



Editorial.

IT would be a mistake to regard the present number, with its columns of cricket reports and scores, as evidence of our exuberant activity in the cricket field. It is of course only a chosen few who have the honour of representing the School in cricket matches, and, it may be added, it is only a few who do them the honour of looking at their performances. This number of the HULMEIAN therefore contains much that will come as news to many of our readers—a state of things which in our editorial capacity we should be the last to lament. Nor should we on other grounds regret the small attendance of sight-seers at our matches, if we saw them better employed in playing cricket themselves. This, however, is what we have not seen. Strange as it may appear, the remarkable spell of dry weather—of cricket weather,

as it is called—which has made the present summer memorable, seems to have been thrown away on most boys in the Hulme Grammar School. Never before this summer have we seen the field so empty after school and on half-holidays; never have the signs of life in the lower games been so few. It seems indeed that the weather has been rather too good, and that our northern constitutions take less kindly to the dog-days than to the rains and fogs of the football season.

The First Eleven have, up to the present, won six matches and lost five. Of the four matches which have been drawn, two were left with the chances decidedly in our favour. If this result, at first sight, compares unfavourably with last year's, it should be remembered that they have had to meet a considerably stronger array of opponents, while some of their former adversaries have this year tried conclusions with our Second Eleven. The latter have the creditable record of seven wins and four losses, two games having been drawn.

School Notes and News.

THE Midsummer Examination has been conducted by the following gentlemen, appointed by the Governors: Mr. J. G. Tuckey, M.A., in Languages and English; Mr. A. D. Hall, M.A., formerly Science master in the School, in Science and Mathematics; and Mr. H. Foster Newey, of the Municipal School of Art, Birmingham, in Drawing and Writing.

In the Preliminary Examination of the Victoria University, held in June last, S. W. Saxelby and W. B. Smith have been placed in the first class, and J. R. P. Sclater in the second class.

First Eleven cricket caps have been awarded to G. L. Whitworth, H. van der Veen, V. S. Booth and L. C. Clarke. Second Eleven caps have been awarded to A. Payne, C. H. Bennett, H. Maguire, R. G. Clarke and H. H. Price.

A pair of batting pads has been presented to J. R. P. Sclater for his score of 73 not out against Eccles Grammar School, and a similar award has been made to W. N. Caw for his score of 51 against Woodlands Second.

H. van der Veen has received two cricket balls in recognition of the "hat-trick" performed by him twice this season, against Eccles Grammar School and against Macclesfield. C. H. Bennett and S. Atcheson have also been presented with cricket balls for the "hat-tricks" done in both cases against Albert Park School.

The final of the Form Matches was played on July 20th, and resulted in a win for Science V. (39 for 4 wickets) over Latin V. and IV. (38).

We are glad to see that A. G. Baker has been playing regularly for Manchester this season, and has justified his selection by making some useful scores for the premier club.

Under the title "Lancashire Amateur League" we hear that a league has been formed for strictly amateur association clubs in the district, which has been joined by the Old Hulmeians A. F. C.

The Royal Humane Society has again offered the School a badge for competition in swimming and in practices for saving persons from drowning. Our readers may refer to the December number for an account of last year's competition, and doubtless many will avail themselves of the opportunities for practising which the summer holidays afford. We hope for a much larger entry of competitors next time.

The entry for the Athletic Sports is larger this year than ever before, and has now reached the high total of 150. Mr. Hewlett has resigned the post of Secretary and Treasurer, and has been succeeded by Mr. Kelsey. The prizes will be distributed by Mrs. Wilkins.

We congratulate Mr. Brice upon having a picture well hung on the walls of the Royal Academy.

The prizes on Speech Day will be presented by Mr. Charles J. Heywood, one of the Governors of the School.

Next term will begin on Tuesday, September 12th, at 9 o'clock. The Entrance Examination will be held the day before at 9 o'clock.

Our thanks are due to W. B. Smith, J. R. P. Sclater, H. B. L. Muth, A. Payne, W. N. Caw, J. H. Wright, and H. C. Hobbins for the reports and scores of School matches printed below, and to L. Barrett for the account of the Old Hulmeians' Cricket.

The Old Hulmeians Cricket Club, 1893.

President: The Head Master. *Vice-Presidents:* The Assistant Masters. *Captain:* A. R. Lowe. *Vice-Captain:* A. G. Baker. *Captain of Second Eleven:* J. C. Tyson. *Honorary Treasurer:* W. C. Barrett, jun., 44, Alexandra Road South, Alexandra Park. *Hon. Secretary:* L. Barrett. *Committee:* H. J. Amos, S. Payne, S. W. Saxelby, E. E. Wright, G. Youatt. *Ground:* Claremont Road, adjoining Alexandra Park. Of the First Eleven Matches played so far this season, three have been won, three lost, and two left drawn.

School Concert.

July 15th, *v.* Chorlton Second. Lost. Chorlton, 107 for eight wickets. Old Hulmeians: E. Shorrocks 1, A. R. Lowe 3, E. E. Wright 0, L. Norbury (not out) 12, S. W. Saxelby 4, W. Ellis 0, L. Barrett 0, R. B. Spencer 4, E. Gaunt 6, Sub 0, extras 3, total 27.

