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THE CRICKET XI. OF 1912.

IT is a well-known fact that no class of cricket is so much affected by a wet season as school-boy cricket. Consequently amid the chorus of resentful abuse evoked by the deplorable summer of 1912 it is pleasant to be able to raise our voice in thankfulness and congratulate ourselves that a succession of fine Saturdays and the wonderful recuperative powers of Vincent Square enabled us to carry through in triumph a successful and enjoyable season. And yet we were not altogether immune from the common evil. One grudge we have against the weather, and that no slight one, for in our all-important engagement with Charterhouse it was the

condition of the ground, rather than the superiority of our opponents, that left us hopelessly beaten. It is easy for the wise-after-the-event critics to assert that having won the toss we might have had these conditions as a friend instead of as a foe, but it is not an easy thing for a school captain to accept the responsibility of putting the other side in to bat in a school match when he has not sufficient knowledge of the ground to know how quickly it will recover, or how it will play under given conditions. Rudd chose the less bold policy with disastrous results, but it must be confessed that the efforts of the team to overcome the adverse conditions were hardly such as we expected from them. Never once during the match, in

batting, bowling, or fielding, did they approach their true form, which is all the more regrettable as the Charterhouse XI. was admittedly less formidable than most of the sides they have had of late years.

Having swallowed our bitter pill we can now turn our attention to the jam with which it is surrounded, and of that there is plenty and to spare. We can look back a long way before we find four such cricketers in one school eleven as Rudd, Cobbold, Kann, and Potter, and as three of this quartette will be available next year in addition to Hurst-Brown, MacCulloch, Wilcox, and Veitch (the latter a batsman of great promise) the outlook for the immediate future is particularly bright.

Seven matches were won, and as the names of our victims include the I.Z., O.W.W., Incogniti, Eton Ramblers, and Old Wykehamists, it can easily be seen that the games really required winning. Against this we suffered five defeats, three of them at the hands of particularly powerful sides, namely, M.C.C. and Ground, Free Foresters, and the Household Brigade. Individually Rudd and Cobbold share the honours and it is difficult to say which of them deserves the greater credit. As their records in another column will show, they performed magnificent work throughout the season. Each was extraordinarily consistent and seldom failed to do something big, and though both will still be here next year, it is hardly to be expected that they will improve on or even equal their respective records for this season. It is very difficult to class Rudd as a batsman as he does not possess the orthodox schoolboy style. He does not play forward at all well and is weak off his legs, but he drives and hooks with tremendous power, somewhat after the style of Hutchings. We have never seen a schoolboy who drove harder or punished the short ball more freely on both sides of the wicket. He plays the cricket suited to his make and shape, and very excellent cricket it is, though apt to be underrated by the casual observer on account of his lack of style. As he is also a very useful fast medium bowler and an excellent catch in any position, as well as a first-rate wicket-keeper, his value to

the side cannot be overestimated, nor must we omit a word of praise for his energy and judgment as captain.

Cobbold is a slow-medium bowler of the best type. His length is unimpeachable and he swings and turns the ball just that little amount that beats the batsman without missing the wicket. He can bowl all day and never loses heart when hit, and if Rudd could put on a little more pace these two should indeed prove a formidable pair next year. As a batsman Cobbold was singularly disappointing but in view of the amount of bowling he had to get through this was perhaps as well. Kann is a fine free left-handed batsman; a bit lucky in the direction of the slips, as most left-handers seem to be, but is full of good shots and watches the ball well: is a fine field and has got a few wickets by throwing up a lazy-looking ball which has been known to google.

Potter is a good batsman with an excellent style: he made many runs and would have made many more but for an unfortunate habit, probably due to carelessness, of making a weak uppish stroke on the off-side when well set: a plucky and painstaking wicket-keeper. Hurst-Brown is a slow, painstaking batsman who, going in first, played many serviceable innings. He has patience and a good defence and proved a very useful member of the side. MacCulloch, a batsman without much style, compiled several useful scores and fielded finely all through.

Veitch played his way into the side by capital cricket: his style is excellent and we expect many runs from him in the future. Feasey and Wilcox were just useful change bowlers who did not get very many opportunities but were always sure of their places by reason of their excellent fielding. Hobson made a few useful scores but spoilt much of his usefulness by weakness in the field and poor judgment in running.

Altogether it was the best XI. we remember for many years, and with seven old colours remaining and plenty of promising candidates among the Pink and Whites and more talent than usual noticeable among the Juniors we have every reason to be satisfied with our cricket at the present moment.

It would hardly be fair to close this account without a word of praise to Elson. The state of the ground and the condition of the wickets are very important matters in school matches, and it is no exaggeration to say that the wickets last summer were the best we have ever seen on Vincent Square.

ELECTION, 1912.

Elected to Christ Church :

J. G. Barrington-Ward.
J. C. Hobson.

Elected to Trinity :

R. R. Sedgwick.
O. I. Burgess.
L. B. Tansley.

Elected to Christ Church Exhibitions :

C. E. S. Noakes.
C. A. Munro-Faure.
B. H. Lunn.

Triplett Exhibitions of £30 for three years were awarded to

C. Chitty.
J. M. Fisher.
A. F. H. Lindner.

Samwaies Exhibitions were awarded to

R. R. Sedgwick.
O. I. Burgess.
L. B. Tansley.

SCHOOL OFFICERS.

THE following are the officers for the ensuing year :—

Captain.—R. S. Partridge.

Monitors. | J. M. Troutbeck.
| E. W. Pink.
| G. B. F. Rudd.

Captain of College.—R. S. Partridge.

Head of Ashburnham.—J. W. MacCulloch.

Head of Grant's.—A. C. Miles.

Head of H. B.B.—A. Forbes.

