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School Notes and News.

We refer below to the sad death of Mr. W. W. de Gruchy.

Mr. R. A. Theobald, B.A. (London), who, before joining the army, was modern language master at Pannal Ash College, Harrogate, has been with us this term as modern language master. He has served three years in the East with the Middlesex Regiment.

C. A. Humphries has obtained the Victoria Scholarship of £40 in Classics at the Manchester University.

Manchester University Degree examinations :
Classics Honours (Preliminary): C. A. Humphries.

Intermediate B.A.: C. A. Humphries, in Ancient History (I.) and Hebrew (I.).

Second M.B. and Ch.B.: N. S. Craig.

First M.B. and Ch.B. (Part III.): E. J. Warburton.

B.Com.: D. R. Hudson, in Commercial Law (I.), Accounting (I.), Polit. Econ. (I.), and German (II.).

Intermediate B.Sc.Tech.; N. S. A. Humphries, Leslie Sutton.

A prize of £2 annually for modern languages has been offered by Mr. Ernest Bazley (O.H.), to whom our best thanks are due for his kindness.

Captain J. H. Smith, M.C. (late R.G.A.), has kindly sent us some interesting relics of the war, in the shape of air photographs and maps.

The service for Commemoration Day was held on the morning of June 4th, when Canon E. S. Richardson gave us a very interesting address.

A meeting of Old Hulmeians and those interested in the School has been called for July 15th to revive the Old Hulmeians' Association and to consider proposals for a Memorial to the Old Boys who have fallen in the war.

A cricket ball has been presented to C. B. Ackroyd for performing the hat-trick on May 7th, in the match against the Manchester Grammar School, and a pair of batting gloves to M. C. Nelson for his score of 59 not out,

against Macclesfield Grammar School on June 25th.

Medals for skill in the art of rescuing drowning persons have been awarded by the Humane Society for the Hundred of Salford to W. Berry, A. R. Tinker, and E. F. Muller.

The School Library is indebted to Mrs. Leo Grindon for kindly presenting four volumes of her "Shakesperian Studies."

The Swimming Sports will be held on Monday, July 21st. The School prizes and certificates will be distributed on July 22nd, at 5-30 p.m., by Sir Henry Miers, D.Sc., F.R.S., Vice-chancellor of the University.

Midsummer Term ends on Thursday, July 24th, at noon, and Michaelmas Term begins Tuesday, September 16th, at 9 o'clock.

Our thanks are due to the following contributors of School news: G. Lister, W. S. Swinn, G. Campbell, D. P. Wilson, and G. Seal.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of *Ulula*.

Old Hulmeians can subscribe to the *Hulmeian* by sending 1s. 6d. annually to Mr. J. A. Barber at the School. The three numbers are sent post free in December, April, and July.

Mr. W. W. de Gruchy.

We record with deep regret the death of Mr. de Gruchy, which occurred with painful suddenness on June 23rd. He was seized with illness in his class-room in the morning and passed away in the evening of the same day. He came to the School in September last, and though he had only been with us for a short time he had won the esteem of everyone, and had made himself much liked by the boys in his classes. He was a native of Jersey, and had lived for many years at Boulogne, where he had an establishment for the tuition of candidates for the British Army, Foreign Office, and Military Interpreterships, until his work there was interrupted by the war. Full of life as he was, he threw himself heartily into school work in England, as modern language master, first at Epsom College, and then with us. We shall remember his cheery voice and lament his untimely death.

BIRTHS.

BRYCESON.—May 6th, at Harrow, to Mr. and Mrs. Alec Bryceson, a son.

FLINN.—On Easter Day, at 30, Brunswick Road, Withington, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Leonard Flinn, a daughter.

MILLINGTON.—April 14th, at Moorings, Brooklands, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Millington, a son.

WEARING.—May 20th, at Church Street, Wilmslow, to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wearing (née Mary Chapman), a son.

MARRIAGES.

ANDERSON—RICHARDS.—April 8th, at the Wesleyan Church, Chapel-en-le-Frith, Harry Anderson, B.A., Cantab. (late captain R.E.'s), son of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Sefton Park, Liverpool, to Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards, of Chapel-en-le-Frith (late of Whalley Range).

BLAMEY—FOX.—July 2nd, at the Chorlton Road Congregational Church, Captain Kendall Trelawny Blamey, M.C., Lancashire Fusiliers, eldest son of the late J. M. H. Blamey and Mrs. Blamey, Trelawny, Chorltonville, to Mary Price, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Fox, Holly Bank, Whalley Range, Manchester.

CAMPBELL—NAYLOR.—June 25th, at Cavendish Chapel, Manchester, Colin Campbell, M.Sc., only son of the late Mr. John Campbell, and of Mrs. Campbell, of Moss Side, to Edith Shaw, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Naylor, of Broughton.

DEHN—FULLER.—June 4th, at Manchester, Cynthia Doris, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Fuller, of Bournemouth, to Curt Gustav, the second son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Dehn, of Moss Bank, Withington, Manchester.

HALLIDAY—ROSS.—April 12th, at All Saints' Church, Southport, James Ralph, second son of John Edward Halliday, of Manchester and Southport, to Arthurine Ruth Matilda, only daughter of Captain A. W. Pollexfen Ross, of Boscombe, Bournemouth.

JAGO—DENOUE.—June 14th, at L'Eglise St. Michael, Bolbec, France, Edwin Osborne Jago (lieut. Glos. Regt.), elder son of the late Dr. Jago, of Cadishead, and Mrs. Jago, Ashton-on-Mersey, to Therese Denoued, daughter of Mons. François Louis Denoued, of Bolbec.

STONE—GARNETT.—April 15th, at St. Edmund's, Alexandra Park, by the Venerable Noel Lake Aspinall, archdeacon of Manchester, Captain W. M. Stone, son of the late F. R. Stone, and Mrs. Stone, of 58, Manley Road, Whalley Range, to Dorothy, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. P. Garnett, Summerlands, Whalley Range.

DEATHS.

COOPER.—May 9th, at Leuchars, Fife (killed whilst flying), Lieut. David Gardiner Cooper, R.A.F., son of Frederick and Ada Cooper, 2, Chretien Road, Northenden.

DE GRUCHY.—June 23rd, at 94, Yarbrough Street, Walter Wood de Gruchy, formerly of Boulogne.

MERCHANT.—Presumed killed in action about April 10th, 1918, Alfred Merchant, lieutenant, 11th Lancashire Fusiliers, aged 35.

WINROW.—Killed in action on April 11th or 12th, 1918, Harry Winrow, private, 2nd S.W. Borderers, son of Mrs. A. Winrow, 7, Westbourne Range, Gorton, aged 19.

On the Moors in June.

For the lover of Nature and solitude the loneliness of the wild moorland possesses an irresistible charm and fascination which, to my mind, are particularly marked at this season of the year. There is no solitude like that of the upland moor. From the fells or the lofty mountain peak one may generally discern some dwelling or sign of civilisation in sight, but once immersed in the tableland of the billowy moor the isolation is complete, and only Nature remains.