God Save the Queen.

Cricket, 1893.

CRICKET NOTES.

Our list of first team fixtures included for the first time one match against the Second Eleven of Rossall School, two against the Manchester Grammar School, and one against Macclesfield Grammar School. These new features have rendered the task of carrying out a perfectly successful programme much heavier than before, and in fact three of our defeats are to be attributed to them. We have also lost against the Old Hulmeians and against Parkhurst School, but in the latter match we were without some of our best men. The weather seems particularly averse to our fixtures with St. Bede's; of the four matches which have been arranged with them during the last two seasons, not one has been played out.

The Club is indebted to the Head Master for the present of a pair of long wing nets, of which we were very much in need, as with the short ones formerly in use bowling at the side wickets was attended with considerable risk.

Most of the First and Second Elevens have been pretty regular in their attendance at the nets, but we doubt whether they have all made the best use of their time there. Batting at the nets is a very pleasing form of amusement, but among cricketers it is not regarded as an end in itself, but as a means of becoming acquainted with all sorts and conditions of bowling, so that they may play the good with due care, while meting out to the bad the punishment it deserves. Now most boys get into the habit of playing two games. At the nets every ball, good bad or indifferent, is to be scored off, if possible, but it is so obvious that these tactics will not do in matches that often a totally opposite policy is there adopted. The ball is not welcomed as something that may be hit, but looked on as something to be dreaded, irrespective of its pitch or direction. Other boys continue in matches their game of "swiping" blindly at every ball that comes with equally fatal results. But slogging is not

hitting, and sure defence is only to be got by careful practice at the nets. Bowling, too, should be practised with equal care; overs should be taken, and each ball should be thought about.

The lower games have been noticeably slack. One would suppose from the appearance of the field that the Second Game consisted of some half-dozen players instead of fifty. The Third have generally had sides games at twelve and four, but both they and the Fourth have been poorly attended on half-holidays.

CHARACTERS OF THE FIRST ELEVEN.

SMITH, W. B. (Captain).—A batsman of considerable strength, which he uses to advantage in certain strokes. Had his defence been better, he would have been a really good bat. Has done good service as wicket-keeper and in the field, and has made an excellent captain.

SCLATER, J. R. P. (Vice-captain).—A fair bat with some hitting power. In bowling he has rather sacrificed accuracy to pace. A very good fielder at short slip or cover-point.

MUTH, H. B. L.—A strong but rather wild hitter, with small power of defence. A very fair longstop and useful change bowler. Has captained the team on several occasions.

WHITWORTH, G. L.—A batsman with a promising style, who has suffered from want of regular practice. Has latterly proved himself a good change bowler. A very good fielder at slip.

BOOTH, V. S.—A good all-round player, with a style of batting peculiarly his own. He has rendered the team invaluable service by his conspicuous pluck on several occasions. A skilful slow bowler and an excellent field at cover-point, his throwing-in being especially praiseworthy.

VAN DER VEEN, H.—The best bowler in the team. His success has been due to steadiness both in direction and length. Has twice performed the

"hat-trick" this season. His style renders him very liable to hot returns, of which he must learn to take advantage. A very fair fielder, and has on some occasions distinguished himself with the bat.

CLARKE, L. C.—A careful and steady bat. Keeps up his wicket well. A very fair fielder.

YOUATT, E.—An excellent fielder at point. Bats fairly well, and makes a fair change bowler.

ROWBOTHAM, A. E.—Has considerable hitting powers, especially on the leg side. A good fielder in the long field.

SWINN, C. G.—Bats very fairly, and has made a good wicket-keeper, considering how far the season had advanced when he took up that position.

CAW, W. N.—Can hit, but has very little defence. His fielding is fair, but he should practise throwing.

CHARACTERS OF THE SECOND ELEVEN.

PAYNE, A. (Captain).—A very fair bat, and a persevering but not brilliant field. Has made a good captain.

WRIGHT, J. H.—A very promising bowler, and has worked hard to make himself a good bat. A smart field, and has captained the team on several occasions.

MAGUIRE, H.—A very fair bat, who has gained the highest average in the team. His fielding leaves much to be desired.

BENNETT, C. H.—Has bowled regularly throughout the season, and with considerable success. He requires more steadiness, especially in adversity. A fair field, but not quite keen enough.

CLARKE, R. G.—A bat with considerable idea of style, and should do well next season. A very good fielder in the slips.

COLLIER, F. S.—Has kept wicket fairly well. His bowling is fast, but rather wild.

BUCKINGHAM, H.—A useful bowler, but a poor bat. He would have done much better had he been more regular at the nets.

ROBERTSON, J. B.—His batting has been spoilt by wild attempts to hit at balls of every variety of pitch and direction. As a change bowler he has done good service at times.

CLASSEN, G.—Has generally managed to secure a few runs, although not in a very finished style. A very fair fielder.

CLASSEN, E.—Has a very taking style, which ought to develop into something really good. His fielding suffers from want of dash. He should look to this if he wants to play cricket.

AVERAGES OF THE FIRST ELEVEN

(Up to July 15th).

