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GRANTS AND GRANTITES.

It seems a fitting time at this period of the year, with the cricket season to look back upon, and the football season practically, as regards house matches, to look forward to, to discuss the present position and future prospects of the House; a theme which should be ever dear to both past and present Grantites. The cricket season is one which as far as the House is concerned can be looked back upon by all with pride and satisfaction. To win the cricket shield with several men away, and others hardly recovered from a tedious illness, is a feat upon which we have every right to congratulate ourselves. To the bowling of Fitzmaurice and Lambert, and the batting of Everington in the final match, this happy result is in great measure due. With several other very promising men in the team who ought to come on a good deal by next year, we may have great hopes of another season as successful as the last. Would we could say the same of our football prospects! It seems a deplorable fact that this is the second year we have had no Grantite representative in the Eleven; and when we think of the glorious roll of old Grantite footballers we are able to show, we can only hope this state of things may be remedied as soon as possible.

There is no reason why Grants should not make a very good fight in the Shield matches next term, as though not individually strong, still taken as a whole we are by no means to be despised. Let us show that Grants' football is about to wake up from its long period of slumber, and try to revive in some degree the bygone glory of former days.

The Literary Society still flourishes, and some of the readings have been very fair. May it continue to be well supported as it deserves. We are sorry to see that very few Grantites devote any time to racquets. We have held the Challenge cup so long, that it would be a pity to let it pass out of our hands and without a struggle. And just a word as to Ourselves. It is sincerely to be hoped that the Grantite will never be suffered to drop again, but we would venture to suggest that old Grantites support it more, as with the present scarcity of subscribers, it is a difficult matter to make way. Let us appeal to all old Grantites to give us their support, and even if the events recorded herein have lost their interest to those who have long since stepped over the boundary of school life, yet let them support it in memory of old scenes and happy days spent in a place which endears itself to us all.

NOTES.

We had five house colours at the beginning of this term. W. F. Fox (captain) 3rd XI.; A. R. Severn, L. J. Moon, G. Hutchinson, and H. S. Ladell.

H. S. Ladell has played twice for the school this term, but has since given place to R. R. Campbell (Ashburnham).

The following fellows left last term. H. D. Everington, D. Fitzmaurice, E. T. Woodbridge, C. L. Stanhope-Jones, H. E. T. Agar.

There are four new fellows up-Grants this term; H. G. H. Barnes, and W. M. Lonsdale, Boarders; G. H. Corbett, and M. Grahame, Half-boarders. The monitors this term are: H. S. Ladell, G. Hutchinson, G. H. G. Scott.

There is no play to be held this term owing to the death of the Duke of Clarence, but Mr. Tanner has kindly consented to have the supper as usual.

Several new books have been presented to the House Library this term, and through the kindness of A. G Scott, Esq., the old Grantite Reviews are shortly to be added in a bound volume.

We beg to congratulate Sir Seager Hunt, M.P., an old Grantite, on receiving a baronetcy at the dissolution of the last Parliament.

The following were the School Colours in cricket at the end of last term:

PINKS.

PINK & WHITES.

3RD. XI.'s

D. Fitzmaurice

A. R. Severn.

G. Hutchinson.

H. S. Ladell. H. D. Everington. G. H. Lambert.

E. T. Woodbridge.

L. J. Moon.

We congratulate D. Fitzmaurice on receiving a Christ Church Exhibition and a Triplett Gratuity at Election.

GRANTS v. THIRD ELECTIONS.

This match was played "Up Fields" in dull weather on Friday, October 14th. Grants won the toss and electing to play with the wind, More kicked off for the O.SS. from the Hospital End at 2 p.m. Play was mostly confined to the Q.S. goal and after about ten minutes' play the ball was rushed through by Ladell (1-0). This was quickly followed up by a pretty dribble by A. R. Severn and a low shot which beat Clapham (2-0). Just before half-time Severn scored again by a similar shot, the sides crossing over with the score (3—o) in favour of Grants. In the second half, from a good centre by Scott, Hutchinson added a 4th goal for Grants, who left the field victorious by 4 goals to nil.

For Grants, A. R. Severn, L. J. Moon and A. Severn, who saved one specially good shot, were best. For Third Elections J. F. More, E. P. Garrett and E. H. Waterfield were the pick.

The teams were:-

Grants:—A. Severn (goal); L. J. Moon and G. E. Hornor (backs); G. H. Lambert, W. F. Fox (Capt.) and D. W. Tacey (half backs); G. Scott and K. Kellie (left); H. S. Ladell (centre); A. R. Severn and G. Hutchinson (right) (forwards).

Third Elections:—Clapham, Fisher, Garrett, Harwood, Waterfield, Mayne, Bell, Martin, More, Waters, F. Y. Langhorne.

JUNIOR GRANTS v. JUNIOR ASHBURNHAM HOUSE.

This match wrs played "Up Fields" on Monday, October 23rd, and produced a very even game, though Grants should have won easily. Grants won the toss and played with the wind for the first half, each side in turn having to act on the defensive. Nothing was scored, however, though Campbell got away once or twice, but shot wide. Like Severn he was placed at a great disadvantage having nobody to combine with. In the second half Woodbridge scored for Grants with a good shot, but in the last ten minutes Fox unfortunately headed the ball through Grants' goal from a corner, thus making the score equal. Grants failing to gain the winning point, the game ended in a draw of one goal each. For Grants Severn, considering he was strictly marked throughout the game, played well. L. J. Moon, at full back, played a grand game, getting through an immense amount of work. Campbell was best for Ashburnham.

Grants' team was the same as v. Third Elections, except

Lesley played vice Tacey and Woodbridge for Ladell.