One cannot remain long in such surroundings without becoming influenced by the peculiar, indescribable feeling of sadness which seems to pervade everything. None of our

familiar songsters are found here, and such birds as do occur all seem infected by the pervading spirit of the locality, both as regards their sombre plumage and plaintive notes. The gladsome songs of the thrush and skylark are never heard, but the plover and curlew soon greet the intruder with their weird, harsh cries. As I recline amongst the heather a number of plovers keep wheeling around me in an excited manner and clamouring vociferously, as erst their ancestors may have done, to the sad discomfiture of many a poor persecuted Covenanter, whose hiding place was thereby betrayed to the murderous dragoons. Somewhere in the vast ocean of heath and ling is a sky curlew who reveals his presence by a wild, whistling cry of "Cou—r—lieu, cour—lieu." The note, though somewhat eerie, is nevertheless quite in keeping with the surroundings, and not unpleasant when mellowed by distance.

In many places the moor hereabouts is shrouded with large expanses of the whinberry or bilberry, that are just now covered with the elegant little rosy bell flowers which eventually develop into the familiar "blaeberries" or bilberries. These blossoms provide occupation for numerous humble bees. One insect which I was pleased to observe seemed to be quite a frequent visitor hereabouts. This small bee was almost black save for a slightly ruddy tail, and had a somewhat unkempt appearance. These features together with its timidity and rapid flight well distinguished *Bombus lapponicus* (Lapland bee) from our other native bees. As the name suggests it is a Northern insect, but its range seems to be governed to some extent by the distribution of certain flowers. Here also I notice the evergreen box-like leaves of the cowberry and an occasional spray of the dainty bloom. And as I lie amongst the heather and wild thyme in the glad sunshine, the hours pass by unheeded, while strange thoughts and inspirations fill the mind—feelings far too intense to be capable of adequate expression within the limited field of language.

The progress of time has made little mark on this moorland wild of immeasurable age, and it doubtless presents much the same appearance now as a thousand years ago. Seve-

ral heather-covered mounds or tumuli, overgrown with the peat deposits of centuries, represent the last home of some unknown race of antiquity. A long-forgotten grassy track winds amongst the heather, and o'er hill and dale for many miles, and carries one's thoughts back to the time of the Roman occupation of this island. It represents an old military road or pathway which connected the hill fortresses of the ancient British tribes, and of which the ramparts are still visible on many of the neighbouring hills. From these hill forts the old Britons would sally forth against the hated invaders—the forces of Agricola and Hadrian—and after dealing a surprise attack would rapidly retire to their unassailable eyries.

For some peculiar reason the heather and bilberry refuse to grow on the old pathways, and in places they are almost as well defined as they were 18 centuries ago. These tracks and hill forts are very plentiful in some parts of the wild Scots Borderland—especially in the unfrequented district of Eskdalemuir—and the wanderer, as he stands on the site of some such fort on some lonely hill top, cannot fail to be profoundly impressed as he surveys the long green line, stretching for miles amongst the heather and bracken, the monument of a forgotten race.

On the adjoining hills many of the rocks are scratched, grooved, and polished, and tell of an age still more remote, when Britain was unknown and, together with Northern Europe, covered by one enormous solid sea of ice. The tremendous mass was slowly moving southwards, and left this indisputable evidence of its existence and progress on the rocks in its path. As conditions began to change, this giant glacier gradually melted, and the waters slowly receding, the summits of Snowdon and our Highland peaks appeared as islands in the midst of a vast iceberg-covered sea. Wide upland wastes were thus left by the ebbing ocean, which Nature soon tenanted, and such then in a few words is the history of the birth of the lonely moor.

A tiny mountain stream ripples by and adds a little variety to the scene. Here the large golden cups of the globe flower, a sort of giant buttercup, are just making their appearance, in company with the fragrant creamy cymes of

overhanging rowan blossom. Above the rippling of the streamlet one may occasionally hear the subdued and melodious cadence of the dipper or water-ousel, a typical bird of the lone moorland stream or mountain tarn. Somewhere in the mossy bank of the stream in such a spot as this the dipper makes its home, a warm, cosy sphere enclosing the pretty milk-white eggs. And so in the bright sunshine amongst the moorland birds and flowers the time passes by all too soon, but it is on such occasions that one feels with the poet—

"I love not man the less, but Nature more,
From these our interviews in which I steal,
From all I may be or have been before,
To mingle with the universe and feel,
What I can ne'er express, yet cannot all
conceal."

Natural History Society.

President, The Head Master; *Vice-President*, Mr. A. A. Dallman; *Hon. Secretary*, D. P. Wilson.

On April 1st, Mr. F. Adams favoured the Society with a lecture on the "Solar System," during which a short description was given of the system and of its principal members. The lecture was illustrated by many lantern slides showing diagrams and plans of the system, and the appearance of the sun, moon, and many of the planets as seen through the telescope. One interesting slide showed a crowded portion of the heavens, and several others formed a fine series of the moon's aspect at certain of its phases. Two other slides made an interesting comparison between a map of Mars drawn by Schiaparelli, the Italian astronomer, who discovered the "canals" on that planet, and a map of Mars drawn by Prof. Lowell, of the Flagstaff Observatory, Arizona. The planets Jupiter and Saturn were then attractively dealt with, the lecture terminating with a few words about Uranus and Neptune, which, so far as we know at present, are the outermost members of our system.

On April 15th, a miscellaneous meeting was held, opening with a short lecture on "The Structure of Fishes," by the Hon. Secretary, D. P. Wilson, in the course of which a description of the principal parts of fishes, their uses,

their variations, and their evolution was given. Slides were shown illustrating the scales, the teeth, the fins, and tails, and the breathing of fishes. G. T. Callis then read a short paper on "Marine Worms, Starfishes, and their Kin," dealing with the more important of these creatures to be found along our coasts, views of which were shown. Votes of thanks were passed to the readers of papers, and to H. F. Lunt for his services as lanternist during the season.

On May 21st, the first field meeting of the summer term was held near Bramhall and Hazel Grove. Taking the car from Stockport we reached Brewer's Green, and soon left bricks and mortar behind. The country was looking splendid in the freshness of spring, the bright green vegetation being speckled here and there with the varying tints of numerous flowers. Ladies' smock or cuckoo-flower (*Cardamine pratensis*) grew abundantly in the moister meadows, while on the hedge-row banks the feathery fronds of the wood horse-tail (*Equisetum sylvaticum*) were intermingled with those of the field equisetum (*Equisetum arvense*). A willow warbler was heard from above, among the flower-laden branches of an oak tree.

At Bramhall Green the party, guided by J. C. Beggs, left the main roadway and turned up the path leading along by the side of Lady Brook. At one place a strong smell of honey was traced to a sycamore tree whose flowers were heavy with the nectar. Here and there the white flowers of a bird-cherry tree (*Prunus padus*) hung suspended over the stream, and we noticed an abundance of the anise-scented Sweet Cicely (*Myrrhis odorata*).