Head of Rigaud's.—F. W. Pink.

Captain of Football.—F. W. Pink.

Captain of Cricket.—G. B. F. Rudd.

Captain of Shooting.—F. W. Pink.

Colour-Sergeant O. T. C.—F. W. Pink.

ELECTION DINNER.

THERE were present the Dean of Westminster, the Dean of Christ Church, the Master of Trinity, Mr. John Murray and Mr. Donald S. Robertson (examiners), the Rev. Dr. Bonney, F.R.S., Sir Henry Craik, K.C.B., Mr. Clement Webb and Dr. West (governors); Mr. Russell Barker, Mr.

George Booker, Sir Charles Brickdale, Mr. L. de Michele, Col. A. M. Davies, Mr. R. H. Davies, the Rev. F. L. Denman, the Rev. R. B. Dickson, Mr. Herbert Draper, Mr. Elgar C. Everington, the Rev. G. C. Fanshawe, Mr. M. Hallett, Mr. Evan H. Hare, Mr. William M. Hardinge, the Rev. Allan H. Harrison, Mr. A. H. Harrison, Mr. E. H. Holthouse, Mr. W. Edgar Horne, M.P., Mr. T. Stirling Lee, Mr. E. Muirhead Little, F.R.C.S., the Rev. Hubert Lowry, Mr. Herbert F. Manisty, K.C., the Rev. A. Maude, Mr. E. G. Moon, Mr. Arthur H. Mure, Sir Ernest Northcote, Mr. T. Staveley Oldham, the Provost of Oriel, the Rev. E. H. Pearce, Mr. W. A. Peck, Mr. G. H. Pember, Mr. George G. Phillimore, Mr. H. J. F. Pratt, the Rev. John Salwey Jr., the Rev. Ernest N. Sharpe, Mr. William Stebbing, Mr. Alan H. Stenning, the Rev. G. C. Stenning, Mr. J. I. Stirling, Mr. Alan Stewart, Mr. Walter Tomlinson, the Rev. A. Walker, Mr. P. G. L. Webb, Judge Wheeler, K.C., the Rev. F. Willett, Mr. H. B. Willett, Dr. J. Williamson, Mr. John E. B. Wimbush, Mr. Hartley Withers, Mr. S. C. Woodhouse, Mr. W. S. Wright, the Rev. Francis M. Yglesias, Mr. Burrell, Mr. Day, Mr. Fox, Mr. Hardy, Mr. Huckwell, Mr. Michell, the Rev. G. H. Nall, Mr. Ranalow, Mr. Reed, Mr. Sargeaunt, Mr. Tanner, Mr. Willett, and Mr. Wootton.

HALL EPIGRAMS.

ONE advantage of the epigram, as a literary form, is that it lends itself to any theme or mood. Epigrams are usually sharp or flippant; but they may also be serious, sentimental, reflective. Some of the best in our literature are of the latter kind, and a few of them may be called almost sublime, this of Pope's for instance :

Nature and Nature's Laws lay hid in Night :
God said, Let Newton be ! and all was Light.

But apart from masterpieces, our own modest collections may serve to show how many and various are the strains of the epigrammatic Muse. In this year's book the place of honour is given to a graceful tribute of affection to our Alma Mater :

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

AD NOSTRAM SCHOLAM.

Βουλομένω μοι, μήτηρ ἐμή, σέθεν ἄξιον αἶνον
μέλπουμεν, ἐν μέσσοις ῥήμασι γλώσσ' ἔπεσεν,
καὶ χερὶ προσχόρδον μέλεος καταπλήρη λελήσμη
αἰφνιδίω βλαφθεῖς θυμὸν ἀδημονίῃ
αἰδῶς γάρ μ' ἔχε, μὴ φαῦλον δὴ ἔωρον ἐνεγκῶν
αἰσχύνοιμι τὸ σὸν σῆ παρὰ δαιτὶ σέβας.
συγγνώμην δ' ἔξεις, καὶ γὰρ σύ γε, μαῖα, σίνουσθα
χείλεσιν ὡς τρομεροῖς δεῖ φιλέοντα λαλεῖν,
ἐν τ' ἔπος αἰδοῖως λεχθὲν δοκιμώτερον ἔσται
ἢ δέκα κιβδήλου μᾶψ προχυθέντα φρενός.

One admires the ingenuity with which this piece, and the humorous efforts which follow it, are tacked to the old Greek saw :—

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

Crinolines were not pretty, convenient, or cheap ;
It was certainly well when Dame Fashion decreed
That skirts half the width should be worn.
But, since she no happy mean ever can keep,
To bisect twice again did the lady proceed,
And so was the hobble-skirt born.
Now, should she this course unabashed still pursue,
I really can't picture the upshot—can you ?

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

' Em tibi magna calix : mixti vin plena feratur ?'
' Ah, malim detur dimidiata meri.'

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

Though happy days I still recall,
I've learned with truer joy to laugh :
I used to fancy thee my all ;
I know thee now my better half.

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

In olden times Sir Watkin to the School
Came on St. David's day, and, as a rule,
Gave to Mon Os a sovereign ; he refection
At Shotton's had to give his whole Election,
Of twelve perhaps, at half-a-crown a head.
The luckless fellow gladly would instead
For half the present have preferred to close,
With leave to spend it any way he chose.

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

' Why, Paddy, what have you been at ?
You must have had your head half broken !'
' No, sorr, I'm not so bad as that,
But kill't intoirely, by the token.'

Neatest of all is the tail-piece of the collection :

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

Πᾶν τόδ' ἀκρόατ', ὃ ξέινου, τετληότι θυμῷ
ἤμισυ μὴν ὑμῖν μᾶλλον ἂν ἦρεσ' ἴσως.