Ashburnham:—Holland (goal); Staines and Lart (backs); Griffin, Colville and Bevan (halves); Cunningham, Guy, Adams, Campbell, and Langston (forwards).

JUNIOR GRANTS v. JUNIOR ASHBURNHAM.

Replayed on Monday, October 31st. A. R. Severn scored the only goal of the match shortly before half-time, Grants thus winning (1—0). Campbell did not assist Ashburnham, owing to his having played for the School on the previous Saturday. Robertson was allowed to play in his place.

The teams were the same as in the first match except for Ashburnham Kirkpatrick and Colvin played instead of Colville and Campbell.

JUNIOR GRANTS v. JUNIOR H.BB.

This match, the final of the Junior House matches, was played on Tuesday, November 1st. The turf was in better condition than on the day before, and a good game resulted. Grants lost the toss—the first time this season—and kicked off from the Church end shortly after 2 p.m. The game was very evenly contested, Wilson being prominent for H.BB. on the outside right. When the game had been in progress for about fifteen minutes, Miller came down the left and shot, beating the Grantite goal-keeper, and notching the first point for Home Boarders. Nothing else was scored up to half-time, the sides crossing over with H.BB. leading (1—0). The play continued very fast, both custodians having to use their hands, but at last Lesley shot, and Rigby caught the ball high up, but it having passed through the uprights, was given a goal. Both sides then strove hard to gain the winning point, and Carr running down shot, and A. Severn failing to clear, Guy shot again and scored (2-1). There only remained, a few minutes more time and as nothing further resulted H.BB. left the field, victors by the narrow margin of 2 goals to 1.

For Grants A. R. Severn and G. Hutchinson were good. Moon played his usual vigorous game and Scott did some good work.

For H.BB. Howlett, Wilson and Guy did most.

The teams were:—

Grants:—A. Severn (goal); L. J. Moon and G. E. Hornor (backs); W. F. Fox (Capt.), G. H. Lambert and J. M. Lesley, (half-backs); G. Hutchinson and K. Kellie (right); A. R. Severn (centre); Browne and G. Scott (left)(forwards).

H.BB.:—Rigby (goal); Howlett and Hollocombe (backs); Woodhouse, Phelps and Last (halves); Wilson and Manghan (right); Guy (centre); Carr and Miller (left) (forwards).

by 15-10.

THE YARD TIES.

BOARDERS' FIRST ROUND.

A. R. Severn L. J. Moon H. B. Templer G. H. G. Scott beat F. W. Willett W. M. Lonsdale by 16--5. W. F. Fox A Severn H. G. Barnes A. C. Scott beat C. Bernard J. M. Lesley by 22-4. K. Kellie A. H. Woodbridge G. H. Lambert E. B. Kite beat P. Day D. W. Tacey

HALF-BOARDERS.

W. G. Chapman
H. C. Smith
G. H. Corbett

beat
H. P. Mercer
M. Grahame

J. H. Watt
B. S. Jones
W. V. Matthews
G. E. Hornor

Two losers (Jowers and Mercer) were drawn in to complete a tie in the second round.

SECOND ROUND.

W. F. Fox W. G. Chapman H. C. Smith G. H. Lambert beat J. M. Lesley W. Mathews by 31-2. A. Severn G. E. Hornor H. B. Templer D. W. Tacey B. S. Jones beat D. Jowers by 22-4. A. Severn V. H. Mercer G. H. Corbett W. M. Lonsdale K. Kellie beat J. H. Watt by 26-1.

PENULTIMATE ROUND.

A. Severn
J. Lesley
J. H. Watt
Scratched to
A. R. Severn
W. F. Fox
D. W. Tacey
H. B. Templer

K. Kellie G. H. Lambert bye

FINAL.

A. R. Severn W. F. Fox D. W. Tacey

K. Kellie beat G. H. La

G. H. Lambert H. B. Templer

by 22-9.

The losers ought to have scored more largely. Severn was very good for the winners.

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the GRANTITE REVIEW.

DEAR SIR,

Would it not be possible for more Grantites to go to Gymn.? Grants has always taken a leading place in Gymn. competitions, for at least the last six years; and at present, only about four fellows go; surely this is rather a come-down after about eight or nine, for at least that number used to go in years gone by. Besides, I do not suppose fellows have so much work each night that they cannot spare at least one night in the week for Gymn. Hoping this suggestion may meet with your approval, and that there will be space for this letter in the columns of your long-established paper,

I remain, dear Sir, yours etc., "Asser Libratus."

To the Editor of the GRANTITE REVIEW.

DEAR Sir.

Do you not think it would be a very good plan if the *Illustrated Papers* and the *Crichet Field* were kept for the House Library and bound up in large volumes; also the *Boy's Own Paper* if taken in and bound, would surely be most acceptable to the Library. Perhaps it might be done by subscription, by adding to the regular book-subscription in the bill so-much extra, or by some other way.

Hoping that this suggestion may find favour,

I remain, yours obediently, BIBLIOTHECUS.

[We would suggest that those who desire to have new books to read, should subscribe something out of their own pocket instead of always adding it to the bill.—Ep.]

To the Editor of the GRANTITE REVIEW.

DEAR SIR.

Might I suggest through your columns that the wire on the walls of the Yard should be made higher, as at present one needs an income of quite

£30 per annum to be able to enjoy a game to any extent. Surely most fellows would not mind a subscription of, say, 5s. for the good of the House. Apologizing for thus intruding on your valuable space,

Believe me, Yours very truly, "SLIPPERORUM SCIOR"

[We can only suggest to our correspondent that he should learn to kick the ball with greater accuracy and wear slippers which will not come off.—Ep.]

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