BATTING.

	Innings.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Runs.	Average.
Booth, V. S.....	15	4	39*	211	19.18
Smith, W. B.	13	1	49	132	11
Muth, H. B. L. ..	17	1	41	171	10.7
Slater, J. R. P. ..	12	1	70*	108	9.8
Rowbotham, A. E.	13	2	17	96	8.7
Swinn, C. G.....	7	1	18	38	6.3
Clarke, L. C.....	14	3	20*	60	5.45
Youatt, E.....	13	3	12	48	4.8
Caw, W. N.	7	0	10	32	4.5
van der Veen, H...	14	0	14	55	3.9
Whitworth, G. L..	10	0	12	35	3.5

* Signifies not out.

BOWLING.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
van der Veen, H.	156.3	44	293	53	5.5
Booth, V. S.	68.1	15	156	24	6.5
Slater, J. R. P..	105.4	43	189	22	8.59
Whitworth, G. L.	10	3	24	2	12
Muth, H. B. L...	46	14	65	5	13

AVERAGES OF THE SECOND ELEVEN (Up to July 5th).

BATTING.

	Innings.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Runs.	Average.
Maguire, H.	6	2	35*	47	11'75
Classen, G.	11	1	22*	69	6'9
Payne, A.	9	1	30	49	6'1
Bennett, C. H. ..	13	2	18	61	5'5
Price, H. H.	8	0	8	31	3'8
Wright, J. H.	12	0	16	39	3'25
Classen, E.	8	1	16	19	2'7
Clarke, R. G.	7	0	6	14	2'3
Collier, F. S.	13	0	7	21	1'6
Robertson, J. B. ..	10	1	3	14	1'5
Buckingham, H. ..	11	1	5	12	1'2

* Signifies not out.

BOWLING.

	Overs.	Maidens	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
Wright, J. H. ..	105	30	201	51	3'94
Price, H. H.	14	6	28	7	4
Bennett, C. H. ..	93	27	156	38	4'1
Collier, F. S. ..	14	7	20	3	6'6
Robertson, J. B. ..	31	9	71	8	8'8

FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES.

April 12th and 15th, First Eleven v. Next Twenty-two.

Score and analysis:—

THE ELEVEN.

Smith, W. B., c Rushton b Collier	2
Muth, H. B. L., b Bennett	6
Booth, V. S. c R. G. Clarke b Bennett	26
Youatt, E., c Maguire b Bennett	0
van der Veen, H., b Bennett	14
Sclater, J. R. P., c Hardie b Maguire	17
Clarke, L. C., run out	13
Price, H. H., c Robertson b Bennett	0
Lowe, F. H., b Bennett	2
van der Veen, R. E., not out	7
Wright, J. H., c Maguire b G. Classen	2
Extras	9
Total	98

NEXT TWENTY-TWO.

G. Classen c Price b van der Veen	15
W. N. Caw c Smith b van der Veen	12
A. Payne b Booth	14
C. H. Bennett run out	0
E. Classen c van der Veen b Youatt	2
A. E. Rowbotham run out	27
C. J. Ascroft lbw b van der Veen	4
S. Atcheson c Wright b Muth	8
A. E. Parker b Muth	0
J. B. Robertson b van der Veen	1
J. G. Jeans b van der Veen	0
A. White b Muth	0
R. G. Clarke b Muth	7
F. S. Collier b van der Veen	1
H. P. Pearson, b Muth	0
Maguire b van der Veen	0
A. E. A. Searle c sub b van der Veen	0
J. A. Hardie c Clarke b van der Veen	0
W. H. Saxelby b Muth	4
E. Truswell not out	0
H. H. Rushton b Muth	0
L. H. Guest b van der Veen	1
Extras	9
Total	105

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

THE ELEVEN.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Collier	3	0	13	1
Robertson	7	3	18	0
Bennett	16	5	27	6
Adshead	2	0	10	0
Maguire	4	1	8	1
Ascroft	3	0	9	0
G. Classen	5'3	2	4	1

NEXT TWENTY-TWO.

H. van der Veen 23'2	10	35	10
Muth	20	36	7
Booth	10	10	1
Youatt	6	3	1
Wright	4	3	0
Price	3	9	0

Wednesday, May 3rd, v. Woodlands School.
Played at Fallowfield. Very fine weather favoured us for the opening match of the season. Woodlands won the toss, but sent us in first, Sclater and Whitworth going to the wickets for the school. The start was not promising, three wickets being down

for seven, but van der Veen helped Whitworth to improve matters, and Youatt, Rowbotham and Swinn made valuable contributions to the score which with the help of 16 extras reached 73. Woodlands' start was even less promising than ours, as, chiefly owing to van der Veen's bowling, four wickets were down for six runs. A good stand was then made by Dunn and Lings, 36 runs being added before the former was caught off Sclater for a hard hit 33 (five for 42). The innings then came to a rapid close. van der Veen's bowling deserves praise, and both he and Sclater saved some very hot returns.

