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School Notes and News.

At the end of this term, Miss M. E. Smith is retiring from her work as head of the Preparatory Department after a long and devoted teaching life, of which the last 14 years have been spent with us. Our Preparatory was opened in 1908, when the Whalley Range High School passed under the Manchester Education Committee and ceased to admit small boys to its kindergarten class. At the instance of Dr. Joseph Hall, the Governors opened a department for boys from six to nine, and secured for its direction the valuable experience of Miss Smith who had been 14

years in charge of the kindergarten at Whalley Range. It started with twelve boys in classroom 7, and soon another room was required as the numbers grew. After ten years in the main building, Peveril Mount was bought by the Governors and the work transferred there. At present there are 71 boys and a staff of four. All along the "Prep" has provided a supply of well trained boys to the main school and to Miss Smith's skill and influence its growth and continued success are very largely due. Our best wishes go with her.

Miss Mitford Smith will succeed her as Senior Mistress of the Preparatory Department

The Prefects this term have been as follows:—C. D. Campbell, J. C. Beggs, G. Fowler, K. S. Evans, M. W. Smith, G. R. Barnes, D. T. Eastwood, A. G. Campbell, N. A. Barber, G. Classen, T. B. Allman.

Higher School Certificates of the Joint Matriculation Board were gained last summer by K. S. Evans (English Literature, French, History, Latin); M. W. Lymer (English Literature, French, German, History); L. H. Oldfield (English Literature, French, History, Latin), and A. L. H. Perry (English Literature, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry).

Matriculation Certificates were gained by the following with distinction in the subjects named:—N. A. Alston (Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry), G. F. Drummond (Geography, Mathematics), P. D. Coppock (Chemistry), N. Hands, J. E. Jackson (Latin), and J. Short (Mathematics).

Joint Matriculation:—G. Fowler.

School Certificates were gained by A. N. Martin (distinction in Geography), J. W. Avery, F. A. Bice, A. G. Campbell, G. Classen, L. Darley, J. S. Dooley, E. Flanagan, W. N. Jones, G. W. Nelson, J. C. Preston, R. H. Taylor (distinction in Mathematics), E. T. Spreckley, F. W. Tracy, H. E. Turner and L. J. Worrall.

A. H. L. Perry has obtained a Manchester Education Committee University Scholarship of £60, tenable for three years at the College of Technology.

The following awards were made by the Governors last summer to boys in the school:—Elementary school scholarships tenable for two years to A. F. Crawford and G. Corbett; tenable for three years to W. W. Simpson and S. Pemberton. Foundation scholarships tenable for one year to M. W. Smith, tenable for two years to G. Classen, tenable for three years to J. H. Jordan, W. Hilton, H. N. Beggs, P. M. Goodwin, F. W. Almond, R. L. Eastwood, L. Mount, J. Fitzgerald and J. E. Peters.

Free places to boys entering the school to:—S. Barratt, of Heald Place Municipal School; H. A. Mitton, of St. Chad's, Ladybarn; E. V. McGlue, of Oswald Road Municipal; G. Woodhouse and J. E. Chatfield, of Plymouth Grove

Municipal; A. V. Schofield, A. M. Holden and E. Kirkland, of St. Agnes, Rusholme; E. G. Widdows, P. H. Taylor and T. M. Tillotson, of Manley Park Municipal; R. Rogers, Midgley and A. Cartwright, of Ducie Avenue Municipal; W. Peak of Smedley Road Municipal; and R. O. Venning of Bounds Green School. Foundation scholarship to D. Corrie, of Miss Knight's private school. Bursaries of £5 per annum were granted by the Manchester Education Committee to R. Rogers, J. Midgley and A. Cartwright; also to L. L. Cooper who obtained a Free Place in 1921.

M.Sc.Tech. (Manchester University):—J. D. Hannah, W. Tattersall.

B.Sc.Tech. Intermediate (Manchester University):—E. F. Muller.

Associate of the Institute of Chemistry:—J. D. Hannah.

Mr. O. J. Wilkinson, A.M.I.C.E. (a former holder of the Gaskell Challenge Cup for Athletic Sports), has been appointed Executive Main Drainage Engineer to the Municipality of Calcutta.

The House games have been very much better attended this term, thanks chiefly to the efforts of Mr. James. On an average there have been 171 boys on each half-holiday taking exercise, a total of 3,772 for the 22 half-holidays of the term.

The levelling of the field has also got on much better; 240 boys have shared in this work and have turned up on an average between three and four times during the term, the total number of attendances being 819. As a result of this, during one term, some 710 sq. yds. have been levelled as against 420 during the two terms of last winter.

Our best thanks are due to C. S. Bice and H. Oldfield, for gifts of books to the School Library on leaving school.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of *Ulula* and *The Magazine of the Manchester Central School for Boys*.

The subscription to *The Hulmeian* for 1921 is 1s. 6d., to be paid to Mr. J. Barber at the school.

BIRTHS.

CHAPMAN.—July 15, at The Halderns, Wood Road, Whalley Range, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chapman, a son.

CLARKE.—July 17, at 2, Victoria Road, Northenden, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald G. Clarke, a daughter.

GILLIAT.—October 4, at St. Michael's Vicarage, Wakefield, to the Rev. H. M. E. and Mrs. Gilliat, a daughter.

HOLMES.—July 20, at Cedara, Bramhall Lane, Bramhall, to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Holmes, a daughter.

LE MARE.—November 18, at Merlewood, Kiln Lane, St. Helens, to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Le Mare, a son.

MARRIAGES.

PALMER—MARSH.—July 12, at St. Margaret's Church, Whalley Range, Hubert Leslie, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Palmer, of Whalley Range, to Dorothy Page, eldest daughter of the late Dr. Edward Marsh, of Wolverhampton, and Mrs. Scanlon, Whalley Range.

POWELL—SOUTHERN.—August 1, at Holy Innocents' Church, Fallowfield, by Rev. T. Nicklin, M.A., Warden of Hulme Hall, assisted by Rev. H. D. Lockett, M.A., Arthur Lawrence, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Powell, of Manchester, to Edith, daughter of Mrs. and the late George Southern, of Manchester.

SIMPSON—MAHONEY.—July 25, at St. Paul's, Knowbury, Ludlow, George Frederick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Simpson, Alexandra Park, to Sylvia Jane, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mahoney, of Undercliffe and Shipley, Yorks.

TRISTRAM—BUTTERFIELD.—September 12, at the Parish Church, Gringley-on-the-Hill, Notts, the Rev. J. F. Tristram, M.A., B.Sc., vicar of All Souls', Heywood, to Edith Anna Butterfield.