There are a good many political epigrams, all of them 'agin the Government' ; e.g. :—

Πλέον ἤμισυ παντός.

' Asses quattuor, eia, nunc date omnes,
Cancellarius inquit ille noster,
' Ut vobis redeant novem.' Sed una
Ancillae dominaeque voce clamant,
' Nostrum dimidium tuo antecellit
Toti : tu dare verba parce, sodes.'

The Latin thesis was the less popular of the two, but it suggested several good pieces, one of which enables us to conclude our notice with some sound advice :—

CLIQUEUM NE POST VOLNERA SUMAS.

Pulsa pedis crebro follis quid proderit ictu,
Telorum ignarum dum manet usque latus ?
Quid rapido cursu stadium transire iuvabit,
Oppugnare hostem ni didicere manus ?
Ergo audite senis vocem clamantis, et omnes
Praemia quaerentes induite arma simul.
Dictio enim nota est vetus et verissima, pacem
Qui sperat, bellum providus ille paret.

I—THE SCOTT LIBRARY.

Play Term, 1911 :—			
Volumes purchased	.	.	56
Volumes presented	.	.	50 (1)
Lent Term, 1912 :—			
Volumes purchased	.	.	23
Volumes presented	.	.	19 (2)
Election Term, 1912 :—			
Volumes purchased	.	.	29
Volumes presented	.	.	1 (3)
			178
Less Volumes lost or removed	.	.	31
			147
Number of Volumes at Election, 1911	.		8,992
Total at Election, 1912	.	.	9,139

(1) In memory of her husband, Mrs. A. M. T. Jackson presented 10 vols., and the Jackson Memorial Fund 36 vols., all dealing with Indian history, antiquities, etc. Mr. W. B. Nichols presented 2 vols. of his poems, *The Dream of Alfred* and *The Eagle and the Pelican* ; Mr. C. C. J. Webb presented his *Problems in the Relations of God and Man* ; Admiral Sir Cyprian Bridge, his *Sea Power and other Studies*.

(2) Under the Will of Mr. Arthur Southey (O.W.), the Library received a bequest of 41 volumes, 19 of which have, up to the present, been placed in the Scott Library. The bequest includes several first editions of the poet Southey's works.

(3) Webb, P. G. L. *Translations from Heine and Goethe, presented by the Author (O.W.)*

(4) In memory of the late Henry Manning Ingram, the last ' Under Master,' the members of his family have presented to the Scott Library : (1) Mr. Ingram's copy of the *Alumni*, containing his MSS. notes ; (2) a lithographed copy of ' *The Challenge of 1809, with illustrations,*' and a covering letter, describing the ceremony, from the late Mr. James Mure to Dr. Scott, Head Master, dated December 25th, 1869 ; (3) ' *The Voyage of Nearchus and the Periplus of the Erythrean Sea,*' translated from the Greek by Dr. Vincent, 1809. This Volume was originally presented by Dr. Vincent to Mr. E. G. Impey and contains Sir Elijah Impey's book plate ; (4) ' *The Periplus of the Erythrean Sea, Part 1,*' by Dr. Vincent, 1800. This volume contains a portrait and also a caricature of Dr. Vincent. These four gifts have been placed among the relics of special historical interest in the Library.

LIBRARY ATTENDANCES, 1911-12.

Library—Election 1911 to Election 1912.	Play Term, 1911		Lent Term, 1912.		Election Term, 1912
	Midday	Evening	Midday	Evening	Midday
Number of times Library was open	57	53	53	49	57
Total number of attendances	4,387	2,594	4,699	2,561	2,976
Greatest number present	144	81	167	76	137
Least number present	14	27	24	33	2
Average number present	77	49	89	52	52

II.—THE SCIENCE LIBRARY.

Total at Election, 1911.	150
Volumes purchased	31
Total at Election, 1912	181

School Notes.

WE welcome a new master this term, Mr. Shaw.

There are fifty-three new boys this term.

School Epigrams were so few in number that we do not propose to give an account of them.

R. R. Sedgwick has been awarded the Duke of Devonshire's Prize open to Public Schools, for an Essay.

There will be no Commemoration this term.

We append the cricket card for Election Term 1912, filled in :—

Sat. May 4th,	v.	Inns of Court. (Won : Westminster, 187 for 8 ; Inns of Court, 155.)
„ „ 11th,	v.	The Household Brigade. (Lost : Westminster, 140 ; The Household Brigade, 232.)
„ „ 18th,	v.	I. Zingari. (Won : Westminster, 162 ; I. Zingari, 137.)
Wed. „ 22nd,	v.	C. O. WW. (Lost : Westminster, 177 ; C. O. WW., 217.)
Sat. „ 25th,	v.	Eton Ramblers. (Won : Westminster, 312 for 4 wks. ; Eton Ramblers, 256.)
„ „ June 1st,	v.	O.WW. (Won : Westminster, 228 ; O.WW., 148.)
„ „ 22nd,	v.	Oxford University Authentics. (Drawn : Westminster, 277 ; O.U. Authentics, 232 for 8 wks.)
Fri. „ 28th,	}	Charterhouse (at Godalming). (Lost : Westminster School, 77 and 129 ; Charterhouse, 306.)
Sat. „ 29th,		
„ „ July 6th,	v.	Old Wykehamists (Won ; Westminster, 196 for 7 ; Old Wykehamists, 106.)
„ „ 13th,	v.	Free Foresters (Lost : Westminster, 264 ; Free Foresters, 400 for 4.)
Wed „ 17th	v.	Houses of Parliament (Lost: Westminster, 232; Houses of Parliament, 233 for 9)
Sat. „ 20th,	v.	Christ Church Warrigals (Won : Westminster, 260 for 5: Ch. Ch. Warrigals, 163.)
Wed. „ 24th,	v.	M.C.C. and G. (Lost: Westminster, 164 ; M.C.C. and G. 327 for 6.)
Sat. „ 27th,	v.	Incogniti (Won : Westminster, 345 ; Incogniti, 124.)
Mon. „ 29th,	v.	K.S.S. v. T.B.B. (Drawn: K.S.S., 155 for 6.)