After tea, a search was made for likely objects of interest. Several small shrubs of alder buckthorn (*Rhamnus Frangula*) were seen to be in bud, and at one place the ground was found to be tunnelled by bees (a handsome steel-blue species), but the greatest "find" of all was the discovery of some adder's-tongue fern (*Ophioglossum vulgatum*) scattered over a wide area in one of the meadows. In this fern—which is widely distributed throughout the world—the spores are carried on a simple terminal fruiting spike which is surrounded by a single leaf-like barren frond. Those seen were as yet only a few inches high, and in most cases the spore bearing spike was only just

appearing from the base of the barren frond. It was satisfactory to learn later that neither *Rhamnus Frangula* nor *Ophioglossum* appear to have been previously recorded from here. These are rare species with us, and it is gratifying to be able to add two additional stations to those mentioned by Lord De Tabley in his "Flora of Cheshire."

A move was then made in the direction of Hazel Grove, whence the car and train conveyed the party back again to Chorlton, after a most interesting and enjoyable outing.

D. P. W.

The Athletic Sports.

After a break of four years, athletic sports for the whole School were held on Tuesday, June 3rd. Mr. C. E. Kelsey, who has been honorary secretary, treasurer, and clerk of the course since 1893, retired this year from the onerous post, which has been undertaken by Mr. Tyson and Mr. A. O. Gatley. The best thanks of the School are due to Mr. Kelsey for his long and efficient services to the athletic sports. The course had been laid out by Mr. Dorrans with his customary skill. We were fortunate in having a fine sunny afternoon for the full enjoyment of this public occasion, and the long programme was carried through without a hitch before a large attendance of visitors. At the opening an effective exhibition of physical exercises was given under the direction of C.S.M. Johnson. The Worrall Shield for Champion House was gained by Byrom House, which has not previously held this honour, with a score of 81 points; Heywood and Beta coming next with 56 and 54. The Gaskell Cup for open events was won by Edmondson, L. (Heywood); the Cardwell Cup (under 16), by M. D. Pearson (Heywood); the Donner Cup (under 15), by R. G. Steele (Beta); and the China Cup (under 14), by W. Glover (Gaskell).

The prizes were distributed in the Assembly Hall at the end of the afternoon by the Lady Mayoress, and a hearty vote of thanks was accorded her on the motion of Archdeacon N. L. Aspinall, Chairman of the Governors, and the Dean of Manchester.

Our hearty thanks are due to numerous kind contributors to the prize fund.

SPORTS WINNERS.

HENRY WORRALL SHIELD: Byrom House.

GASKELL CHALLENGE CUP, open events: L. Edmondson (Heywood).

CARDWELL CHALLENGE CUP, under 16 events: M. D. Pearson (Heywood).

DONNER CHALLENGE CUP, under 15 events: R. G. Steele (Beta).

CHINA CHALLENGE CUP, under 14 events: W. Glover (Gaskell).

THROWING CRICKET BALL, under 14: 1, Campbell, C. D. (Alpha); 2, Glover W. (G.). 55yds. 2ft.

THROWING CRICKET BALL, under 15: 1, Douglas, W. E. (H.); 2, Watson, A. H. (G.). 55yds. 2ft.

THROWING CRICKET BALL, under 16: 1, Pearson, M. D. (H.); 2, Arthur, A. N. (G.). 59yds. 1ft.

THROWING CRICKET BALL, open: 1, Nelson, M. C. (D.); 2, Edmondson, L. (H.). 85yds. 6ins.

LONG JUMP, open: 1, Nelson, M. C. (D.); 2, Howard, R. E. (B.). 15ft. 1½ins.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.—

Div. 1., 70 Yards: 1, Ratcliffe, J. G.; 2, Shevloff, F.

Div. 2, 60 Yards: 1, Perkins, W.; 2, Mountain, G.

Div. 3, 60 Yards: 1, Shevloff, R.; 2, Duff, H.

80 YARDS, under 10: 1, Woodward, J. (A.); 2, Hemmerdinger, C. A. (Be.).

80 YARDS, under 11: 1, Almond, H. B. M. (A.); 2, Kendall, E. C. (A.).

HIGH JUMP, under 14: 1, Mitchell, E. (D.); 2, Glover, W. (D.). 3ft. 10ins.

HIGH JUMP, under 15: 1, Dillingham, H. V. (B.); 2, Steele, R. G. (Be.). 3ft. 10ins.

HIGH JUMP, open: 1, Swinn, R. C. (B.); 2, Briggs, C. S. (G.). 4ft. 8ins.

HURDLES, open: 1, Howard, R. E. (B.); 2, Ackroyd, C. B. (Be.). 18½ secs.

HURDLES, under 16: 1, Pearson, M. D. (H.); 2, Leeming, F. B. (D.). 18½ secs.

HURDLES, under 15: 1, Steele, R. G. (Be.); 2, Webb, E. N. (G.).

HURDLES, under 14: 1, Campbell, C. D. (A.); 2, Glover, W. (G.).

HOUSE LACROSSE PASSING: Dalton House.

ONE MILE, open: 1, Edmondson, L. (H.); 2, Berry, W. (B.); 3, Lea, T. R. (D.). 5 mins. 15 secs.

220 YARDS HANDICAP, under 11: 1, Almond, H. B. M.; 2, Kendall, E. C.; 3, Godbold, C. E.

100 YARDS, open: 1, Swinn, R. C. (B.); 2, Ackroyd, C. B. (Be.); 3, Edmondson, L. (H.). 11½ secs.

100 YARDS, under 16: 1, Bourne, J. J. (Be.); 2, Beattie, A. L. (Be.); 3, Pearson, M. D. (H.).

100 YARDS, under 15: 1, Appleton, S. K. (B.); 2, Webb, E. N. (G.); 3, Steele, R. G. (Be.).

100 YARDS, under 14: 1, Glover, W. (G.); 2, Mitchell, E. (G.); 3, Riley, P. E. (B.).

100 YARDS, under 13: 1, Horrocks, G. (B.); 2, Hunt, C. H. (H.), and Smith, S. (D.), dead heat.

100 YARDS, under 12: 1, Doubleday, E. H. (Be.); 2, Westbrook, A. K. (A.); 3, Emmerson, A. (A.).

HALF MILE, open: 1, Edmondson, L. (H.); 2, Howard, R. E. (B.); 3, Lea, T. R. (D.). 2 min. 23½ secs.

QUARTER MILE, under 16: 1, Beattie, A. L. (Be.); 2, Pearson, M. D. (H.); 3, Steele, R. G. (Be.). 1 min. 5 secs.

220 YARDS HANDICAP, under 13: 1, Westbrook, A. K.; 2, Doubleday, E. H.; 3, Forrest, M. G.; 4, Smith, S.

HOUSE TEAM RACE, seniors: Byrom.