DEATH.

HIGHMAN.—September 8, Alfred Ernest, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Highman, 28, Hartington Road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy, aged 19 years.

Swimming Sports.

After an interval of two years the Swimming Sports were held this year at the High Street Baths, on Thursday, July 20, at 2-15 p.m. There was a large attendance of boys as spectators and some parents were also present. About 100 boys entered for the various events, and though the swimming fell short of the standard of 1920, there were promising signs for the future. The House Squadron race provoked great enthusiasm, and the competition in the dive was very close. The Lady Mather Cup awarded to the boy obtaining the most points in open events was won by Booth, F. M., with 17 points, and the House Championship was gained by Fraser with 46 points, Whitworth coming second with 26 points.

Starters: Mr. Powell and Mr. Johnson.
Hon. Secretary: Mr. Adams.

RESULTS.

(Length of Bath 25 yards).

Beginners' Breadth: 1. Strutt, W. (G.)
2. Fielding, J. E. (G.)

Beginners' Length: 1. Kendall, E. C. (F.)
2. Forrest, M. C. (F.)

One length under 12: 1. Besford, J. C. P. (H);
2. Kesterton, A. (B). (Points 2—1).

One length under 13: 1. Besford, J. C. P. (H);
2. Shepherd, A. F. (B). (Points 2—1).

Two lengths under 14: 1. Shepherd, A. F. (B);
2. McKie, D. A. (F). (Points 3—2).

Two lengths under 15: 1. Dennis, G. H. (D).
2. Barke, J. H. (H). Time 40½ sec. (Points 3—2).

Two lengths under 16: 1. Barke, J. H. (H). 2.
Weir, J. R. (F). Time 37½ secs. (Points 4—2).

Four lengths handicap: 1. Dennis, G. H. (D).
2. Weir, T. H. (F).

Obstacle Race: 1. Child, C. (W). 2. Weir,
T. H. (F).

OPEN EVENTS.

Two lengths, open: Booth, F. M. (F) and
Fowler, G. (W) dead heat. Time 41½ sec.
(Points 8—5).

Eight lengths, open: 1. Child, C. (W). 2. Weir, T. H. (F). Time 3 min. 50 sec. (Points 12—8).

Four lengths Backstroke: 1. Booth, F. M. (F). 2. Ellis, J. E. (F). Time 2 min. (Points 8—5).

Dive: 1. Booth, F. M. (F). 2. Besford, J. C. P. (H). (Points 3—2).

House Relay Race: 1. Fraser. 2. Whitworth. (Points 12—8).

Speech Day.

There was a large attendance of parents and friends on July 26, when the Bishop of Manchester distributed the prizes and certificates for the past year. Music was given by the school orchestra. The Archdeacon of Manchester (the Ven. Noel Lake Aspinall), chairman of the Board of Governors, presided, and the other members of the board present were Sir Edward Donner and Mr. H. A. Heywood.

The Chairman expressed on behalf of the Governors the debt of gratitude they felt they owed to the headmaster and his staff for the present position of the school. In whatever direction they looked they saw the same flourishing state of affairs. He asked the parents of the boys to follow up the good work that was being done by the headmaster and his staff, and to give to the school their full support and sympathy. There was one side of the school life which he could hardly say was as rosy as it might be—he referred to the financial position. The Governors asked for support on that point, particularly in the hard times through which secondary schools that were unaided were passing. He appealed to parents to send their boys to the school at as early an age as possible—at any rate before they were twelve.

The headmaster (Mr. Trevor Dennis) in his statement as to the work of the school, said the boys had distinguished themselves in various ways at Manchester University and elsewhere. As to the financial position, he pointed to the increased expenditure of the

school, and said their income from one direction at any rate might diminish. The Board of Education would probably lower their grant to the local education authority—in their case the Manchester Education Committee—and it was quite possible, when they had done that, that the Manchester Education Committee on their part would lower their grant to them. It did not, however, affect them very much, as their income derived from that source was a very small fraction of the whole income. He thought they could say that the situation was well in hand. They had been looking ahead and looked with hope to the very necessary extension of the school premises in the near future.

The Bishop of Manchester, having distributed the prizes, gave a short address to the boys. He said the chief influence of one's life in the school was that of the school itself. It was certainly true that our old schools, and our old universities, never set out to be judged chiefly by the type of brilliant scholar, or even by the successful individuals they produced, but by the average type of man. Their concern was to build up solid all-round character, rather than create people who were perfect specimens and for that they relied upon the general corporate life of the school. The life which belonged to the school resided in the boys of the school, and not in the masters, and the responsibility rested upon the boys. It was by sharing the life of a society such as a school provided, and becoming full members of it, that they learned the secrets of citizenship. He asked the parents to do everything they could to help their boys to maintain the high standard of the general life of the school which would fit them for the real work of the world.

Sir Edward Donner who proposed a vote of thanks to the Bishop, said he assumed that most of the boys present were intended for commercial careers. It was desirable that they should remain at school as long as possible and they must not be disappointed when they came into business to find that they had to begin at the very beginning. At first there might not be much difference between the boy who left school at fourteen, and the boy who left at eighteen, but the value of those extra four years would be found afterwards.

The prize winners were as follows:—

SIXTH FORMS:

Davies-Colley History Prizes: 1, Oldfield, L. H.; 2, Lymer, M. W.

Dorrington Memorial Prize for Latin: Evans, K. S.

Vlies Modern Languages Prizes: 1, Lymer, M. W.; 2, Campbell, C. D.; 3, Eastwood, D. T.

Williamson Memorial Prize for Science: Perry, A. H. L.

REMOVE L: 1, Jackson, J. E.; 2, Short, J.

Bazley Modern Languages Prizes: 1, Classen, G.; 2, Flanagan, E.

REMOVE S: 1, Alston, N. A.; 2, Drummond, G. F.

Davies-Colley History Prize (Removes), Alston, N. A.

V.A.: 1, Hilton, W.; 2, Beggs, H. N.

V.G.: 1, Knowles, T.; 2, Strutt, W.

V.S.: 1, Elderton, H. E.; 2, Williamson, W.

IV.L.: 1, Griffiths, D. Ll.; 2, Simpson, W. W.

IV.SA.: 1, Barnes, E.; 2, Fitzgerald, J.

IV.SB.: 1, Peters, J. E.; 2, Short, T.

III.L.: 1, Lymer, R. W.; 2, Dyson, J. A.

