out.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

	Wides.	No. Balls	Runs.	Wkts.	Over.	Mdns.	Bwld.	Average.
G. P. Pakenham-								
Walsh	3	8	454	24	109	13	654	18'9
H. W. Watkins	1	0	341	17	73'3	4	441	20'06
C. E. Stones ...	2	2	595	26	148	17	688	22'8
H. N. Rudge ...	4	2	422	17	96	13	576	35'1
N. P. Andrews	0	0	176	5	28	1	168	35'2
<i>Also bowled:—</i>								
M. G. Farquhar-								
son.....	0	0	28	2	5	0	30	14'0
H. F. Gorman...	0	0	90	2	13	1	78	45'0
G. Jackson	0	0	32	0	4	0	24	—

WATER.

IN spite of the First Four's lack of success, which was due in a large measure to one or two unfortunate circumstances, the water season this year has proved, in other respects, quite successful.

The number of people taking 'Water' has increased to thirty-eight, and the large number of boats which go out every evening speaks well for the keenness and energy of the rowing members of the School.

After rowing occasionally right through the winter, the Fours first started to get together during the Lent Term, and were finally decided upon towards the end of the Easter holidays.

Till early in May, M. Felix Taymons, who coached us so successfully last season, still remained with us, but about three weeks before our first race with Tonbridge, he, unfortunately, had to go into hospital for an operation, and so, for a few days, we were left without a coach.

At this time, Mr. A. Bogle, late of Jesus College, Cambridge, and a well-known member of the Thames Rowing Club, kindly agreed to become our coach, and started taking us at once, but, unluckily, a few days later, he was forced, by a bad attack of gout, to remain in bed for about a week. As soon as he could walk, he came back and did his best for the crew, but so many bad faults had developed during the change of coaches and his enforced absence that the 'Four' was not nearly ready for racing when the time came for rowing Tonbridge.

We should like to take this opportunity of thanking Mr. Bogle, who is a very excellent authority on the University style of rowing, for all the trouble he has taken over us, and the keen and practical interest he has shown in all matters connected with the School rowing. We are also indebted to him for the criticism of the First Four which follows. And, lastly, we would offer our sincere and grateful thanks to all members of the T.R.C. who again generously placed their premises and boats at our disposal, and many of whom spent much of their spare time coaching our Junior Fours.

The First Four was:—W. M. Binney (bow),

*Eat less
Bread*

10 st. 3 lbs.; R. G. Bare (2), 10 st. 4 lbs.; S. M. Potter (3), 10 st. 13 lbs.; G. F. Young (stroke), 10 st. 13 lbs.; W. T. Lord (Cox), 6 st. 6 lbs.

W. M. Binney has the makings of a good oar, but he must learn to steady himself over his stretcher, and must not rush at the first part of the stroke. He is sometimes late.

R. G. Bare must get a harder beginning and also be careful to finish the stroke out more. He rows hard.

S. M. Potter must be careful to swing between his knees. He also must finish the stroke out more and not cut his finish.

G. F. Young ought to make a good oar in time. He must not row short, but finish the stroke out more. He also is inclined to hang a bit, but works hard and is improving.

W. T. Lord as cox. is young as yet, but promises very well, though he has not yet had much chance to show what he can do.

General Remarks.—The 'Four' has had very bad luck. With a little more length, a harder beginning, and a longer finish, they would be quite good.

The Second Four was:—A. J. A. Amos (bow), 9 st. 3 lbs.; R. O. White (2), 9 st. 12 lbs.; W. J. Aitken (3), 10 st. 4 lbs.; W. G. Cass (stroke), 10 st. 4 lbs.; G. O. George (cox.), 6 st. 8 lbs.

In this boat, W. G. Cass was decidedly the best oar; he has a good style, and led the crew well in their race.

W. J. Aitken did excellent work at three, and Amos and White at bow and two respectively, followed well, but White's back will have to become much stronger before he can do his work properly in the boat. G. O. George, as cox., did splendidly against St. Paul's, steering a perfect course right to the middle of the stream.