HOUSE TEAM RACE, juniors: Gaskell.

OLD HULMEIANS RACE: 1, Briggs, J. E.; 2, Powell, A. L.

300 YARDS HANDICAP, under 15: 1, Paulden, F.; 2, Nelson, G. W.; 3, Fowler, G.

SACK RACE, under 14: 1, Woodward, A. J.; 2, Andrews, H. W.; 3, Allman, T. B.

HOUSE TUG-OF-WAR: Byrom House.

CONSOLATION RACE: 1, Jones, J. A. W.; 2, Pollitt, H. N.

OFFICERS.

President: The Head Master. *Hon. Sec. and Clerk of the Course:* T. Tyson, Esq. *Hon. Treasurer:* A. O. Gatley, Esq. *Starters:* J. I. Franklin, Esq., J. A. Barber, Esq., J. Dorrans, Esq., A. L. Powell, Esq. *Judges:* B. Brockbank, Esq., A. A. Dallman, Esq.; E. D. Davies, Esq., W. W. De Gruchy, Esq., C. E. Kelsey, Esq., M. C. Meere, Esq., J. W.

Morley, Esq., Rev. W. G. Roberts, R. Theobald, Esq., Rev. W. H. Thomson, P. Toll, Esq., Miss M. E. Smith. *Referee*: E. G. W. Hewlett, Esq. *Timekeeper*: F. Adams, Esq. *Drill Instructor*: C.S.M. I. Johnson. *Stewards*: L. Edmondson, R. E. Howard, T. R. Lea, G. Lister, C. M. Nelson, R. Walshaw.

Football.

The following were awarded Caps at the close of the season:—

First Team: Edmondson, L., Swinn, R., Nelson, M. C.; Second Team: Jones, J. A. W., Swinn, W., Ackroyd, C. B., Marson, A. O., Johnson, S., Lea, T. R., Redshaw, C. V.

A few matches were played after our last number went to press, of which the results were as follows:—

First Team v. Oldham Hulme School, March 26th. Won, 13-0.

First Team v. Oldham Hulme School, April 2nd. Won, 11-2.

First Team v. "Parents and Masters." April 5th. Draw, 3-3.

Lacrosse.

First Team Caps were awarded to Edmondson, L., Lea, T. R., and Howard, R. E.

The following matches were played since our last number:—

First Team v. An Old Hulmeians Team. March 22nd. Won, 13-4.

First Team v. Wacoboys L.C. March 29th. Won, 15-4.

The Lacrosse Flags Competition was decided by ties between the four senior houses, as follows:—

Dalton House, 14 goals; Heywood, 3.

Gaskell House, 11 goals; Byrom, 6.

Final: Dalton beat Gaskell 16-6, and won the flags.

Old Hulmeians and the War.

On Ascension Day evening a tablet in memory of the late Sec. Lieut. G. S. Walker, Manchester Regiment, killed in action on October 23rd last, was unveiled at St. James' Church, Moss Side, by the rector. The Head Master took part in the service, and a detachment from the School Corps was present under the command of Cadet Capt. J. A. Barber.

We are glad to welcome back Theodore Fisher, late Royal Fusiliers, who has quite recovered from his wound and the hardships he suffered as prisoner of war. He has already resumed his work as Honorary General Secretary of the O.H. Association.

Pro Patria Mortui. PREVIOUS TOTAL, 96.

COOPER, CHARLES EDWARD.

COOPER, DAVID GARDINER.

MERCHANT, ALFRED.

WINROW, HARRY.

OLD HULMEIANS WHO HAVE SERVED. (TOTAL, 656).

COOPER, C. E.	.. .. .	South African Infantry (died of wounds July, 1918).
LIVESLEY, R. E.	.. .. .	Lieutenant Engineer, Royal Navy.
LUKE, F.	.. .. .	Royal Engineers.
VAN DER VEEN, H.	.. .. .	R.A.F.

PROMOTIONS, &C.

CLIFT, S. N.	.. .. .	2nd Lieutenant, R.A.F.
COOPER, H.	.. .. .	Sergeant, Royal Welsh Fusiliers. MILITARY MEDAL.
HAWORTH, R.	.. .. .	2nd Lieutenant, Motor Ambulance Corps.
JAGO, F. B.	.. .. .	Captain R.A.M.C., attached Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
ROWBOTHAM, N.	.. .. .	Lieutenant, Aircraft Inspection Dept.
WOODS, W. D.	.. .. .	Orderly Room Sergeant, King's Liverpool Regt.

DEATHS.

Private C. E. COOPER, South African Infantry, died of wounds in July, 1918, when prisoner of war. He was 26 years of age, and was at the School from April, 1905, to April, 1908. His elder brother, A. M. Cooper, a captain in the Merchant Service, has been torpedoed four times, and his younger brother, Sergeant H. Cooper, has gained the Military Medal.

Lieutenant D. G. COOPER, R.A.F., was killed whilst flying at Leuchars, on May 9th, aged 19. He was at the School from September, 1912, to April, 1915 (Modern Fifth).

Lieutenant ALFRED MERCHANT, 11th Lancashire Fusiliers, was reported wounded and missing April, 1918, near Steenwoerk, and his death is now presumed. He was a well-known Lacrosse player, a member of the Old Hulmeians team which won the last English championship, and played for the county. He was Assistant General Secretary of the Old Hulmeians Association, and was universally popular. He trained for his commission in the Manchester University O.T.C. He was at the School from April, 1895, to July, 1897, and was aged 35.

Private HARRY WINROW, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, at first reported missing, now presumed killed in April, 1918, was at the School from September, 1910, to Easter, 1913.

DISTINCTIONS.

MILITARY CROSS: Lieut. W. G. Codling, Royal Engineers.

MILITARY MEDAL: The late Lance-Corporal G. B. Stansby, Northamptonshire Regiment, who was killed in action on September 21st last. Before his death was known, the Major-General commanding the 18th Division wrote to Lance-Corporal Stansby as follows: "I have read with great pleasure the report of your Regimental Commander and Brigade Commander regarding your gallant conduct and devotion to duty in the field on September 19th, 1918, near Roussoy." The Military Medal was awarded to him posthumously in June last.

Sergeant Hubert Cooper, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

ITALIAN CROSS: Second Lieutenant R. Haworth, Motor Ambulance.

MENTIONED IN DISPATCHES.—Captain J. F. Brister, 9th Bn. Manchester Regiment (T.F.), was included in Sir D. Haig's despatch of July 8th, amongst those serving under his command whose distinguished and gallant services and devotion to duty he considered deserving of special mention.

Cadet Corps.

On June 6th, the East Lancashire Territorial Association recognised the unit as two companies, consequently, we want as many recruits as possible so that the strength of each company may not fall below 40 Cadets.