III.SA.: 1, Grier, A.; 2, Scammell, J. C.

III.SB.: 1, Kennedy, A. R.; 2, Williamson, A.

II.A.: 1, Pollard, J. G.; 2, Shaw, D. K. D.

II.B.: 1, Proctor, F. B.; 2, Bloor, H. C.

II.C.: 1, Bland, T. W. M.; 2, Ratcliffe, J. C.

I.: 1, Dalton, A.; 2, Gibb, C. A.

DRAWING.

V.S.: Elderton, H. E.

IV.SB.: Vernon, A.

III.L.: Dyson, J. A.

II.B.: Hammond, J. E.

Cricket, 1922.

Mr. Classen was good enough to present a bat for the best field throughout the term, and Mr. Leroy one for the best all-round member of the team. These were won by C. D. Campbell and W. Williamson.

AVERAGES OF THE FIRST ELEVEN.

BATTING.

	No. of Innings	Times not out	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average
Campbell, A. G.	23	3	407	65*	20.35
Williamson, W.	22	2	347	45	17.35
Campbell, C. D.	21	1	183	31*	9.15
Trafford, A. S.	22	4	147	33	8.17
Smith, M. W.	16	3	90	36	6.92
Classen, G.	23	2	145	32	6.90
Ferry, C. H. O.	16	1	80	15	5.33
Furmston, G. K.	21	1	98	20	4.9
Alston, N. A.	14	2	54	13	4.50
Barber, N. A.	17	7	28	12	2.8
Fowler, G.	18	0	45	18	2.5

BOWLING.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Av'ge
Williamson, W.	248.5	69	509	76	6.68
Trafford, A. S.	100.5	20	247	24	10.29
Campbell, A. G.	228.4	63	510	49	10.41
Smith, M. W.	50.3	14	120	11	10.91
Ferry, C. H. O.	45	9	106	9	11.78
Furmston, G. K.	35	12	82	5	16.4

RESULTS FOR SEASON.

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn
First Eleven	21	6	11	4
Second Eleven	13	8	4	1
Under 14 Eleven	13	10	2	1

FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES.

v. BOWDON COLLEGE. July 12. Home. Lost. Bowdon College, 108; the School, 49 (Williamson 17).

v. Mr. J. B. JONES' XI. July 13. Home. Lost. The School, 72 (Campbell, A. G., 21; Williamson, 15, Furmston, 18, Ferry, 11); Mr. Jones' XI, 85.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL. July 15. Home. Lost. The School, 41 (Campbell, A. G., 14, Williamson 12); Manchester Grammar School, 92.

v. MACCLESFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL. July 18. Home. Drawn. Macclesfield, 87 for two wickets, declared; the School, 55 for 7 (Williamson, 17, Classen, not out, 15, Ferry, 14).

v. WILLASTON SCHOOL. July 19. Away. Lost. Willaston 73 and 56; the School, 58 (Williamson, 20, Ferry, 15) and 53 for 9 wickets (Campbell, C. D., 26).

v. THE PARENTS. July 22. Home. Drawn. The School, 116 for 8 (Campbell, A. G., 22, Williamson, 24, Smith, 36); the Parents, 93 for 7 (Mr. Dennis, 23, Mr. P. T. Fowler, 24, Mr. J. L. Worthington, not out, 12).

v. THE MASTERS. July 24. Home. Won. The School, 148 for 5 wickets, declared (Campbell, A. G., 19, Williamson, 31, Classen, 32, Campbell, C. D., 24, Trafford, 29); the Masters, 27 and 31 (Mr. Williams, 15).

v. Mr. LEROY'S XI. July 25. Home. Lost. The School, 82 (Classen, 16, Campbell, C. D., 15); Mr. Leroy's XI, 113 (Mr. Dennis, 63, Mr. Woollam, 27).

2nd Eleven *v.* Bowdon College 2nd. July 12. Won. Bowdon, 50; 2nd eleven, 64.

2nd Eleven *v.* Manchester Grammar School 2nd. July 15. Lost. Manchester, 110 for 8; 2nd eleven, 53.

2nd Eleven *v.* Altrincham County School. July 19. Won. 2nd eleven, 102; Altrincham, 24.

Under 14 Eleven *v.* Chetham's Hospital. July 12. Won. Under 14, 42; Chetham's, 25 and 30.

Under 14 Eleven *v.* Manchester Grammar School. July 15. Won. Manchester Grammar School, 53; Under 14, 55 (Lowther, 34).

Under 14 Eleven *v.* Altrincham County School. July 19. Won. Under 14, 26 and 30 for 5; Altrincham, 23.

Philatelic Society.

Hon. Secretary, D. T. Eastwood; *Treasurer*, G. R. Barnes. A meeting was held on November 20, at which Mr. J. R. Albrecht gave a lecture on "Different Methods of Printing," illustrated by stamps of the Indian Native States. The Society has a small library shortly to be catalogued. More members are wanted.

The Entertainments.

The weekly entertainments at 4 p.m. on Tuesday afternoons were resumed at the beginning of the term. A system of 1s. 6d. season tickets has been introduced and over 100 have been taken. The receipts up to November 25 totalled £18 10s. 4d., of which current expenses have claimed the largest share (£14 5s. 2d.), but capital expenditure is represented by 15s. 10d. for material of new curtain and £1 6s. 6d. for costumes purchased.

Two performances will be given on the evenings of December 19 and 20, and will consist of three plays with musical interludes. It is hoped with the proceeds of these to take in hand the raising and enlarging of the platform. The chief plays given this term have been "Hamlet," by the Sixth Forms and "Abraham Lincoln," of which the first two scenes were given by boys on November 20, and the next by the staff the following week. Both were very successful and "Hamlet" (or was it Mr. Brierley's Ghost?) attracted a record house: Mr. Brierley has "made up" and Mr. Bentley has been stage manager. The lighting has been in charge of Mr. Davies. Our best thanks are due to Mrs. Bentley for making the new curtain.

The programme of the series has been as follows:—

THREE PLAYS.—By Maurice Baring.—October 3.—"Catherine Parr": King Henry VIII.: C. D. Campbell; Catherine: A. K. Westbrook; Page: D. T. Eastwood; Producer, Mr. Morley. "Pious Æneas": Æneas: D. L. Griffiths; Dido: B. A. Billings; Serestus: N. Woodroffe; Sergestus: R. H. Green; producer, Mr. Dennis. "The Fatal Rubber": Charles VI: Mr. Morley; The Queen of France: R. L. Eastwood; The Dauphin: Mr. Dennis; Catherine: H. E. Elderton; producer, Mr. Dennis.