Score and analysis:—

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater, J. R. P., run out.....	2
Whitworth, G. L., c Breslauer b Bartlett.....	12
Smith, W. B., b Cumming.....	0
Muth, H. B. L., c Dunn, b Cumming.....	0
van der Veen, H., b Cumming.....	8
Youatt, E., run out	9
Clarke, L. C., b Cumming	1
Rowbotham, A. E., not out	14
Swinn, C. G., b Cumming	8
Booth, V. S., st Dunn, b Keeling.....	2
Lowe, F. H., b Cumming	1
Extras	16
Total.....	73

WOODLANDS SCHOOL.

Cumming b van der Veen	1
Keeling b van der Veen	0
Mellor c Sclater.....	2
Dunn c Whitworth b Sclater	33
Bartlett b van der Veen	0
Lings b Sclater	8
Breslauer c Youatt b Sclater.....	0
Arundel b van der Veen.....	0
Forster-Smith c Sclater b van der Veen	1
Beith not out	4
Simon c Muth b Sclater.....	3
Extras	3
Total.....	55

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sclater	13'4	3	32	5
van der Veen..	13	4	18	5
Sclater bowled a wide.				

Saturday, May 6th, v. Old Hulmeians. Played at home. Our opponents won the toss, and sent us first to the wickets. Very little can be said of the School's innings, for Baker and Amos carried all before them, and had it not been for plucky hitting by Muth and a goodly array of extras we should have made a very poor show indeed. The Old Boys were first represented by Shorrocks and Norbury, the former of whom was clean bowled by van der Veen in his third over. Baker then came in, and after seeing Amos and Youatt retire was joined by Lowe, and this partnership remained undissolved to the end of the game. Baker, as usual, played in excellent style, but his innings was marred by two chances.

Score and analysis:—

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater b Baker	0
Whitworth b Amos	0
Smith b Amos	3
Muth b Amos	14
van der Veen b Baker.....	0
Rowbotham b Baker	0
Youatt b Baker	3
Swinn b Baker	2
Clarke b Amos	2
Booth b Baker	5
Lowe not out	0
Extras	13
Total.....	42

OLD HULMEIANS.

Shorrocks, E., b van der Veen.....	6
Norbury, L., c sub b Sclater.....	6
Baker, A. G., not out	44
Amos, H. J., c and b van der Veen.....	1
Youatt, G., c Booth b Sclater	1
Lowe, A. R., not out	9
Extras	13
Total for four wickets...	80

L. Barrett, E. E. Wright, S. Payne, S. W. Saxelby, and W. T. Thomson did not bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sclater	15	3	26	2
van der Veen ..	11	1	22	2
Muth	5	0	8	0
Booth	5	1	10	0

Wednesday, May 10th, *v.* Bury Grammar School. Played on our opponents' ground. This match was looked forward to with some eagerness by the school eleven, on account of the excellence of the Bury ground, and judging by last year's games we had fair hope of success. We went in first, and after Smith's wicket had fallen, Muth came in and began with Sclater to hit about in lively style. He was seventh out at 105, 99 runs having been put on during his stay, of which his own contribution was 41. Swinn and Clarke had given him material assistance. Our innings was declared closed at 111, and Bury came in and played for a draw, in which attempt they were successful, thanks largely to our mistakes in the field. The first wicket fell, to a very good ball from van der Veen, for 17 runs, which had taken 35 minutes to make. Afterwards we were more rapidly successful, but two wickets were still to fall when time was called.

Score and analysis:—

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater b Battersby	10
Smith b Chantler	5
Muth c Cook b Heap	41
van der Veen b Battersby	6
Rowbotham b Nuttall c Heap	7
Youatt b Chantler ..	0
Swinn b Heap	18
Clarke not out ..	11
Boothe c and b Heap	3
Extras	12

Total for eight wickets...113

Innings declared closed. Lowe and Maguire did not bat.

BURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Battersby b van der Veen	9
Hewitson st Smith b Booth	4
Heap c Muth b Booth	0
Chantler c Smith b van der Veen	9
Mosley, sen., b van der Veen	7
Nuttall b Booth	0
Clarke b van der Veen	4
Mosley, jun., b Sclater	8
Cook not out	0
Barlow not out	0
Extras	7

Total for eight wickets...48

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sclater	9	5	10	1
van der Veen ..	13	7	18	4
Booth	5	0	9	3

Saturday, May 13th, *v.* Eccles Grammar School. Played at home. Our opponents won the toss, and went in first. As they were one man short, we left out E. Classen, who was to play substitute for L. C. Clarke. The first two wickets fell rapidly to van der Veen's bowling, off which Smith did a smart piece of stumping. The third wicket put on 18 runs, but afterwards the wickets fell rapidly. Smith and Sclater opened our innings, and scored so freely that 120 runs were registered before they were separated, Smith playing on for a good 49. At the call of time Sclater was still not out for a freely-hit 70, the top score of the season.

