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*"Reading maketh a full man; Conference a ready man; Writing an exact man."*

— BACON.

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## EDITORIAL

With the School again suffering from a premature slackening off after the rigours of examinations we must look to next year with great foreboding, for then the "A" levels start even earlier. It seems very wrong that the time left to us after the exams should be so wasted and, if it is to be worse in years to come, then there is an obvious need for a great deal of rethinking. In this term the School Societies are mostly inactive and it ought to be possible for Secretaries to put in a greater effort to rekindle interest after the end of examinations. Nevertheless, it would be wrong to suggest that everything is at a complete standstill, because a great deal of hard work is being put into making this year's School Fête and Dance an even greater success than last. A quick glance into the Prefects' Common Room reveals something more active than the usual railway waiting-room atmosphere and the great cluster of for once legally present bottles, almost totally untampered with, is indicative of several boys' devotion to their task. The proceeds from the Fête and Dance will go towards the Swimming Pool Fund, which now stands at £1,700.

This term, with cricket one of the few activities to compete successfully with examinations, we would like to congratulate R. M. Edrupt on again being chosen to play for the Middlesex 2nd XI; he played a number of matches for this team last season and consequently his name found its way into the present edition of *Wisden*. It is, we hope, not beyond the bounds of possibility that we shall someday hear the Hampshire burr of John Arlott curling itself around the surname of our 1st XI Captain.

Lastly, we should like to pass on some rather interesting information that came through the post, on awe-inspiringly magnificent paper, to the Editor. J. and J. Minnis, of 16, Savile Row, write: "Would you please note that our new address is 12A GOLDEN SQUARE". We trust that everyone will note this, but are rather dubious about how many members of the Common Room and how many boys will be financially able to act upon this revealing information.

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## COMMON ROOM CHANGES

This term witnesses a number of departures. Mr. Fairbairn has been teaching physics here since 1955. In addition he has spent uncounted hours with the orchestra and the choir, not to mention his organization of swimming. It is difficult to envisage the School without him, and we can only hope that Christ's College, Finchley, will treat him so badly that he will soon come back. Mr. Biggs has been with us since 1959. His previous career as a professional tenor of considerable competence had not included schoolmastering. However, he set his mind to overcome the difficulties of a new type of life and found that he thoroughly enjoyed it. His musical reminiscences (for those privileged to hear them) included some richly funny episodes. It is much to be regretted that some weeks ago he was involved in a serious motor accident, a doleful prelude to his departure. Mr. Farrer has been able to give the School the benefit of his acute intelligence and athletic ability

for two years: we are grateful to him for this and trust that he will soon be one of the ornaments of the legal profession. Mr. Bannerman has also been with us for only two years and we wish him well as he moves to the De Burgh School, Tadworth, Surrey. We have been ungallant enough to leave Mrs. Wimpess until last. For the past four years she has been doing part-time work, mainly Mathematics and Scripture in the junior forms; and her rich experience and professional skill have been of very great value.

Next term we shall welcome Mr. P. A. Jordan of Manchester University to teach English and Mr. D. K. Patrick, organist and choirmaster of the Parish Church, to take Music. Mr. Gould has been given a year's leave of absence for professional studies, and his place will be taken by Mr. F. Bridges of Kingsbury County School and Trent Park College. We wish our new masters an enjoyable time at Queen Elizabeth's.

# LITERARY CONTRIBUTIONS

## OXFORD LETTER

Sir,

Oxford is similar to other universities in at least one respect. It is a relatively closed community; it tends to isolate its members from the variety of cross-pressures which sooner or later facilitate the integration of individuals into society as a whole. Thus is explained the stress which is typically experienced during the adjustment process at the beginning of each vacation. Thus is also explained the patterning of behaviour along a few fairly distinctive lines of development. Once the individual has been "incorporated" into the comprehensive university system his behaviour is directed along a limited number of channels, and it is really only the emphases on each and within each that allow of any considerable degree of control by the individual personality.

The Elizabethan contingent at Oxford provides an interesting demonstration of this phenomenon rather than any notable exceptions. At the outset of their university careers freshmen are faced with a formidable obstacle in the form of Preliminary Examinations which must be passed. These occur after one, two, or three terms and, in that they occupy virtually all one's time and energy, they serve, together with the fact of physical separation from previous environments, to incorporate the individual very thoroughly into the university system. Thus A. K. Chesterton (St. Peter's), A. H. Dent (St. Catherine's), G. A. Kingston (Wadham), and P. A. Richards (St. Peter's) have all been forced to focus their attention almost exclusively upon the business of passing examinations . . . though I do believe that A. H. Dent did find time, during one period of slight inebriation, to make certain adjustments to the "facilities" on his staircase.

I suppose that individuality reaches its cyclical zenith in Oxford during one's second year when Schools appear remote and work inevitably eases off. Yet extra-mural tastes and predilections are still expressed within a framework of societies and typical activities which are oriented towards the University rather than to broader fields. N. J. Hacker (Merton) still hammers away with outdated socialist doctrines, using the Oxford University Liberal Club as his vehicle. R. D. Jennings (Christ Church) has reached the dizzy athletic heights of goal-keeping for the college 2nd XI and is more than likely to achieve the bright lights of 1st XI football before next season is out. B. A. Symons (Keble) left his mark in Oxford life during his term as chairman of the Joint Action Committee Against Racial Intolerance, Oxford University's very own, but toothless, Race Relations Board. R. G. Ware (Pembroke) turned his hand to the business side of his college's most recent dramatic effort.

He tried to explain to Your Correspondent why it was no reflection upon the business manager that the play in fact made a loss; but the point was not quite taken. Finally, P. G. Weston (Queen's) goes to parties . . . which can be a full-time hobby for the Oxford undergraduate with a strong constitution and very dark shades.

One's third year in Oxford is characterized by the resurrection of the sort of compulsions towards conformative behaviour which further insulate the individual against diverse extra-university pressures. A feeling which lies somewhere between fear, guilt, and pride in achievement, and which is highly contagious, distorts one's concept of the Second Public Examination and exaggerates the importance of such nice distinctions as that between a "good 2nd" and a "not-so-good 2nd". Slowly the libraries become repopulated and girl friends are forced to wait until Friday night. Of course the process of adjustment to the pressure of Schools comes harder for some than for others. R. W. Beeny (Pembroke) had some difficulty getting used to the general atmosphere of the Bodleian and so broke himself in gently with twenty-minute-a-day acclimatization sessions earlier in the year. S. J. Bennett (Oriol) decided that the best way to fight the temptations of extra-curricular activities was to get married — on the principle that two consciences are better than one. R. W. Pullen (Lincoln), being blessed with a room in the centre of Oxford (rather than the normal far-flung digs), toyed seriously with the idea of installing a television set — for the sake of his education — but was beaten by administrative problems. And J. S. Taylor (Exeter) was on several occasions moved to give up all forms of alcohol in the cause of clarity of thought but found it too big a price to pay.

Before concluding, passing reference must be made to the only true Oxford academics — the D.Phil students. Among their learned number is one Old Elizabethan, P. B. Sanders (Wadham), who is doing research into the life of the founder of the Basuto nation, wherever that may be.

Oxford, then, tends to seal off its members and in this manner fairly rigidly to channel their activities. A consequence of this process is the apparent artificiality of Oxford life, especially as viewed from outside by those who are not implicated in the closed unit. Activities only appear meaningful to the extent that they relate with items of one's own experience. Oxford, being in a sense "cut off" from society as a whole is bound to appear unintelligible — even artificial or irrational — to those outside, just as does Masonic ritual. Fitting comment, maybe, on

YOUR OXFORD CORRESPONDENT.

## SCHOOL NEWS

### SCHOOL OFFICE BEARERS

*Prefects:* N. M. Causebrook (*Captain*), M. J. Whitaker (*Lieutenant*), R. M. Edrupt, M. F. Taylor, G. P. Mullin\*, S. B. Russell\*.

*Sub-Prefects:* C. G. Baker, D. J. Belford, P. G. Cheeseman, R. H. Croft, A. S. Davenall, C. A. Knight, D. J. Sterling, I. J. Stevens, K. S. Tricker, J. E. Blishen\*, I. D. Cook\*, G. W. Davies\*, P. M. Eckert\*, C. A. Farrer\*, A. K. Gray\*, R. A. Hallewell\*, V. Malcolm\*, D. G. Morgan\*, C. G. Page\*, T. P. W. Timson\*.

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**Games Club Committee:** The Headmaster (President); Masters: Mr. Smith (Chairman), Mr. Carter (Secretary), Mr. Thomas, Mr. Fairbairn, Mr. Pinnock, Mr. Shearly, Mr. Finnett.

Boys: C. O. Borthwick\* (Secretary), C. G. Baker (Treasurer), R. M. Edrupt, I. J. Stevens, J. W. Whiting, N. M. Causebrook, I. Johnson, B. J. Roberts.

**Chess Club Committee:** Mr. Finnett (President), Mr. Gould (Vice-President), J. W. Whiting (Captain), C. A. Knight (Fixtures Secretary), B. S. Weston (Team Secretary), N. C. Hamilton, M. F. Solosy.

**Musical Society Committee:** The Headmaster (President), Mr. Fairbairn (Chairman), Mr. Cocks, Mr. Finnett, Mr. Hayes, D. J. Sterling (Secretary), J. A. Clark, A. K. Gray, R. C. Pearce, M. K. Villeneuve.

\*Appointed since last issue.

## VALETE

7 *Language:* G. S. Bruce (1960). R. M. Edrupt (1960. Prefect, 1st XI Captain and colours 1965/66/67, 1st XV Captain and colours 1965/66/67, Athletics colours 1965/66/67, 1967). A. K. Gray (1960. Sub-Prefect, Secretary of Christian Union, Royal College of Music, 1967). S. B. Russell (1959. Prefect, 1st XI colours 1966/67, Secretary of Elizabethan Union, 1967). K. S. Tricker (1959. Sub-Prefect 1967). M. K. Villeneuve (1959).

7 *Biology:* A. P. Kinch (1960). M. F. Taylor (1959. Prefect, Secretary of Philatelic Society, 1967).

7 *Mathematics:* J. F. Buszard (1959. Sailing colours, Secretary of Bridge Club, 1967). N. M. Causebrook (1960. School Captain, Sailing colours 1967, Southampton University, 1967). R. H. Croft (1960. Sub-Prefect, 1st XI colours 1965/66/67, Fives Badge 1966/67, Loughborough, 1967). P. M. Eckert (1960. Sub-Prefect, Secretary of Astronomical Society, Secretary of Science

Society, Secretary of Electronics Society, Southampton University, 1967). C. A. Knight (1960. Sub-Prefect, Athletics colours 1967, Senior Chess Honours, Secretary of Chess, 1967). R. S. Nolan (1960). P. D. Theaker (1960. Secretary of School Society, Sailing colours 1967, 1967).

*Upper 6 Language:* M. A. Bruin (1960). J. R. Bullett (1959). G. W. Davies (1960. Sub-Prefect, Secretary of Jazz Society, 1967). D. Gaylard (1959. Secretary of Geographical Society, 1967). I. Johnson (1959. Keeper of Fives Court, 1967). C. T. King (1960). I. J. Stevens (1960. Sub-Prefect, Athletics Captain and colours 1966/67, 1967).

*Upper 6 Biology:* A. J. Ayers (1959). A. D. Zyluk (1960). *Upper 6 Mathematics:* S. G. Gleghorn (1960). C. G. Page (1963. Sub-Prefect, 2nd XI colours, 1967). K. R. Pugh (1959. Secretary of Photographic Society, 1967). I. R. Sage (1960). N. J. Thorne (1960). J. M. Walsh (1960).

*Lower 6C:* A. Harding (1962).

*Lower 6B:* A. Jackson (1961). C. J. King (1961). B. J. Roberts (1961. Swimming colours, 1967). J. K. S. Scott (1961).

5S: M. G. Freeman (1961). S. V. Mears (1964). D. E. Scrivens (1963).

5A: T. N. Andrews (1961). K. D. Benbow (1961). A. K. Bircher (1962). D. Eabry (1962). M. A. Hill (1962). R. B. Kent (1966). J. A. Neil (1962). P. D. Waugh (1962).

4A: R. A. Page (1963).

4B: B. G. F. Phillips (1962).

4C: N. H. Ross (1963).

3C: G. C. V. Birch (1964). M. J. Phillips (1964). M. Smith (1964).

2A: G. E. Kent (1966).

2C: D. M. Scott (1965). K. H. Turberville (1965). M. D. Webster (1965).

## THE LIBRARY

Due to a moderate summer and the extended facilities of the Third Field, attendance in the Library during lunch-times has been even lower than usual in the summer term. The service provided by Committee Members after school, however, has finally been appreciated and many boys have been using the Library then for reference purposes.

Most of the Committee have worked extremely hard during the "A" Level period and again during the Stock-Check. This has been completed to the best of the Committee's abilities but the tardiness on the part of many senior members of the school has made the check

a far more difficult and lengthy task than it should be. Further decline in the standard of conduct of members of the school has resulted in the highest ever total of missing books. It is hoped that boys will take advantage of the amnesty, in operation until October, and return any books they find in their possession.

We are grateful to the following for their presentations:

The Librarian and Mr. J. A. Ashley (O.E.); and for leaving gifts: D. A. Davies, J. S. Jones, R. L. Kent, M. G. Langley, C. G. Page, and J. A. Rhodes.

P.G.C.

## THE HOBBIES EXHIBITION, 1967

To everyone who attended the Hobbies Exhibition on 15th March it was apparent that this year the out-of-school activities of many boys were yielding more imaginative and constructive results than in previous years. The general standard of entries was also higher, so that the choice of prize-winners was not as predictable as usual.

K. R. Pugh and J. F. Buszard won the first prize in the Senior section with a combined tape-recorder and film-slide show. This required a high standard of photography and of recording technique. Second prize went to the Motor Club for renovating the Austin A30 that the Bursar has presented to the Club. S. V. Mears won the

third prize in this section for his model aircraft. First prize in the Junior section went to B. J. F. Phillips and P. M. Evans for model slot-racing cars on a home-made track. It was obvious that much time and skill had gone into making this track, and these two boys should be given credit for not using the customary commercially manufactured article. J. A. Barton and I. K. Barton were second, with a display of model aeroplanes. In the Physics laboratory B. Garrard exhibited a television set, an oscilloscope, and an amplifier which he had constructed: these won him third prize. M. J. Causebrook was highly commended for his scale model of the narrow-gauge Ffestiniog Railway train

Throughout the evening popular music was played in the Hall. "Bach with a bite" was the title of the first session, presented by G. W. Davies (drums), A. K. Gray (pianoforte), and Mr. Crofts (bass). Other performers were A. J. Ayers, P. J. Skelton, and M. G. Langley (O.E.). The whole Exhibition was an undoubted success, and

congratulations are mainly due to Mr. Gould. Thanks are also due to P. J. Duncan, who was responsible for the organization of the Exhibition. Unfortunately he was unable to attend it, and on the day his duties as secretary were performed by P. D. Theaker.

M.J.W.

## FOOTBALL

### CORNISH TOUR

Forty boys took part in this tour, which was organized by Messrs. Morris and Farrer. Three matches were played at Colts' and Under-13 level between March 20th and 22nd, 1967.

#### v. FALMOUTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Playing uphill, the Colts played adequately in a point-less first half against powerful and vigorous opposition. Our side attacked continuously in the second half and the score amounted to seventeen points by the end, after some good, aggressive football from the whole side. Duncombe scored a fine try from his own "25", coming between scrum- and fly-half after a line-out.

The Under-13 team played poorly in the first half and defended desperately but the score was 0-0 at half-time. Immediately after, Welsh ran half the length of the pitch and put Sunderland over. Morgan then broke through and passed to Welch who scored. Evans scored a third try and we won 13-0.

#### v. TRESWITHIAN SCHOOL, CAMBORNE

We had to play on Camborne R.F.C. ground as the School pitches had been converted for soccer. Playing on the wide open spaces and with six changes the Colts

were hard pressed against a very tough and rugged side. We scored an early try but had to wait till the last few minutes for the second, scored by Spriggs after a good bit of back-row opportunism set up the movement.

For the Under-13s Morgan scored from a set scrum, breaking through the opposing backs. McHugh converted despite the acute angle. Early in the second half Morgan picked up from a loose scrum and scored in the corner. The third try was our best of the tour. The ball went along our own line to Welsh, near our own goal-line, who ran right through the opposing team.

#### v. EAST LOOE COUNTY SCHOOL

On a small sloping pitch the Under-13 side began playing downhill and scored when Morgan picked up after Lanyon had tackled their centre. McHugh converted and then scored a penalty. We conceded our first try of the tour shortly after half-time but scored two further tries. The Colts, playing an inexperienced team, were below their best and won 27-0. Olley kicked faultlessly. For the Colts this crowned a successful season with a record of: Played 16; Won 14; Drawn 1; Lost 1.

Our thanks are due to Mr. Morris and Mr. Farrer for arranging the tour.

P. N. HAWKINS, 4C, and R. C. AYLARD, 2B.

## CRICKET

### FIRST XI MATCHES

#### v. WOODHOUSE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Home. April 27th. Won by 83 runs.

This was a match in the Middlesex Grammar Schools Knock-Out Competition, with 25 overs per side and no bowler exceeding six overs. Croft and Mackay gave us a sound start, but we batted too defensively after Croft was out until Leece joined Birtwistle in a free-scoring partnership. After Edrupt's erratic first over, all the bowlers bowled well and wickets fell steadily.

#### SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, c Berry, b McWhir	...	...	...	32
R. I. Mackay, c Sanders, b Kay	...	...	...	15
A. E. Birtwistle, not out	...	...	...	40
R. M. Edrupt, c Johnson, b Kay	...	...	...	0
I. D. Cook, b Sanders	...	...	...	13
C. L. G. Taylor, run out	...	...	...	1
R. C. Leece, not out	...	...	...	15
Extras	...	...	...	5
Total (for five wickets)	...	...	...	121

#### WOODHOUSE: 38

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	...	4	1	9	1
S. B. Russell	...	4	0	8	2.66
A. Milne	...	3.5	0	11	2
I. D. Cook	...	3	1	6	3

#### v. JESUS COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE

Away. May 9th. Won by 122 runs.

Croft and Mackay started confidently, but after Croft's departure the innings became becalmed. Some generous bowling changes enabled us to get moving again and Edrupt declared when Mackay was out. It was suggested that he had been unwise to declare at this point but he confounded his critics with a remarkable spell of hostile bowling and a magnificent running and diving catch. Russell lent admirable support and the fielding was very keen, despite two slip catches being grassed.

#### SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, b Welch	...	...	...	...	23
R. I. Mackay, b Welch	...	...	...	...	61
A. E. Birtwistle, not out	...	...	...	...	57
Extras	...	...	...	...	3
Total (for 2 wickets dec.)	...	...	...	...	144

#### JESUS COLLEGE: 22

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	...	11.5	6	8	7
S. B. Russell	...	8	6	8	2
R. H. Croft	...	3	2	1	1

# v. WATFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Away. May 13th. Won by 3 wickets.

Watford were contained by some very accurate opening bowling and Milne captured three early wickets. Good aggressive batting at the end of the innings restored their position somewhat. We made very heavy weather of our batting task and after a bright opening, we permitted the bowlers to get on top.

## WATFORD: 75

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	17.2	5	26	2	13
S. B. Russell	11	4	19	2	9.5
A. Milne	7	2	12	3	4
R. C. Leece	5	0	8	1	8
I. D. Cook	4	1	7	1	7

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, lbw Pardoe	...	...	...	...	17
R. I. Mackay, c Tibbitt, b Shrimpton	...	...	...	...	21
A. E. Birtwistle, c Langrish, b Rose	...	...	...	...	10
C. L. G. Taylor, b Shrimpton	...	...	...	...	2
I. D. Cook, b Shrimpton	...	...	...	...	2
R. M. Edrupt, c Tibbitt, b Rose	...	...	...	...	10
A. L. Webb, run out	...	...	...	...	5
S. B. Russell, not out	...	...	...	...	4
R. C. Leece, not out	...	...	...	...	1
Extras	...	...	...	...	4

Total (for 7 wickets) ... 76

# v. ALLEYNE'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Away. May 20th. Match Drawn.

A sluggish wicket which made stroke-making hazardous kept the scoring low, but Birtwistle played an excellent innings and Taylor and Webb pushed the score along well in the later stages. Little attempt was made to score runs when Alleyne's batted and the game meandered on to a rather inevitable draw.

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, lbw Finney	...	...	...	...	6
R. I. Mackay, run out	...	...	...	...	2
A. E. Birtwistle, c Day, b Thorne	...	...	...	...	47
R. M. Edrupt, c Hopkins, b Day	...	...	...	...	6
C. L. G. Taylor, c Day, b Hamilton	...	...	...	...	29
A. L. Webb, lbw Hamilton	...	...	...	...	10
R. C. Leece, not out	...	...	...	...	1
I. D. Cook, not out	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	6

Total (for 6 wickets dec.) ... 107

## ALLEYNE'S: 54 for 6 wickets

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	17	7	18	2	9
S. B. Russell	10	6	4	3	1.33
I. D. Cook	6	2	6	0	—
R. H. Croft	8	1	23	1	23

# v. BEDFORD MODERN SCHOOL

Home. June 3rd. Lost by 29 runs.

At the end of morning school the game seemed as good as over in our favour with the first seven batsmen out for a mere 16 runs, but after an hour's bowling in the rather close conditions it was necessary for the openers to take a rest. The later Bedford batsmen staged a great recovery and lunch was taken at 71 for 8.

The last wickets were captured soon after lunch but our innings started disastrously with Croft being very well caught at mid-off in the first over. After this we poked and prodded at some very useful spin bowling with only Birtwistle and Taylor looking remotely like

batsmen. One longed for someone to thrust the left leg down the wicket and hit with the spin, but in general we capitulated feebly and seemed to suggest that we were opposed by Laker and Lock on a wicket specially prepared for them.

## BEDFORD: 82

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	17	6	23	6	3.83
S. B. Russell	12.5	3	17	3	5.67
I. D. Cook	10	3	17	1	17
A. Milne	5	2	12	0	—
R. H. Croft	5	0	10	0	—

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, c Riley, b Hall	...	...	...	...	0
R. I. Mackay, c Howard, b Brownridge	...	...	...	...	2
A. E. Birtwistle, b Weaver	...	...	...	...	12
C. L. G. Taylor, b Brownridge	...	...	...	...	18
R. M. Edrupt, c Howard, b Brownridge	...	...	...	...	2
A. L. Webb, c Johnson, b Brownridge	...	...	...	...	5
I. D. Cook, b Brownridge	...	...	...	...	9
C. A. Farrer, b Weaver	...	...	...	...	3
S. B. Russell, not out	...	...	...	...	0
M. J. Wells, b Weaver	...	...	...	...	0
A. Milne, st Howard, b Weaver	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	2

Total ... 53

# v. ORANGE HILL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Home. June 9th. Won by 48 runs.

Croft and Mackay contributed a half-century opening partnership in this knock-out game but only Edrupt and Milne put bat to ball after their departure. Edrupt and Russell started with four maiden overs and Orange Hill were never in the hunt despite two expensive overs from Wells.

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, lbw Kent	...	...	...	...	27
R. I. Mackay, c Roitt, b Kent	...	...	...	...	26
A. E. Birtwistle, lbw Long	...	...	...	...	5
R. M. Edrupt, b Long	...	...	...	...	20
C. L. G. Taylor, c Utting, b Long	...	...	...	...	0
I. D. Cook, lbw Carter	...	...	...	...	0
A. L. Webb, run out	...	...	...	...	3
A. Milne, run out	...	...	...	...	8
S. B. Russell, not out	...	...	...	...	2
M. J. Wells, not out	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	3

Total (for 8 wickets) ... 94

## ORANGE HILL: 46

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	3	2	1	0	—
S. B. Russell	4.3	3	1	3	0.33
I. D. Cook	6	0	17	5	3.4
M. J. Wells	2	0	17	0	—
A. Milne	6	1	10	1	10

# PAST v. PRESENT

On Founder's Day, June 17th. Match Drawn.

Robinson bowled very well in the pre-lunch period and Croft was never at ease against him. Mackay was caught at leg-slip after lunch and this success spurred Pratt to greater efforts. Birtwistle then seemed to carry all our hopes but dabbled a short ball into gully's hands. Pratt was removed from the attack and Farrer and Milne batted surprisingly sensibly, hitting straight at everything over-pitched and blocking everything else. The 29 runs they collected gave the bowlers a faint chance and they all bowled pretty well. The fielders

gave nothing away and it became clear that time would have to be taken into account. Milne had a very economical spell and then the opening pair returned and bottled up the game so effectively that wickets were thrown away in an unsuccessful chase for runs in the last quarter of an hour.

#### SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, b Robinson	...	...	...	...	15
R. I. Mackay, c Winchester, b Pratt	...	...	...	...	24
A. E. Birtwistle, c Pratt, b Winchester	...	...	...	...	20
R. M. Edrupt, lbw Pratt	...	...	...	...	7
I. D. Cook, lbw Pratt	...	...	...	...	0
C. L. G. Taylor, c M. N. Croft, b Pratt	...	...	...	...	6
A. L. Webb, b Winchester	...	...	...	...	1
C. A. Farrer, c Perrotton, b Robinson	...	...	...	...	14
S. B. Russell, c D. J. Croft, b Jack	...	...	...	...	0
A. Milne, not out	...	...	...	...	15
A. H. Smith, c Jack, b Winchester	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	5
Total	...	...	...	...	107

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
E. J. Pratt	17	4	49	4	12.25
D. J. Robinson	14	3	16	2	8
R. E. Lee	3	0	4	0	—
C. A. Winchester	8.2	6	7	3	2.33
M. T. Jack	4	0	7	1	7
A. J. Perrotton	5	0	19	0	—

#### PAST XI

C. A. Winchester, c Webb, b Cook	...	...	...	...	30
M. N. Croft, c Milne, b Russell	...	...	...	...	5
T. M. Thorpe, b Edrupt	...	...	...	...	2
M. A. Wormald, b Russell	...	...	...	...	7
D. W. White, c Smith, b Edrupt	...	...	...	...	26
D. J. Croft, c and b Edrupt	...	...	...	...	14
R. E. Lee, run out	...	...	...	...	7
D. J. Robinson, c Farrer, b Russell	...	...	...	...	2
M. J. Jack, c Cook, b Russell	...	...	...	...	4
A. J. Perrotton, not out	...	...	...	...	0
E. J. Pratt, not out	...	...	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	...	...	4
Total (for 9 wickets)	...	...	...	...	101

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	17	4	30	3	10
S. B. Russell	14	2	28	4	7
I. D. Cook	11	2	27	1	27
A. Milne	8	3	12	0	—

#### v. HABERDASHERS' ASKE'S SCHOOL

Away. June 24th. Match Drawn.

Rain and a rather unrealistic declaration made this a somewhat unsatisfactory game. When Croft was foolishly run out, it was clear that we could not get the runs. Birtwistle may have had other ideas and holed out at mid-wicket, but Taylor stayed firm and gained some pleasant batting practice.

HABERDASHERS': 138 for 6 dec.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	18	7	49	3	16.33
S. B. Russell	14	1	37	1	37
I. D. Cook	11	1	31	0	—
A. Milne	8	3	17	2	8.5

#### SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, run out	...	...	...	...	3
R. I. Mackay, b Goy	...	...	...	...	7
A. E. Birtwistle, c Haselhurst, b Goy	...	...	...	...	27
C. L. G. Taylor, not out	...	...	...	...	26
R. M. Edrupt, lbw Done	...	...	...	...	5
I. D. Cook, c Haselhurst, b Woolerton	...	...	...	...	0
A. L. Webb, not out	...	...	...	...	5
Extras	...	...	...	...	5
Total (for 5 wickets)	...	...	...	...	78

#### v. KINGSBURY COUNTY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Home. June 27th. Won by 39 runs.

Croft and Mackay again gave us a good start and Chatt, Taylor and Milne swung their bats to good purpose at the end of the innings. Milne then took the first seven wickets in twenty eight deliveries and despite some pleasant resistance at the end of the Kingsbury innings, the result was never in doubt.

#### SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, b Lomas	...	...	...	...	37
R. I. Mackay, b Woodward	...	...	...	...	24
A. E. Birtwistle, c Ward, b Woodward	...	...	...	...	3
R. M. Edrupt, b Lomas	...	...	...	...	1
E. G. Chatt, run out	...	...	...	...	14
C. L. G. Taylor, not out	...	...	...	...	10
A. Milne, not out	...	...	...	...	5
Extras	...	...	...	...	2
Total (for 5 wickets)	...	...	...	...	96

#### KINGSBURY COUNTY: 37

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
A. E. Birtwistle	1	1	0	0	—
S. B. Russell	6	0	13	1	13
A. Milne	6	2	13	8	1.62
R. H. Croft	2.3	0	5	1	5
R. M. Edrupt	2	0	3	0	—

#### v. ENFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Away. June 28th. Won by 5 wickets.

The Enfield captain batted very soundly but Edrupt bowled right through the innings and had frequent successes after the fall of the second wicket. We were required to score at a rate of one a minute and despite two extraordinarily foolish run-outs, we reached the target fairly comfortably. It was particularly disappointing that our star batsman should again be a victim of his partner's ill-judgement, but he must surely soon come into his own. Meanwhile it was encouraging to see Mackay and Taylor showing some signs of aggression and taking the responsibility for timing their batting to keep up with a target.

#### ENFIELD: 103

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt	22.4	7	44	7	6.29
S. B. Russell	11	4	22	1	22
A. Milne	11	4	29	1	29

#### SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, run out	...	...	...	...	4
R. I. Mackay, run out	...	...	...	...	35
A. E. Birtwistle, lbw Tenneson	...	...	...	...	17
C. L. G. Taylor, st Gladding, b Webb	...	...	...	...	29
C. A. Farrer, c Ganney, b Tenneson	...	...	...	...	0
R. M. Edrupt, not out	...	...	...	...	13
I. D. Cook, not out	...	...	...	...	4
Extras	...	...	...	...	2
Total (for 5 wickets)	...	...	...	...	104

## v. ST. ALBANS SCHOOL

Home. July 1st. Match Drawn.

We were presented with the gift of first innings and Croft engaged in two very pleasant partnerships before he ran himself out. Mackay assumed a minor role but Birtwistle scored very freely and made some splendid drives and sweeps. The later stages of the innings seemed too restrained in the circumstances.

The St. Albans innings started quietly and Russell gained two valuable, if fortunate, early wickets. The tempo increased when Cook and Croft were wisely introduced. The carrot was dangled before the batsmen and they ran some very well-placed singles. There were two near run outs but then it was necessary for Edrupt to close up the game, and the chase was called off after the fifth wicket fell. In the closing stages Edrupt and Milne bowled well, but the wicket was very placid and a conclusive result was never likely.

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, run out ...	...	...	...	72
R. I. Mackay, c Towersey, b Beale ...	...	...	...	19
A. E. Birtwistle, c Beale, b Scarles ...	...	...	...	33
C. L. G. Taylor, not out ...	...	...	...	7
R. M. Edrupt, c and b Scarles ...	...	...	...	8
Extras ...	...	...	...	6

Total (for 4 wickets dec.) ... 145

## ST. ALBANS: 115 for 8 wickets

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt ...	11	3	16	2	8
S. B. Russell ...	7	1	21	2	10.5
I. D. Cook ...	9	1	26	0	—
R. H. Croft ...	7	0	27	1	27
A. Milne ...	7	1	16	3	5.33

## v. GENTLEMEN OF HERTS

Home. July 5th. Match Drawn.

The visitors' innings contained many pleasing strokes and some exemplary running between wickets. Our faster bowlers all bowled well and were backed up by good ground fielding and throwing, but two costly slip catches were put down and a sizzling square cut went past cover's hands.

The school innings fashioned itself around Croft. Mackay was unlucky in his dismissal and shared in a fifty opening stand. We had our usual infuriating run out, Croft himself being the culprit this time, and then Edrupt played his best innings of the season to date. The game was delicately poised at this point, and the last hour of the innings caused opinions of spectators to fluctuate continuously as to the possibility of our reaching the target or not. Farrer scored four boundaries to boost the opinions of the hopefuls, two quick wickets and the pessimists prevailed, then the milestone of Croft's hundred and the unleashing of three fine boundary shots and now four balls left and only three to get. A ball of immaculate length, then an off-drive for one, a judicious ball wide of the leg-stump (shades of T. E. Bailey in an Australian Test Match), the last ball and a single to cover and so a great match was over with the scores level and the hero of the hour lumbers off to warm applause.

## GENTLEMEN OF HERTS: 189 for 6 dec.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt ...	19	5	50	2	25
S. B. Russell ...	19	3	59	1	59
A. Milne ...	16.5	3	56	3	18.67
I. D. Cook ...	4	0	23	0	—

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, not out ...	...	...	...	...	113
R. I. Mackay, lbw Taylor ...	...	...	...	...	19
A. E. Birtwistle, run out ...	...	...	...	...	1
R. M. Edrupt, c Collins, b Taylor ...	...	...	...	...	26
C. L. G. Taylor, c Bird, b Collins ...	...	...	...	...	6
A. Milne, c and b Taylor ...	...	...	...	...	0
C. A. Farrer, b Collins ...	...	...	...	...	17
E. G. Chatt, b Taylor ...	...	...	...	...	0
I. D. Cook, not out ...	...	...	...	...	6
Extras ...	...	...	...	...	1

Total (for 7 wickets) ... 189

## v. ROYAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL, HIGH WYCOMBE

Away. July 6th. Match Drawn.

We bowled very tightly in the pre-lunch session and restricted scoring to 71.3 in two hours play on a good batting wicket. The later Wycombe batsmen adopted very aggressive methods against our tired and rather dispirited bowlers in mid-afternoon and scored 55 runs in the last 24 minutes. Our catching proved fallible in this period and a number of soaring hits landed just out of reach but "there's a lot of room in the air" for those who try their luck and I hope our diffident spirits will take a lesson from this. Mackay was out in the second over and Birtwistle was content to watch the maestro laying the foundation of his chanceless innings at the other end. He is never so good a player in this mood and it was a lazy and half-hearted shot that caused his dismissal. Taylor soon got his bearings and with Croft scoring at will, the target was 77 in 50 minutes when Taylor was out, but three further wickets were lost in a vain search for runs before the incoming batsmen had gained their bearings. There remained opportunity for another of our speciality made-to-order crazy run outs and for Russell to placidly and competently help Croft to play out time. The feat of two hundreds on consecutive days is probably unique in the school's cricket records and it is particularly pleasant that it should happen to so modest and sportsmanlike a player. The coveted three figures never caused him to take his mind off the needs of the side and his mental concentration and physical endurance were most commendable.