LANTERN LECTURE (Natural History Society)—October 10. "Spiders." Mr. McConnell.

CONCERT.—October 17. Minuet from "Berenice" (Handel) and "Giga" (Corelli), Orchestra. Songs: "Sea Fever" (Ireland), "Blow, blow, thou winter wind" (Sergeant), "Sigh no more, ladies" (Aiken), Toreador's Song (Bizet), Mr. Williams. Violin Solos: Andante from "Orpheus" (Gluck), Gavotte (Rameau), N. Woodroffe. Andante from G minor Symphony (Mozart), Orchestra. Songs: Prologue from "Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo), "Sleep" (Parry), "I am a Roamer" (Mendelssohn), Mr. Dennis. Flute Solo: Valsette (Steiner), W. Lingard. Finale from G minor Symphony (Mozart), Orchestra. Accompanists, Mr. Hewlett, C. H. O. Ferry and Mr. D. Lingard.

PLAY.—October 24.—“Hamlet,” Acts 1 and 3. King: G. Fowler; Hamlet: A. G. Campbell; Polonius and Gravedigger, C. D. Campbell; Laertes and Player: N. A. Barber; Horatio: M. W. Smith; Bernardo, Osric and Player (Queen): L. J. Worrall; Ghost and Priest: H. E. Turner; Queen Gertrude: D. T. Eastwood; Ophelia: K. S. Evans. Producer, Mr. James.

PLAYS.—October 31.—“Hamlet,” Act 5, cast as above. “Rosencrantz and Guildenstern” by W. S. Gilbert. King of Denmark: G. Fowler; Queen Gertrude: I. N. Coop; Hamlet: C. H. Hunt; Rosencrantz: Mr. Dennis; Guildenstern: T. B. Allman; First Player: J. C. Beggs; Second Player: N. A. Alston; Ophelia: N. Woodroffe. Producer, Mr. Dennis.

CONCERT.—November 7.—Minuet and Trio for Quartet in C (Haydn), Orchestra. Round: “Fie, nay prithee John” (Purcell), Mr. Burn, Mr. Dennis, Mr. Williams; Songs: Pastoral from “Rosalinde” (Veracini), “Der Schmied” (Brahms), “It was a lover” (Eric Coates), Miss Evans; Round: “Would you know my Celia’s charms” (Webbe), Mr. Burn, Mr. Dennis, Mr. Powell, Mr. Williams; Songs: “The Roadside Fire” (Vaughan Williams), “O mistress mine” (Roger Quilter), “The Vagabond” (Vaughan Williams), Mr. B. V. Duckmanton, Choral Scholar of Magdalen College, Oxford; Overture “to Rosamund” (Schubert), Orchestra.

LANTERN LECTURE.—(Natural History Society).—November 14.—“The Sea at Work,” Mr. Davies.

PLAY.—November 21.—“Abraham Lincoln,” by John Drinkwater. Scenes 1 and 2. First Chronicler: Mr. Morley; Second Chronicler: A. G. Campbell; Mr. Stone: D. Ll. Griffiths; Mr. Cuffney: L. Mount; Susan: R. W. Lymer; Mrs. Lincoln: H. E. Elderton; Abraham Lincoln: H. E. Turner; Tucker: J. Watson; Hind: C. Wilkes; Price: P. M. Dale; Mackintosh: C. F. Taylor; Seward: L. Darley; White: H. W. Evans; Jennings: R. H. Green; other parts by F. G. Bray, R. Meares, E. A. Walton, D. Sherratt, F. W. Almond, J. Kershaw, H. W. Andrews, L. T. Malia, E. W. Forrest, A. F. Shepherd, J. H. Levy. Producer, Mr. Morley.

PLAY.—November 28.—“Abraham Lincoln,” Scenes 3—6. Chroniclers: Mr. Kelsey and Mr. Morley; Abraham Lincoln: Mr. Powell; Mrs. Lincoln: Mrs. Powell; Susan: Mrs. Dennis; Mrs. Goliath Blow: Miss Evans; Mrs. Otherly: Mrs. Ginever; Mr. Douglass: Mr. James; William Seward: Mr. Dennis; Edwin Stanton: Mr. Davies; Blair: Mr. Perraton; Welles: Mr. Franklin; Hook: Mr. Burn; Chase: Mr. Ginever; A clerk: N. A. Alston; Slaney: Mr. Williams; General Grant: Mr. Anderson; Captain Malins: Mr. Brown; Scott: C. H. Hunt; General Meade: Mr. Kendall; Captain Sone: M. W. Smith; General Lee: Mr. Barber; John Wilkes Booth: Mr. Brockbank; Ladies: Miss Caiger and Miss Mitford Smith; Youngman: Mr. Wood; Gentleman: Mr. Thompson; Another Gentleman: Mr. Stockdale; his Wife: Miss Twelves; other parts: J. C. Beggs, G. Fowler, N. A. Barber, P. M. Dale.

THE ORCHESTRA.

The orchestra has been as follows this term:—
Violins: Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Dennis, Mr. Ginever, Sharples, H. (O.H.), Nelson, G. W. (O.H.), Woodroffe, N., Dale, P. M., Appleton, E. P., Oddy, G. V., Sharples, E., Davies, C. G., Brown, H. A., Young, C. S., Ayles, S., Proctor, F. B., Millner, R., Besford, J. C. P., Broomhead, T. A., Rogers, R., Taylor, F. J., Willis, G. C.; *Viola*: Mrs. Bentley; *Cellos*: Mr. Hewlett, Mr. Williams; *Double Bass*: Booth F. M.; *Flutes*: Mr. Dennis, Lingard, W.; *Clarinet*: Mr. Bentley; *Trombones*: Fowler, G., Kershaw, J.; *Drum*: Campbell, A. G.; *Piano*: Mrs. Kelsey, Ferry, C. H. O.; *Conductor*: Mr. Kelsey.

Old Hulmeians Association.

REUNION.

A very successful reunion was held on Saturday, November 25, at the Carlton Restaurant. The President, Mr. Bernard Muth, was in the chair, and there were 89 present at supper. The chairman and several players

of the Heaton Mersey Lacrosse Club were present as the guests of the Lacrosse section. The musical programme was provided by Messrs. Malcolm Sparkes (of the Heaton Mersey Club), Cuthbert Allen, Cubley, Handby and Coatman to whom our best thanks are due. Before we sang "Auld Lang Syne" the Chairman announced that he had received during the evening promises of over £20 towards the War Memorial Fund.