The Whitsuntide Camp was held at Grange-over-Sands this year, and the site proved in every way a most satisfactory one. Favoured by excellent weather, a very good 10 days' training was done. We were visited by Colonel Moore, the Staff Officer of the East Lancashire Territorial Association, on Whit Wednesday, and by his remarks he was evidently very satisfied with what he saw. All on parade are to be congratulated for the excellent manner in which they went through a stiff day's work.

The usual competition for the most efficient tent squad was again held on the last Saturday morning in camp and, after a very keen contest, the Corporals were awarded the first prize, which was very kindly given by Mrs. Mason. No. 6 tent (a very good squad) were awarded the second prize. We wish to record our thanks to Mrs. Mason for the prize, and also to Mr. Dorrans for his very valuable help in camp.

On July 29th, we intend to join other units of the Public Secondary Schools Cadet Association, in camp at Rowlston, near Hornsea, and, as the camp is being organised with a view of showing the powers that be in the Northern Command, the work that is being done by School units, with a view of further and fuller recognition, it is hoped that all efficient cadets will make an effort to attend. This may be an occasion for those who attend to bring further credit to their School. The excellence of the band at the last grouped units' camp at Chatsworth is still talked about at the meetings of the Association. This year we want to bring

home the Challenge Cup for the most efficient unit.

The following promotions have been made this term, to date from June 17th:—

Sergeants T. R. Lea and L. Edmondson to be Company Sergeant Majors.

Corporal W. S. Swinn to be Sergeant.

Lance-Corporals R. Walshaw, R. C. Swinn, and C. V. Redshaw to be Corporals.

Cadet A. A. Walker to be Lance-Corporal.

To date from June 23rd:—

Corporal R. E. Howard to be Sergeant.

Conduct and Proficiency Stripes have been awarded to Cadets J. H. Allman, R. B. Broadbent, S. Johnson, C. T. Sower, A. L. Bottrill, A. L. Crompton, R. B. Goodwin, A. N. Johnson, W. M. Lowick, E. C. Bradshaw, and A. L. Beattie.

J. A. BARBER,

Cadet Captain, Officer Commanding.

The Scout Troop.

Whit Week Camp was held as usual at Bosley, near Congleton, in Cheshire, and was attended by 24 scouts and officers. The Troop was in camp for 11 days, and a very good time we all had.

In August a Summer Camp is to be held at Birkdale, Southport, and as arrangements are being made for the holding of Proficiency Badge examinations, it is hoped that as many scouts as possible will attend to uphold the prestige of the Troop in Badge Work—the second most important branch of scout training.

In recent examinations the following successes were obtained by the Troop:—

First Class: P.L. Appleton, S. K.; Missioner: P.L. Forrest, S. J.; Ambulance: P.L. Forrest, S. J.; Handyman: P.L. Appleton, S. K.; P.L. Forrest, S. J.; Sec. Cooke, F.; Sec. Appleton, E. P.; Cook: P.L. Hobson; P.L. Billcliff, W.; P.L. Coe; Sec. Somerville.

For these badges 12 scouts were entered, and the single failure came in the Ambulance—which badge is not easily obtained, and therefore is much coveted by scouts.

In the Divisional Swimming Gala the following figured in the prize list:—

A.S.M. Morley (officers' race), Rover Scout Berry, Rover Scout Muller.

PELHAM TOLL,
Scoutmaster, 165th M/c.

Cricket, 1919.

President: The Head Master. *Hon. Treasurer*: Mr. J. A. Barber. *Hon. Secretary*: Mr. A. L. Powell. *Captain*: G. Lister. *Vice-Captain*: R. E. Howard. *Captain of Second Eleven*: W. S. Swinn. *Captain of Under 14 Eleven*: D. Campbell. *House Representatives on Games Club Committee*: R. E. Howard, W. Swinn, A. A. Walker (Byrom); M. C. Nelson, A. H. Marson, T. R. Lea (Dalton); G. Lister, C. V. Redshaw, C. S. Briggs (Gaskell); L. Edmondson, R. Walshaw, S. Johnson (Heywood). *Cricket Professional*: E. Ankin.

CRICKET NOTES.

The spell of fine weather during the early part of the season was very fortunate for us, enabling us to get plenty of practice at the time it was most needed. We opened the season woefully short of bowlers on both First and Second Elevens, but since then there have been several "discoveries," notably Ackroyd, who achieved a sensational feat in the first match, and Redshaw. Neither of these players bowled last year, but they are now doing very well. With Lister, Nelson, and Lea as change bowlers, we are now in a fairly comfortable position as far as that side is concerned. Unfortunately, we have thrown many runs away by our poor fielding, and though this failing is being remedied as the season progresses, it still leaves much to be desired. Clean and keen fielding contribute so much to the enjoyment of the game both for the player and the spectator. A catch might often be made with the help of a timely sprint instead of the ball being caught after the first bounce, while a quick and neat return often means a wicket.

With regard to the batting, we are paying the penalty for the sins of last season. As was then feared, the faults at that time developing have shown up more clearly this year; there has been the same tendency to run away from a ball on the leg stump, and the same inability to make a strong forward stroke. In the match at Bowdon most of the team were out through playing back instead of forward.

The team, as a whole, has shown considerable keenness at practice, and has improved

tremendously, so that the record is quite a good one.

The choosing of a Second Eleven at the end of April was exceedingly difficult, and not because of the abundance of talent. The batting and fielding are even now particularly poor, and at the time of writing they have still to win their first match. However, there are several very keen boys among them, and before the end of the season we shall probably have at least three or four good all-round players who ought to prove useful next year. Most boys now know their own particular failings, and if they will bear them in mind at the nets, where mistakes may be made without fear, they will improve quickly.

The Under 14 XI. has not been quite so successful as last year, nor has it been as keen. Possibly there is a connection between the two. Evening practice has not been nearly as regular, though this is in part due to the increase in the number of Form games at night.

Boys on the Under 14 team ought to be developing a sound style of batting and learning to be quick and neat in the field, so as to supply next year's Second Eleven with at least two or three good cricketers.

Glover has bowled well, and Campbell, D., has made good use of his physique to punish loose balls.

The usual Under 14 Team has been: Campbell, D. (captain), Campbell, G., Glover, W., Pogson, A. H., Smith, M. W., Coe, N. R., Mitchell, E., Fielding, H., Gray, Cherry, L., Crompton, F. The following have also played: Barker, N. A., Alston, N. A., Allman, T., Horrocks, G., Mawdsley, J., Swinn, N.

There have been some interesting Form games among Junior Forms in the evenings, particularly among the Lower and Upper Thirds. These boys, especially those who are not quite good enough for a place on the Under 14 XI., will do well to remember that really good "First Teamers" are made at this stage.

MATCH RESULTS (TO JUNE 28TH).

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn
First Eleven	10	7	3	0
Second Eleven	8	0	7	1
Under 14 Eleven	7	5	2	0

AVERAGES OF THE FIRST ELEVEN. (TO JUNE 25TH.)

BATTING.