## R.G.S.: 198 for 8 dec.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av.
R. M. Edrupt ...	19.2	4	55	2	27.5
S. B. Russell ...	25	5	63	3	21
A. Milne ...	15	4	26	2	13
I. D. Cook ...	10	2	27	1	27
C. L. G. Taylor ...	3	0	12	0	—

## SCHOOL

R. H. Croft, not out ...	...	...	...	...	101
R. I. Mackay, lbw Berks ...	...	...	...	...	0
A. E. Birtwistle, c Newitt, b Gamester ...	...	...	...	...	20
C. L. G. Taylor, lbw Colley ...	...	...	...	...	18
R. M. Edrupt, c Berks, b McIntosh ...	...	...	...	...	1
C. A. Farrer, c North, b McIntosh ...	...	...	...	...	0
I. D. Cook, c Brown, b McIntosh ...	...	...	...	...	0
A. L. Webb, run out ...	...	...	...	...	5
A. Milne, lbw McIntosh ...	...	...	...	...	2
S. B. Russell, not out ...	...	...	...	...	0
Extras ...	...	...	...	...	6
Total (for 8 wickets) ...	...	...	...	...	153

## SECOND XI MATCHES

- v. **WATFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Home. May 13th. Lost by 63 runs.  
WATFORD: 129 (Wells 7-36).  
SCHOOL: 66 (Asscher 15).  
Team: C. G. Page, M. A. Asscher, M. J. Wells, C. A. Farrer, B. G. Young, J. K. S. Scott, D. Gaylard, P. J. Skelton, R. A. Page, N. D. Baillie, N. P. M. Brown.
- v. **BEDFORD MODERN SCHOOL**  
Home. May 20th. Match Drawn.  
SCHOOL: 113 (Wells 27, Cavell 38).  
BEDFORD: 76 for 9 wickets (R. Page 4-21, Wells 4-24).  
Team: C. G. Page, M. A. Asscher, M. J. Wells, C. A. Farrer, E. G. Chatt, J. E. Blishen, J. K. S. Scott, D. Gaylard, R. A. Page, R. I. Cavell, N. P. M. Brown.
- v. **HABERDASHERS' ASKE'S SCHOOL**  
Home. June 24th. Lost by 7 wickets.  
SCHOOL: 97 (C. Page 18, Baillie 28).  
HABERDASHERS': 99 for 3 wickets.  
Team: C. G. Page, M. A. Asscher, M. J. Wells, E. G. Chatt, B. G. Young, J. K. S. Scott, D. Gaylard, R. A. Page, N. D. Baillie, S. G. Gleghorn, N. P. M. Brown.
- v. **ENFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Home. June 28th. Match Drawn.  
ENFIELD: 143 for 6 wickets dec. (Scott 3-17).  
SCHOOL: 120 for 5 wickets (Asscher 46, Young 20).  
Team: C. G. Page, M. A. Asscher, M. J. Wells, E. G. Chatt, B. G. Young, R. I. Cavell, J. K. S. Scott, D. Gaylard, R. A. Page, N. D. Baillie, N. P. M. Brown.
- v. **ST. ALBANS SCHOOL**  
Home. July 1st. Lost by 4 wickets.  
SCHOOL: 85 (Scott 23).  
ST. ALBANS: 86 for 6 wickets (Wells 3-18).  
Team: M. A. Asscher, M. J. Wells, E. G. Chatt, B. G. Young, J. K. S. Scott, D. Gaylard, J. F. Buszard, N. D. Baillie, N. P. M. Brown, M. F. Bleeze, P. J. Skelton.
- v. **R.G.S. HIGH WYCOMBE**  
Away. July 6th. Lost by 48 runs.  
HIGH WYCOMBE: 100 (Scott 6-29).  
SCHOOL: 52 (Leece 17).  
Team: N. D. Baillie, M. A. Asscher, M. J. Wells, E. G. Chatt, B. G. Young, M. D. Fairbairn, J. K. S. Scott, D. Gaylard, R. C. Leece, R. I. Cavell, N. P. M. Brown.

## THIRD XI MATCHES

- v. **WATFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Away. May 13th. Won by 59 runs.  
SCHOOL: 109 (Parker 26, Blishen 18).  
WATFORD: 50 (Wilson 3-8).

- v. **HABERDASHERS' ASKE'S SCHOOL**  
Away. June 24th. Won by 5 runs.  
SCHOOL: 103 for 8 wickets dec. (Wilson 21, Parker 19, Hudson 24).  
HABERDASHERS': 98 (Wells 4-8).
- v. **ENFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Away. June 28th. Lost by 3 wickets.  
SCHOOL: 101 for 4 wickets dec. (Blishen 44 n.o., Norris 36 n.o.).  
ENFIELD: 105 for 7 wickets (Skelton 4-22).
- v. **ST. ALBANS SCHOOL**  
Home. July 1st. Lost by 5 wickets.  
SCHOOL: 31.  
ST. ALBANS: 32 for 5.

## UNDER-16 XI MATCHES

- v. **CHIGWELL SCHOOL**  
Away. July 5th. Lost by 4 wickets.  
SCHOOL: 132 for 7 wickets dec. (Webb 56 n.o., Parker 20, Scott 19).  
CHIGWELL: 133 for 6 wickets (Perkins 5-51).
- v. **ENFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Away. June 28th. Lost by 7 runs.  
ENFIELD: 73 (Olley 4-21, Fairbairn 4-9).  
SCHOOL: 66 (Harris 22).
- v. **ST. ALBANS SCHOOL**  
Away. July 1st. Lost by 8 wickets.  
SCHOOL: 58.  
ST. ALBANS: 59 for 2 wickets.
- v. **CHIGWELL SCHOOL**  
Away. July 5th. Won by 8 wickets.  
CHIGWELL: 87 (Phillips 4-18, Olley 4-32).  
SCHOOL: 90 for 2 wickets (Olley 44 n.o.).

## UNDER-15 XI MATCHES

- v. **WATFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Home. May 13th. Lost.
- v. **ALLEYNE'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL**  
Away. May 20th. Won by 8 wickets.  
ALLEYNE'S: 56.  
SCHOOL: 57 for 2 wickets.
- v. **HABERDASHERS' ASKE'S SCHOOL (U15½)**  
Away. June 24th. Won.  
SCHOOL: 100 (Whitefield 42).  
HABERDASHERS' ASKE'S: 57 (Olley 7-29).

We regret that the Score Book has been mislaid.

## ATHLETICS

### HOUSE RELAYS

March 11th. On Stapylton.

This year Broughton and Leicester dominated the relays, whilst Stapylton showed depth in the field events. As usual, the final result was close, although Broughton had a decisive overall victory.

### RESULTS:

220 x 220 x 110 x 110: 1, Leicester 1 min. 26.4 secs.; 2, Underne 1 min. 26.7 secs.; 3, Broughton 1 min. 26.9 secs.; 4, Stapylton 1 min. 27.5 secs.; 5, Harrisons 1 min. 28.2 secs.

220 x 440 x 660 x 880: 1, Leicester 5 mins. 19.1 secs.; 2, Broughton 6 mins. 14.5 secs.; 3, Underne 6 mins. 21.4 secs.; 4, Harrisons 6 mins. 24.0 secs.; Stapylton disqualified.

110 x 220 x 330 x 440: 1, Harrisons 2 mins. 37.1 secs.; 2, Leicester 2 mins. 38.2 secs.; 3, Broughton 2 mins. 45.0 secs.; 4, Stapylton 2 mins. 50.2 secs.; 5, Underne 2 mins. 59.2 secs.

330 x 330 x 660 x  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile: 1, Broughton 7 mins. 24.2 secs.; 2, Underne 7 mins. 25.6 secs.; 3, Leicester 7 mins. 43.0 secs.; 4, Stapylton 7 mins. 44.0 secs.; Harrisons did not compete.

880 x 880 x  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile x 1 mile: 1, Broughton 14 mins. 54.4 secs.; 2, Stapylton 14 mins. 55.0 secs.; 3, Underne 16 mins. 8.6 secs.; 4, Leicester 16 mins. 35.0 secs.; Harrisons did not compete.

*Discus*: 1, Stapylton 225 ft. 5 ins.; 2, Harrisons 178 ft. 9½ ins.; 3, Underne 170 ft. 8 ins.; 4, Leicester 151 ft. 11 ins.; 5, Broughton 150 ft. 6 ins.

*Shot*: 1, Stapylton 79 ft. 9 ins.; 2, Broughton 78 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Underne 75 ft. 9 ins.; 4, Harrisons 70 ft. 3½ ins.; 5, Leicester 54 ft. 3½ ins.

*High Jump*: 1, Broughton 9 ft. 7 ins.; 2, Harrisons, Leicester, Stapylton, Underne 9 ft. 6 ins.

*Long Jump*: 1, Stapylton 34 ft. ½ in.; 2, Leicester 33 ft. 9 ins.; 3, Broughton 33 ft. 4 ins.; 4, Underne 31 ft. 7½ ins.; Harrisons 17 ft. 3 ins.

$\frac{1}{4}$  mile walk: 1, Underne; 2, Broughton; 3, Harrisons. Leicester and Stapylton disqualified.

#### FINAL RESULT:

1. Broughton 33 pts.
2. Underne 27 pts.
3. Stapylton 25 pts.
4. Leicester 21 pts.
5. Harrisons 16 pts.

#### v. BEDFORD MODERN SCHOOL

March 20th. On Stapylton.

SENIOR MATCH: Lost 48 - 77 pts.

JUNIOR MATCH: Won 67 - 49 pts.

A late change-over from cross-country to athletics training meant that the bulk of our athletes were in poor condition, even though the House Relays Competition had been staged nearly two weeks previously. A general lack of enthusiasm due to the fact that the match was on the penultimate day of term, did little to improve the situation.

The senior team put up a mediocre performance in general, although R. M. Edrupt (weight) and C. A. Knight (long jump and high jump), both won convincingly.

In contrast, the junior match provided many sparkling performances. N. P. Rogers threw well in the weight, to break the match record by almost two feet. J. R. Brady won both the high jump and the low hurdles and M. J. Snazell took the discus with over forty feet to spare. The Relay team had an easy win, although this was mainly due to the sloppy changes of our opponents.

#### SENIOR MATCH RESULTS:

100 yards: 1, Morrison (B.M.) 9.2 secs.; 2, Jackson (B.M.) 9.3 secs.; 3, Gervais (Q.E.) 9.4 secs.; 4, Spatz (Q.E.) 10.0 secs.

220 yards: 1, Stubbings (B.M.) 25.7 secs.; 2, Gervais (Q.E.) 26.7 secs.; 3, Belford (Q.E.) 26.9 secs.; 4, Gearie (B.M.) 27.5 secs.

440 yards: 1, Willard (B.M.) 56.2 secs.; 2, Humphrey (B.M.) 57.8 secs.; 3, Clark (Q.E.) 58.1 secs.; 4, Taylor (Q.E.) 62.0 secs.

880 yards: 1, Kemp (B.M.) 2 mins. 12.2 secs.; 2, Plaskett (B.M.) 2 mins. 17.4 secs.; 3, Wardlaw (Q.E.) 2 mins. 22.1 secs.; 4, Tabraham (Q.E.) 2 mins. 25.8 secs.

Mile: 1, Kemp (B.M.) 4 mins. 42.5 secs.; 2, Stevens (Q.E.) 4 mins. 54.8 secs.; 3, Robeson (Q.E.) 5 mins.; 4, Perry (B.M.) 5 mins.

Mile Walk: 1, Knight (B.M.) 8 mins. 17.0 secs.; 2, Sterling (Q.E.) 8 mins. 19.6 secs.; 3, Chance (Q.E.) 8 mins. 41.3 secs.; 4, Plaskett (B.M.) 9 mins. 11.0 secs.

120 yards hurdles: 1, Stubbings (B.M.) 18.5 secs.; 2, Crivelli (Q.E.) 18.9 secs.; 3, Letchfield (B.M.) 19.3 secs.; 4, Hallewell (Q.E.) 19.4 secs.

200 yards hurdles: 1, Letchfield (B.M.) 27.2 secs.; 2, Crivelli (Q.E.) 27.8 secs.; 3, Hallewell (Q.E.) 29.5 secs.; 4, No competitor.

Long Jump: 1, Knight (Q.E.) 20 ft. ½ in.; 2, Jackson (B.M.) 19 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Stubbings (B.M.) 19 ft. 1 in.; 4, Gervais (Q.E.) 17 ft. 11 ins.

High Jump: 1, Knight (Q.E.) 5 ft. 3½ ins.; 2, Ambler (B.M.) 5 ft. 1½ ins.; 3, Hallewell (Q.E.) 5 ft. 1½ ins.; 4, Umney (B.M.) 4 ft. 9½ ins.

Weight: 1, Edrupt (Q.E.) 42 ft. 1 in.; 2, Chapman (B.M.) 40 ft. 3 ins.; 3, Croft (Q.E.) 39 ft. 11½ ins.; 4, Willars (B.M.) 36 ft. 5½ ins.

Discus: 1, Bedingfield (B.M.) 121 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Roberts (Q.E.) 109 ft. 1 in.; 3, Lewis (B.M.) 106 ft. 9 ins.; 4, Edrupt (Q.E.) 101 ft. 3½ ins.

Javelin: 1, Tyler (B.M.) 134 ft. 0 ins.; 2, Croft (Q.E.) 124 ft. 3 ins.; 3, Johnson (Q.E.) 116 ft. 2 ins.; 4, Lee (B.M.) 107 ft. 0 ins.

4 x 110 yards relay: 1, Bedford Modern School 49.5 secs.; 2, Queen Elizabeth's School 50.7 secs.

#### JUNIOR MATCH RESULTS:

100 yards: 1, Rogers (Q.E.) 11.6 secs.; 2, Anthistle (Q.E.) 11.7 secs.; 3, Kent (B.M.) 11.7 secs.; 4, Sheppard (B.M.) 11.8 secs.

220 yards: 1, Anthistle (Q.E.) 26.0 secs.; 2, Milligan (B.M.) 26.6 secs.; 3, Batistoni (Q.E.) 27.9 secs.; 4, Otter (B.M.) 32.5 secs.

440 yards: 1, Milligan (B.M.) 58.8 secs.; 2, Britten (Q.E.) 59.8 secs.; 3, Holland (B.M.) 60.6 secs.; 4, Worrell (Q.E.) 62.5 secs.

880 yards: 1, Conquest (B.M.) 2 mins. 20.5 secs.; 2, Wells (Q.E.) 2 mins. 21.8 secs.; 3, Lloyd (B.M.) 2 mins. 22.5 secs.; 4, Gustine (Q.E.) 2 mins. 25.0 secs.

Mile: 1, Conquest (B.M.) 5 mins. 11.2 secs.; 2, Edmon-ton (B.M.) 5 mins. 19.2 secs.; 3, Griggs (Q.E.) 5 mins. 30 secs.; 4, Aubrey (Q.E.) 5 mins. 36 secs.

110 yards hurdles: 1, Sheppard (B.M.) 18.2 secs.; 2, Brady (Q.E.) 19.3 secs.; 3, Ward (B.M.) 19.5 secs.; 4, Bennett (Q.E.) 21.0 secs.

200 yards hurdles: 1, Brady (Q.E.) 29.6 secs.; 2, Ward (B.M.) 30.2 secs.; 3, Bennett (Q.E.) 30.5 secs.; 4, Slater (B.M.) 31.0 secs.

Long Jump: 1, Kent (B.M.) 18 ft. 1½ ins.; 2, Rogers (Q.E.) 17 ft. 6 ins.; 3, Britten (Q.E.) 17 ft. 5 ins.; 4, Linnell (B.M.) 17 ft. 0½ ins.

High Jump: 1, Brady (Q.E.) 5 ft. 0½ in.; 2, Holland (B.M.) 4 ft. 11½ ins.; 3, Snazell (Q.E.) 4 ft. 9½ ins.; 4, Edmundson (B.M.) 4 ft. 3½ ins.

Weight: 1, Rogers (Q.E.) 45 ft. 2½ ins.; 2, Milne (Q.E.) 37 ft. 5 ins.; 3, Henderson (Q.E.) 32 ft. 5 ins.; 4, Lilley (B.M.) 30 ft. 4 ins.

Discus: 1, Snazell (Q.E.) 136 ft. 5 ins.; 2, Livett (B.M.) 93 ft. 8 ins.; 3, Lilley (B.M.) 86 ft. 11 ins.; 4, Smith, G. R. (Q.E.) 84 ft.

Javelin: 1, Rowland (Q.E.) 127 ft. 10 ins.; 2, Smith, S. R. (Q.E.) 123 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Otter (B.M.) 108 ft. 3 ins.; 4, Slater (B.M.) 99 ft. 11 ins.

4 x 110 yards relay: 1, Queen Elizabeth's 51.5 secs.; 2, Bedford Modern School 54.7 secs.

## HOUSE ATHLETICS

17th - 22nd April. On Stapylton.

This year it was decided to revert to the old scoring system, with points awarded for standards in the heats and also for places in the finals. Being an easier system to operate than last year's, it was possible to plot the progress of each House, and maintain an up-to-the-moment results table. As a result, interest grew throughout the week, and there was hot competition in the Finals.

In Class 1, C. A. Knight (S) completed a hat-trick, by winning the 440 yards, the high jump and long jump, whilst N. P. Rogers (B) won both the 220 yards and weight quite comfortably. In general, none of the performances was outstanding, but this illustrates the disadvantage of holding the Competition so early in the season. Stapylton won the House Trophy, taking with them six of the individual cups as well.