The Annual Dance is to be held at the School on Friday, January 5, and the Dinner at the Grand Hotel on Saturday, February 10. It will help very considerably with the arrangements if applications are sent in as soon as possible after the circulars are issued.

Old Hulmeians Football.

The season started rather badly, as the first four games only yielded one point, but since then the team has improved considerably, so much so that four out of the last five matches have been won. About the best performance was to beat Stand on their own ground, as up to the time we met them, they had not been defeated. At the time of writing the first team is fifth in the League, and we hope to maintain that position.

The second team have also improved on last year's record as they have won one and drawn three games so far. The results to date are as follows:—

					Goals	
	Pl'y'd	Won	Lost	Dra'n	For	Ag'n't
First Eleven	9	4	4	1	22	19
Second Eleven	9	1	5	3	13	23
					1st Team	2nd Team
Sept. 16	v. Bury Amateurs	H 1—2			A 2—2	
" 23	v. Bolton Wyresdale	H 1—2			A 0—3	
" 30	v. Whalley Range	A 1—3			H 0—3	
Oct. 7	v. Man. Insurance	H 1—1			A 3—1	
" 14	v. Hollinwood	H 5—1			A 2—3	
" 21	v. Hightown (Lancs.					
	A. Cup 1st R'd)	A 1—2				
" 28	v. Chorlton-c-H'dy	A 3—1			H 1—2	

		1st Team	2nd Team
Nov. 11	v. Heaton Chapel	H 4—6	A 2—2
" 18	v. Stand	A 3—1	H 0—4
" 25	v. Bolton S.S. Old Boys	A 3—2	H 3—3

In the first round of the Lancashire Amateur Cup we were drawn against Hightown, Liverpool, away, and lost by the odd goal in three after playing extra time, and after one of the most strenuous games we have taken part in for some time.

For the first time since the War we were able to turn out a third team on the 18th of November, and drew with a school team, the score being 2 goals each. This is a very good sign and shows that more interest is being taken in the Football section, but we can do with more members, and the Committee will be very glad to hear from any Old Boys who wish to join. Several matches have been arranged for the second half of the season for the third team, and we hope to run it regularly next year.

F. A.

[Old Hulmeians Lacrosse.

The season opened very promisingly. With some good material from the school, L. Edmondson from the University and H. and F. Payne from Marple, things looked as though we should carry everything before us, particularly after beating Monton by 17 goals to 1. The second game was won but the play was not very convincing and then our troubles started. Ron. Buckland after playing in the first match did not play again for six weeks. Harold Linfoot has been away from three matches and in turn we have been short of C. H. Fox, J. Woollam, C. M. Mason, D. Cardwell and G. Linfoot. In fact only four members of the team have played in every match. Combination and team work have been conspicuous by their absence so far, and until the same twelve can be turned out each week a very moderate position is all we can hope for. It ought to be clearly understood, however, that the constant changes have not in any way been due to slackness. Illnesses, late holidays and the claims of business have been the cause of the absences, and no one has cried out when he could possibly have played.

one or two cases it has been necessary to press a player into service after he has cried off.

Our position is not hopeless, however, and there is some excellent material in the club. We have not yet seen the best of H. Payne or L. Edmondson. R. E. Howard has not shown us how he used to get goals when at school and M. D. Pearson will, when he gets more confidence, surprise opposing defences.

Our defence is still the best part of the team, and C. H. Fox continues to play magnificently. D. Cardwell, except for a bad quarter of an hour in the Eccles match, has held everyone he has been put to play on, and he always gets the crack opposing attack to watch. C. M. Mason in his quiet steady way can always be relied on and R. L. Thomas is improving every week, albeit his wind seems weak. In the last few games Jack Woollam has shown us that it will not be long before he emulates a former brilliant Old Boys' attack, and play for the County at both ends of the field.

The "A" team has not been quite so successful this year, but they are to be sympathized with as the constant changes in the first team has prevented them from having the same twelve two weeks together.

Matches have been arranged for four teams until the end of the season and now the first team is settling down the junior teams can get something like regular sides.

There is no occasion to be downhearted as lacrosse was never more popular at school, and on several Saturdays this winter seven teams representing the Club and the School have turned out on the same day.

The following is the present first team:—
Goal: C. H. Fox; point: R. L. Thomas;
cover: D. Cardwell; third man: J. P. V. Woollam; wing defences: C. M. Mason and L. Sutton; centre: R. E. Howard; wing attacks: R. Buckland and M. D. Pearson; third home: H. Payne; second home: J. A. Barber; first home: H. A. Linfoot. G. Linfoot was also a regular first team defence man until he went abroad. L. Edmondson, C. J. Orr, A. Ashworth, J. M. Walker and J. Mason have all played.

J. A. B.

FIRST TEAM MATCHES.

Sept.	23 v. Monton	Won	17—1
"	30 v. Old Mancunians ..	Won	9—5
Oct.	7 v. South Manchester	Lost	1—4
"	14 v. Boardman	Lost	3—13
"	21 v. Stockport	Lost	0—9
"	28 v. Chorlton	Draw	5—5
Nov.	4 v. Offerton	Won	13—2
"	11 v. Cheadle Hulme ..	Won	9—3
"	18 v. Eccles	Lost	6—11
"	25 v. Heaton Mersey ..	Won	8—2

"A" TEAM MATCHES.

Sept.	23 v. Monton	Won	16—3
"	30 v. Old Mancunians	Won	9—6
Oct.	7 v. South Manchester	Won	7—3
"	14 v. Boardman	Lost	5—14
"	21 v. Stockport	Lost	5—10
"	28 v. Chorlton	Won	6—3
Nov.	4 v. Rochdale	Won	9—4
"	11 v. Cheadle Hulme ..	Lost	6—7
"	18 v. Eccles	Won	9—1
"	25 v. Heaton Mersey ..	Lost	1—14

"B" TEAM MATCHES.

Sept.	23 v. Monton	Won	24—1
"	30 v. Old Mancunians ..	Won	15—2
Oct.	7 v. South Manchester	Won	8—3
"	14 v. Boardman	Won	9—4
"	21 v. Stockport	Lost	4—11
"	28 v. Warehousemen and Clerks Competit'n	Won	17—6
Nov.	4 v. Offerton	Won	7—4
"	11 v. Cheadle Hulme ..	Won	2—0
"	18 v. Eccles	Won	17—0
"	25 v. Hulme G.S. (Comp.)	Won	7—6

"C" TEAM MATCHES.