Score and analysis:—

ECCLES GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Walmsley st Smith b van der Veen	16
Batty c Youatt b van der Veen.....	0
Hindley b van der Veen.....	0
Potts st Smith b van der Veen.....	2
Needham b Sclater	0
Hadfield b Sclater	0
Stephens b van der Veen	0
Brown not out	6
Lord, sen, b van der Veen	1
Lord, jun., b van der Veen	8
Extras	8
Total.....	38

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater not out	70
Smith b Potts.....	49
Muth not out	6
Extras	9

Total for one wicket...134

van der Veen, Rowbotham, Youatt, Swinn, Booth, Lowe and Maguire did not bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sclater.....	12	5	12	2
van der Veen 14.2	5	18	7	
Muth	2	2	0	0

Wednesday, May 17th, v. St. Bede's College. Played on our ground. As usual in our matches with St. Bede's, we had very bad weather, rain coming down heavily after an hour's play and stopping the game. Our opponents won the toss and sent us in. Sclater was soon out, but upon Muth's joining Smith runs came freely, and the score was 42 when the former was bowled for 21. Shortly before, Smith had received a nasty blow from a ball which got up. He continued his innings, however, and was not out 20 when the game was drawn.

Score:—

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater b Welch	0
Smith not out	20
Muth b Welch	21
van der Veen b Welch	5
Extras	8

Total for three wickets.....54

Wednesday, June 7th, v. Parkhurst School, Buxton. Played away. We were without Smith and Sclater, but this does not account for our miserable show of batting. Our opponents won the toss, and went in on a good wicket. The score rose slowly and steadily, and in spite of bowling changes the innings realised 57 runs. Muth and Caw did most of the scoring for us, and seven of our batsmen only succeeded in making three runs amongst them. The fielding was good, and three of our men were run out.

Score and analysis:—

PARKHURST SCHOOL.

Lea b van der Veen	10
Buchanan lbw b van der Veen.....	5
Grover c Rowbotham b van der Veen	3
Topham, J. A., b Muth	3
Wright st Swinn b Booth	9
Cooke run out	2
Cameron b Wright	3
Topham, E., run out	7
Finney not out	14
Holford b Booth	1
Young b Booth	0

Total.....57

THE SCHOOL.

Whitworth b Buchanan	1
Muth run out	10
Rowbotham b Lea	6
Swinn run out	1
Youatt b Buchanan	1
van der Veen b Lea.....	0
Clarke run out	0
Booth b Lea	0
Caw b Lea	10
Payne b Lea	0
Wright not out	5
Extras	3

Total.....37

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W
van der Veen 16	7	22	3	
Muth 12	4	20	1	
Wright..... 16	4	7	1	
Booth 3'3	2	8	2	

Saturday, June 10th, v. Manchester Grammar School. We again lost the toss and took the field. The first four wickets fell for 23 runs, when a good stand was made by Henriques and Butler, who advanced the score by 39 runs. Some hard hitting on the part of Welsh formed a valuable contribution in the latter part of the innings, which amounted to 93. Our start was ominous, Sclater, Smith and Muth being dismissed for nine. Whitworth and van der Veen added 19 when the former was caught, and van der Veen was bowled at 37 for a valuable and plucky 14. Clarke and Booth were now together, and from the first seemed quite at home with the bowling. After the first few minutes Booth scored rapidly, while Clarke played a more patient game. The winning hit was made by Booth fifteen minutes before time. Clarke and Booth deserve all praise for a brilliant performance, the latter distinguishing himself also in bowling and fielding.

Score and analysis:—

MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Thomaides c and b van der Veen	9
Pearson b van der Veen	1
Jones, H., run out	0
Henriques b van der Veen	19
Jones, E., c Booth b van der Veen.....	5
Butler b Booth	12
Wylie b Booth	6
Welsh b Booth	20
Woodhouse c Youatt b Booth	0
Ward-Jones c Caw b Booth	6
Kricorissian not out	0
Extras	15

Total.....93

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater c and b Welsh.....	2
Smith b Welsh	1
Whitworth c Jones b Welsh.....	7
Muth c Jones b Ward-Jones.....	3
van der Veen b E. Jones	14
Clarke not out	20
Booth not out.....	39
Extras	14

Total for five wickets.....100

Rowbotham, Youatt, Swinn and Caw did not bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
van der Veen	10	0	31	4
Sclater.....	13	7	16	0
Muth	5	1	6	0
Booth	8.3	0	25	5

Wednesday, June 14th, v. Bowdon College. Played at Bowdon. Whitworth, Swinn and Caw were away, and their places were taken by Maguire, Price and R. G. Clarke. The wicket was hard and fiery and the balls got up awkwardly. The first wicket fell for 16, when Sclater was splendidly caught at point. Muth joined Smith, and the total was doubled before Muth was caught at the wicket. Booth and Rowbotham made a good stand and raised the score from 46 to 74, and later on Price and R. G. Clarke put on 27 runs without being separated, both playing well. Our innings was declared closed with just over an hour remaining before time, and Bowdon succeeded in making a draw of it. Muth made a brilliant catch in the long field, and our fielding generally was very good.

Score and analysis:—

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater c Whittall b Thornton.....	4
Smith b Arno	23
Muth c Bridgford b Dignasse	5
van der Veen c Whittall b Dignasse	0
Booth c Arno b Wood.....	12
Clarke, L. C., c Whittall b Dignasse.....	1
Rowbotham c Wood b Dignasse.....	17
Youatt c Whittall b Wood	4
Price not out	16
Maguire c Bridgford b Wood	2
Clarke, R. G., not out	10
Extras	16

Total for nine wickets...110

Innings declared closed.