	Inngs.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Total Runs.	Av'ge.
Nelson, M. C.	9	2	59*	106	15.14
Marson, A. H.	7	2	27*	69	13.8
Redshaw, C. V.	9	3	18*	63	10.5
Ackroyd, C. B.	9	3	23*	49	9.8
Lea, T. R.	9	0	35	81	9
Walshaw, R.	7	0	33	59	8.43
Howard, R. E.	9	0	31	74	8.22
Lister, G.	9	0	17	58	6.44
Walker, A. A.	9	0	16	50	5.55
Johnson, S.	8	0	10	23	2.89
Edmondson, L.	7	0	9	15	2.14

* Not out.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av'ge.
Nelson, M. C.	30.3	14	69	17	4.06
Redshaw, C. V.	53.4	16	104	22	4.73
Lea, T. R.	29.5	9	58	11	5.27
Ackroyd, C. B.	61	12	161	27	5.96
Lister, G.	32	9	60	9	6.6

AVERAGES OF THE SECOND ELEVEN.

BATTING.

	Inngs.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Total Runs.	Av'ge.
Brown, G. S.	3	1	25*	39	19.5
Flood, E. G.	5	2	26*	41	13.66
Pearson, M. D.	8	0	18	54	6.75
Trafford, A. S.	6	1	13	32	6.4
Upton, R. G.	8	2	9	34	5.66
Midgley, D.	8	0	20	41	5.12
Swinn, W. S.	8	0	13	36	4.5
Allman, J. H.	8	0	13	32	4.00
Briggs, C. S.	6	0	12	21	3.5
Jones, J. A. W.	4	0	5	12	3.00
Swinn, R.	8	0	10	23	2.87

* Not out.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av'ge.
Trafford, A. S.	13.5	2	21	4	5.25
Midgley, D.	56.2	5	181	27	6.70
Jones, J. A. W.	56	11	150	13	11.53
Pearson, M. D.	63.4	4	208	15	13.87
Bushell, A. F.	18	5	37	2	18.5

CHARACTERS OF THE FIRST ELEVEN.

LISTER, G. (captain).—Has set an excellent example to his men. Bats well, and is a very useful bowler. Good in the field.

HOWARD, R. E. (vice-captain).—A stylish batsman, and has made some useful scores. Has proved a good stumper.

NELSON, M. C.—A good all-round player; has done some good work with both bat and ball. A safe fielder.

LEA, T. R.—A good bat, but has been rather unlucky. A useful change bowler.

WALSHAW, R.—Has a style of his own with the bat, which has not proved unsuccessful. Weak in the field.

EDMONDSON, L.—Has improved in his batting since the beginning of the season, but is still rather weak. A very good fielder.

WALKER, A. A.—A useful and painstaking bat. Very good in the long field.

MARSON, A. H.—A good and reliable bat. Only moderate in the field.

REDSHAW, C. V.—Has improved greatly since the beginning of the season. A good bowler and a hard hitter. Safe in the field.

ACKROYD, C. B.—Bowls well, but has not quite fulfilled the promise of his excellent beginning. Should try to play with a straighter bat.

JOHNSON, S.—Must learn to stand up to the wicket. A weak fielder.

LIVESLEY CRICKET SHIELD.

Two rounds of this competition for House Championship in cricket have been played with the following results:—

May 14th. Byrom 1st 69 (Walker 21, Midgley 12); Heywood 1st 44 (Kemp 15, Terry not out 10). Byrom won the 2nd and Heywood the 3rd.

Dalton 1st 88 for 6 (Marson not out 38, Lea 16, Nelson 15); Gaskell 1st 69 (Campbell, George, 12). Dalton won the 2nd and 3rd.

Beta 1st 111 for 6 (Ackroyd 54, Flood 22); Alpha 1st 52 (Brown, E., 13, Latham 13). Beta won the 2nd and 3rd.

May 31st. Byrom 1st 45; Alpha 1st 36. Byrom won the 2nd and 3rd.

Gaskell 1st 64 (Lister 26); Heywood 1st 54 (Douglas 12). Heywood won the 2nd and 3rd.

Dalton 1st 109 (Bushell 28); Beta 1st 36. Dalton won the 2nd and 3rd.

Points: Dalton 24; Byrom 22; Beta 12; Heywood 8; Gaskell 6; Alpha 0.

HOUSE CRICKET LEAGUE.

Six rounds have been played in this half-holiday competition for boys not on School

teams. The points gained down to June 28th were as follows:—

Heywood	44
Alpha	39
Beta	38
Byrom	29
Gaskell	12
Dalton	6

FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

May 7th. Home. Lost. We won the toss and put them in first. Except for one batsman they offered little resistance and were easily dismissed for a total of 42. Ackroyd did the hat-trick, and took 8 wickets for 5 runs. We went in to bat on a bowler's wicket, but in spite of this our batting was very poor, and the last wicket fell for a total of 23. Score:—

Manchester Grammar School.

Turner b Ackroyd	5
Tarbett b Ackroyd	22
Craig lbw b Ackroyd	0
Richardson b Ackroyd	3
Kemp b Ackroyd	0
Windson lbw b Ackroyd	0
Jacques b Ackroyd	0
Bowden b Redshaw	4
Geldart b Redshaw	0
Brown not out	3
Corbishley b Ackroyd	1
Extras	4
Total	42

The School.

Johnson c Turner b Tarbett	2
Walshaw run out	0
Lea b Windson	2
Lister c Kemp b Tarbett	3
Howard c Corbishley b Windson	3
Nelson not out	7
Walker c Richardson b Tarbett	1
Ackroyd b Tarbett	3
Marson c Richardson b Tarbett	0
Edmondson b Tarbett	0
Redshaw stumped — b Tarbett	2
Total	23

v. HULME HALL.

May 10th. Home. Won. We won the toss and took the field. Wickets went down fairly regularly and they were dismissed for 60. Our first two batsmen opened well, a score of 31 being recorded before the partnership was dissolved. We passed their total with only three wickets down, and scored 87. Wickets: Mr. Tyson, 3 for 18; Ackroyd, 4 for 28. After the match we were kindly entertained at tea by the visiting team. Score:—

Hulme Hall.

Minton b Ackroyd	16
Griffiths b Mr. Tyson	1
Emmett c and b Ackroyd	11
Sharpe c Redshaw b Mr. Tyson	2
Mr. Powell b Ackroyd	0
Newton run out	1
Pickup b Mr. Tyson	10
Goodall b Ackroyd	0
Price lbw b Redshaw	0
Watson not out	4
Bedford c Walker b Lea	9
Extras	6
Total	60

The School.

Mr. Barber b Mr. Powell	38
Mr. Tyson b Minton	13
Mr. Theobald b Mr. Powell	1
Lister b Mr. Powell	6
Howard lbw b Goodall	1
Nelson b Goodall	5
Lea c sub b Goodall	0
Walker run out	0
Marson c Emmett b Watson	13
Ackroyd st Emmett b Goodall	6
Redshaw not out	2
Extras	2
Total	87

v. HULME SCHOOL, OLDHAM.