### RESULTS:

#### Class I

220 yards: 1, Rogers (B) 25.2 secs.; 2, Gervais (L) 26.0 secs.; 3, Clark (U) 26.2 secs.; 4, Belford (L) 26.3 secs.

440 yards: 1, Knight (S) 56.6 secs.; 2, Clark (U) 57.6 secs.; 3, Crivelli (H) 57.9 secs.; 4, Croft (U) 59.1 secs.; 5, Belford (L) 59.6 secs.

880 yards: 1, Robeson (S) 2 mins. 10.9 secs.; 2, Stevens (S) 2 mins. 11.7 secs.; 3, Tabraham (U) 2 mins. 13.8 secs.; 4, Johnson (U) 2 mins. 20.9 secs.; 5, Bell (L) 2 mins. 25.0 secs.

Mile: 1, Stevens (S) 4 mins. 59.5 secs.; 2, Robeson (S) 4 mins. 59.5 secs.; 3, Johnson (U) 5 mins. 31.0 secs.; 4, Tabraham (U) 5 mins. 31.0 secs.

120 yards hurdles: 1, Crivelli (H) 21.8 secs.; 2, Gage (U) 28.4 secs.

Mile Walk: 1, Sterling (U) 8 mins. 21.6 secs.; 2, Mullin (S) 8 mins. 38.8 secs.; 3, Wardlaw (B) 8 mins. 48 secs.; 4, Colman (S) 9 mins. 12.8 secs.; 5, Tabraham (U) 9 mins. 13.5 secs.; 6, Haygreen (L) 10 mins. 24 secs.

High Jump: 1, Knight (S) 5 ft. 1 in.; 2, Snazell (H) 5 ft. 0 in.; 3, Gage (U); 4, Sage (L) 4 ft. 9 ins.

Long Jump: 1, Knight (S) 19 ft. 10 ins.; 2, Rogers (B) 17 ft. 10 ins.; 3, Bell (L) 16 ft. 10½ ins.; 4, Gervais (L) 16 ft. 7½ ins.; 5, Crivelli (H) 15 ft. 1 in.; 6, Clark (U) 14 ft. 6 ins.

Weight: 1, Rogers (B) 44 ft. 4 ins.; 2, Edrupt (S) 42 ft. 2½ ins.; 3, Croft (U) 40 ft. 9½ ins.; 4, Snazell (H) 37 ft. 5½ ins.; 5, Gervais (L) 34 ft. 3¼ ins.; 6, Roberts (S) 30 ft. 0½ in.

Discus: 1, Edrupt (S) 121 ft. 9 ins.; 2, Snazell (H) 103 ft.; 3, Roberts (S) 93 ft. 5½ ins.

Javelin: 1, Croft (U) 136 ft. 4 ins.; 2, Johnson (U) 120 ft. 0 ins.; 3, Leece (U) 104 ft. 0 ins.; 4, Page (S) 79 ft. 0 ins.

#### Class II

220 yards: 1, Hawkins (L) 26.6 secs.; 2, Smith, S. R. (U) 27.2 secs.; 3, Worrell (L) 27.2 secs.; 4, Taylor, C. L. G. (L) 27.6 secs.; 5, Plowman (L) 28.0 secs.

440 yards: 1, Spatz (L) 58.6 secs.; 2, Hawkins (L) 58.7 secs.; 3, Tibbetts (H) 62.4 secs.; 4, Weston (B) 64.1 secs.

660 yards: 1, Wells, M. J. (S) 1 min. 42.4 secs.; 2, Spatz (L) 1 min. 46.4 secs.; 3, Tibbetts (H) 1 min. 50 secs.; 4, King, C. J. (B) 1 min. 51.0 secs.; 5, Weston (B) 1 min. 53.0 secs.

½ Mile Walk: 1, Solosy (S) 6 mins. 56.5 secs.; 2, Farrer (U) 7 mins. 8.4 secs.; 3, Thomas (U) 7 mins. 45.3 secs.; 4, Turbutt (H) 7 mins. 55.0 secs.; 5, Snow (S).

High Jump: 1, Wilson (S) 4 ft. 9 ins.; 2, Plowman (L) 4 ft. 8 ins.; 3, Coleman (S) 4 ft. 6 ins.

Long Jump: 1, Spatz (L) 16 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Wilson (S) 15 ft. 8¼ ins.; 3, Wells (S) 15 ft. 5½ ins.; 4, Smith (U) 15 ft. 1 in.; 5, Turner, K. H. (H) 13 ft. 10 ins.; 6, Foster (L) 13 ft. 8 ins.

Weight: 1, Wilson (S) 35 ft. 11 ins.; 2, Davenall (U) 33 ft. 6½ ins.; 3, Chrastek (U) 30 ft. 0 ins.; 4, Smith (U) 28 ft. 1 in.; 5, Snow (S) 27 ft. 6 ins.; 6, Dancyger (H) 24 ft. 2½ ins.

Discus: 1, Coleman (S) 92 ft. 1 in.; 2, Smith (U) 85 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Davenall (U) 80 ft. 2 ins.; 4, Bleeze (L) 79 ft. 10 ins.; 5, Freeman (L) 66 ft. 7 ins.

Javelin: 1, Underwood (B) 90 ft. 0 ins.; 2, Wilson (S) 76 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Hawkins (L) 72 ft. 0 ins.; 4, Holloway (S) 61 ft. 6 ins.

#### Class III

220 yards: 1, Anthistle (B) 25.0 secs.; 2, Chance (H) 25.8 secs.; 3, Batistoni (S) 26.1 secs.; 4, Webster (L) 26.8 secs.; 5, Mitchell (S) 27.2 secs.

440 yards: 1, Webster (L) 62.6 secs.; 2, Batistoni (S) 63.1 secs.; 3, Mitchell, I. C. (S) 65.0 secs.; 4, Featherstone (U) 68.1 secs.

660 yards: 1, Britten (H) 1 min. 36.2 secs.; 2, Griggs (B) 1 min. 38.2 secs.; 3, Chance (H) 1 min. 40.5 secs.; 4, Aubrey (S) 1 min. 42.6 secs.; 5, Baugh (S) 1 min. 45.6 secs.

½ Mile: 1, Britten (H) 3 mins. 49.5 secs.; 2, Griggs (B) 3 mins. 53.0 secs.; 3, Aubrey (S) 3 mins. 54.0 secs.; 4, Harbord (U) 4 mins. 0 secs.; 5, Parker (L) 4 mins. 7.0 secs.; 6, Redmond (B).

110 yards hurdles: 1, Brady (L) 17.3 secs.; 2, Lisney (U) 17.5 secs.; 3, Asscher (B) 24.8 secs.

¾ Mile Walk: 1, Chance (H) 6 mins. 9.6 secs.; 2, Harbord (U) 6 mins. 23.7 secs.; 3, Cooke (H) 7 mins. 10.1 secs.; 4, Nash (H) 7 mins. 13.9 secs.; 5, Aubrey (S) 8 mins. 13.5 secs.

High Jump: 1, Brady (L) 4 ft. 7 ins.; 2, Griggs (B) 4 ft. 6 ins.; 3, Kemp (L) 4 ft. 6 ins.; 4, Harvey (S) 4 ft. 6 ins.; 5, Hopkins (U) 4 ft. 5 ins.

Long Jump: 1, Webster (L) 18 ft. 8½ ins.; 2, Britten (H) 18 ft. 2 ins.; 3, Dynowski (U) 16 ft. 0 ins.; 4, Smith, G. R. (B) 15 ft. 5 ins.; 5, Nash (H) 15 ft. 0½ in.; 6, Cooke (H) 14 ft. 11 ins.

Weight: 1, Milne (H) 38 ft. 4¼ ins.; 3, Lisney (U) 32 ft. 5 ins.; 3, Hadgraft (H) 31 ft. 2 ins.; 4, Waugh (U) 30 ft. 8 ins.; 5, Smith, G. R. (B) 30 ft. 6 ins.; 6, Bradish (H) 26 ft. 1 in.

Discus: 1, Milne (H) 93 ft. 9 ins.; 2, Smith, G. R. (B) 87 ft. 10 ins.; 3, Hadgraft (H) 87 ft. 9 ins.; 4, Lisney (U) 82 ft. 1 in.; 5, Waugh (U) 78 ft. 9 ins.

Javelin: 1, Rowland (B) 117 ft. 7 ins.; 2, Hadgraft (H) 99 ft. 7½ ins.; 3, Milne (H) 99 ft. 7½ ins.; 4, Brady (L) 96 ft. 2 ins.; 5, Bircher (L) 68 ft. 4 ins.; 6, Newman (H) 61 ft. 1 in.

### FINAL RESULT:

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| 1. Stapylton 179 pts. | 4. Harrison's 130 pts. |
| 2. Underne 160 pts.   | 5. Broughton 102 pts.  |
| 3. Leicester 138 pts. |                        |

## v. ST. DUNSTAN'S COLLEGE

May 10th. At St. Dunstan's.

Senior Match: Lost 36—72 pts.

Junior Match: Won 65—34 pts.

After a rather tiring coach-ride on this stifling afternoon, no-one felt on top form; indeed one or two felt a great deal worse! Despite this, however, there were several creditable performances. C. A. Knight improved on his personal best in the high jump, and then won the long jump; S. R. Smith, making his debut in the Senior Team, threw well to come second in the javelin.

The junior team showed confidence although, in general, there were few outstanding performances. R. Anthistle ran strongly to win both the 100 yards and the 220 yards, whilst in the field events we provided all five individual winners.

### SENIOR MATCH RESULTS:

100 yards: 1, Larder (S.D.) 10.6 secs.; 2, Bowyer (S.D.); 3, Clark (Q.E.); 4, Leece (Q.E.).

220 yards: 1, Ells (S.D.) 24.4 secs.; 2, Rogers (Q.E.); 3, Bowyer (S.D.); 4, Gervais (Q.E.).

440 yards: 1, Bailey (S.D.) 54.6 secs.; 2, Larder (S.D.); 3, Knight (Q.E.); 4, Spatz (Q.E.).

880 yards: 1, McDermot (S.D.) 2 mins. 10.1 secs.; 2, Makenney (S.D.); 3, Stevens (Q.E.); 4, Tabraham (Q.E.).

Mile: 1, Bailey (S.D.) 4 mins. 48.4 secs.; 2, Robeson (Q.E.); 3, Shaeffer (S.D.); 4, Wardlaw (Q.E.).

120 yards hurdles: 1, McDermot (S.D.) 19.1 secs.; 2, Shaeffer (S.D.); 3, Crivelli (Q.E.); 4, Hallewell (Q.E.).

Weight: 1, Rogers (Q.E.) 43 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Pitchler (S.D.) 35 ft. 10½ ins.; 3, Snazell (Q.E.) 35 ft. 9 ins.; 4, (S.D.).

Discus: 1, Hill (S.D.) 112 ft. 5 ins.; 2, Snazell (Q.E.) 102 ft. 1 in.; 3, Roberts (Q.E.) 99 ft. 8 ins.; 4, Lee (S.D.) 89 ft. 11 ins.

Javelin: 1, Hill (S.D.) 141 ft. 3 ins.; 2, Smith, S. R. (Q.E.) 129 ft. 9 ins.; 3, Wise (S.D.) 125 ft. 11 ins.; 4, Johnson (Q.E.) 125 ft. 0 ins.

High Jump: 1, Knight (Q.E.) 5 ft. 5 ins.; 2, Pitchler (S.D.) 5 ft. 2 ins.; 3, Hallewell (Q.E.) 5 ft. 2 ins.; 4, (S.D.).

Long Jump: 1, Knight (Q.E.) 18 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Bennett (S.D.) 17 ft. 4½ ins.; 3, Gervais (Q.E.) 16 ft. 3¼ ins.; 4, Ells (S.D.) 16 ft. 2½ ins.

4 x 110 yards relay: 1, St. Dunstan's 46.6 secs.; 2, Queen Elizabeth's 47.5 secs.

### JUNIOR MATCH RESULTS:

100 yards: 1, Anthistle (Q.E.) 11.0 secs.; 2, Webster (Q.E.); 3, Barrington (S.D.); 4, (S.D.).

220 yards: 1, Anthistle (Q.E.) 25.4 secs.; 2, Batistoni (Q.E.); 3, Warwick (S.D.); 4, Talbot (S.D.).

440 yards: 1, Chance (Q.E.) 56.8 secs.; 2, Morris (S.D.); 3, Lee-Smith (S.D.); 4, Brady (Q.E.).

880 yards: 1, Hore (S.D.) 2 mins. 18 secs.; 2, Walters (S.D.); 3, Harbord (Q.E.); 4, Aubrey (Q.E.).

110 yards hurdles: 1, Bateman (S.D.) 16.5 secs.; 2, Brady (Q.E.); 3, Lisney (Q.E.); 4, Talbot (S.D.).

Weight: 1, Milne (Q.E.) 38 ft. 7½ ins.; 2, Lear (S.D.) 35 ft. 7 ins.; 3, Lisney (Q.E.) 32 ft. 6 ins.; 4, Llewellyn (S.D.) 31 ft. 4 ins.

Discus: 1, Smith, G. R. (Q.E.) 113 ft. 11 ins.; 2, Lear (S.D.) 109 ft. 9½ ins.; 3, Llewellyn (S.D.) 103 ft. 7 ins.; 4, Milne (Q.E.) 90 ft. 5½ ins.

Javelin: 1, Rowland (Q.E.) 131 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Brady (Q.E.) 117 ft. 8 ins.; 3, Pavey (S.D.) 98 ft. 5 ins.; 4, (S.D.).

High Jump: 1, Wilson (Q.E.) 5 ft. 0 ins.; 2, Brady (Q.E.) 4 ft. 10 ins.; 3, Andrew (S.D.) 4 ft. 10 ins.; 4, Barrington (S.D.) 4 ft. 9 ins.

Long Jump: 1, Webster (Q.E.) 17 ft. 5 ins.; 2, Barrington (S.D.) 16 ft. 7½ ins.; 3, Britten (Q.E.) 16 ft. 5½ ins.; 4, Andrew (S.D.) 16 ft. 1 in.

4 x 110 yards relay: 1, Queen Elizabeth's 48.8 secs.; 2, St. Dunstan's 50.9 secs.

## v. HAILEYBURY AND IMPERIAL SERVICE COLLEGE AND v. HABERDASHERS' ASKE'S SCHOOL, ELSTREE

May 13th. At Elstree.

Senior Match: 1, H.I.S.C. 117 pts.; 2, Q.E. 79 pts.; 3, H.A. 63 pts.

Junior Match: 1, H.I.S.C. 114 pts.; 2, Q.E. 81 pts.; 3, H.A. 56 pts.

This was the second year of a new fixture and we all enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon. The track at Haberdashers' was five laps to the mile, which might possibly have been the reason for our disqualification in the Relays. Haileybury showed superiority in all the sprint events but the School's ability in the field events ensured second place. The final positions were the same as last year, although Haileybury won by a much wider margin.

Once again the juniors had a worthwhile afternoon: Our long-jumpers, J. C. Webster and A. J. Britten both returned excellent performances, but there was obvious weakness amongst our middle-distance runners.

### SENIOR MATCH RESULTS:

100 yards: 1, Lever (H.) 10.6 secs.; 2, Pope (H.) 10.6 secs.; 3, Marks (H.A.) 10.9 secs.; 4, Gervais (Q.E.) 11.0 secs.; 5, Belford (Q.E.) 11.5 secs.; 6, Seal (H.A.) 11.5 secs.

220 yards: 1, Bazard (H.) 23.8 secs.; 2, Lever (H.) 24.3 secs.; 3, Rogers (Q.E.) 24.9 secs.; 4, Marks (H.A.) 25.0 secs.; 5, Beavan (H.A.) 25.0 secs.; 6, Hawkins (Q.E.) 26.0 secs.

440 yards: 1, Bazard (H.) 54.1 secs.; 2, Curran (H.) 55.2 secs.; 3, Ringler (H.A.) 57.6 secs.; 4, Stephens (H.A.) 57.8 secs.; 5, Spatz (Q.E.) 58.2 secs.; 6, Knight (Q.E.) 58.6 secs.

880 yards: 1, Johns (H.A.) 2 mins. 10.5 secs.; 2, Picknett (H.) 2 mins. 10.53 secs.; 3, Hamilton (H.) 2 mins. 10.55 secs.; 4, Clark-Lowes (H.A.) 2 mins. 15.5 secs.; 5, Tabraham (Q.E.) 2 mins. 18.46 secs.; 6, Wardlaw (Q.E.) 2 mins. 20.8 secs.

Mile: 1, McIver (H.) 4 mins. 46.5 secs.; 2, Robeson (Q.E.) 4 mins. 46.8 secs.; 3, Stevens (Q.E.) 4 mins. 52.0 secs.; 4, Clark-Lowes (H.A.) 4 mins. 55.5 secs.; 5, Johns (H.A.) 5 mins. 4.46 secs.; 6, Finch (H.) 5 mins. 4.48 secs.

120 yards hurdles: 1, Sandeman (H.) 17.0 secs.; 2, Whitcombe (H.) 18.2 secs.; 3, Crivelli (Q.E.) 19.2 secs.; 4, Hallewell (Q.E.) 19.6 secs.; 5, Caldwell (H.A.) 20 mins. 56 secs. disqualified.