WESTMINSTER *v.* TONBRIDGE.

This race was rowed on June 6, at Putney, over the first mile of the 'Varsity course. As Tonbridge were unable to get a new boat made for them this year, we agreed not to use our new light boat, but to row in Bowers and Phelps' clinker.

Tonbridge, who came up the day before the race in order to try their boat on the Thames, won the toss, and chose the Middlesex Station. They had much the better start, and drew away at once, being about a length ahead at the Thames Rowing Club, after which they continued to increase their lead till the finish of the race, which they won by about three-and-a-half lengths.

Tonbridge were a good deal heavier and much stronger than Westminster.

TONBRIDGE: H. W. Foster, 9 st. 10 lbs.; F. B. Turner, 12 st. 4 lbs.; G. C. Beadle, 12 st. 8 lbs.; E. J. Peacocke (str.), 9 st. 13 lbs.; F. N. J. Pyke (cox.), 6 st. 12 lbs.

WESTMINSTER *v.* ST. PAUL'S 1ST AND 2ND FOURS.

These two races were rowed on June 20, again at Putney, over the same course as the Tonbridge race.

In the Second Four race, which was rowed first, Westminster (Surrey Station) were slightly quicker at the start, but there was very little to choose between the two boats over the whole course, Westminster being a little ahead all the way, steering a much better course and winning by about a length in 4 mins. 57½ secs.

ST. PAUL'S 2ND IV.: R. Richardson, A. S. D. Torrens, C. L. Claire, A. H. Brown (str.), and J. Fletcher (cox.).

In the First Four race, the two crews, Westminster at Surrey Station and St. Paul's at Middlesex, got away very well together, but after about half a minute's rowing, Westminster drew away till they were about a length ahead. At this point in the race Westminster had a very bad stroke of luck, Potter at three striking with his oar a large branch of a tree, floating down in mid-stream, which accident completely stopped the boat, allowing St. Paul's to get a lead of three clear lengths. Westminster soon got going again, but were unable to make much impression on such a long lead, and were finally beaten by about three lengths.

The time was 4 mins. 53 secs.

In this race, Westminster were using, for the first time, their new boat, Queen Elizabeth, built by Messrs. Bowers and Phelps, and presented partly by the School and partly by the Elizabethan Club. The boat is an entire success, and it is unfortunate that its first race should be lost.

ST. PAUL'S: R. H. Dennis, 10 st. 1 lb.; M. W. Thomson, 10 st.; G. M. Pirie, 11 st. 5 lbs.; U. S. Bazalgette, 10 st. 5 lbs.; O. C. Jones (cox.), 6 st. 1 lb.

INTER-HOUSE FOURS FOR TOWNBOY RUDDER.

RIGAUD'S *v.* GRANT'S.

1st Heat.

This heat was rowed from the middle of the Football Ground to the 'Varsity Stone on Wednesday, July 4. The weather was wet and the water rather rough. It proved, however, an exciting race. Rigaud's got away at the start, but, unfortunately, steered a very bad course, which greatly handicapped them. Grant's, on the other hand, did not row with so much style as Rigaud's, but steered a good course, and in the end won by two lengths.

The crews were:—

RIGAUD'S: 1, L. W. Proger; 2, W. G. Cass; 3, F. Spicer; stroke, G. F. Young; cox., R. B. Greig.

GRANT'S: 1, P. Usher; 2, P. R. Rae; 3, S. Vatcher; stroke, P. Bevan; cox., S. F. P. Jacomb-Hood.

ASHBURNHAM *v.* HOMEBOARDERS.

2nd Heat.

Homeboarders scratched.

ASHBURNHAM *v.* GRANT'S.