BOWDON COLLEGE.

Bell b van der Veen.....	5
Pierson c Booth b van der Veen.....	0
Atkinson c Youatt b van der Veen	4
Arno b Sclater	2
Thornton c Muth b van der Veen	10
Dignasse not out	2
Whittall run out	3
Wood, H., not out.....	0
Extras	11

Total for six wickets...37

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
van der Veen ...	14	5	18	4
Sclater	10	7	4	1
Booth.....	3	1	4	0

Saturday, June 17th, v. Bury Grammar School. Played at home. We were without Smith, but otherwise were well represented. After making 19 for one wicket, Bury were all out for 35. It was expected that we should have little difficulty in passing this total, but it proved otherwise. Eight wickets were down for 32, when Caw joined Booth, who, for the second time this season, came to our rescue, and by plucky batting turned the match into a victory for the school. With Caw as partner, he brought the score up to 44, and was assisted by R. G. Clarke in putting on 19 for the last wicket.

Score and analysis:—

BURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Battersby c van der Veen b Sclater	8
Heap c Whitworth b van der Veen	9
Hewitson b Sclater	3
Chantler lbw b Sclater	2
Mosley c Muth b van der Veen	0
Nuttall c Youatt b Sclater	0
Barlow c Youatt b van der Veen	1
Cook c Rowbotham b van der Veen	3
Clarke c Booth b van der Veen.....	1
Duckworth, sen., c Booth b Sclater.....	0
Duckworth, jun., not out	0
Extras	8

Total.....35

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater b Chantler	1
Whitworth b Battersby	3
Muth c Mosley b Battersby.....	3
Clarke, L. C., c Mosley b Battersby.....	4
Booth not out	30
van der Veen st Mosley b Battersby	0
Rowbotham run out	0
Swinn b Chantler	3
Youatt b Battersby ..	0
Caw b Battersby	8
Clarke R. G., c Chantler b Battersby	5
Extras	6
Total.....	63

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
van der Veen ...	7	2	16	5
Sclater.....	7	4	10	5

Saturday, June 24th, v. Rossall School Second. Played at Rossall. Much interest was taken in this match, which was played in splendid weather on an excellent wicket. The result proved that we were no match for our opponents, but an enjoyable day was spent, and having often encountered elevens much weaker than ourselves, it was no doubt beneficial for us to be pitted against a strong team. Rossall won the toss, and our attack was entrusted to van der Veen and Sclater. Runs came freely from the first, 32 being scored before Sclater got Wilson caught at point. The second wicket fell at 48, also to Sclater, and then another stand was made, 35 runs being put on for the third wicket. The fourth wicket fell at 102, and the batsmen were still together when the luncheon interval was taken (120 for 4). When the game was resumed, Sclater and Whitworth took up the bowling, and runs came freely, until, at 157, Whitworth with a good ball bowled Whiston, who had made 79 in excellent style. The innings shortly afterwards was declared closed. Our fielding was good. Whitworth and Smith went to the wickets first, but with the score at five Smith was bowled, and then wickets fell rapidly, Booth being smartly stumped, Clarke and van der Veen run out. The innings realised 38.

Following on, we sent in Sclater and Whitworth, but both were dismissed with the score at seven. Muth and Smith got together and doubled the total before the former was caught. Clarke joined Smith, and the game became very slow, several maiden overs being sent down. Smith was caught in the slip at 31, and Clarke was again run out just on time.

Score and analysis:—

ROSSALL SECOND.

Wilson c Youatt b Sclater	10
Whiston b Whitworth.....	79
Platt-Higgins b Sclater	6
Kentish c Booth b Muth.....	17
Mellor b Booth	6
Phillips c van der Veen b Sclater	18
Hignett not out	0
Extras	24

Total for six wickets.....160

Innings declared closed.

THE SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Sclater b Gibb	2	c Platt-Higgins b Gibb	14
Smith b Gibb	1	c and b Slagg	3
Whitworth c Hignett b Gibb ...	5	c Phillips b Slagg	4
Muth c Kentish b Phillips	2	c Phillips b Hignett...	4
Booth st Mellor b Gibb.....	2	not out	0
Clarke run out	4	run out	7
Rowbotham b Phillips	6		
van der Veen run out... ..	0		
Youatt c Whiston b Phillips ...	1		
Swinn not out	6		
Caw b Gibb	2		
Extras	7	Extras	2
Total.....	38	Total for five wickets	34

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
van der Veen.....	9	1	34	0
Sclater.....	14.2	1	53	3
Booth	6	0	32	1
Muth	4	0	10	1
Whitworth	4	1	7	1

Muth bowled two wides.

Wednesday, June 28th, v. Eccles Grammar School. Played at home. The day was showery, but the rain kept off during the afternoon. The game proved more even than in our first encounter,

four wickets being down before we passed their total. Eccles batted first, and runs came slowly. Their innings realised 43, van der Veen taking the last three wickets in successive balls, thus doing the "hat trick." Booth for the third time this season won the match for the school, and was not out at the drawing of stumps. Muth afforded him valuable assistance.