High Jump: 1, Knight (Q.E.) 5 ft. 5 ins.; 2, Bjorkland (H.) 5 ft. 5 ins.; 3, Vanepercy (H.) 5 ft. 4 ins.; 4, Hallewell (Q.E.) 5 ft. 0 ins.; 5, Marks (H.A.) 5 ft. 0 ins.; 6, Seal (H.A.) 5 ft. 0 ins.

Long Jump: 1, Lever (H.) 19 ft. 7 ins.; 2, Lahn (H.) 19 ft. 3½ ins.; 3, Knight (Q.E.) 19 ft. 3½ ins.; 4, Seal (H.A.) 19 ft. 1½ ins.; 5, Gervais (Q.E.) 17 ft. 10½ ins.; 6, Beavan (H.A.) 17 ft. 10 ins.

*Weight:* 1, Rogers (Q.E.) 46 ft. 1 in.; 2, Pickering (H.A.) 40 ft. 1 in.; 3, Snazell (Q.E.) 39 ft. 5½ ins.; 4, Brewer (H.A.) 36 ft. 11½ ins.; 5, Broome (H.) 35 ft. 10½ ins.; 6, Hope (H.) 35 ft. 6½ ins.

*Discus:* 1, Rogers (Q.E.) 115 ft. 11½ ins.; 2, Snazell (Q.E.) 100 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Palmer (H.) 98 ft. 3 ins.; 4, Pickering (H.A.) 94 ft. 4½ ins.; 5, Bjorkland (H.) 93 ft. 3 ins.; 6, —

*Javelin:* 1, Birmingham (H.) 139 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Johnson (Q.E.) 127 ft. 7 ins.; 3, Smith (Q.E.) 110 ft. 2 ins.; 4, Clements (H.) 110 ft. 0 ins.; 5, Taylor (H.A.) 103 ft. 2 ins.; 6, Johns (H.A.) 96 ft. 0 ins.

*4 x 110 yards relay:* 1, Haileybury 46.0 secs.; 2, Haberdashers' 47.4 secs.; 3, Q.E. disqualified.

#### JUNIOR MATCH RESULTS:

*110 yards:* 1, Anthistle (Q.E.) 11.1 secs.; 2, Bennett (H.) 11.1 secs.; 3, Russell (H.) 11.3 secs.; 4, Greenslade (H.A.) 11.3 secs.; 5, Webster (Q.E.) 11.4 secs.; 6, Simmons (H.A.) 11.5 secs.

*220 yards:* 1, Venables (H.) 25.8 secs.; 2, Batistoni (Q.E.) 25.9 secs.; 3, Simmons (H.A.) 25.9 secs.; 4, Manasseh (H.) 26.8 secs.; 5, Rubenstein (H.A.) 27.0 secs.; 6, Kemp (Q.E.) 27.9 secs.

*440 yards:* 1, Britten (Q.E.) 55.7 secs.; 2, Greenslade (H.A.) 56.0 secs.; 3, Redman (H.) 56.2 secs.; Chance (Q.E.) 59.6 secs.; 5, Edwards (H.) 60.0 secs.; 6, Ahmed (H.A.) 64.4 secs.

*880 yards:* 1, McIver (H.) 2 mins. 8.92 secs.; 2, Titmas (H.) 2 mins. 16.8 secs.; 3, Pinder (H.A.) 2 mins. 16.9 secs.; 4, Roer (H.A.) 2 mins. 17.0 secs.; 5, Chance (Q.E.) 2 mins. 17.0 secs.; 6, Harbord (Q.E.) 2 mins. 22.5 secs.

*Mile:* 1, Wood (H.) 5 mins. 8.5 secs.; 2, Goater (H.A.) 5 mins. 10.0 secs.; 3, Thomas (H.) 5 mins. 10.0 secs.; 4, Wolfson (H.A.) 5 mins. 18.7 secs.; 5, Aubrey (Q.E.) 5 mins. 22.0 secs.; 6, Redmond (Q.E.) 5 mins. 55.0 secs.

*110 yards hurdles:* 1, Bennett (H.) 15.6 secs.; 2, Caswell (H.) 16.2 secs.; 3, Lisney (Q.E.) 17.0 secs.; 4, Brady (Q.E.) 17.6 secs.; 5, Chrysaphes (H.A.) 20.5 secs.; 6, Wolfson (H.A.) 20.9 secs.

*High Jump:* 1, Caswell (H.) 5 ft. 0 ins.; 2, Ahmed (H.A.) 4 ft. 11 ins.; 3, Brady (Q.E.) 4 ft. 10 ins.; 4, Brown (H.) 4 ft. 9 ins.; 5, Kemp (Q.E.) 4 ft. 6 ins.; 6, Clark-Lowes (H.A.) 4 ft. 6 ins.

*Long Jump:* 1, Webster (Q.E.) 19 ft. 10 ins.; 2, Britten (Q.E.) 18 ft. 8 ins.; 3, Bennett (H.) 17 ft. 9½ ins.; 4, Ahmed (H.A.) 16 ft. 8 ins.; 5, Greenslade (H.A.) 16 ft. 4½ ins.; 6, Thom (H.) 16 ft. 4½ ins.

*Weight:* 1, Goodhall (H.) 39 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Watkins (H.) 36 ft. 0½ ins.; 3, Baruch (H.A.) 34 ft. 0½ ins.; 4, Lisney (Q.E.) 33 ft. 0½ in.; 5, Smith, G. R. (Q.E.) 32 ft. 11 ins.

*Discus:* 1, Watkins (H.) 130 ft. 2 ins.; 2, Blinder (Q.E.) 115 ft. 2 ins.; 3, Smith, G. R. (Q.E.) 105 ft. 10 ins.; 4, Goodhall (H.) 102 ft. 8 ins.; 5, Baruch (H.A.) 85 ft. 4 ins.; 6, —

*Javelin:* 1, Rowland (Q.E.) 124 ft. 0 ins.; 2, Goodhall (H.) 111 ft. 9 ins.; 3, Brady (Q.E.) 110 ft. 1 in.; 4, Chrysaphes (H.A.) 103 ft. 11 ins.; 5, Wilson (H.A.) 91 ft. 3½ ins.; 6, Goddard (H.) N.P.

*4 x 110 yards relays:* 1, Haileybury 48.6 secs.; Queen Elizabeth's and Haberdashers' were disqualified.

## FIVES

The last three matches at the end of the season were all won, which was very pleasing. On Saturday 4th March we won 3-0 against Chigwell, which was perhaps not unexpected after the results of recent years: our opponents were, however, severely handicapped by last minute illnesses which made it necessary to include reserves. On Tuesday 7th March we beat St. Olave's 2-0 at Tower Bridge: this was our first victory over this school, and the result was thus particularly pleasing. As usual, we took time to adjust our play to the surface and lighting, but ended up well on top. Our best performance of the season came on Thursday 16th March when we beat the Old Cholmeleians at Highgate 2-0. Last year we managed to draw for the first time, when our second pair beat a rather weak opposing pair: this was repeated this year, but R. H. Croft and R. I. Mackay rose to the occasion to win their match as well in very fine style 7-12, 12-5, 2-12, 14-11, 12-4. They were particularly impressive in the fifth game. Our match record for the season was 5 victories and 4 losses, a great improvement on what was feared and at one time looked only too likely.

In the Public Schools Championship at Eton from

April 3rd, our second pair (R. A. Hallewell and A. Taylor) was beaten by St. Bees I in the first round, but Croft and Mackay, in fine form, enabled the School to reach the last sixteen for the second successive year. They beat Charterhouse II 12-7, 12-4 12-9, then Highgate IV 12-7, 14-15, 12-4, 12-7, and in Round 3 in ten glorious minutes they reached 10-5 against Eton I in the first game. They could not keep it up, and Eton I went on to win, and subsequently to take the trophy itself: but we had made our mark!

The season was a very successful one, despite our initial fears. We were fortunate in having available R. H. Croft to show the way. His play was often quite brilliant: next year we have to think of a team without a Croft — no present member of the School will know what this is like! M. N., D. J., and R. H. Croft have been the mainstay of our teams for so long — a quite outstanding contribution from one family to one particular sport, for which the School owes them much gratitude. Mackay and Hallewell were also awarded badges: A. Taylor came into the second pair when Worroll left. All three are much to be congratulated on their efforts.

## CHESS

There is very little activity in the field of chess during the Summer term, and consequently there are few results to be reported.

Last term the senior team won their remaining match in the Coronation Trophy on default, and thus reached the finals. Although the scores in the finals were very close, it is regrettable that we did not win.

The Junior team also reached the finals of the Association Clock but did not win either: they were, however, unable to field their strongest side on this occasion.

In the Finchley League we came fourth out of eight, after winning one of the two remaining matches: as we used this competition to experiment with players who had not had much match experience, this can be considered to be a good result.

The final result of the Junior House Competition run last term was as follows: Leicester 10 pts.; Harrisons 8 pts.; Broughton, Stapylton, and Underne 4 pts. each. Leicester are thus the winners of the Competition.

The E. C. Davies Competition is now very near to completion, as the finals have almost been reached. In the Hertfordshire Chess Association's annual Boys' Congress at Hatfield in the Easter holidays we had a number of entrants as usual. In the Under 15½ event, M. D. Fairbairn was second and A. C. Clark fifth from nineteen

competitors; in the Under 14 event, B. S. Bowrie was fifth and A. B. Haberberg sixth; in the Under 13 event, R. J. Kingston was second and M. S. Young sixth. The school was second in the inter-schools trophy.

Senior Chess honours have been awarded to N. C. Hamilton and no further Junior Honours have been made. Our general results throughout the year have been quite good considering the uneven spread of talent throughout the School.

### HERTFORDSHIRE CHESS ASSOCIATION SCHOOLS' COMPETITIONS. CORONATION TROPHY

v. BENNETT'S END Won 6 - 0

### ASSOCIATION CLOCK

v. BENNETT'S END Won 6 - 0

### FINCHLEY LEAGUE

v. HAVERSTOCK SCHOOL Won 6 - 0  
v. WILLIAM ELLIS Lost 2½ - 3½  
v. FINCHLEY C.G.S. Won 6 - 0

### FRIENDLY MATCH

v. BEDFORD MODERN Lost 1 - 5

## SAILING

Sailing was able to start earlier this term than in previous years, because the Firefly had been prepared during the Easter holiday. We were fortunate enough to be given the Cadet, CK 578, by Mr. Walsh. We are very grateful to him, and also take the opportunity to thank him for allowing us to use it in the past. Unfortunately we were only allowed two berths at the Aldenham Sailing Club and so one of the Cadets has had to be left at school. The boats are both in better condition than in past years; this is entirely due to the hard and careful work done by some of the members of the Group during their lunch breaks and after school.

As there are only three days in the week on which sailing is possible, the Sailing Group this term has been restricted to 12 members. Since the A-level period so many people have left school that the sub-groups have

been re-arranged. This means that there are now two sub-groups instead of the original three, and sailing on Wednesday is on a voluntary basis, this gives non-members of the Sailing Group the chance to come sailing if they have no other games commitments.

The usual elementary Helmsman's Test has been reintroduced, to make sure that members are sufficiently experienced to helm the Firefly. This has been more successful than previously and six out of twelve members have passed the test so far.

We should like to thank Messrs. Williams, Crofts, Purchas, and Gould for their help during the term.

Sailing badges have been re-awarded to M. J. Whitaker, and awarded to N. M. Causebrook and D. A. Colman.

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*President:* MR. FINNETT

*Secretary:* D. J. Sterling

At the end of the Spring term, a sizeable party attended a concert at the Royal Festival Hall. With generous subsidies forthcoming, it was possible to reduce costs to quite a reasonable level. The concert was given by the BBC Symphony Orchestra, and Chorus: Conductor, Pierre Boulez. The programme consisted of works by Stravinsky, and included: The Firebird Suite, Les Noces, Le Roi des Etoiles, and Le Sacre du Printemps. Our seats were situated behind the Orchestra, so it was possible to see, and hear everything at close quarters, for it should be mentioned that we were perhaps a little too

near the Timpis for comfort! Nevertheless the evening was altogether extremely successful.

At the time of writing, it is hoped that it will be possible to arrange for a party to visit Sadler's Wells at the end of the term.

D.J.S.

### THE MUSIC LIBRARY

*Committee:* MR. FINNETT, A. S. Hersom, J. A. Clark, S. M. Blinder, R. J. Payne, D. J. Sterling

A Committee has been formed both to help in the daily running of business, and also to establish the Library on a more sure footing. The Library is now open nearly every day of the week, and it is encouraging to see that full use is continuing to be made of the facilities by many boys: while it is to be hoped that a more varied selection of records will soon be available. A new

system has now been evolved whereby all existing scratches are marked on a card, which is retained, so that it is possible to detect any new scratches made during loan. The actual stock of records moreover is ever increasing, and is fast approaching 150 L.P.s; and again we would like to thank Mr. E. M. Mason for his generous donation of records.

D.J.S.

### SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Conductor: MR. FAIRBAIRN

The orchestra was busy during the first few weeks of this term preparing for the Founder's Day Service when, owing to the fact that the church organ was out of action whilst being restored, the school orchestra provided the music for the hymns. The orchestra also accompanied the school choir in their singing of Psalm 122, and after the service played Purcell's "Trumpet Voluntary", the solo trumpet part being played by Mr. M. V. Webb, O.E.

At the end of term there is to be a concert of orchestral and instrumental music, which will also include a one-act play.

Losses this term are fairly heavy and include P. D. Theaker ('cello), C. T. King (trombone), and M. K. Villeneuve (tuba) — thus the orchestra loses most of its "big guns". The brass section has for several years been one of the strongest sections of our school orchestra — that position must now be taken by the woodwind, if only by virtue of numbers.

The greatest loss to the orchestra is that of our conductor, Mr. Fairbairn, who leaves at the end of term. For several years Mr. Fairbairn has taken responsibility for the orchestra and has given up many hours of his spare time in this capacity. The present orchestra sincerely thanks Mr. Fairbairn for all the hard work and enthusiasm he has put into the job and wishes him every success in his new post.

C.T.K.

### THE CHOIR

Practices this term have mainly been concentrated on preparing for the Founder's Day Thanksgiving Service, at which were sung the Gelineau Setting of Psalm 122, and the Anthem "Come Let's Rejoice!" by John Amner. The lack of organ facilities helped perhaps to enhance the clarity of the singing, while the setting of the Psalm, if not a little unusual, was certainly very pleasing.

### HOUSE MUSIC COMPETITION, 1967

This year the House Music Competition was held on March 17th, in the Hall, starting at two-thirty, so that many boys were able to attend. The Competition was very kindly and wisely judged by Miss Smith from the Girls' School.

Broughton, coming first, began with the "Gendarme Song" by Offenbach, and the orchestral item consisted of extracts from the works of Schumann, Schubert, and Rossini. Underne followed with the "Sailor's Garland" songs, and the Beethoven Septet, arranged for eight hands on two pianos. Leicester's choir sang "Down Among The Dead Men" and then flute, clarinet, violin, and cello performed music by Dvorak. Stapylton's choir sang "Rolling Down To Rio" and "Loch Lomond", and their ensemble played the Andante from "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik". Finally, Harrisons sang "The Lost Chord" and performed Bach's Choral Prelude.

The following is from the Adjudicator's notes made during the proceedings:

BROUGHTON:

*Choir.* With a most competent accompanist and a very good conductor this choir could have been excellent,

but rather lifeless singing and dull faces made it hard to believe that they were "bold Gendarmes". The sopranos had a lovely tone but were too light. *Orchestra.* An attractive arrangement, making very good use of the instruments at their disposal (violin, clarinet, trombone, and cello). General effect was of sensitive and restrained ensemble playing.

UNDERNE:

*Choir.* A large choir, some of whom looked at the conductor, who did absolutely all that he could to help. First song had a pleasing blend of sound and some very good contrasts, but the second was less effective because the diction was less clear. Both songs most sympathetically accompanied at the piano.

*Orchestra.* Seemed a little too long because it lacked tonal variety and some over-anxiety led to rather rough treatment of the music. Nevertheless, many times when the teamwork and chording effects were excellent.

LEICESTER:

*Choir.* A good sized choir, but suffering from the lack of a conductor. A very refined version when really lusty singing was called for. The part-singing in the chorus was very effective.

*Orchestra.* A beautiful opening from the flute helped to inspire the sensitive playing which ensued, and the quality of tone produced by the clarinettist made the second movement particularly enjoyable. A polished performance.

STAPYLTON:

*Choir.* Rolling Down To Rio: Good unaccompanied singing is always attractive and this choir had very good diction and attack. The song could have been sung with much greater abandon. Loch Lomond: Less successful because out of time but the chorus actually became rousing — unfortunately, this song is a lament!

*Orchestra.* The highlight of the afternoon. The clarinettist's restraint made for an unobtrusive blend with the two violins whose intonation was almost faultless. The precision of the string playing, their perfect timing of bowing on chords, their excellent interplay, and above all their style of performance made me want to hear more.

HARRISONS:

*Choir.* A song which showed up well the light soprano voices, but a much too matter-of-fact interpretation. Missed many opportunities to vary both the tone and the speed which would have allowed for the Victorian pathos.

*Orchestra.* Despite the dignified trumpet, a general impression of scramble and the clarinettists grew very short of breath. United in the final notes to give a controlled ending.

The adjudicator decided that Stapylton was the winner of the Competition, with Underne in second place. Miss Smith said what an enjoyable afternoon it had been and we would all like to thank her very much for her informative and sympathetic adjudication.

D.J.S.