This race, the final of the Inter-House Fours, was rowed on the afternoon of July 7, over a ¾-mile course, from the 'Varsity Stone to the middle of the Football Ground. Ashburnham won the toss, and chose the Middlesex Station, which gave them an advantage, as the wind was blowing off that shore and making the water very choppy. Both boats got away well, but Ashburnham drew steadily ahead, and after the first minute's rowing led by a length. Opposite the Thames Rowing Club, Grant's drew up slightly, but Ashburnham did not have much difficulty in shaking them off, and after this increased their lead steadily, till at the winning post they were 4½ lengths ahead. Ashburnham rowed consistently well throughout the race, and Grant's stuck very gamely to it.

The crews were:—

ASHBURNHAM: Bow, Amos; 2, White; 3, S. M. Potter; stroke, R. G. Bare; cox., W. T. Lord.

GRANT'S: Bow, P. Usher; 2, P. R. Rea; 3, S. Vatcher; stroke, P. Bevan; cox., S. F. P. Jacomb-Hood.

WESTMINSTER WAR
MEMORIAL.

A VERY largely attended meeting of Old Westminsters and others interested was held Up School on Wednesday, July 4, to consider the proper steps to be taken to raise a memorial to those Westminsters who have fallen in the war. The Bishop of Bangor presided, and there were present the Dean of Christ Church, the Head Master, the Archdeacon of Westminster, Brig.-Gen. Sir G. G. Aston, K.C.B., Sir Charles Brickdale, Sir Henry Craik, K.C.B., Mr. W. E.

Horne, M.P., Mr. Justice Low, Sir Walter Phillimore, Lord Ritchie of Dundee, Lt.-Col. H. Staveley Hill, M.P., Major-General Sir Alfred Turner, K.C.B., Mr. Victor Williamson, C.M.G., Dr. West, and many others.

The Bishop of Bangor said that they were present to do honour to those who carried out the great traditions of Westminster by service bravely and lavishly given. He recalled the fact that Westminster had produced many Field-Marschals and Generals in the past, and quoted a recent tribute to a Westminster by a brother officer as evidence that these traditions were being worthily upheld in the present war.

Sir Walter Phillimore proposed, and Lord Ritchie of Dundee seconded, the following motion which was carried unanimously :—

'That a Committee be elected to raise a Westminster School War Memorial Fund with the object (a) of erecting a permanent memorial to the Westminsters who have given their lives for their country; (b) of providing for the education at Westminster of the sons and dependent relatives of Westminsters who have suffered by the war, with a preference for the sons and dependent relatives of those who have fallen in the war; (c) of devoting the surplus, if any, to other educational purposes connected with the School.'

An amendment, moved by Mr. J. Spedan Lewis, to extend these benefits to the daughters of Westminsters, was lost.

Dr West proposed, and Mr. Victor Williamson seconded :—

'That the Committee shall consist of the following persons, with power to add to their number:—The Dean of Christ Church (President), Brig.-Gen. Sir G. G. Aston, K.C.B., the Bishop of Bangor, Mr. L. A. M. Fevez, the Head Master, Mr. W. E. Horne, M.P., Lt.-Gen. A. R. Hoskins, C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. Sir Henry Knollys, K.C.V.O., Col. Sir W. B. Leishman, C.B., F.R.S., Mr. Justice Low, Mr. Justice Lush, Sir Theodore Morison, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., the Rt. Hon. Sir Walter G. F. Phillimore, Bt., Sir E. J. Poynter, Bt., K.C.V.O., P.R.A., The Lord Ritchie of Dundee, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. R. T. Squire, Mr. R. Tanner, and Major-General Sir A. E. Turner, K.C.B. Treasurer: Mr. T. Staveley Oldham. Secretaries: Mr. H. F. Manisty, K.C., and Mr. L. E. Tanner.'

On the motion of the Dean of Christ Church, seconded by Brig.-Gen. Sir G. G. Aston, K.C.B., the following resolution was passed :—

'That for a period of ten years after the war, or such further period as the Committee may think fit, the fund shall be administered by the Committee acting on the advice of the Head Master, and that on the expiration of the said term the balance of the fund, if any, shall be transferred to the Governors of the School either for the endowment of exhibitions for the descendants of Westminsters, or for such other purposes connected with education at the School as the Committee may decide.'