LIST OF COLOURS.

<i>Pinks.</i>	<i>Pink and Whites.</i>	<i>3rd XI.</i>
G. F. Rudd.	*B. Smith.	A. C. Forbes.
F. R. C. Cobbold.	R. E. D. Cargill.	A. N. Charlton.
P. W. G. Kann.	W. I. Lang.	M. A. Thompson.
*R. F. Potter.	J. M. Troutbeck.	H. A. Carless.
D. G. Veitch.	*O. Derry.	*C. L. Blair.
C. Hurst-Brown.		*C. Humphreys.
J. W. MacCulloch.		H. B. Thacker.
*J. C. Hobson.		*C. J. Bremner.
K. T. D. Wilcox.		D. H. Kitchin.
A. C. Feasey.		

* Signifies the player will have left by next term.

The following is the card for the forthcoming Football Season, filled in to date :—

			1912.
Sat.	Sept. 28	v.	Clapham Rovers. Lost 1—2.
	2nd XI.	v.	Old Cholmelians (A). Lost 1—2.
Sat.	Oct. 5	v.	O.WW. Drawn 1—1.
	2nd XI.	v.	O.WW. (A). Lost 0—3.
„	Oct. 12	v.	Casuals.
	2nd XI.	v.	Clapham Rovers (A).
Wed.	Oct. 16	v.	R.M.A. Woolwich.
Sat.	„ 19	v.	Old Aldenhamians.
	2nd XI.	v.	King's College (A).
„	Oct. 26	v.	R.M.C., Sandhurst.
„	Nov. 9	v.	Old Bradfield Boys.
„	„ 16	v.	Old Carthusians.
	2nd XI.	v.	Old Cranleighans 2nd XI.
Wed.	Nov. 20	v.	Outcasts.
Sat.	„ 23	v.	Old Foresters.
	2nd XI.	v.	Bank of England 2nd XI.
Sat.	Nov. 30	v.	Old Brightonians.
	2nd XI.	v.	Old Foresters 2nd XI.
Wed.	Dec. 4	v.	Seniors.
Sat.	„ 7	v.	St. Thomas's Hospital.
	2nd XI.	v.	King's College (A).
Wed.	Dec. 11	v.	Seniors.
Sat.	„ 14	v.	Old Etonians.
	2nd XI.	v.	O.WW. (A).
			1913.
Sat.	Jan. 18	v.	Old Cholmelians.
	2nd XI.	v.	Old Finchleians.
Sat.	Jan. 25	v.	Old Felstedians.
	2nd XI.	v.	O.WW. (A).
Wed.	Jan. 29	v.	Emeriti.
Sat.	Feb. 1	v.	Lancing Old Boys.
	2nd XI.	v.	School Mission.
Tues.	Feb. 4	v.	Christ Church.
Sat.	„ 8	v.	Casuals.
	2nd XI.	v.	Old Cranleighans 2nd XI.
Wed.	Feb. 12	v.	Mr. L. A. M. Fevez's XI.
Sat.	„ 15	v.	Beckenham.
	2nd XI.	v.	Bank of England 2nd XI.
„	Feb. 24	v.	Charterhouse (at Godalming).
Sat.	Mar. 1	v.	O.WW.
Tues.	„ 4	v.	Winchester (at Vincent Square).
Sat.	„ 8	v.	Old Wykehamists.
	2nd XI.	v.	O.WW. (A).
„	Mar. 15	v.	Old Berkhamstedians.
Wed.	„ 19	v.	K.S.S. v. T.BB.

THE FIELDS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. LORDS AND COMMONS.

Played on Wednesday, July 17, 1912.

THIS match ended in a victory for the Lords and Commons by one wicket. The School batted first, Kann and Hurst-Brown opening the innings. Both batsmen settled down and made some useful shots,

until Kann was bowled having made 37 out of 41. MacCulloch came in next and played probably his best innings of the season. Although a trifle slow, yet he played sound cricket; Rudd made a dashing 38, and the whole side were dismissed for 236. The Lords and Commons started in disastrous fashion, having 4 wickets down for 41 and 6 down for 100: but B. Smith, Bates, and Elson all played excellent cricket, especially Elson who hit with tremendous vigour, scoring his 52 in a very little time. Finally the School were beaten by 2 wickets on the point of time. Scores and analysis:—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

P. W. G. Kann, b. Williams	37
C. Hurst-Brown, c. Brett, b. Bates	28
J. W. MacCulloch, c. and b. Bates	52
R. F. Potter, b. Bates	15
G. B. F. Rudd, st. Brett, b. Williams	38
D. G. Veitch, b. Elson	12
A. N. Charlton, b. Elson	0
F. R. C. Cobbold, b. Elson	13
J. C. Hobson, not out	13
A. C. Feasey, c. Bates, b. Williams	9
K. T. D. Wilcox, b. Elson	1
Extras	13
Total	236

LORDS AND COMMONS.