Score and analysis:—

ECCLES GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Walmsley c Swinn b Sclater	5
Gregory run out	2
Frost c Smith b Booth	13
Potts b Booth	3
Hindley c Youatt b van der Veen.....	2
Brown c Clarke b Booth	2
Lord c Brown b Muth	0
Rothwell c and b van der Veen.....	2
Padmore c Booth b van der Veen	0
Kay not out	5
Clarke b van der Veen	0
Extras	9
Total.....	43

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater b Frost.....	5
Smith b Frost	3
Whitworth b Frost.....	1
Muth c Gregory b Frost	13
Booth not out	35
Rowbotham b Walmsley	5
Swinn c Walmsley b Frost.....	0
van der Veen c Rothwell b Walmsley.....	1
Youatt not out	2
Extras	12
Total for seven wickets...	77

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
van der Veen	9	5	8	4
Sclater	6	1	10	1
Booth	2	4	6	3
Muth	8	5	4	1
Whitworth	2	0	6	0

Saturday, July 1st. v. Manchester Grammar School. Played on our opponents' ground in Broughton in warm weather. Winning the toss, we batted first, Sclater and Clarke going to the wickets. Clarke was at once dismissed, but Muth helped Sclater in putting a better appearance on the game, the score

being 21 when Muth was bowled Sclater soon followed him. Smith was run out, and had it not been for Rowbotham and Youatt we should have made a very poor show. As it was, we set our opponents 73 to beat. Sclater and van der Veen began the attack, and the latter obtained a wicket in his first over. Pearson and Butler, however, got well set, and put on 33 before a separation was effected by a change of bowling. The wickets then fell more rapidly, but not without steady increase of the score, which passed our total when six wickets were down. The innings closed for 99. The School fielding was not so good as usual, and the number of extras was altogether excessive.

Score and analysis:—

THE SCHOOL.

Sclater b Ward-Jones	8
Clarke, L. C., b Welsh	0
Muth b Welsh	10
Booth c and b Welsh.....	5
Smith run out	2
Rowbotham b Cox ..	16
van der Veen c Miles b Welsh	3
Youatt b Hearn	12
Caw b Cox	5
Clarke, R. G., b Hearn	1
Maguire not out	0
Extras	11
Total.....	73

MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL,

Thomaides b van der Veen.....	0
Pearson b Booth.....	13
Butler run out	16
Hearn b Booth.....	5
Woodhouse c Caw b Booth.....	7
Wylie b Sclater	7
Welsh b Sclater	10
Miles not out.....	9
Cox b Sclater	2
Ward-Jones run out	5
Heywood c L. Clarke b Booth	2
Extras	23
Total.....	99

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
van der Veen ..	9	0	24	1
Sclater.....	16	7	16	3
Booth	9	1	21	4
Muth	3	0	6	0
Youatt.....	3	0	9	0

Wednesday, July 5th, *v.* Parkhurst School. Played at home. Our team was not representative, Smith, Sclater, Swinn and Whitworth being absent. Parkhurst won the toss, and batted first on a dry wicket against the deliveries of van der Veen and Booth. Wickets fell rapidly till Grover and Topham got together, adding 18 for the fourth wicket. The last wicket gave some trouble and added 15. Our fielding was only fair, the backing-up being poor. Muth and Clarke opened our innings, and put on 22 for the first wicket. Booth succeeded Clarke, but soon lost Muth's company, who retired for a lucky 15. A long stand was made when Rowbotham joined Booth, and the score was taken to 60 before the former, who had several times been beaten, was bowled for 13. van der Veen came in and 28 runs were added, when Booth was caught for an excellent 35. Maguire played well, and carried out his bat for 10.

Score and analysis:—

PARKHURST SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Lea c van der Veen b Booth.....	0	c and b Booth	9
Cooke lbw b van der Veen	2	hit wkt b Muth	1
Wright c Booth b van der Veen	3	not out	7
Topham, J. A., b Booth	11	b van der Veen	3
Grover c Booth b van der Veen	13	b van der Veen	8
Topham, E., c Price b van der Veen.....	1	cWright b van derVeen	4
Finney b van der Veen	0	run out	1
Holford not out	8	b Muth	0
Cameron b Booth	1		
Young c Youatt b Booth.....	2		
Taylor b van der Veen	9		
Extras	0	Extras	7
Total	50	Total for seven wkts	40

THE SCHOOL.

Muth c Grover b Cooke	15
Clarke, L. C., b Cooke	7
Booth c Wright b Cameron	35
Rowbotham b Cooke	13
van der Veen b Cameron.....	11
Youatt b Cameron	2
Caw c Grover b J. A. Topham	3
Price c Taylor b J. A. Topham	0
Clarke, R. G., b Cameron.....	0
Maguire not out	10
Wright b Cameron	0
Extras	11
Total.....	107

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

		O.	M.	R.	W.
1st innings.					
van der Veen	11'1	4	25	6	
Booth	11	2	25	4	
2nd innings.					
van der Veen	5	1	11	3	
Muth	7	2	13	2	
Booth	5	3	9	1	

Wednesday, May 31st, Science Side *v.* Modern Side. The result was a victory for the Moderns.