Mr. Oldham (Hon. Treasurer) explained that it was intended to ask for subscriptions spread over a number of years. He suggested that subscriptions might take the form of a donation for the permanent memorial and an annual subscription for the education of the sons and near relatives of the fallen.

It was decided to send a telegram of good wishes to General Hoskins, who succeeded General Smuts as Commander-in-Chief in East Africa.

The Chairman proposed a vote of thanks to the Head Master for the use of School, and Major-General Sir Alfred Turner K.C.B., proposed a vote of thanks to the Chairman.

It is hoped very shortly to issue a circular inviting subscriptions, and giving full particulars of the form of the memorial. All communications should be addressed for the present to the Hon. Secretary, at 2 Little Dean's Yard, S.W. 1.

O.T.C.

THE annual inspection of the contingent was held on Monday, July 9, the Inspecting Officer being Major R. E. K. Leatham, D.S.O., 1st Grenadier Guards. On the whole, the Inspecting Officer was satisfied with the work of the Company, and he was particularly pleased with the general turn-out and the cleanliness of the bayonets and brass-work. The Company, with very few exceptions, drilled smartly, and was very steady. The Company marched past well, and the recruit platoon was also creditable. Very great credit is due to the band for its playing, not only on the day of inspection, but throughout the term. It has improved out of all knowledge, and great praise must be given to Sgt. Fleming, and the members of the band, who have all worked splendidly. On Friday, June 29, the Company trained to Chilworth, Surrey, for field operations with Cranleigh. It was an unpleasant day so far as the weather was concerned, but otherwise it was successful and enjoyable. Fire control was distinctly better, though fire orders still need much improvement and Section leaders do not all watch for opportunities of opening fire on good targets. Senior N.C.O.s in command of the Company or of Platoons should remember that it is a mistake to throw in reserves at the very beginning of a fight. All the reserves were thrown in within half-an-hour or so of the first shot being fired. Section commanders should remember that they cannot move to a flank under a hot fire.

On Monday, July 16, the Term's work will be concluded with the examination of Woolwich and Sandhurst candidates in the Practical Examination for the 400 marks that may be obtained for Military Efficiency. The Examining Officer will be Capt. E. C. K. Clarke (O.W.), 14th Officer Cadet Battalion. The numbers for camp still keep well above the 120 that were guaranteed, which shows a gratifying keenness among the older Cadets. Camp will be at Tidworth Pennings from July 31 to August 8.

HARVEST CAMP, 1917.

A CAMP is to be held this year, under the auspices of the Naval and Army Canteen Board, at Netton, on the edge of Dartmoor, near Ashton and Moreton Hampstead. Two detachments of about 50 Cadets are to be provided, the first from August 11 to September 1, and the second from September 1 to September 22. The Cadets will be under canvas, and the camp will be run on O.T.C. lines, under the command of Capt. Willett. The work, which will consist mainly of potato gathering, will probably be organised in two shifts, so that each shift will have the morning or the afternoon off. The cooking will be done by an instructor of cookery, lent by the Southern Command. The catering will be in the hands of the N.A.C.B. The probable cost per Cadet will be about 15s. This will be paid partly by the wages earned by the Cadets, who are to be paid 3d. or 4d. an hour, partly by the National Service League, who will contribute up to 5s. a week for each Cadet. Any adverse balance will have to be paid by Cadets out of their money, though unless the weather is bad or the Cadet is ill this should not be necessary. Bicycles will be taken, and free railway warrants for them and for the Cadets to and from the camp will be provided. It is hoped to arrange for a marquee for messing and for recreation purposes.

House Notes.