Lord Willingdon, b. Rudd	16
W. F. Roch, b. Cobbold	14
Williams, b. Kann	18
Baron de Forest, b. Cobbold	0
Sir A. Priestley, b. Cobbold	1
Brett, b. Wilcox	22
W. I. Lang, c. Hurst-Brown, b. Feasey	18
B. Smith, not out	42
Bates, b. Kann	39
Elson, not out	51
Hon. E. Fiennes (did not bat)	
Extras	16
Total (for 8 wickets)	237

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Bates	26	8	98	3
Williams	19	3	70	3
W. F. Roch	4	0	24	0
Elson	14	7	31	4

LORDS AND COMMONS.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. C. Cobbold	15	2	67	3
G. B. F. Rudd	10	2	38	1
P. W. G. Kann	8	1	38	2
A. C. Feasey	6	2	25	1
K. T. D. Wilcox	8	3	31	1
J. C. Hobson	2	0	22	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. CHRIST
CHURCH WARRIGALS.

Played on Saturday, July 20, 1912.

The Warrigals won the toss and elected to bat first; Brickdale and Forbes-Adams both batted

admirably, the latter getting five fours out of his 29. Fifty was on the score board before Cobbold bowled Forbes-Adams; Hammond came in next, and apart from being a little uncertain at the start batted well. Nobody else showed any resistance except S. C. Edgar who carried his bat out for a useful 16; Wilcox bowled excellently, taking 5 wickets for 25 runs. Rudd and Hurst-Brown opened the innings for the School, and looked quite safe, until Hurst-Brown was run out through a misunderstanding. Rudd made the game safe by contributing a useful 85 to the score. Veitch, Kann, and MacCulloch also batted well. The School won by 6 wickets. Scores and analysis:

CHRIST CHURCH WARRIGALS.

M. F. Brickdale, c. MacCulloch, b. Cobbold	33
E. Forbes-Adams, b. Cobbold	29
M. Hammond, c. Kann, b. Wilcox	46
R. Frost, b. Wilcox	1
W. I. Lang, b. Wilcox	3
S. C. Edgar, not out	16
P. W. Lascelles, b. Wilcox	0
G. B. Ingram, c. Potter, b. Cobbold	1
H. A. Carless, b. Wilcox	0
K. D. Murray, c. Veitch, b. Cobbold	11
Viscount Harwarden, c. and b. Cobbold	8
Extras	13
Total	161

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

G. B. F. Rudd, c. Lascelles, b. Frost	85
C. Hurst-Brown, run out	19
R. F. Potter, c. Hammond, b. Harwarden	27
B. Smith, c. and b. Harwarden	7
D. G. Veitch, not out	33
P. W. G. Kann, c. Brickdale, b. Harwarden	54
J. W. MacCulloch, c. and b. Harwarden	25
J. C. Hobson, not out	15
F. R. C. Cobbold	} Did not bat.
A. N. Charlton	
K. T. D. Wilcox	
Extras	17
Total (for 6 wickets)	282

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wicket.
F. R. C. Cobbold	20	4	77	5
K. T. D. Wilcox	10	3	25	5
P. W. G. Kann	2	0	20	0
G. B. F. Rudd	7	1	26	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
G. Ingram	6	0	37	0
R. Frost	15	2	49	1
Viscount Harwarden	14	0	66	4
S. C. Edgar	4	0	17	0
M. F. Brickdale	5	1	11	0
K. D. Murray	3	0	20	0
E. F. Adams	3	1	13	0
W. I. Lang	5	0	19	0
M. Hammond	2	0	15	0
F. W. Lascelles	2	0	18	0

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. M.C.C.

Played on Wednesday, July 24.

THIS match ended in an easy victory for the M.C.C. The visitors batted first, and Lee soon began to play well. At 37 Cobbold bowled Hulton, who had batted very slowly, and Newman came in. The pair batted admirably, putting on 134 before the professional was well caught and bowled by Kann. Lee reached his century soon after lunch and then was stumped. He played a capital innings, hitting 10 fours. But good as Lee's innings was, Dr. Holton's was almost better; he batted magnificently, hitting 3 sixes and 14 fours. An unfortunate accident occurred during Holton's innings: Wilcox and Feasey both tried to get to a catch and collided and damaged one another badly. Westminster batted two short, but put up quite a good fight, Potter and Veitch both batting in excellent fashion.

Scores and analysis:—

M.C.C.	
C. Hulton, b. Cobbold	5
D. C. Lee, st. Potter b. Kann	112
Newman, c. and b. Kann	65
Major W. C. Ash, c. Veitch, b. Kann	0
G. E. Rudd, c. Rudd, b. Cobbold	15
Dr. Holton, not out	102
O. R. Borradaile, b. Rudd	6
Reeves, not out	13
R. Leigh Ibbs	} Did not bat
Rev. E. H. Kennedy	
Russell	
Extras	9
Total (for 6 wkts)	327

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

P. W. G. Kann, c. Reeves, b. Newman	22
C. Hurst-Brown, c. Newman, b. Reeves	1
G. B. F. Rudd, c. Reeves, b. Newman	4
R. F. Potter, st. Russell, b. Newman	48
J. W. MacCulloch, c. Russell b. Holton	18
D. G. Veitch, b. Holton ..	50
J. C. Hobson, b. Holton	8
B. Smith, not out	8
F. R. C. Cobbold, c. Russell, b. Holton	4
K. T. D. Wilcox	} Absent hurt
A. C. Feasey	
Extras	1

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. C. Cobbold	27	8	76	2
K. T. D. Wilcox	14	2	53	0
A. C. Feasey	10	0	54	0
P. W. G. Kann	16	1	86	3
G. B. F. Rudd	7	0	39	1

M.C.C.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Newman	19	3	44	3
Reeves	16	5	48	1
G. E. Rudd	6	1	27	0
Dr. Holton	10.5	2	39	4

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL v. INCOGNITI.

Played on Saturday, July 27.