May 17th. Away. Won. We lost the toss and were put in first. The wicket favoured the batsmen, and our score mounted up rapidly,

passing the century before the last wicket fell. A sharp shower of rain rendered the wicket more favourable to bowling, and with this to aid us they were quickly dismissed for a total of 65. Wickets: Redshaw, 6 for 10; Lister, 2 for 2. Score:—

The School.

Johnson c Taylor b Lecomber	10
Walshaw c Lecomber b Holt	0
Lea b Holt	5
Lister b Holt	5
Howard c and b Lecomber	9
Nelson c and b Lecomber	20
Walker b Lecomber	8
Marson b Taylor	14
Edmondson c Holt b Taylor	0
Ackroyd c and b Holt	7
Redshaw not out	18
Extras	8
Total	104

Hulme School, Oldham.

Taylor not out	23
Mellor b Ackroyd	9
Horrocks b Redshaw	17
Lecomber c Howard b Redshaw	0
Mottram c Howard b Redshaw	0
Holt c Lea b Redshaw	0
Hayes c Nelson b Redshaw	0
Buckley b Redshaw	1
Whittle b Lister	1
Boardman b Lister	0
Turner c Edmondson b Nelson	3
Extras	11
Total	65

v. HULME HALL.

May 21st. Home. Won. We lost the toss and they went in first. Our bowling was good and wickets fell regularly, the whole side being out for 70. We lost 8 wickets for 60, but Redshaw hit out well, and we passed their total with two wickets to fall. Wickets: Nelson, 4 for 6; Redshaw, 3 for 17. Score:—

Hulme Hall.

Rogers c Howard b Redshaw	7
Minton c and b Ackroyd	12
Mr. Powell b Redshaw	1
Newton b Nelson	0
Emmett c Walker b Nelson	8
Birchall b Nelson	16
Sharpe c Lea b Nelson	3
Watson not out	9
Bedford c Walker b Redshaw	0
Goodall c Nelson b Lister	6
Wood b Lister	1
Extras	7

Total 70

The School.

Mr. Barber c Minton b Goodall	11
Mr. Theobald run out	13
Johnson c Wood b Rogers	0
Lister c Emmett b Goodall	6
Howard b Goodall	6
Nelson b Powell	12
Lea b Rogers	12
Walker b Powell	0
Marson b Goodall	1
Redshaw c Wood b Rogers	11
Ackroyd not out	1
Extras	9

Total 82

v. THE MASTERS.

(Twelve-a-side.)

May 24th. Home. Won. We won the toss and put our opponents in first. The first wicket fell to the first ball, but Mr. Theobald played a very good game for 23. Our batting was fairly good, and we passed their score with one wicket down. Our tail came out fairly easily, but we just reached the century. Lea took 5 wickets for 10. Score:—

Masters.

Mr. Barber c Johnson b Ackroyd	0
Mr. Theobald b Lea	23
Mr. Brockbank c Lea b Redshaw	3
Mr. Tyson b Ackroyd	3
Mr. Roberts b Redshaw	3
Mr. Powell c Ackroyd b Nelson	5

Mr. Franklin c Marson b Lea	5
Mr. Meere b Nelson	0
Mr. Gatley c Johnson b Lea	1
Mr. Adams not out	1
Mr. Morley b Lea	0
Mr. Davies b Lea	0
Extras	5

Total 49

The School.

Johnson b Mr. Tyson	1
Walshaw b Mr. Tyson	22
Lea b Mr. Tyson	35
Lister b Mr. Brockbank	3
Howard st Mr. Barber b Mr. Brockbank	11
Nelson c Mr. Barber b Mr. Tyson	0
Walker c Mr. Barber b Mr. Tyson	1
Marson not out	13
Edmondson b Mr. Tyson	0
Redshaw b Mr. Brockbank	3
Briggs c Mr. Barber b Mr. Brockbank	0
Ackroyd c Mr. Powell b Mr. Brockbank	6
Extras	15

Total 100

v. BURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

May 28th. Home. Won. We lost the toss and were put in first. Runs came freely, and after a lengthy innings we declared with a score of 136 for 8 wickets to our credit. They were easily dismissed for a total of 25, Ackroyd taking 5 wickets for 6 runs. Score:—

The School.

Johnson b Taylor	3
Walshaw b Dearden, W. H.	33
Lea b Taylor	13
Lister c Dearden, A. C., b Taylor	17
Howard c Peake b Taylor	0
Nelson c Cooper b Taylor	0
Walker c Furlong b Dearden	16
Marson not out	27
Edmondson b Dearden	0
Redshaw not out	18
Extras	9

Total for 8 wickets 136

Bury Grammar School.

Dearden, W. H., c Nelson b Redshaw	1
Lee st Howard b Ackroyd	0
Watson b Ackroyd	0
Bott run out	6
Dearden, A. C., b Ackroyd	0
Taylor b Ackroyd	0
Cooper b Redshaw	1
Peake b Ackroyd	0
Howarth c Howard b Lea	5
Furlong not out	6
Pickford c Walker b Lea	4
Extras	2
Total	25

v. SALFORD TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

June 18th. Away. Won. The wicket was in a very bad condition, as was our batting, and we only managed to total 56, thanks chiefly to Howard's enterprise. Salford did very little against our bowlers, most of their total coming from three batsmen. Nelson took 4 wickets for 8; Lister 3 for 15. Score:—

The School.

Johnson c Probett b Broome	1
Walshaw c and b Broome	0
Lea, c McCulloch b Broome	3
Lister lbw b Walker	2
Howard c and b Walker	3 ¹
Nelson b Broome	0
Walker c O'Donnell b Walker	9
Marson b Broome	1
Edmondson b Walker	2
Redshaw b Walker	1
Ackroyd not out	0
Extras	6
Total	56

Salford Technical.

Birdsall c Lea b Ackroyd	0
McCulloch st Howard b Ackroyd	0
Broome c Johnston b Lister	19
Walker c Redshaw b Lister	9
Probett c Redshaw b Lister	2
Walmsly run out	0
Grundy c Redshaw b Lister	1
Povey b Nelson	1

Partington not out	0
Cantall lbw b Nelson	6
O'Donnell b Nelson	0
Extras	2
Total	40

v. BOWDON COLLEGE.

June 21st. Away. Lost. Bowdon won the toss and went in to bat. Wickets fell regularly but not very rapidly, many catches being missed. Going in against a total of 84, we began badly, but Howard and Walker improved the outlook. The next batsmen continued the scoring but we were all dismissed for 59. Score:—

Bowdon College.

Smith c and b Lea	12
Marland c Redshaw b Lister	12
Baronian b Lea	7
Roberts b Redshaw	17
Cowley b Redshaw	1
Lees c Nelson b Ackroyd	1
Edmondson c Edmondson b Ackroyd	1
Thompson c Lister b Nelson	6
Kitchen c Edmondson b Lister	4
Fasham b Redshaw	11
Marsh not out	5
Extras	7
Total	84

The School.