K.S.S.—We must start by congratulating our Junior Cricket XI. on giving Rigaud's a good beating in the first round, and we wish them the best of luck in their next encounter. Last distinguished himself in this match by scoring 62, and our prospects of ultimate success seem bright. The response to appeals for the O.T.C. and farming camps has been extremely satisfactory, 24 having given in their names for the former and 17 for the latter.

Cahn and Bosanquet and Willoughby, J., together have earned our congratulations by winning the O.W. Masonic Prize and the Eastlake Drawing Prize respectively.

Since our last Notes, Radermacher has been playing steadily, and Clegg and Gorman have both appeared for the XI., whilst Pakenham-Walsh distinguished himself in the Tonbridge Match; Clegg played in the Charterhouse Match, and has been given his Pink-and-Whites, on which we congratulate him.

Binney has been rowing bow in the School boat and Aitken 3 in the 2nd IV., which George coxed so ably to victory. The former has his School Rowing Colours, the latter two their House Colours, and we congratulate them. Our House

fives-ties are progressing satisfactorily, and should be finished in good time.

The Literary Society has been enjoying some pleasant readings, and for the instructive evenings spent in their drawing-room we must offer our best thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Raynor.

GRANT'S.—Owing to the demands of the war we have lost in the middle of term two prominent members of the House, F. J. Warburg and B. N. Radford. D. M. St. J. Heald has also left. We wish them every success.

We have to congratulate N. P. Andrews on winning two bats for making 80 and 64 against Essex Club and Ground and P. F. Warner's XI. respectively; P. C. A. Usher on being classed 'proxime accessit' in the Christ Church Modern History Exam., and on his elevation to the Monitorial; G. L. S. Kohnstamm and V. Croome on being made Monitors. The latter also regained his Pinks after the match against the A.S.C. (Motor Transport).

In Seniors the match against H.B.B. seems to be approaching a satisfactory conclusion at the time of writing, and we have every hope of regaining the Shield in the Final. On the water our House Four—P. C. A. Usher (bow), P. R. Rea, S. Vatcher, P. J. S. Bevan (stroke), and S. F. P. Jacomb-Hood (cox.)—are to be congratulated on an unforeseen victory over Rigaud's, and on gaining their House Colours. The fact, however, that they had been able to have only ten days' training prevented them defeating Ashburnham in the Final. With regard to Juniors and the Singing Competition it is impossible to prophesy.

We deeply regret that the death of Captain J. M. E. Shepherd, who was reported missing in February, has now been officially confirmed.

RIGAUD'S.—First of all we must condole with our Senior and Junior teams on succumbing in the first round to Ashburnham and College respectively. But we must congratulate Watkins on regaining his Pinks. We must also sympathise with the Rowing IV., who were unable to keep the Town Boy Rudder in the right place. W. G. Cass, who stroked the School Second IV., must be congratulated on gaining his House Rowing Colours, and we hope that under him the Rudder, which started its career as an Inter-House trophy up Rigaud's, may be brought back there.

We are glad to see that we have five regular members of the Shooting VIII. this term.

B. G. Scholefield must be congratulated on winning the O.W. Masonic Prize.

Yard-ties are even more behindhand than ever this term, but we have hopes that by frantic efforts by all concerned they will be brought to a conclusion.

The Literary Society has just finished a most successful reading of *Henry VIII.*

We were very glad to see that Capt. T. E. Rodocanachi, O.R., has added the D.S.O. to his other distinctions.

H.B.B.—As we write these Notes, the first round of Seniors has just been finished. Despite the excellent performances of Stones and Wade, the latter of whom has received House Colours, we were unable to achieve success and succumbed to Grant's after a good game. In Juniors, however, we have brought our first match to a triumphant conclusion, and we look forward with confidence, fully trusting in the ability of our team to attain ultimate victory. Our songsters have been practising assiduously in the mornings, and have now reached a creditable standard of proficiency. In Shooting our member of the School Eight has lately been displaying consistent excellence, and we have high hopes of carrying off the Cup.