### JAZZ SOCIETY

President: MR. WRIGHT

Committee: G. S. Bruce, A. K. Gray, N. P. Brown, M. A. Crivelli, G. W. Davies (Secretary)

Due to pressure of "A-level" examinations this term, the Jazz Society has been unable to hold many meetings. However, some members have been practising throughout this period in order to form a small group.

A trio comprising piano, bass, and drums has been arranged, and with two poets is performing at the School Concert at the end of term. Finally, N. P. Brown has been appointed Secretary for the next year.

G.W.D., G.S.B.

## CHRISTIAN UNION

*President:* MR. PEARCE

*Chairman:* MR. PINNOCK

*Secretary:* A. K. Gray

*Committee:* R. S. Treby, K. H. Turner, D. F. Parker,  
S. J. W. Lisney

The Senior Branch of the Union has met regularly every Monday lunch-time and attendance was maintained throughout the examinations period. We have had a varied programme this term and received great help from our chairman and committee members. The topics we have discussed concerned the place of prayer in a Christian's life, the second coming and its relation to us today, and a helpful tape recording made by Billy Graham on Christian commitment. Mr. Pinnock gave us a very personal account of a missionary's life, and I would like to take this opportunity of thanking him for all his help and wisdom in the practical running of the Union.

Finally we look forward to next term and hope to see the start of a Senior Christian Union with the influx of new boys into the school.

A.K.G.

## ELIZABETHAN UNION

*President:* MR. COVINGTON

*Chairman:* MR. FINNETT

*Committee:* MR. FARRER, MR. MORRIS, J. E. Blishen,  
C. A. Farrer, D. J. Sterling, S. M. Blinder, I. C. Coleman,  
S. B. Russell (*Secretary*)

The end of last term saw two very important events which occurred too late to be reported in that term's magazine. Firstly, there was the final of the Hertfordshire Schools' Debating Competition in which our team of V. Donovan and D. J. Sterling just failed to gain the adjudicators' favours in a very even debate, when they opposed the motion "That this House would welcome the return of the Puritan Spirit". Secondly there was the Fifteenth Annual Dinner Debate, held on March 17th. Unfortunately there was once more a drop in attendance, but the motion "That this House does not wish to tread the Corridors of Power" produced the entertaining speeches with which one associates the Dinner Debate.

With examinations as usual dominating the Summer term, the activities of the Union so far have been limited to two Lower Sixth Debates. On 6th June, Messrs. R. C. Pearce and A. H. Smith proposed, and Messrs. P. J. R. Newman and D. G. Thomas opposed, the motion "That this House considers that the Individual should Conform" and on 23rd June, Messrs. S. P. Chance and M. F. Solosy proposed, and Messrs. J. L. Bintliff and P. Pollock opposed, the motion "That this House considers that the world is too much concerned with 'getting and spending'". Both debates provided several promising maiden speeches.

As for the rest of the term, the old custom of holding The Secretary's Debate will be revived on July 14th and the Annual General Meeting will be held on July 18th. It is to be hoped that the encouraging attendance at, and participation in the Lower Sixth debates is a good omen for a successful year for the Union.

S.B.R.

## THE SCHOOL SOCIETY

*President:* MR. GOULD

### SCIENCE SOCIETY

*President:* MR. GERRARD

*Secretary:* P. M. Eckert

*Committee:* N. M. Causebrook, S. R. Haygreen,  
S. R. Smith, P. C. Tracy

Due to the "A" level examinations, the leaving of 63.16% of the 7th Maths and Biology, and the lack of interest among the U6M and B, the hoped-for series of lectures on subjects scientific proved impossible. However, some films have been shown this term to compensate for this.

P.M.E.

## PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

*President:* MR. GOULD

*Committee:* C. J. Bell, J. F. Buszard, D. G. Morgan,  
R. S. Nolan, P. D. Theaker, K. R. Pugh (*Secretary*)

The main activity within the Society this term has been the preparation of prints for the Hockett Cup Competition. Despite the fact that plenty of warning was given the darkroom was in use right up to the last minute. Due to lack of enthusiasm it was necessary to reduce the number of prints entered by each House from twelve to eight. The general standard of the prints this year was lower than it has been in recent years. Our thanks go to Mr. J. Miller, A.R.P.S., for judging the prints.

### RESULTS:

1st STAPYLTON 92 pts.

2nd LEICESTER 90 pts.

3rd UNDERNE 77 pts.

4th BROUGHTON 73 pts.

5th HARRISONS 42 pts.

The best individual prints were entered by C. J. Bell R. S. Nolan and K. R. Pugh.

We welcome R. Cavell and M. Robeson to the committee. Mr. Postle has kindly offered to take over the presidency of the Society next term, as Mr. Gould is leaving us, after devoting much time to the Society.

C.J.B.

## ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY

*President:* MR. GERRARD

*Secretary:* P. M. Eckert

*Committee:* N. M. Causebrook, S. R. Haygreen, S. R. Smith, P. C. Tracy

The only external sign of life in the Society this term has been the showing of a film, "The Radio Sky". Under the cover of the woodwork shop, however, there have been many activities. The Secretary is very pleased to announce the long-forecasted and often postponed completion of the school telescope.

P.M.E.

## PHILATELIC SOCIETY

*President:* MR. CARTER

*Secretary:* M. F. Taylor

*Committee:* R. H. Croft (*Treasurer*), D. G. Morgan,  
R. S. Treby, S. R. Smith

The attendance this term, as is usual in the summer, has been thwarted by Public Examinations and the pursuit of outdoor activities. This trend has not been helped by the infrequent supplies of stamps we are receiving.

Last term the Stamp Competition, staged at the Hobbies Exhibition, was highly successful and all entrants are to be commended for entering such good exhibits. It was eventually decided that the Junior prize should be

awarded to C. N. P. Hewitt and the Senior prize to R. S. Treby.

Next term the only surviving member of the Committee will be S. R. Smith, into whose capable hands the running of the Club will fall.

M.F.T.

### GYMNASTICS SOCIETY

*President:* MR. THOMAS

*Secretary:* D. Eabry

As is customary, the Society has not been meeting this term. However, we look forward to well-patronized meetings next term.

D.E.

### SENIOR ART SOCIETY

*President:* MR. PURCHAS

*Secretary:* A. G. Poupart

*Committee:* I. D. Cook, A. S. Davenall, A. Taylor, J. Tabraham

As is usual during the Summer term, our Society's activities have lapsed, due to increased study for "A" levels and other school commitments.

However, despite having held no meetings, interest in the Society has by no means waned, and it is hoped for an extremely productive Michaelmas Term. Two visits have been planned for the end of term; to the Tate to see the much publicized Picasso Sculptures and also to the Royal Academy's Summer Exhibition.

A.G.P.

### ELECTRONICS SOCIETY

*President:* MR. HAYES

*Secretary:* P. M. Eckert

*Treasurer:* N. M. Causebrook

Much of the effort and the time of the Society, 7 Maths, and Mr. Fairbairn this term has been spent in attempting to put into working order the television camera, left as an unwanted and somewhat useless legacy to the present committee by last summer's committee. More results have been obtained by the present committee than by the other gentlemen, but the present condition of the camera still leaves much to be desired.

The Secretary was pleased to note a quickening of interest among those of the middle school who are eligible to join the Society; i.e. members of the fifth forms and, by special permission from the Secretary, interested fourth formers. The Secretary hopes that this movement will continue under the next secretary.

P.M.E.

### BRIDGE CLUB

*President:* MR. ALFORD

*Secretary:* J. F. Buszard

*Committee:* J. D. Tabraham, G. P. A. Mullin, K. Tricker

This term no matches have been arranged and, due to exams, there has been little support from the Upper Sixth and Seventh. However, because of the interest

shown by the Lower Sixth, Bridge Club has continued to expand.

J.F.B.

### SOCIAL SERVICES GROUP

*President:* MR. GERRARD

*Secretary:* J. L. Bintliff

*Treasurer:* S. Thorpe

*Committee:* C. Denerley, B. S. Weston

This term has been very successful in terms of work completed, although the group was rather limited in numbers. By the end of term we should have finished five gardening jobs for old or crippled people, several of which were fairly tough assignments. In addition, every week this term members of the group have been visiting a multiple-sclerosis victim and we have also kept up a chopped-wood supply for pensioners. The money the group raised in the great Jumble Sale last Autumn has been put to really good use since then: old people have received large boxes of provisions, new kitchen equipment, and various household items, and the money has paid for paint and equipment for decorating their homes. In the future we hope to enlarge the sphere of these distributions. Naturally the original fund has dwindled, so we hope to have another jumble sale next term, which, as experience has shown, will take most of the term.

We shall need a group of about sixteen boys to complete our various projects; so we hope for new members. They will find social service not only worthwhile but also enjoyable. All volunteers, even for one evening each week, will be welcome.

J.L.B.

### JUNIOR ART SOCIETY

*President:* MR. PURCHAS

*Secretary:* A. G. Poupart

Many of the lower school still devote their lunch-time breaks once a week to painting and this is indeed encouraging. The results of their work could have been seen in the Founder's Day Exhibition which was, as usual, of a high standard. We hope to see greater experimentation, and of course a larger attendance in the popular Michaelmas Term.

A.G.P.

### THE MOTOR SOCIETY

*President:* MR. WREN

*Secretary:* M. James Hall

*Treasurer:* S. R. Haygreen

*Committee:* J. Plowman, J. Senior, S. Tracey

For making the Society possible, our grateful thanks are extended to the Bursar, who provided us with a nucleus — her car.

During its first term, the Society presented a series of highly informative films by courtesy of several leading motor manufacturers; our thanks are due to Mr. Williams who was our projectionist on all these occasions.

We are deeply indebted to Mr. Wren, without whose regular attendance every Sunday morning the Motor Society could not have operated; his enthusiastic support has proved invaluable.

M.J.H.

## FOUNDER'S DAY. 1967

The 394th anniversary of our foundation was duly observed on June 17th. Holy Communion was celebrated at 8.0 a.m. by the Revd. J. E. Ingham (O.E.). The Thanksgiving Service at 10.0 a.m. was a little different from usual. The church organ is being repaired, and the hymns and chant were accompanied by a small orchestra conducted by Mr. Fairbairn and the anthem was a *cappella*. The address was given by one of our more

distinguished Old Elizabethans, Dr. F. Brittain, Fellow of Jesus College, Cambridge. At the same time a mass was said at the Roman Catholic Church of St. Gregory and St. Mary Immaculate. The School returned by Houses in procession from the Parish Church, and Roll Call was held on Stapylton. Certain special prizes were then presented by Councillor P. G. H. Woodruff, who

is not only Chairman of the Governors but also Mayor of Barnet, to the following boys:—

Powell-Davis Prize, Michaelmas Term, V. Donovan, Spring Term, D. J. Sterling; Donald Pratt Prizes, P. J. Crick, P. J. Duncan, J. A. Rhodes; Harnett University Prize, D. Austin; Taylor Music Prize, J. A. Clark; O.E. War Memorial Prize, N. M. Causebrook.

The rest of the day was rendered less than usually enjoyable by overcast skies, low temperatures, and chilly breezes. Ironically enough, the sun first shone soon after six o'clock, when most of the spectators of the cricket match had gone home. Such spectators also missed the conclusion of a game that might have had any one of

four results up to a few minutes before close of play. This game was also remarkable for the sight of the three Croft brothers simultaneously in action. Swimming was an additional diversion, and sundry exhibitions provided an excuse for indoor shelter. The day itself was once again the occasion for pleasant reunions and the appearances of some O.E.'s who had been absent for too long. It was also good to see Mr. Biggs, even though he was on crutches. The evening function was also agreeable. It must be confessed, however, that the stage entertainment was not up to the usual standard. The items were too long individually and were only occasionally funny. The producer of such a show must be a ruthless cutter or tedium may well result.

## HOUSE NOTES

### BROUGHTON

*Housemaster:* MR. TIMSON

*Prefects:* N. M. Causebrook, M. F. Taylor

*Sub-Prefects:* P. G. Cheeseman, C. G. Baker, I. D. Cook, R. A. Hallewell

Before I report this term's activities I feel I must apologize for the lack of confidence which I expressed last term in the House Fives team. This team, captained by T. N. R. Billing, and consisting of R. A. Hallewell, A. Taylor, A. E. Birtwistle, J. C. B. Bradley, and C. G. Baker, carried on to win the competition, gaining Broughton the largest of the school cups.

The House Relay team, captained by M. F. Taylor, won the competition with a very fine effort from the whole team.

This term's results have been rather less encouraging. The Senior House Cricket team, captained by I. D. Cook and consisting of M. A. Asscher, A. E. Birtwistle, E. G. Chatt, P. G. Cheeseman, E. G. Hudson, D. J. Huber, D. J. Perkins, M. F. Taylor, R. I. Watkins, and R. J. Uff, was narrowly defeated by a much stronger Stapylton side by a margin of fifteen runs. The Junior team beat Harrisons' but also lost to Stapylton in their second match.

The House Swimming Competition was held on Founder's Day this year, the Senior team, captained by A. M. Underwood, coming fifth and the Junior team third. R. A. Hallewell and I. D. Cook should be congratulated on their appointment to sub-prefect — they will be seeing the House through the next year.

M. F. Taylor and P. G. Cheeseman are leaving this term, the former going to Veterinary College and the latter hoping to go to Swansea University — we wish them luck and hope to see them at lunch next term.

N.M.C.

### HARRISONS

Before mentioning this term's activities, we must consider the events which took place at the end of last term after the "Elizabethan" had gone to print. In the Senior House Chess, our team, led by J. W. Whiting, drew with Leicester House for first place and it was decided to share the prize between the two Houses rather than having a play-off. As for the Music Competition, we unfortunately found that the House Choir, even with the guidance of K. H. Turner, P. J. Kay, and A. P. Curtis, was not quite good enough to secure the cup although the singing was of a very high standard.

As for this term's competitions, I am afraid that the House has not done very well. In the House Photography (Captain: A. D. Zyluk), although there was good

support and a wide choice of photographs, a basic lack of printing and mounting experience forced us down to last place. In the House Cricket (Captain: R. I. Mackay) we lost unluckily in the Preliminary Round to Leicester, despite gallant bowling by A. Milne and the excellent wicket-keeping of A. H. Smith. In the Swimming (Captain: J. Hadgraft) there was a lack of talent although the team was hard-working and enthusiastic. Our team in the House Athletics fared much better and, at one time, was leading on points. Unfortunately there occurred a lapse towards the end of the Competition and we fell to fourth place.

Our congratulations go to V. Malcolm and S. M. Blinder on their promotion to sub-prefect and to J. Worroll who left us at the end of last term and is entering Southampton University, having been awarded a University Scholarship by the Central Electricity Board.

So far this term we have had no visitors to the House Table but we hope that this situation will be rectified before the end of term.

K.S.T.

### LEICESTER

*Housemaster:* MR. SMITH

*Assistant Housemaster:* MR. CARTER

*Sub-Prefects:* D. J. Belford, T. P. W. Timson

The first inter-House activity this term was the Senior Athletics. Every senior member of the House was eligible to enter, but not all did so. The most outstanding performers were J. R. Brady, C. W. Gervais, R. C. Hawkins, J. C. Webster, and C. J. Bell. In the overall result the House came third. The Senior Cricket team, under their captain N. D. Baillie, have reached the final after defeating Harrisons in the preliminary round and Underne in the semi-final. The Junior Cricket team was defeated by Stapylton in the final.

The House Swimming competition took place on Founder's Day. Despite several people dropping out at the last minute we were able to enter every event except one. The Senior team finished in third position which was a very commendable effort. The Junior team did very well in the individual events but in the relays they were not so strong. They finished in fourth position.

Also on show on Founder's Day were the entries for the Hockett Cup. Our Captain of Photography, C. J. Bell, entered the best individual print and the House was placed second.

Congratulations go to T. P. W. Timson on his promotion to sub-prefect and to C. L. G. Taylor and A. L. Webb on gaining places in the 1st XI.

Our only guest at the lunch-table this term was a past

captain of the House, T. M. Thorpe. We would like to take this opportunity to extend an invitation to all past members of the House to join us at the lunch-table.

D.J.B.

## STAPYLTON

*Housemaster:* MR. COVINGTON

*Assistant Housemaster:* MR. THOMAS

*Prefects:* M. J. Whitaker, R. M. Edrupt, S. B. Russell,  
G. P. A. Mullin

*Sub-Prefects:* C. A. Knight, I. J. Stevens, J. E. Blishen,  
C. G. Page, D. G. Morgan, G. W. Davies

When one considers the past year's achievements the most significant is that the Captains of all the School's major sports have been members of Stapylton House — 1st XV (R. M. Edrupt), 2nd XV (D. Austin), 3rd XV (S. B. Russell), 1st XI (R. M. Edrupt), 2nd XI (C. G. Page), 3rd XI (J. E. Blishen), Athletics and Cross-Country (I. J. Stevens), Swimming (B. J. Roberts) and Sailing (M. J. Whitaker).

At the end of last term the House Music team had an excellent win, J. A. Clark, G. W. Davies, and M. K. Villeneuve were responsible for producing the team and congratulations are due to them. On Founder's Day B. J. Roberts led the Swimming Team to victory; since that date the House has won the Hockett Cup under the experienced captaincy of K. R. Pugh. The Junior House Cricket team, well captained by D. A. James and ably supported by the batting of A. C. Harris, had a comfortable victory over Leicester in the finals, and we are hopeful that the Senior team, led by R. M. Edrupt, will be equally successful in the final against Leicester House.