THIS match ended in a somewhat easy victory for the School. Rudd won the toss and elected to bat first; Kann and Hurst-Brown opened the innings, but before a run was on the board Hurst-Brown was run out. After this reverse the two batsmen showed considerable caution, but gradually the bowling was worn down, and it was not until 105 that Kann was bowled; he played a beautiful 53, hitting a 7 and 6 fours. Potter and Veitch made useful scores of 30 each, while Rudd made a century; Rudd hit a 6 and 17 fours in his score, and it was the best innings he played in the season. The innings was declared closed when the score stood at 345 for 6. The Incogniti gave a very half-hearted show except for E. C. Lee who hit well for 59 not out; Cobbold again bowled well, taking 6 wickets for 59.

Scores and analysis:—

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.	
P. W. G. Kann, b. Cochrane	53
C. Hurst-Brown, run out	0
J. W. MacCulloch, c. Ingram, b. Pigg	68
R. F. Potter, c. Armitage, b. Ingram	33
G. B. F. Rudd, b. E. C. Lee	123
D. G. Veitch, c. and b. E. C. Lee	34
W. I. Lang, not out	3
J. C. Hobson	} Did not bat
A. N. Charlton	
F. R. C. Cobbold	
O. Derry	
Extras	31
Total (for 6 wkts.)	345

INCOGNITI.

D. D. Lee, c. MacCulloch, b. Cobbold	1
B. W. Pigg, c. Kann, b. Rudd	10
Major H. S. Thurston, st. Potter, b. Cobbold ..	16
E. C. Lee, not out	59
B. Tabrum, c. Kann, b. Cobbold	5
R. D. Cochrane, c. Kann, b. Rudd	3
J. Armitage, b. Cobbold	1
A. R. Severn, c. Kann, b. Cobbold ..	4
R. Ingram, c. Lang, b. Kann	16
W. F. Smith, c. MacCulloch, b. Cobbold	0
Extras	9

Total 124

INCOGNITI.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
R. Ingram	23	2	119	1
H. S. Thurston	2	0	17	0
R. D. Cochrane	19	3	90	1
A. R. Severn	1	0	8	0
J. Armitage	3	0	12	0
B. W. Pigg	13	2	52	1
E. C. Lee	7.1	1	16	2

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. C. Cobbold	16	0	59	6
G. B. F. Rudd	14	3	47	2
P. W. G. Kann	1	0	9	1

Ingram bowled 3 wides and one no ball.
Cochrane bowled 3 wides.

K.S.S. v. T.BB.

THIS match was played on Election Monday, and ended in a draw, rain stopping play shortly after the tea interval. Rudd won the toss and sent Troutbeck and Burgess into bat on an easy wicket. Runs came at a good pace until Burgess was caught at extra cover off a miss-hit ; Rudd followed soon afterwards, being easily stumped ; Troutbeck and Charlton then set up a fine stand, Troutbeck hitting magnificently. Troutbeck played excellently all through his innings scoring 71 out of 119. Three others were out immediately all trying to hit, and at 155 the innings was declared closed. Just as the umpires were going out rain fell very heavily and play was abandoned for the day.

Score and analysis :—

K.S.S.

J. M. Troutbeck, c. Cobbold, b. Kann	71
O. I. Burgess, c. Kann, b. Cobbold	18
G. B. F. Rudd, st. Potter, b. Kann	4
A. H. Charlton, not out	42
R. E. D. Cargill, b. Kann	0
J. G. Barrington-Ward, st. Potter, b. Kann	0
M. A. Thompson, st. Potter, b. Kann	0
W. B. W. Durrant, c. Veitch, b. Kann	16
C. A. M. Faure	} Did not bat.
N. E. Barraclough	
D. H. Kitchin	}
Extras	

Total (for 7 wkts.) 155

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

T.BB.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
F. R. C. Cobbold.....	15	4	27	1
C. L. Blair	6	0	25	0
P. W. G. Kann	13	0	49	6
O. Derry	2	0	11	0
W. I. Lang	3	0	18	0
C. J. Bremner... ..	8	3	21	0

BATTING ANALYSIS

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL AVERAGES.

	No. of Innings.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Total Runs.	Average.
G. B. F. Rudd	15	1	124	780	55.71
P. W. G. Kann	15	0	153	697	46.46
R. F. Potter	15	0	64	388	25.86
J. W. MacCulloch	15	2	68	309	23.76
D. G. Veitch	14	3	50	253	23
J. C. Hobson	11	2	28	153	17
W. I. Lang	3	2	13*	16	16
C. Hurst-Brown	15	0	40	219	14.6
A. N. Charlton	4	1	24	31	10.33
F. R. C. Cobbold	11	1	21*	73	7.3
A. C. Feasey	8	0	16	50	6.25
R. E. D. Cargill	2	0	13	13	6.5
B. Smith	9	1	9	33	4.22
K. T. D. Wilcox	8	4	6*	16	4
M. A. Thompson	2	1	1*	2	2

*Signifies not out.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
F. R. C. Cobbold	233.5	50	798	56	14.25
G. B. F. Rudd	180.4	35	740	29	25.51
P. W. G. Kann	57	2	365	14	26.07
K. T. D. Wilcox	72	12	325	12	27.08
A. C. Feasey	70	11	317	7	45.29
Also Bowled :—					
W. I. Lang	12	4	56	4	14
M. A. Thompson	13	1	70	1	70
J. C. Hobson	4	0	46	0	—
R. F. Potter	4	0	25	0	—
A. N. Charlton	1	0	8	0	—
C. Hurst-Brown	3	0	36	0	—

RACQUETS FINALS.

COLLEGE v. RIGAUD'S.

A VERY exciting game resulted in a victory for College, the holders of the Cup in 1911.

Rigaud's, on the whole, were the better pair, and were leading at one time 3-2 : Barrington-Ward for College served quite usefully and kept his nerve well at the critical moment, whereas Rigaud's, it must be said, completely lost their heads in the last game.