Sept.	23 v. Monton	Won	10—0
Oct.	7 v. Chorlton	Won	15—4
"	14 v. Oldham & Werneth	Won	27—3
"	21 v. Stockport	Lost	6—9
"	28 v. Hulme G.S. 2nd. ..	Won	12—11
"	28 v. Offerton	Won	18—1
Nov.	4 v. Offerton	Won	9—4
"	11 v. Cheadle Hulme ..	Lost	1—17
"	18 v. Hulme G.S. (Comp.)	Lost	2—13
"	25 v. Heaton Mersey ..	Lost	

The Old Hulmeians War Education Fund.

This Fund, as many of our readers know, was the outcome of the memorial scheme for Old Hulmeians who fell in the Great War, and is raised and administered by a Committee appointed at the meeting when that scheme was set on foot. It is now in the third year of its activities, the object of which is to provide suitable education for children of fallen Old Hulmeians who are left in necessitous circumstances. During last school year the two girls at the Manchester High School whose education the Committee provides have made very satisfactory progress, one of them coming out seventh in her form, the other second in her form and winning a scholarship. The cost is met by annual subscriptions, and last year's Balance Sheet, audited by Mr. F. Mervyn Gilliat, honorary auditor, shows an expenditure of £66 8s. 8d., and an income of £63 4s. 11d., to which, however, £6 6s. should be added from subscriptions since paid. The chief items of expenditure were: Fees at the High School, £44 12s.; Dinner Fees, £19 10s.; and Gymnasium Fees, £1 10s. The Chairman of the Committee is Mr. S. R. Oddy, and the Secretary and Treasurer Mr. Hewlett.

LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS, 1921-2.

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Barrett, F...	1	1	0	Classen, H. R.	1	0	0
Barrett, G.	1	1	0	Collier, F. ..	1	13	4
Barrett, W. C.	1	1	0	Dehn, F. ..	1	1	0
Bazley, E. ...	1	1	0	Fisher, T. ..	3	3	0
Berisford, H.	2	2	0	Flinn, W. L.	1	1	0
Berisford, S. R.	2	2	0	Forbes, T. T.	1	1	0
Best, S. R. ...	1	1	0	Ford, G. H.	1	1	0
Birtwistle J. M.	1	1	0	Gilliat, F. M.	1	0	0
Bradbury R. J.	1	1	0	Gilliat, G. N. E.	1	1	0
Bradshaw, R.	1	1	0	Greenup, J. W.			
Buck, E. S.	1	1	0	and H. ..	1	1	0
Buck, F. M.	1	1	0	Hague, J. ..	1	1	0
Buck, J. N.	1	1	0	Hague, O. ..	1	1	0
Buck, R. ..	1	1	0	Hewlett,			
Buck, R. R.	1	1	0	E. G. W.	1	0	0
Buck, W. M.	1	1	0	Jones,			
Cardwell, D.	1	1	0	Dr. Arnold	1	1	0
Cardwell, H.	1	1	0	Livesley, W. A	1	1	0

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Lorimer, R. M.	1	0	Smith, S. A.	1	1
Muth, B. ..	1	0	Swindells, A. L.	1	0
Oddy, S. R.	2	0	Thornton,		
"One of the			W. H. ..	1	0
Patriarchs"	1	0	Thorpe, W. ..	1	0
Payne, A. ..	1	0	Vlies, H. H.	5	0
Pearson, G. W.	1	0	Vlies, L. E. ..	2	0
Pochin, E. A.	1	0	Wihl, H. S. ..	1	1
Rowbotham,			Wihl, J. ..	1	1
A. E. ..	1	0	Wright, J. H.	1	1
Saxelby, C. H.	0	6	Youatt, E. ..	1	1
Saxelby, S. W.	2	0	Youatt, G. ..	1	1
Searle, A. E. A.	10	6			

Cadet Notes.

We have not filled up all the places of the cadets who left school at midsummer, but recruits are still coming in and we hope our numbers will be as many as last term early in the new year. Boys over 13 are eligible to join.

There was no Hornsea camp this year which was a disappointment to many of us, but we expect a record number for our next Whitsuntide Camp. It will again be held at Grange-over-Sands for the whole of the Whitsuntide holidays and cadets are asked not to make any other arrangements for Whitsuntide.

Parades have been well attended this term and the recruits show promise of maintaining the efficiency of the Corps.

The shooting range has again been opened and there ought to be some capable shots before the end of next term. L.-Cpl. J. C. Beggs assisted by Senior Cadet Hindle have very ably attended to the range.

The following promotions have been made this term—to date from September 25:—
Sergeant Fowler to be Company Sergeant Major.

Corporals N. A. Barber and M. W. Smith to be Sergeants.

Cadets A. G. Campbell and T. B. Allman to be Lance-Corporals.

To date from October 9:—
Cadet J. C. Beggs to be Lance-Corporal.

J. A. BARBER,
Cadet Captain, O.C.

Football, 1922.

Hon. Secretary: Mr. Powell; *Captain:* G. Fowler; *Vice-Captain:* M. W. Smith.

NOTES.

Up to the time of writing it has been a most disappointing season. With some good material we have not been as successful as we ought. The two most striking features have been the readiness to give up fighting and the apparent inability of the forwards to shoot at once in front of goal. At times the whole team has played excellent football, working well together, but on other occasions our play has been disjointed.

The defence must learn to cover up the goal and mark opposing forwards who are in shooting positions. The forwards need practice in working the ball always forward and shooting without delay. Both Campbell, A. G., and Horner, C. E., have very strong shots when they do shoot, which is not often enough. The backs are apt to miskick though on occasion they have played well. Williamson has the safest kick in the team, and Fowler has always worked untiringly. If only every player in the team would play hard right up to the last minute, we should have some very different results.

The Second Eleven has proved itself to be quite a useful team this year. The defence has played well but there has been a lack of finishing power among the forwards at times. They must show more dash in front of goal and develop the habit of taking a first time shot whenever the opportunity presents itself.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

Points up to date are as follows:—Byrom 55, Dalton 81, Fraser 55, Gaskell 38, Heywood 40, Whitworth 71.