Johnson b Marland	6
Walshaw b Marland	2
Lea b Roberts	1
Lister b Roberts	1
Howard b Roberts	12
Nelson run out	3
Walker c Smith b Roberts	10
Edmondson b Marland	9
Redshaw run out	8
Ackroyd b Marland	3
Trafford not out	0
Extras	4
Total	59

v. MACCLESFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

June 25th. Away. Won. We won the toss and put them in. They batted well and totalled 93. After a bad start we improved and Nelson, coming in fifth, gave a very good display. We were still a run behind when the last man, Ackroyd, joined Nelson, but the score was carried to 154 for 9, when stumps were drawn, Nelson and Ackroyd carrying out their bats for 59 and 23 respectively. Score:—

Macclesfield Grammar School.

Braster c Ackroyd b Nelson	16
Wood c Lea b Redshaw	2
Dobson b Ackroyd	27
Gatley b Redshaw	1
Tryer c Ackroyd b Nelson	1
Reekie b Lea	13
Clayton c and b Ackroyd	6
Gibson lbw b Redshaw	5
Wellings b Nelson	5
Foreman not out	4
Warren lbw b Nelson	0
Extras	13
Total	93

The School.

Lea c Brester b Tryer	10
Walshaw b Gibson	2
Redshaw c Warren b Gibson	0
Lister c Braster b Tryer	15
Howard b Gatley	0
Nelson not out	59
Walker c Dobson b Gatley	5
Edmondson b Braster	4
Briggs b Gibson	12
Johnson run out	0
Ackroyd not out	23
Extras	24
Total	154

v. ST. BEDE'S COLLEGE.

June 28th. Home. Lost. Scores:—

The School.

Lea b Wilson	0
Walshaw c Yarnitsky b Hughes	6
Redshaw b Wilson	1
Lister b Wilson	2
Howard b Wilson	8

Nelson run out	0
Marson b Wilson	0
Walker b Hughes	0
Edmondson b Hughes	9
Briggs b Wilson	6
Ackroyd not out	19
Extras	0
Total	51

St. Bede's.

Hughes c Briggs b Nelson	32
Delany b Lea	7
Wilson b Redshaw	28
Kelly c Walker b Lister	26
Ruddesham b Ackroyd	3
McNulty b Redshaw	0
Cave c Howard b Redshaw	0
Livingstone c Lea b Lister	11
Yarnitsky b Nelson	3
Hargreaves c Nelson b Lister	1
Tetlow not out	5
Extras	14
Total	130

SECOND ELEVEN MATCHES.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL 2ND.—

May 7th. Away. Lost. Second Eleven: Midgley 20, Jones, J. A. W., 2, Briggs 12, Trafford 1, Swinn, W., 0, Pearson 1, Swinn, R., 1, Upton 6, Tinker 0, Allman 1, Bushell not out 2, extras 3, total 49. Manchester Grammar School 122 for 7.

v. OLDHAM SECONDARY SCHOOL 1ST.—May 17th. Away. Lost. Second Eleven: Midgley 6, Jones 6, Briggs 0, Pearson 3, Swinn, W., 13, Swinn, R., 10, Allman 1, Sykes 0, Upton 0, Bushell not out 5, Trafford 4, extras 7, total 55. Oldham 144.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL 2ND.—May 21st. Home. Lost. Second Eleven 36 (Midgley 10, Allman 13). Manchester Grammar School 124.

v. BURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL 2ND.—May 28th. Away. Lost. Second Eleven: Midgley 0, Pearson 1, Jones 3, Briggs 1, Swinn, W., 2, Swinn, R., 7, Allman 6, Sykes 0, Flood not out 26, Upton 7, Trafford 0, extras 6, total 59. Bury 2nd 91. Wickets: Jones 5 for 36, Pearson 4 for 40.

v. SALFORD TECHNICAL INSTITUTE 2ND.—June 18th. Home. Lost. Second Eleven: Midgley 1, Upton 1, Briggs 4, Pearson 11, Swinn, W., 3, Swinn, R., 4, Flood 7, Allman 4, Brown 3, Bushell 3, Trafford not out 3, extras 3, total 47. Salford 2nd 50. Midgley performed a very good bowling feat, taking 9 wickets for 25 runs.

v. CHORLTON-CUM-HARDY 2ND.—June 21st. Home. Lost. To meet these strong opponents our team was stiffened by Mr. Barber, Mr. Meere, and the professional, E. Ankin. Score: Chorlton 2nd 122 (Woollam 33). Second Eleven: Midgley 1, Mr. Barber 9, Pearson 8, Ankin, E., 0, Mr. Meere 1, Flood 5, Briggs 2, Swinn, W., 9, Swinn, R., 1, Allman 0, Upton not out 2, extras 9, total 47. Wickets: Mr. Barber 5 for 36. Midgley 4 for 29.

v. ALTRINCHAM COUNTY SCHOOL 1ST.—June 25th. Away. A tie. Second Eleven: Trafford 13, Upton 7, Pearson 18, Midgley 2, Swinn, W., 6, Swinn, R., 0, Allman 0, Flood 2, Brown, G. S., not out 25, Kemp 4, Leeming 0, extras 17, total 94. Wickets: Midgley 6 for 31, Trafford 3 for 2.

v. ST. BEDE'S COLLEGE 2ND.—June 28th. Away. Lost. Second Eleven: Upton 9, Johnson 12, Midgley 1, Pearson 12, Swinn, W., 4,

Allman 7, Swinn, R., 0, Brown, G. S., 11, Flood not out 1, Trafford 6, Kemp 4, extras 8, total 75. St. Bede's 133 (Hickey 72). Midgley took 7 wickets.

UNDER 14 MATCHES.

v. SWINTON SCHOOLS.—May 7th. Home. Won. H.G.S. 86 (Pogson 10, Campbell, D., 10, Campbell, G., 13, Coe 22). Swinton 46.

v. SOUTH MANCHESTER SCHOOL.—May 10th. Away. Won. H.G.S. 56 (Glover 20); South Manchester 15.

v. HULME SCHOOL, OLDHAM (under 14).—May 17th. Home. Lost. Oldham 52; H.G.S. 26 (Coe 15).

v. CHETHAM'S HOSPITAL.—May 21st. Home. Won. H.G.S. 54 (Campbell, D., 13) and 34; Chetham's 34 and 35.

v. BURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL (under 14).—May 28th. Home. Won. Bury 36 and 79; H.G.S. 97 (Campbell, G., 32, Crompton, F., 17).

v. SWINTON SCHOOLS.—June 18th. Away. Lost. H.G.S. 11; Swinton 37.

v. SOUTH MANCHESTER SCHOOL.—June 28th. Home. Won. H.G.S. 38, and 47 for 6; South Manchester 22 and 25.