Turning to more serious matters, we must congratulate Harden on winning the Junior Vincent and Baty on securing the Phillimore Essay Prize, and also J. J. B. Shaw and F. M. E. Jackson on their election to Non-Resident Scholarships. In the Corps all our thoughts turn on Camp, whether military or agricultural, and we are glad to see that everybody who can is eager to do his share.

A.H.H.—Since last month Ellis, P. I., and Horton, Y. C., have been made monitors.

In Seniors, we are pleased to be able to say that in the first round we have beaten Rigaud's. We congratulate Gubbins on his House Colours gained after an excellent innings.

The House has distinguished itself at Water. We have won the Inter-House Rowing Fours. We congratulate the four. Bare and Potter must be congratulated on rowing in the School Four and on getting Pink and Whites, and White, R. O., and Amos on gaining their House Colours.

In the Corps, Herbert has been made a Lance-Corporal.

We have also to report a very sad piece of news; R. M. Neill, who was a monitor here from Play, 1915, to Lent, 1916, has been killed in action with the Flying Corps.

Old Westminster.

In the Final Classical School at Oxford Mr. W. E. Ashmead-Bartlett is in the Second Class. He was one of the very few Oxford Westminsters not eligible for service.

Sir Clements Markham bequeathed to Lady Markham for life and to the School in reversion his picture of the School.

Sir Ernest Goodhart has been elected a member of the Council of Epsom College by the Governing Body.

Mr. E. F. Knapp-Fisher has been appointed Clerk to the Chapter of Westminster.

Mr. W. A. Peck has become a Life Subscriber to 'The Elizabethan.'

Births.

ON June 25, the wife of Captain H. T. Tizard, Fellow of Oriel, of a son.

On July 10, the wife of Captain J. M. Logan, of a son.

Marriages.

GORDON—NEVILLE.—On June 29, Richard Edward Clifton Gordon, Lieut. Gordon Highlanders, to Joyce Etheline, youngest daughter of the late Percy Nevile, of Shelbrooke Park, Doncaster.

KNAPP-FISHER—BURGESS.—On June 16, Edward Francis Knapp-Fisher to Ethel Mary Eykyn, elder daughter of the late John Bagnold Burgess, R.A.

Correspondence.

A CORRESPONDENT sends us the following extracts from among the many letters on Capt. A. K. Clark Kennedy, received by his mother from brother officers and friends :
From Major Cook, Commanding 5th R.S.F. :

'You will have heard how gallantly your son fell in keeping with the traditions of a British officer and the name he bore.

'We shall ever remember him with pride, and his memory will remain an inspiration to us.'

From R. S. M. Fothergill, 1-5th K.O.S.B. :

'You have every reason to be proud of our Captain, your son.

'He was a cool, fearless commander, and we all liked him and join with you in mourning for your and our great loss, for he was one of God's own gentlemen.'

HAMPSTEAD,

July 5, 1917.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—I think it may interest all at Westminster to know of an incident which took place in France in the early part of September 1915. Cyril Miles, an old Grantite, who was a great friend of mine at school, wrote home about it, and Mrs. Miles has kindly allowed me to quote his letter. He says, 'I had a curious reunion with two old Grantites. Fred Hobson and Archie Gilmour and I all met in a little ruined village. Wasn't it curious the three monitors meeting here? Fred is signalling officer to some Brigade, I forget which, and Gilmour is in the 8th K.O.S.B.'s; both of them 1st Lieuts.' Cyril Miles was himself, at this time, a captain in the 2nd Welsh Regt.,

and he wrote this a few days before the battle of Loos. If the chance meeting had been at some base town it would not have been so curious, but it was in some shell-wrecked place close to the lines, and the three men who met were in utterly different divisions, and even armies, I believe. It seems an extraordinary coincidence that the three boarder monitors up Grant's in 1910 should meet thus.

Hoping you may find this of some interest,
I am, Sir,
Yours, etc.,

BRIAN RUEGG.

[We should gladly welcome letters of this sort about or from O.W.W. serving.—ED.]

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