FIRST TEAM REPORTS.

v. BOWDON COLLEGE.—September 27. Away. Won, 5-0. After some rather scrappy mid-field play, we settled down and pressed strongly. A. G. Campbell and Furnston both put in some good shots. Our chief weakness was inaccurate passing. Our opponents defended

pluckily, but we had most of the game. Team: Broadbent, goal; Classen and Smith, M. W., backs; Horner, L. W., Ferry, Williamson, W., half-backs; Campbell, A. G., Fowler, Horner, C. E., Furnston, Barnes, R., forwards.

v. HULME GRAMMAR SCHOOL, OLDHAM.—October 4. Home. Won, 3-0. We rearranged the team for our second match, Fowler moving to centre-half in place of Ferry, Doubleday going right outside and Cook taking the place of Barnes at outside left. This change proved successful and the combination was better. Our defence was not quite as good as it ought to have been, and the forwards did not seize all their opportunities, but there were signs of improvement.

v. STAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—October 11. Won, 7-0. The uneven nature of the ground was all against ball control, but during the first half our attack was quite good and there were some good movements. In the second half there was too much individual play and the wing men especially did not keep sufficiently close to the touch line. Fowler put in some very good work and Campbell shot more frequently.

v. DALTON HALL.—October 14. Home. Drawn, 2-2. The game was very fast and even. Both sides showed good combination and in spite of the superior weight of our opponents we more than held our own. The whole team played well together and it was only a mistake on the part of our defence that allowed them to draw level ten minutes from time. We showed considerable improvement all round.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—October 21. Away. Lost, 0-3.

v. CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL.—October 25. Home. Lost, 3-5. For the first half of the game we had most of the play and looked like winning fairly easily, but in the second half they improved considerably and made the most of every chance while our forwards missed several opportunities of scoring. We gave a very poor exhibition.

v. BURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—November 5. Away. Draw, 1-1. The ground made good football difficult and it was some time before we settled down, but fortunately our defence kept them out. We failed to score from a

penalty and in spite of a continuous attack on their goal for a quarter of an hour our forwards failed to put us ahead, our shooting being very poor. Owing to an injury to Williamson we had only ten men for a considerable part of the game.

v. BOLTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—November 15. Home. Lost, 3-4. At first we played well and were two goals up shortly before half-time, although several good chances were missed by the forwards. Bolton scored just before the interval and obtained two more soon after, our defence rather going to pieces. We equalised but our opponents got through again. Our halves played well throughout but the backs had a period of unsteadiness, and though the forwards were quick and dashing they could not shoot.

v. ST. BEDE'S COLLEGE.—November 22. Away. Lost, 1-7. Our opponents had the best side we have met this season, and their play was remarkably good and afforded an excellent example of the results of judicious passing and first time shooting. We were unlucky to be losing 0-2 at half-time as we had had most of the game, but in the second half we played like a well-beaten team. The forwards were not above reproach but the defence was weak and their inside men were constantly unmarked in front of goal. Broad-bent in goal was not in any way to blame and made some excellent saves.

v. BOWDON COLLEGE.—November 29. Home. Won, 8-0.

v. WARRINGTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—December 2. Won, 5-0.

v. MACCLESFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—December 9. Won, 3-2.

SECOND TEAM MATCHES.

Sept. 27	<i>v.</i> Bowdon College	Won	18-0
Oct. 4	<i>v.</i> Stretford Sec. School	Won	7-3
" 11	<i>v.</i> Stand Grammar School	Won	5-1
" 14	<i>v.</i> Oldham Secondary Sc'l	Lost	0-2
" 21	<i>v.</i> Man. Grammar School	Lost	0-1
" 25	<i>v.</i> Central High School	Won	3-2

Nov. 4	<i>v.</i> Bury Grammar School	Won	6-3
" 15	<i>v.</i> Bolton Grammar Sch'l	Lost	0-2
" 22	<i>v.</i> St. Bede's College	Won	2-1
" 18	"A" Team <i>v.</i> Old Hulmeians "C."	Drawn	2-2
" 29	<i>v.</i> Bowdon College	Won	9-0
Dec. 2	"A" Team <i>v.</i> Altrincham County 1st	Won	6-1
" 6	<i>v.</i> Warrington G. S.	Won	3-0
" 9	<i>v.</i> Macclesfield G. S.	Won	3-1

Matches				Goals	
Played	Won	Lost		For	Against
12	.. 9	.. 3	..	56	.. 16

Team:—Campbell, C. D., Dickson, D. W., Jarvis, J. C., Barber, N. A., Allman, T. B., Ferry, C. O. H., Alston, N. A., Milligan, J., Johnston, T. R., Allman, A., Barnes, R.

The following have also played:—Evans, H. W., Smith, P. M., Mount, L., Pimblott, J., Forrest, M. C., Crawford, A. F., Brownhill, A.

THIRD TEAM MATCHES.

Oct. 11	<i>v.</i> Stand G. S.	Lost	0-1
" 21	<i>v.</i> Manchester G. S.	Lost	1-4
Nov. 4	<i>v.</i> Bury G. S.	Drawn	2-2
Dec. 2	<i>v.</i> Altrincham Cty. S. 2nd	Won	5-3

UNDER 14 MATCHES.

Oct. 4	<i>v.</i> Stretford Sec. School	Won	9-1
" 7	<i>v.</i> W'h'n & Clerks' School	Won	5-1
" 11	<i>v.</i> Stand Grammar School	Won	8-4
" 14	<i>v.</i> Oldham Sec. School	Lost	1-11
" 21	<i>v.</i> Man. Grammar School	Won	5-1
" 25	<i>v.</i> Swinton Schools	Lost	0-5
Nov. 4	<i>v.</i> Bury Grammar School	Drawn	2-2
" 15	<i>v.</i> Chetham's Hospital	Won	7-3
" 25	<i>v.</i> St. Bede's College	Won	3-2
Dec. 2	<i>v.</i> Bolton G. S.	Won	5-3

Team:—Hilton, F. J. (captain), Silvester, N., Rains, K., Lymer, R. W., Dickson, D. W., Godbold, C. E., Lowther, H., Widdows, G. E., Palmer, F. D., Williamson, A., Woodhouse.

The following have also played:—Southern, G. H. V., Brook, B. M., Ryder, A. P., Collinson, J. S., Porthouse, W., Williams, A. V.

Lacrosse, 1922.

Hon. Secretary : Mr. J. A. Barber ; *Captain* :
N. A. Barber ; *Vice-Captain* : G. Fowler.

NOTES.

Two qualifying rounds of the North of England "B" teams and schools competition have been played and we have won one match and lost one. As the defeat was against a strong Old Hulmeians "B" team and the score 6—7 we have done quite as well as last year.

Only one other game has been lost—the return match against the Manchester Grammar School.