The scores were :—

College	11	15	8	15	5	15	15	84	aces.
Rigaud's	15	5	15	8	15	11	8	77	aces.

CAMP.

THIS year it was our turn to go to Tidworth and perhaps this was fortunate. For though before the end of camp the ground had become somewhat sodden, still the camp was on a slope and on a dry soil so that it absorbed a wonderful amount of rain before it became unpleasant. Apart from the rain camp was, on the whole, very pleasant. The work was light, there was plenty of spare time and every effort was made by the officers to prevent the troops feeling the effects of the strain of the modern battlefield.

To turn to the actual work, we arrived on Tuesday afternoon without getting wet, and except for the baggage guard who waited many hours for transport, the day may be said to have been successful. Wednesday was to have been devoted to attack practice, but after trying to dodge the showers on Sidbury Hill we had to march into camp without learning much. We were lucky enough to be lost by the rest of the battalion and were enabled to keep dry under some trees. Thursday morning we practised outposts, but as we were in reserve we did not have much to do and though in the evening we took the same positions as in the morning—we were supposed to be attacked—no enemy was ever visible except to the imaginative eyes of some sentries. The next day we again practised the attack, but as it was

interrupted in the middle by a furious rain storm' during which everyone hunted for shelter, the lesson was not as valuable as it might otherwise have been. In the evening thirty men from each company of Nos. 1 and 2 Battalions went out to attack the outposts of Nos. 3 and 4 Battalions. As we formed a company with St. Paul's we each sent fifteen of our bravest and had a most amusing evening. We were without Mr. Willett as the enemy refused to let him through their lines, the company having gone out without him under the command of Mr. Pearson of St. Paul's. We were not, however, responsible for dragging an in-offensive civilian from his bicycle, seizing him by the beard and saying, 'Let's see if it's real. I know these scouts.' On Saturday morning we had a lecture on picking up targets and we practised an advance. In the afternoon the Brigade was inspected by Lt.-Gen. Sir H. Rawlinson commanding the 3rd Division. On Sunday it kept fine for Church Parade, but poured during the inspection of the camp by the Brigadier, Colonel Fortescue who commands the Rifle Depôt. That night we furnished the guard for our battalion, and were very warmly complimented by the Adjutant on our smartness. Monday was the most interesting day that we spent. We had to hold on to a ridge as long as possible and then retire very quickly behind a position a mile back held by our supports. The retreat proved heating and, in actual war, many of us would have perished. At night we were in reserve on Sidbury Hill. There was a bitterly cold wind and it rained heavily once so that we did not enjoy ourselves as we did not move from about 8.30-11.30 when operations ceased. The next day was too wet to permit of any work in the morning. In the afternoon we paraded in any kit, practised savage warfare and the parade ended with a cross-country race of eight men per company, in which our company was successful, St. Paul's furnishing the first three men home. The last day was most disappointing. We had vast quantities of ammunition and as the brigade was acting with a senior O.T.C. Battalion against a brigade of regulars we looked forward to some excitement but, alas! we never fired a shot or saw an enemy, though we did much marching. The convoy which we were to capture—it is rumoured—got no further than a public-house a mile or more away from where we were prepared to capture it or perish in the attempt. We broke camp the next day.

THE 'ELIZABETHAN.'

The officers for the coming year are:—

Editor.—R. S. Partridge.
Hon. Secretary.—J. M. Troutbeck.
Hon. Treasurer.—Mr. Sargeant.

THE DEBATING SOCIETY.

An extraordinary meeting was held on Thursday, September 26th, when the following officers were elected:

Visitor.—The Rev. the Headmaster.
President.—R. S. Partridge.
Vice-President.—C. Hurst-Brown.
Hon. Treasurer.—A. Marchetti.
Hon. Secretary.—J. M. Troutbeck.

The Committee consists of the above, together with G. B. F. Rudd and A. C. Miles (co-opted) and F. W. Pink (elected by the Society).

THE NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

On Wednesday, October 2nd, an extraordinary meeting was held in the Old Library to elect officers. The following were elected:—

Visitor.—The Rev. the Headmaster.
President.—W. J. N. Little.
Vice-President.—J. M. Troutbeck.
Hon. Treasurer.—A. D. Crow.
Hon. Secretary.—H. A. G. Phillimore.

The other members of the committee have not yet been elected.

House Notes.

COLLEGE.—First we must offer our congratulations to K. R. H. Jones and A. S. R. Macklin (O.W.W.) on their well-deserved success in the Civil Service Examination. Next we must congratulate J. G. Barrington-Ward, R. R. Sedgwick, O. I. Burgess and C. A. Munro-Faure on their Election successes and Sedgwick again on winning the Duke of Devonshire's Prize. We must also offer our best wishes for the future to E. T. Hippisley, D. M. Morris and G. A. N. Dickenson. We again must not forget our duty towards K. T. D. Wilcox, who got his 'Pinks,' J. M. Troutbeck who got 'Pink and Whites,' and D. H. Kitchin who got his 'Thirds' at the end of last term. Our football prospects are quite bright seeing that we have Rudd and Cargill in the team, Wilcox and Troutbeck apparently on their way thither, and Durrant, Thompson, Charlton, and Waterson all ready to supply an emergency; in Juniors too we hope many things, though hoping is as far as we have got of late years. Everything appears to bode success for the coming season that at least we can say.

ASHBURNHAM.—We must condole with ourselves on the loss of several members of the house including Jerrold, Cecil, Lunn, and Pick, Blair and Fursdon, the last three of whom will be greatly missed in Seniors, but nevertheless we have great hopes of retaining the shield.

Our congratulations are due to B. H. Lunn on his success at Election, to McCulloch on passing Matriculation, and to Birdwood, F. T., and Carless, H. D. on their success in the Challenge. We also congratulate Carless, H. A., on his very successful *début* for the School against the Clapham Rovers.