Although it will certainly have been mentioned elsewhere in this issue, we should like to take this opportunity of congratulating R. M. Edrupt on his selection for the Middlesex County 2nd XI Cricket team for the second season.

This term we have had no guests at the lunch table but we again extend an invitation to all past members of the House to join us.

M.J.W.

## UNDERNE

*Housemaster:* MR. PEARCE

*Assistant Housemaster:* MR. CURRY

*Sub-Prefects:* R. H. Croft, D. J. Sterling, A. S. Davenall,  
A. K. Gray, C. A. Farrer

Last term we were sorry to say goodbye to R. L. Kent, who left us for the world of commerce. As Captain, he served the House excellently and with much diligence throughout two terms.

We should also record the hitherto unmentioned activities of the latter part of the Easter term. Firstly, we were unlucky not to retain the House Music Cup in which we claim a close second to Stapylton. We also lost in the final of the Fives Competition in a very tight match against Broughton.

In the Athletics, captained by J. S. Clark, the House attained a second place in the relays and yet another second in the individual competition held in the Summer term.

Other activities in the Summer term have been similarly unsuccessful. The House cricket was disappointing, both senior and junior teams being beaten by Leicester in their first game.

In the Hockett Cup we came third, mainly because of bad mounting. It was in the House Swimming that we came nearest to winning a cup. The junior team put in a fine performance, but in an extremely close finish we just failed on balance to beat Stapylton.

We must congratulate C. A. Farrer on his appointment to sub-prefect and G. Peters on his to Vice-Captain of swimming. Finally, at the end of term the House is losing A. K. Gray, who is going to the Royal College of Music, and D. J. Sterling, who hopes to study English at Durham. We take this opportunity to wish them, on behalf of the House, the very best for the future.

R.H.C.

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## BIRTHS

- Mar. 28th—To Janet, wife of A. E. Solomon (1951-57),  
a son, Michael John.  
April 1st—To Carole, wife of M. J. Sheridan (1946-53),  
a son, Robert Hatton.  
May 22nd—To Pamela, wife of T. D. Ryan (1945-52),  
a son, Timothy John.  
July 6th—To Beryl, wife of J. H. Price (1945-53), a  
daughter, Jacqueline Susan.

## FOR YOUR DIARY

- July 29th—\*Cricket Club "Ladies' Evening".  
Aug. 19th—Rugby Club Jumble Sale.  
Sept. 2nd & 9th—\*Rugby Club Trials.  
Sept. 16th—\*Rugby Club Season starts.  
Sept. 29th—\*Cricket Club "Vice-Presidents' Evening".  
Oct. 16th—O.E. Masonic Lodge Meeting (Red Lion,  
Barnet).  
Nov. 14th—Association Annual Dinner (Pearson's  
Restaurant, Enfield).  
Dec. 9th—"Past v. Present".  
\* indicates that function will be held at Gipsy Corner.

## ASSOCIATION A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting was held at the Pavilion on 1st March 1967 and the main item on the agenda was the consideration of the Committee's Report which was published in the April "Elizabethan".

There was a long discussion on the question of the draft scheme proposed by the Minister of Education and Science for the Q.E. Endowment Fund. Mr. F. W. Jefferies, a Foundation Governor explained the situation as he knew it. The Association Committee had already made it clear to the Minister that they approved the draft scheme as drawn, but was concerned at the proposals of the London Borough of Barnet to secure the right to appoint a majority of the fourteen trustees at the expense of other interested parties such as the O.E. Association, the Old Girls' Guild, the University of London and the Herts. County Council. The report was adopted nem. con.

Mr. E. N. H. Shearly criticised the high cost to the Association (about £180 p.a.) of printing its quota of the "Elizabethan". The Committee agreed to look into this in conjunction with the School with a view to reducing the expense by the introduction of advertising matter or by other means.

After the inevitable protest by Mr. M. J. Chapman concerning the Association's holding of 3½ War Loan stock, the meeting proceeded with the more serious business of choosing its officers for 1967-8 and the following elections were made:

- Hon. Secretary : P. J. Roethenbaugh (1945-52)  
Hon. Treasurer : A. G. Salisbury (1941-50)  
Hon. Membership Secretary : D. S. Ridler (1956-64)  
Hon. Editorial Secretary : R. K. Smith (1945-51)

- Hon. Auditor : E. E. Frisby, F.C.A. (1929-34)  
Committee : J. S. Chapman, R. E. Orton,  
L. O. W. Herbert, F. J. Parsley,  
M. F. Deller, N. G. S. Watling,  
J. E. Winchester, A. E. Solomon.

At the subsequent meeting of the Committee, Mr. R. E. Orton was elected Chairman for the year and Mr. K. W. Carter was co-opted to the Committee. Mr. Orton had pleasure in reporting a most appreciative letter from Cty. Alderman and Mrs. Fern, thanking all O.E's for their floral tribute and best wishes to them on the occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary.

P.J.R.

## RUGBY FOOTBALL

Hon. Secretary: J. S. Chapman, 16, Oak Way,  
London, N.14 (01-368 7529)

### PLAYING RECORD—SEASON 1966/67

		P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	Points A.
1st XV ...	...	26	7	2	17	162	259
"A" XV ...	...	27	10	2	15	225	306
Ex. "A" XV ...	...	24	6	2	16	134	246
"B" XV ...	...	18	6	1	11	138	202
Club XV ...	...	5	0	1	4	34	66
Colts XV ...	...	1	0	0	1	0	12

Another disappointing year is indicated by the playing record above. In spite of flirting with the Rugby Union's training manual and the formation of a not very well supported coaching sub-committee, little of the rebirth of spirit and playing skill that was hoped for has been evident. The club had four pitches available again and careful rotation of games left Gipsy in better condition than for many years.

The 1st XV had a new captain in Jimmy Winchester. His vast experience of the game was of benefit to the increased number of younger members, but somehow he was not rewarded by leading a stable team. Far too many changes from week to week meant that the side never settled down. In all 42 players turned out.

Bob Thorogood's "A" XV retained the team award and continued to be a spirited and hopeful side. The Ex. "A" XV, led scientifically by Graham Barnes, enjoyed themselves without writing a sparkling score line.

The "B" XV was captained this year by Duncan Smedley. For the first few weeks of the season it was not able to raise a side. That they completed 18 fixtures is a tribute to the club's team secretary and the enthusiasm of those schoolboys "introduced" by one very active vice-president. The Committee are determined that the club shall continue to run four sides and remind all those who really enjoy the game that being available regularly is one of the cornerstones on which a successful club is built.

As to other playing activities, the club visited the Birmingham area at Easter and had a generally successful time socially but returned for the second year running without a win. Seven-a-side is best forgotten, though

it must be recorded that we entered the Herts., Oxford and Middlesex tournaments and the Finchley Junior Sevens. The House Sevens were played on a bright but chilly afternoon and provided a thrilling climax with Underne beating Stapylton in the last game to take the Stephens Trophy.

The first social event of the season was a Vice-Presidents' "at home" on the Sunday morning after the Past v. Present matches. It provided old friends with a chance to meet, and an opportunity to view the extension to the pavilion.

At our Annual Dinner P. G. Yarranton, Wasps and England, entertained us with his reply to the toast of the Guests and contributed to the usual highly successful evening. The President was in the chair and over 80 members and guests were present. Mike Wormald was presented with this years' honours award.

The Annual Jumble Sale held in August again contributed substantially to club funds. Roddy Jones is to be thanked for the work he did in leading the effort.

The Season was marked by the calling of a Special General Meeting to consider additions to the club rules dealing with the election of officers and committee. The meeting passed a motion which requires the secretary to call for nominations prior to giving notice of the A.G.M. In future nominations will only be permitted at the A.G.M. if no-one is nominated prior to the meeting or if a single nominee fails to get a majority of votes cast at the meeting. Postal votes will also be permitted.

Our thanks are due to those ladies who have spent their afternoons in our new kitchen preparing food. Very particularly must we thank Mrs. Fuller who has added another season to her very many helping the club. Few realise how much effort she contributes to the preparation of our teas.

We have also received loyal support from our President and Vice-Presidents and for that we thank them.

The Annual General Meeting of the Club was held on Wednesday, 21st June, 1967 at the Pavilion, Gipsy Corner at 20.00 hours.

The following officers were elected for next season;

Hon. Secretary, J. S. Chapman.  
 Hon. Social Secretary, A. J. Bell.  
 Hon. Treasurer, J. S. McLeish.  
 Hon. Fixture Secretary, P. J. Allen.  
 Hon. Team Secretary, R. D. Parker.  
 Captain, H. E. Johnston.  
 Vice-Captain, 1st XV, P. J. Allen.  
 Vice-Captain, "A" XV, N. G. S. Watling.  
 Captain, "Ex. A" XV, G. H. Smith.  
 Vice-Captain, "Ex. A" XV, J. H. Price.  
 Committee members, T. M. Davies, B. J. Fuller,  
 L. R. Heard, A. Williams.  
 Hon. Auditor, J. W. Stephens.

The meeting provided a sad moment for it marked the retirement from the post of Fixture Secretary of "Jack" Parsley who has served the club in that capacity since its inception. No words can adequately describe the debt we owe Jack for his quite selfless work over so many years.

Next season starts with trials on the first two Saturdays in September. Our new captain is already leading an enthusiastic training session on Monday nights. August 19th has been fixed for the Annual Jumble Sale, and all members are asked to lend a hand. Details will be circularised.

J.S.C.

## CRICKET

Hon. Secretary: D. F. Smedley, 60, Wroxham Gardens, Potters Bar, Herts. (PR 55732)

The exceptionally damp start to the season severely curtailed the earlier matches on the fixture list. However, apart from a marked difficulty on occasion, in fielding two full sides (more about this elsewhere) the results have been encouraging and the play enjoyable to players and spectators alike. A full report on the season will follow in our next issue.

### Results to 1st July, 1967

#### 1st XI

		Played 11; Won 2; Drawn 5; Lost 4.
April	29	Calthorpe 35 (Edrupt 5-11); O.E's 36-2.
May	13	O.E's 108; Old Camdensians 109-7.
"	21	Old Columbans 106-8 dec.; O.E's 23-1 (rain).
"	29	O.E's 94; Potters Bar 95-6.
June	3	O.E's 150-9 dec. (Keeley 49); Old Stationers 68 (Hume 6-43).
"	4	Kodak 97; O.E's 92-8.
"	10	O.E's 204 (Smedley 40, Jones 41); Redbourn 195-4.
"	11	O.E's 121-9 dec.; Old Minchendenians 56-9 (Pratt 7-26).
"	18	O.E's 95 (C. Winchester 4-1); Past O.E's XI 96-7.
"	24	O.E's 105-8 dec.; Wigmore 85-8.
July	1	Old Cholmelians 154-9 dec. (C. Winchester 5-35); O.E's 52.

#### 2nd XI

		Played 10; Won 4; Drawn 1; Lost 5.
April	29	O.E's 96; Calthorpe 81.
May	7	North Mymms 147-4 dec.; O.E's 49.
"	13	O.E's 146-7 dec. (Salisbury 73 n.o.); Old Camdensians 22 (Lane 5-15).
"	21	Mill Hill Services 149-7; O.E's 20-5 (rain).
June	3	O.E's 114 (Morris 41); Old Stationers 64.
"	4	Leavesden Hospital 142-9 dec. (Lowe 5-43); O.E's 69.
"	10	O.E's 99; East Barnet Valley 100-3.
"	11	Old Minchendenians 146 (Hill 5-30); O.E's 84.
"	18	O.E's 153-8 dec. (Davies 78); Royal Veterinary College 68.
July	1	Old Cholmelians 135; O.E's 129 (Elderfield 55).

D.F.S.

## TENNIS

Hon. Secretary: G. Barnes, 16, Roestock Gardens, Colney Heath, St. Albans (Colney Heath 276)

Graham Barnes and David Walsh will shortly be contesting the 1966 Final! The sum of £10 has been allocated to the Tennis Section for the purchase of a magnificent trophy which will be on display at Gipsy Corner. It is hoped that sight of this "pot" will inspire this year's contestants to feats of Wimbledon-like quality!

The draw for the 1967 Knockout Tournament is as follows. The first round has to be played by the 31st August and all winners should be notified to the Secretary.

Dave Briers	Bye
Alan Jackson	v. Stephen Gleghorn
Jim Winchester	v. Brian Edmonds
John Buszard	v. Bill Picton
Terry Billing	v. Richard Mantle
Geoff. Fox	v. Tony May
Steve Russell	v. Nigel Thorne
Dave Walsh	Bye

Graham Barnes	Bye
Roger Edrupt	v. Chris Allen
Richard Croft	v. Charlie Eggington
"Happy" Morris	v. Trevor Davies
David Morgan	v. Clive Knight
Guy Mullin	v. Alan Solomon
Mike Woolf	v. David Zyluk
Derek White	Bye

The four seeded players are those with Byes in the first round. The seeding committee wish to remain anonymous.

G.B.

## CHESS

*Hon. Secretary: J. S. McLeish, 60, Woodfall Avenue, Barnet (Barnet 2117)*

### Results

#### Barnet League Matches

1966			
13 Oct.	Away v. Potters Bar	—	Won 4½ - 1½
31 "	Away v. Southgate	—	Won 4 - 2
9 Nov.	Away v. Enfield	—	Lost 1½ - 4½
15 "	Home v. Barnet	—	Won 3½ - 2½
22 "	Home v. Finchley	—	Lost 1½ - 4½
6 Dec.	Away v. Palmers Green	—	Lost 1 - 5
1967			
3 Jan.	Home v. Potters Bar	—	Won 4 - 2
17 "	Home v. Southgate	—	Lost ½ - 5½
23 "	Away v. Barnet	—	Lost 2 - 4
7 Feb.	Home v. Enfield	—	Drew 3 - 3
22 "	Away v. Finchley	—	Won 3½ - 2½
28 Mar.	Home v. Palmers Green	—	Won 4½ - 1½

*Summary:* Played 12; Won 6; Drawn 1; Lost 5  
Games: For 33½; Against 38½

#### Puller Cup Matches

1966			
29 Nov.	Home v. Welwyn Gdn. City	—	Lost 1½ - 4½
1967			
11 Jan.	Away v. Watford	—	Drew 3 - 3
16 Feb.	Away v. Hill Top	—	Won 5½ - ½
28 "	Home v. Stevenage	—	Lost 0 - 6
28 Mar.	Away v. Dacorum	—	Lost 1½ - 4½
4 Apr.	Home v. Bishop's Stortford	—	Lost 3 - 4
13 "	Away v. St. Albans	—	Lost 2 - 5
20 "	Away v. Hoddesdon	—	Lost 2½ - 3½

*Summary:* Played 8; Won 1; Drawn 1; Lost 6  
Games: For 19; Against 31

#### Friendly Match

19 Dec. 1966 Away v. The School — Won 6½ - 5½

The Club was represented during the 1966-67 season by twenty players, six of whom played in ten or more matches. Apart from the School match, we had only three defaults — one of these was cancelled by an opponent.

Enfield are, of course, still Barnet League champions, and St. Albans won the Puller Cup by winning all eight matches.

The Chess Club has now existed for twenty-one seasons since it was re-formed in 1946. Present at the meeting which took place on that date were Messrs. K. L. Woodland, D. G. Parkyn, D. E. Pearce, P. S. McGreal, B. L. McKean, J. McKean and P. Treby. The first club evening was held at the Singing Kettle Café on 1st October, 1946. For the first two seasons the Club met at this Café on Tuesday evenings from October to March. In 1948 a change was made, the new venue being The Olde Tea Shoppe on Friday evenings. The Club moved to its present H.Q., The Devon Café, in 1952.

The Club played ten matches in the first season, six were friendly and four were for the Montague-Jones Board, the minor club competition run by the Hertfordshire Chess Association.

In 1947, the Barnet & District Chess Association was formed due in no small measure to the efforts of Mr. Woodland assisted by J. McKean. The Club has taken part in the league run by the Association since its foundation.

Due to its Barnet League commitments, the Club dropped out of the Montague-Jones Board competition in 1948 but re-entered in 1956 and competed annually until 1964 when once again circumstances compelled us to withdraw.

In 1952 we entered the Hertfordshire Chess Association's major club competition for the Puller Cup. The Club has competed for the cup every season since then, winning it twice, in the 1957/58 and 1961/62 seasons.

Since 1946 about 100 O.E's have played for the Club, many of them, alas, for only two or three matches each. On the other hand, S. R. Capsey has well over 300 match games for the Club to his credit.

Mr. Woodland has been the Club's chairman since its re-formation and other notable office bearers have been J. McKean, B. L. McKean (secretary for five seasons), Maj.-Gen. S. Moore-Coulson, R. F. Griffiths (the present champion of South Africa), J. D. Marsh (treasurer for six seasons) and S. R. Capsey (match captain for seven seasons).

J.S.M.

## MASONIC LODGE

*Secretary: P. W. Powell, 89, Francklyn Gardens, Edgware, Middx. (01-958 8475)*

The next meeting of the Old Elizabethans Lodge will be held on Monday, 16th October, 1967, at the Red Lion Hotel, High Street, Barnet at 4.45 p.m. when W.Bro. L. O. W. Herbert will be installed as Master for the year 1967-68.

Any information regarding Lodge activities can be obtained from any member of the Lodge or from the Secretary.