The team, considering that only two caps remained from last season, has done quite well but should now be showing more confidence in their play. They are all quite good crosse handlers but are inclined to make easy passes seem difficult when playing in a match. Jarvis ought to give the defence confidence as he rarely makes a mistake, but the defence have not so far reached the standard of last year's team. They do not go to one another's assistance as quickly as one would like and there is little or no co-operation between the goal keeper and the rest of the defence. In one or two games this lack of co-operation and understanding on the defence has cost the side several goals, particularly at the beginning of a game. Besides watching one's own man a defence player must keep an eye on the run of the game, as there are times when it is possible to get in an opportune check without leaving one's own man free. Point and the defence wings should always be ready to take the ball from the goalkeeper and get it up to the wing attacks. Care should be taken that the front of goal is not left unguarded and it is better to get in a short pass than a long one which may fall into the crosse off an opposing attack. The goalkeeper should not travel too far from goal in his desire to get the ball to the attack.

With two recruits on the attack there is a tendency to keep the play too much on one wing when a pass to the opposite wing would be more effective, but on the whole the attacks are keen and clever but not too confident. "Keep moving" should be burned into the soul of each attack player, because nothing is more demoralizing to an opposing defence than having to give close attention to attacks unceasingly darting about. It puts them out of position and serves to divert their attention from the main point of assault.

A long list of junior games has been arranged by Mr. Gatley this year and there is, in consequence, more crosse being played in the school than ever before. Three teams can be turned out with ease now and what is more, they are filled with potential first team players. Another pleasing feature this year is that more players are wearing correct lacrosse dress. It is true that some inadvisedly wear too much when playing and are inclined to amble about in consequence, but there are more lacrosse jerseys being worn than ever before. Every player should get a 'crosse jersey and a pair of white knickers.

J. A. B.

FIRST TEAM REPORTS.

v. WAREHOUSEMEN AND CLERKS' SCHOOL.—September 23. Away. Won 14-5. Our opponents opened the scoring but Alston soon equalized. We led at half-time by eight goals to one. The second half was more even but although they had the assistance of a master we managed to win fairly easily. Team: Jarvis, J. C., Clarke, P. A. T., Broadbent, N., Ferry, C. H. O., Smith, P. M., Oddy, G. V., Buckley, F. E., Fowler, G., Westbrook, K., Barber, N. A., Alston, N. A., and Rains, K.

v. BIRCH "B."—September 30. Home. Won, 18-3. Mr. Brockbank played for us. Our opponents were one man short and were easily defeated. The team was not unduly extended.

v. WACOBAY'S "B." October 7. Home. Won, 11-1. In this match a trial was given to Furnston and the team seemed more settled. Our opponents were again short-handed but substitutes were found for them.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL. October 18. Home. Won, 6-5. One or two changes had been made for this match and it took us some time to settle down. We had the worst of it in the first half and were behind 1-4 at half-time. Encouraged by the cheering of boys from other games that had finished, the whole team played up well in the second half and we managed to get the winning goal before time was called. The whole team put more energy into the game after half-time.

v. ALBERT PARK "B." October 28. Home. Won, 17-1. This match was the first qualifying round in the "B" teams and schools competition, and the whole team rose to the occasion splendidly. The attacks with the help of Mr. Brockbank combined excellently and the result was never in doubt.

v. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL. November 8. Away. Lost, 6-11. Although we made a better start than in any previous game a weakness developed in our defence and we were behind at half-time. Our opponents continued to take advantage of our indifferent play and ran out easy winners. There was no understanding in our defence, which failed repeatedly to get the ball up the field to the attacks.

v. OLD TRAFFORD "A." November 11. Home. Won, 11-1. Profiting by their experience in the previous game the defence stuck much closer to their men in this match, and the attacks held the ball better. We were, however, never really extended.

v. OLD HULMEIANS "C." November 18. Home. 17-1. The Old Boys were not at full strength and although substitutes were found for them they never really troubled us. These weak matches are not good preparation for the stiff matches to come.

v. OLD HULMEIANS "B." November 25. Home. Lost, 6-7. This was the second qualifying round and although we played up well we were behind when the final whistle blew. The defence opened rather shakily and allowed our opponents to get one or two soft goals in the early part of the game. They played better afterwards but we were unable to wipe off the big advantage our opponents got in the first half when they led 6-2 at half-time. With a bit more support from the

school, who were asked to turn out and watch the match, we might have finished up winners.

v. HEATON MERSEY GUILD "B." Dec. 2. Won, 12-1.

"UNDER 16" MATCHES.

Oct. 14	<i>v.</i> Disley "C"	Lost	3-13
" 21	<i>v.</i> Boardman Juniors	Drawn	8-8
Nov. 18	<i>v.</i> Disley "C"	Won	6-3
Dec. 2	<i>v.</i> Cheadle Heath "B"	Won	14-1
" 9	<i>v.</i> Boardman Juniors	Won	12-3

The following have played (in addition to certain first and second team players who were eligible):—Reid, J. B., Billings, B., Emery, H. S., Elderton, H. E., Howarth, J. A. G., Haworth, J. G., Almond, F. W., Kendall, E. C., Watson, J., Bell, S. P.

UNDER 14 MATCHES.

Sept. 30	<i>v.</i> Warehouseman & Clerks	Won	13-9
Nov. 11	<i>v.</i> Warehousemen & Clerks	Won	10-9
" 18	<i>v.</i> Manchester G. School	Won	13-4
Dec. 2	<i>v.</i> Manchester G. School	Drawn	8-8

The following have played:—Rains, K. (captain), Lymer, R. W., Godbold, C. E., Porthouse, W., Simpson, W. W., Eaton, C. N., Callan, J. L., Stevenson, R. V., Kendrew, F. B., Haworth, J. G., Burgess, E. A., Hilton, F. J., Gibbons, J. M., Stansby, W. B., Kendall, A. J., Emery, H. S.

Entertainments—Easter Term, 1923.

Jan. 16	Latin and English Plays.	3b
" 23	Concert.	
" 30	Play (produced by N. Brierley).	
Feb. 6	Lantern Lecture. "Cactus Plants."	
	Mr. A. Cobbold.	
" 13	(7-30), Opera. "Dido and Æneas."	
	Purcell.	
" 20	Lantern Lecture, "Around the World."	Mr. Gatley.
" 27	Play. Remove "A."	
Mar. 6	French Play, <i>Le Voyage de M. Perrichon</i> .	Labiche and Martin.
" 13	House Boxing Competition.	
" 20	Lantern Lecture. "The Oberammergau Passion Play."	Mr. Perraton.
" 27	Concert of Sacred Music.	