There are nineteen new boys this term, which brings our number up to eighty-four; while Kann is [the new monitor, with MacCulloch succeeding Jerrold as Head of the House.

GRANT'S.—First let us congratulate J. C. Hobson on being elected to Christ Church and F. M. Fisher on being awarded a Triplett exhibition. Now comes our painful task; we must chronicle the departure of J. C. Hobson, R. F. Potter, B. Smith, F. M. Fisher, E. L. Kellie, D. J. Shurey, P. L. Knowles. We wish them all success in the future. Hobson is also to be congratulated on gaining his Pinks, while H. B. Thacker has secured tardy but well-deserved House-colours for football. Our Junior team easily secured the cup, which they thoroughly deserved. The new house-monitors this term are W. E. G. J. Ashmead Bartlett and V. F. Ealand. Our great expectations for Seniors this term are more a matter of form than strictly genuine, owing to the youthfulness of our team. But we hope great things from our Juniors. We welcome into our midst nine new boys this term.

H.BB.—We begin this month by mourning the loss of Craig, Lindner, and Chitty, the last two having gone to the 'Varsity where we wish them every success. We also have to condole with Feasey on his temporary absence from school owing to an injured leg. Our prospects for Seniors this term are fairly bright and there seems no reason why we should not regain the shield. We congratulate Lang on appearing for the school in the first match of the term, and wish him further success. We welcome nine new boys this term and are glad to see that we have six new recruits.

RIGAUD'S.—Bereft of the comic pen of A. H. Bird, our House Notes must needs be dull. We first condole with ourselves on the loss of C. E. S. Noakes, A. H. Bird, K. Hill and several others who will all be greatly missed in the House. Of these, however, we heartily congratulate Noakes on his success at Election and E. H. Bird on entering Sandhurst. F. W. Pink is now head of the House, and Bovey and F. R. C. Cobbold have been made monitors, while Under has been refilled with Beckman, Vernham, Gates, Fewtrell, Calkin and Cargill. We have in addition two new boarders and seven half-boarders. In last term's Seniors we were narrowly defeated in the final by Grant's after an exciting match. Further congratulations are due to Bremner on Thirds and to Noakes, Bovey and A. M. Cobbold on House Colours. In the football world it is too early to prophesy our prospects, but we have the Captain and another

old Pink left, while in the first match we furnished two members for the Second XI. Finally, we look forward to every success and many cups in the forthcoming year.

Old Westminsters.

MAJOR-GENERAL Sir Alfred Turner's 'Sixty Years of a Soldier's Life' is published by Methuen. Sir Alfred Turner was admitted to the School in January 1854, and his reminiscences of his school days are of much interest.

At Oxford Mr. K. R. H. Jones is in the Second Class in the Final Classical School, and Mr. W. H. Aglionby and Mr. A. W. G. Hinchliffe in the Second Class in Modern History.

Mr. K. R. H. Jones and Mr. A. S. R. Macklin are among the successful candidates for the Home and India Civil Services.

Mr. A. A. M. Davies has been admitted a Member of the Royal College of Surgeons and has passed into the Army Medical Corps.

We hear of several Westminsters who will be candidates at the next General Election. Among them are Colonel Bernard, who will again contest North Buckinghamshire, Mr. Geoffrey Radcliffe, who stands for Central Edinburgh, and Mr. Oswald Lewis, who has been asked to contest North Dorset.

Births.

On July 4, the wife of Alfred Stuart Willett of a son.

On Sept. 20, the wife of E. W. D. Colt-Williams of a son.

Marriage.

ORMISTON — NICHOLAS. — On July 22, Philip Herbert Ormiston to Dorothy Frances, fourth daughter of W. Slade Nicholas, of Pownall Gardens, Hampstead.

Obituary.

ON Sept. 6, occurred the death of HILTON AYMAN FULCHER who was at the School from 1878 to 1882.

We have also to regret the death of CALEB ROOPE who was at the School from 1868 to 1871.

Correspondence.

SCHOOL RULES.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—With reference to 'R.'s' letter in your July number and the Editorial comment thereon, I find the following statement under 'School Notes' for July 1907; 'A code of school rules, as far as possible complete, has lately been drawn up and will be published in the course of this term.' From this it seems that a book of school rules, or at any rate a manuscript copy of it, must have then been in existence, although it was never published. Perhaps the Editor at that time can supply further information on the subject.

Yours, etc.,
C. CHITTY.

SCHOOL CRICKET MATCHES.

To the Editor of 'The Elizabethan.'

DEAR SIR,—Has not the time yet come for Westminster to have another Inter-school match in the cricket season? I know it has been thought of before, and many people (other than O.W.W.) have expressed the opinion that another school match for us is a desirable thing. It is obvious the XI. must at present be sadly handicapped in the Charterhouse match by the knowledge that this is the one and only School match of the season; defeat in this means that their efforts, though otherwise successful, have not had success. Time after time fear of the occasion has ruined our chances.

Now comes the obvious question: What other School should we play? As we play Winchester at football now, why not at cricket too? There is another reason why Winchester is suitable: they too have only one Inter-school match *v.* Eton; on this all interest is centred, and for that reason the team rarely show anything like their true form. Of recent years this 'stage-fright' has been most apparent (probably because their teams have not been up to the average, and therefore less confident). It is likely, therefore, that an opportunity for their XI. to get more experience of important occasions would not be unwelcome to Wykehamists.

I trust the proper quarters will receive this idea with approval; and, if so, that it is not too late to make a fixture for next year.

I remain, Sir,

A WELL-INTENTIONED, EVEN IF MEDDLING, O.W.

Our Contemporaries.

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