## FOUNDER'S DAY

A chilly day did not encourage members to attend the traditional Founder's Day activities in large numbers until the late afternoon and early evening; the day started with the usual Service of Holy Communion in Barnet Parish Church celebrated by the Rev. J. E. Ingham (1944-53), now Vicar of Weald, near Sevenoaks. This was followed by breakfast in Church House. Accommodation for O.E's was scarce at the Thanksgiving Service partly due to the increase in the numbers attending the School but mainly to repairs to the church organ. Music provided instead by the School Orchestra under the direction of Mr. A. R. W. Hayes (with drum rolls and trumpets to the fore) gave an unexpectedly strange aura to the traditionalists' ears. The second Lesson was read by M. J. Fairey (1942-51) and the address was given by our distinguished Old Elizabethan Dr. F. Brittain, Litt.D., M.A., Fellow of Jesus College, Cambridge (1906-11).

In the afternoon, the Association XI drew the customary cricket match with the School, scoring 103 for 9 against the School's 107.

Members and their guests gathered for the now traditional Social Evening in the School Hall capably organised by Association Chairman, Ron Orton. During the buffet supper we were entertained at the piano by Geoff Davies (1960-67). Then followed a hastily prepared (but no doubt the better for it!) programme of entertainment compered by Terry (Those Were the Days) Custance which had us in fits of laughter, thus providing

the cast with frequent opportunities to remember their lines, or as one suspected was more often the case, to invent new ones! Outstanding sketches were a sympathetic portrait of Field-Marshal Harold Montgomery-Wilson by John Bird-Keeley, a touching sanitary soliloquy by Monsewer Don Christie and an astounding exposition of adagio (taken unfortunately by many present to be a demonstration of sumo-wrestling) by two gentlemen who now prefer to remain anonymous.

Our thanks are due to all those who put in so much hard work organising the evening.

Undoubtably the high spot of the weekend's entertainment however occurred the following day at Gipsy Corner. Due in large measure to the brilliant sunshine, a vast number of O.E's and their wives (outnumbered by their children it seemed) attended Cyril Winchester's ably organised "wine and cheese" at midday. The afternoon provided the spectacle of eleven older and mostly past members of the cricket club, playing and beating a strong and much younger side. The sight of Gerry Firth and Ron Wooller bowling to John Olney behind the stumps was rather emotional!

There seemed to be more "faces from the past" at this event than at other recent occasions but undoubtedly the weather had a magnetic effect over and above Cyril's excellent bush-telegraph publicity.

P.J.R./R.K.S.

### 1967 LEAVERS' SUPPER

The attractive smell of frying sausages and the gargantuan supper provided by Jimmy Winchester greeted some 35 members of the School and a good number of O.E's who attended the Annual Leavers' Supper at Gipsy Corner on Tuesday, 4th July. After gathering in the Bar to savour the pleasures of the after(School)-life and later downing the very tasty buffet meal, our guests were addressed on various aspects of the Association and its member clubs.

A very high proportion of the 87 School leavers since July 1966 who had been invited expressed a wish to join the Association even though many were unable to come to the supper through holidays and other engagements. We should like to thank all those who come along to meet us, to welcome all School leavers to the Association, and to express the hope that they will, through the Association and its member Clubs, find good company, maintain friendships and thus keep in touch with each other and the School for many years to come.

Our thanks are due to Jimmy Winchester for all the hard work he put in to make the evening the success it undoubtedly was; and indeed to all other "members of the staff".

P.J.R.

### VARIA

Our Past Headmaster, rightly enough continues to be our main source of news. Writing in that remarkably firm hand to which many of us can bear witness (!) MR. JENKINS reports a long letter from R. E. H. CHALLIS (1940-49). After three years journalism in Australia he was for a further three years leader writer for the Straits Times. In 1964 he became the B.B.C.'s correspondent in S.E. Asia since when he has travelled widely through Malaysia, Thailand, the Philippines, Indonesia, Java, Sarawak and Vietnam reporting such widely differing events as L.B.J.'s summit-meeting, Soekarno's downfall and the Asian Trade Fair and Games. He speaks highly of the valuable work done in Cambodian diplomatic circles by LESLIE FIELDING, one of his contemporaries at Q.E's.

If you were awake before Ed. on June 28th you will have heard Roland Challis on the B.B.C. programme

"Today" talking on the difficulties of the Singapore teachers in adhering to directions from the education authorities, "not to frequent girlie-bars and other places of ill repute"!

Mr. Jenkins recently visited Keele where he met J. M. KOLBERT, B.A., M.M.C. (1951-58) and while there took the opportunity to call on F. B. STITT, B.A. (1934-42) who is County Archivist in Stafford and also Mrs. W. WHITTINGTON and her son R. B. WHITTINGTON who live in that town. Since then, "E.H.J." has spent a week-end with K. J. MILES (School Captain 1940-41) who has been a master at Glasgow Academy for over 20 years but is now moving to a Senior Mastership at Brigg in Lincolnshire.

News too of A. J. P. SWEETMAN (1942-45) who is the senior partner in a large dental practice near Hounslow. Injuries having put paid to his rugby he is now a keen racing yachtsman and member of the Hayling S.C. Another avid sailor is W. G. DONALD, B.A. (Hons.) (1922-27) who has recently been elected Chairman of The City of Westminster Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Donald is a partner in one of the country's oldest and best known wool merchants and any O.E. sailing in the south is bound to bump into him, metaphorically speaking, sooner or later! He has been: four times Commodore of Ranelagh Sailing Club, Past Chairman of the National 14 ft. Merlin Rocket Owner's Association and the Class Representative on the Dinghy Committee of the Royal Yachting Association and a Past Commodore of London Pirates Sailing Club; he is also a member of Thames Sailing Club, Surbiton and Honorary Member of Wraybury Lake S.C. near Staines.

A surprise visitor to the School on Founder's Day was Sqn. Ldr. J. B. ENGLAND (1946-49) who on leaving, emigrated to Canada, joined the R.C.A.F. and is now flying "Starfighter" jets at Zweibrücken in West Germany. John's squadron was temporarily deployed with the U.S.A.F. at Wethersfield so he took the opportunity to look up old friends while over here and to take lunch with his former housemaster Mr. Covington. Chartered Accountant and ex-Missionary T. E. L. KINGSMILL (1923-31) was another welcome Founder's Day visitor — Tom is shortly returning to East Africa to take up a new business appointment in Kasese, Western Uganda.

T. D. RYAN (1945-51) an Accountant with, as yet, no ambitions to work abroad, has recently taken up a new post as Company Secretary to the Clockhouse Engineering & Instrument Co. in East Barnet, a division of Hoke-International Ltd. of New York. Also, in the industrial world, we have news of PETER HAXBY (1936-43) who has been appointed the first director of training to the Road Industry Training Board. At present he is training manager of the aero division of Rolls Royce Ltd.

The story behind the change of address of J. K. GREASLEY (1950-58) is that he was ordained Deacon at Lichfield Cathedral on 21st May to serve in the parish of St. Peter ad Vincula, Stoke-on-Trent. Our best wishes go to him in his new appointment.

A clipping from the South China Post of April 23rd has come to hand, reporting the prize-winners at the Hong Kong Kennel Club's annual dog show. Among the honours was Mrs. Janice Roethenbaugh's "Hugo of Elmswell". Janice is the wife of Capt. N. C. ROETHENBAUGH, R.A.E.C. (1949-57) who is at present serving with the 1st/10th Gurkha Rifles in New Territories. Nicky was in the U.K. recently on compassionate leave. His departure from Hong Kong at ten minutes notice during the height of the riots necessitated a dash by helicopter to the airport for his flight home.

Finally, by way of comment, we feel bound to report the substance of an impassioned plea by ERIC SHEARLY, made during the course of the Rugby Club's A.G.M. Those of us who have heard similar "lectures" by Eric

in the past realised that this was no routine morale booster — never have we heard him in such vehement mood. At this moment when we are hoping for a larger than usual influx of new members from the school leavers and at a time when a number of the offices within the Association and its sub-section have changed hands it is, he said, more imperative than ever that voluntary offers of help should be forthcoming to carry out maintenance work at Gipsy Corner. One evening's work, six times a year by all the Clubs' active members would more than solve the problem, which if it continued could easily lead the Association into grave difficulties both in playing strength and finance. A new attitude towards work-sharing and team-support is required and members are reminded of their obligation to Gipsy Corner as a Memorial Ground.

R.K.S.

## MEMBERSHIP

Many Members of the Association have not paid their current annual subscription which should be forwarded without delay to the Hon. Membership Secretary. We would remind those concerned that under the provisions of Rule 13 " . . . any member whose subscription is more than *six months* in arrears shall not be entitled to receive the publications or benefits of the Association: after *twelve months* his membership shall be deemed to have lapsed."

Mere sloth on the part of Members in paying their annual subscription is both inconvenient and expensive from the Association's point of view. In future there will be only two reminders — one at the beginning of the year and one at the end of June — but as subscriptions are due as from the 1st January each year every Member should make it his responsibility to see that such reminders are not required. I would therefore suggest that for those who are "forgetful", it would be appropriate to pay by a Standing Order through their Bank. If Members wish to avail themselves of this amenity they should either contact David Ridler or the Hon. Treasurer—A. G. Salisbury.

There are still many O.E's who are not Members of the Association. If you know anyone who is not a Member persuade him to join. The amenities of Gipsy Corner are available to all Members — even if you do not play cricket or rugby come down for some liquid refreshment and awe-inspiring conversation. Remember that active Members are a sign of an active Association.

D.S.R.

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- (1) Ordinary — Under 21 as at 1st January 10s. per annum.  
Over 21 as at 1st January £1 per annum.
- (2) Life — 11 consecutive annual payments of two guineas (£2 2s.) or a single payment of twenty guineas (£21).

## ADDRESSES UNKNOWN:

### LIFE

Capt. R. G. Adams (1931-36)  
Lt. R. T. Baker (1934-40)  
J. A. Broughall, B.Sc. (Eng) (1911-16)  
P. Burgess (1933-37)  
E. J. Crundall (1920-25)  
T. P. Dixon (1898-99)  
W. Herring (1875-76)  
S. Jackson (1919-27)  
J. F. Legg (1937-44)

P. J. McColl (1930-37)  
J. McKean (1935-40)  
D. A. Neal (1940-46)  
Rev. P. H. Newell, M.A. (1936-45)  
F. V. Preston (1934-40)  
J. A. Smith (1941-47)  
Sq. Ldr. F. I. Welch (1944-51)  
J. Wrighton (1907-14)

### ORDINARY

J. P. Ball (1943-49)  
S. B. Hamill (1954-60)  
F. A. Henderson (1930-37)  
B. H. Horton (1922-26)  
J. D. Rees (1952-59)

### We welcome the following new Members:

R. J. BIRCHALL (1958-65), 7 St. Marks' Close, New Barnet, Herts. (01-440 4300).  
J. M. GRAYLEY (1951-53), 43 Gledwood Avenue, Hayes, Middlesex.  
G. M. SHEARS (1919-24), 51 Kenerne Drive, Barnet, Herts. (01-449 6330).  
J. WORROLL (1960-67), 37 Ridgeway Avenue, East Barnet, Herts. (01-449 8020).

**Please note the following amendments to the year book:**  
H. J. ALMOND (1948-56), 52 Fir Tree Walk, West Tone, Northampton. (Moulton 8432). Membership lapsed—but we are hopeful that he will rejoin the Association).

W. BELLINGHAM (1949-56), c/o Palm Line (Agencies) Ltd., P.O. Box 212, Takoradi, Ghana. When on leave in the United Kingdom — 126 Blenheim Crescent, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex.

J. W. COOPER (1917-22), 19 Friars Avenue, N.20.  
M. F. DELLER (1942-52), 86 Baker Street, Potters Bar, Herts.

Dr. J. S. DODGE (1939-47), c/o Health Department, Central House, 8 Forster Square, Bradford, 1, Yorks.

L. FIELDING (1943-51), 5 Carlton House, 800 Green Lanes, N.21.

K. L. GIBSON (1937-47), 1 Gleeson Drive, Orpington, Kent.

FLT.-LT. B. H. T. GILBERT (1953-57), c/o Officers' Mess, R.A.F. Watton, Thetford, Norfolk.

Rev. J. K. GREASLEY (1950-58), 21 Kemball Ave., Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs.

K. HENDERSON (1953-60), "Random", Lodge Drove, Woodfalls, Salisbury, Wilts. (Downton 262).

B. T. HEWITT (1945-53), 12 Broad Leys, The Mount, Princes Risborough, Bucks. (Whiteleaf 7146).

R. JACK (1943-51), 9 Oaklands, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (01-886 1266).

T. LLOYD-EVANS, 3 Buckingham Avenue, Whetstone, N.20. (Hillside 1395).

A. H. PERKS (1935-40), 2 South Lodge Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex. (01-363 1826).

D. M. POMFRET (1930-35) (01-368 3273).

K. S. POULTER (1948-55), 114 Moffats Lane, Brookmans Park, Hatfield, Herts.

J. H. PRICE (1945-53), 16 Denewood, New Barnet. (01-440 2860).

M. R. PRINCE (1953-60), 68 Willowfield Drive, Kidderminster, Worcs. (Kidderminster 61072).

R. D. SCARFF (1955-62), 30a South Hill Park, Hampstead, N.W.3.

J. H. WICKES (1946-52), 12 Partridge Road, St. Albans, Herts. (St. Albans 61205).

M. P. WILLIAMS (1954-61), 2 Redbourne Avenue, Finchley, N.3.

C. A. WINCHESTER (1940-47), 8 Orchard Road, Barnet. (01-440 4969).

# THE OLD ELIZABETHANS (BARNET)

Income and Expenditure Account for the Year Ended 31st December, 1966

EXPENDITURE				INCOME			
1965		1966		1965		1966	
£		£ s. d.		£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
101	Postage, etc. ... ..	92 1 2			Subscriptions, 1965 ...	17 0 0	
26	Printing and Stationery ... ..	42 13 10			Subscriptions, 1966 ...	431 4 6	
153	Elizabethan for 1966 ... ..	180 17 4		404			448 4 6
4	Wreaths ... ..	3 19 0			Transfer from Life Membership Fund		
103	70th Annual Dinner (77) ... ..	139 9 0		50	199 (202) Members at 5/- each ...	49 15 0	
35	393rd Founder's Day Social (88) ... ..	31 13 4		103	70th Annual Dinner ... ..	140 10 6	
105	Dinner-Dance (74) ... ..	101 8 3		36	393rd Founder's Day Social ... ..	34 14 0	
6	School Leavers' Social ... ..	5 16 11		111	Dinner-Dance ... ..	119 16 0	
10	Donation to School Club ... ..	10 0 0		4	Profit on Ties ... ..	6 0	
1	Addressograph ... ..	5 9 7					
100	Social Club Subscriptions ... ..	95 7 6					
10	W.S.C. Memorial Fund ... ..	— — —					
—	Printing List of Members ... ..	65 0 0					
54	Excess of Income over Expenditure	19 10 1					
£708		£793 6 0		£708		£793 6 0	

## Balance Sheet as at 31st December, 1966

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
<b>Creditors:—</b>			<b>Subscriptions Outstanding:—</b>		
December Elizabethan ... ..	64 10 0		120 (85) Members unpaid		
Officials' Expenses ... ..	32 16 5		valued at ... ..		30 0 0
Subscriptions in advance ... ..	14 2 0	111 8 5	<b>Investments at Cost:—</b>		
<b>Life Membership Fund:—</b>			£250 3½% War Loan		
B/down as at 31st Dec.			(Market Value £130) ... ..	257 5 7	
1965 ... ..	1,531 15 11		£750 3% B.E. 68/73 Guar-		
Add Subscriptions 1966 ... ..	55 15 0		anteed Stock (Market		
Donations, Appeal,			Value £615) ... ..	593 12 9	
1966 ... ..	8 8 0		Temperance Permanent		
Donation, Social Club	15 0 0		Building Society ... ..	386 7 6	
Interest on Invest-			5 Old Elizabethans (Barnet)		
ments less Tax ... ..	33 13 5		Playing Fields Ltd. shares		
			of £1 each, fully paid ...	5 0 0	
	1,644 12 4				1,242 5 10
Less Transfer to Income			£550 Loan to Old Eliza-		
and Expenditure Account,			bethans (Barnet) Playing		
199 Members at 5/- each	49 15 0	1,594 17 4	Fields Ltd. (unsecured) ...		550 0 0
<b>Playing Fields Donation in</b>			<b>Stock:—</b>		
<b>Memory of "J.A.S." ... ..</b>		20 8 2	Blazer Buttons and Ties ...	7 10 4	
<b>Balance of Section Funds:—</b>			Founder's Day Records ...	7 0 0	
Dramatic ... ..	3 0 0				14 10 4
Tennis ... ..	24 17 0		<b>Cash:—</b>		
Athletic ... ..	9 19 9	37 16 9	At Bank ... ..		372 4 8
<b>K. L. Woodland Presentation</b>					
<b>Fund:—</b>					
Balance as at 31st Dec.,					
1965 ... ..	20 17 0				
Add Donations, 1966 ... ..	5 2 0	25 19 0			
<b>Income and Expenditure Account:—</b>					
Surplus as at 31st Dec.,					
1965 ... ..	399 1 1				
Add Excess of Income over					
Expenditure per the year					
ended 31st Dec., 1966 ...	19 10 1	418 11 2			
		£2,209 0 10			£2,209 0 10

I have audited the Balance Sheet of the Association dated 31st December, 1966, as above set forth. In my opinion such Balance Sheet correctly shows the state of affairs of the Association as at that date.

(Signed) E. E. FRISBY, F.C.A., Hon. Auditor.

27th February, 1967.

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100.

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