Score:—

SCIENCE SIDE.

Caw, W. N., b Wright	0
Muth, H. B. L., c and b Wright	16
Youatt, E., b Wright	0
Rowbotham, A. E., b Wright.....	0
Payne, A., b Wright	2
Swinn, C. G., b van der Veen	0
Green, C. J., b van der Veen	2
Lowe, F. H., b Wright	8
Guest, L. H., run out	1
Hobbins, H. C., not out	4
Brown, E. A., b Wright.....	1
Extras	4
Total.....	38

MODERN SIDE.

Clarke, R. G., c Muth b Youatt	5
Classen, E., c Guest b Muth	6
Collier, F. S., run out.....	9
van der Veen, H., b Youatt.....	0
Wright, J. H., c and b Muth	0
Robertson, J. B., run out	5
Vlies, H. H., b Muth	5
Atcheson, S., not out.....	5
Adshead, E. W., c Green b Muth	3
Adshead, J. D. M., b Muth	1
Searle, A. E. A., c Muth b Youatt.....	0
Extras.....	16
Total.....	55

SECOND ELEVEN MATCHES.

Wednesday, May 3rd, *v.* Woodlands Second. Played on our ground. Woodlands won the toss, but put us in first. Three wickets were down for nine, but Payne and Caw carried the score to 80 for four wickets. Bennett took four wickets for eight runs, and Wright two for six.

Score:—

THE SCHOOL.

Classen, G., b Bayley	0
Caw, W. N., c Behrens b Bayley	51
Bennett, C. H., c Potter b Bayley	0
Wright, J. H., b H. Boyd	0
Payne, A., b Bayley	30
Price, H. H., c A. Boyd b Simon	7
Dobbs, P. W., not out	7
Maguire, H., not out	1
Extras	6

Total for six wickets102

Innings declared closed. J. B. Robertson, R. G. Clarke,
and F. S. Collier did not bat.

WOODLANDS SCHOOL SECOND.

Lings, A., b Bennett	1
Potter run out	2
Bayley, H., c Payne b Robertson	7
Boyd, A., b Wright	12
Simon b Collier	0
Bayley, C., b Collier	0
Lings, C., c Maguire b Wright	1
Doxey c Clarke b Bennett	3
Young not out	1
Behrens c Caw b Bennett	0
Boyd, H., b Bennett	0
Extras	11
Total	38

Saturday, May 6th, v. Old Hulmeians Second.
Played on our ground. We won the toss, and put
them in first. Littlewood did most of the scoring
for the Old Boys. Maguire played a very steady
game for us, carrying his bat through the innings
for 35. Extras were also an important figure in our
total.

Score:—

OLD HULMEIANS SECOND.

Akerman, W. F., b Bennett	0
Truswell, W., b Wright	3
Jones, F., b Wright	5
Littlewood, H., b Wright	11
Tyson, J. C., run out	2
Truswell, E., c Clarke b Bennett	4
Corbett, J. S., b Wright	0
Barrett, W. C., b Bennett	0
Baird, Arch., b Wright	6
Sutton, E. W., not out	0
Extras	9
Total	40

THE SCHOOL.

Caw b Corbett	0
Maguire not out	35
Wright b Corbett	5
Dobbs c E. Truswell b Corbett	0
Bennett b Corbett	2
Payne b Baird	1
Price b W. Truswell	1
Classen, G., b Corbett	3
Clarke, R. G., b Corbett	4
Robertson b Truswell	1
Collier b Corbett	5
Extras	38
Total	95

Saturday, May 13th, v. Albert Park School First.
Played on our ground. They won the toss, and de-
cided to field first. Caw was responsible for most
of our total, and Bennett did the "hat-trick," and
took five wickets for five runs.

Score:—

THE SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Caw b E. Gaukroger	39	b E. Gaukroger	3
Dobbs b E. Gaukroger	7	b A. Gaukroger	10
Buckingham, H., c A. Thomson b A. Gaukroger	1	b E. Gaukroger	0
Payne b E. Gaukroger	2	b A. Gaukroger	2
Wright c I. Gaskell b E. G'kr'ger	0	b E. Gaukroger	0
Classen, G., b E. Gaukroger	0	b A. Gaukroger	0
Clarke, R. G. b E. Gaukroger	0	b E. Gaukroger	0
Robertson b E. Gaukroger	0	c Thoms b E. G'kr'ger	3
Collier b A. Gaukroger	1	c J. G'sk'll b A. G'kr'ger	7
Classen, E., not out	1	absent	0
Bennett c W. G'sk'll b G'kroger	5	not out	1
Extras	9	Extras	9
Total	65	Total	35

ALBERT PARK SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Thomson, A., run out	0	c Caw b Buckingham	2
Gaskell, W., b Bennett	0	retired hurt	0
Gaukroger, A., b Wright	1	c Caw b Wright	0
Gaskell, I., run out	2	not out	8
Gaukroger, E., b Buckingham	10		
Macadam, b Bennett	0		
Thoms b Bennett	2		
Webb b Bennett	0		
Leonardi b Bennett	0		
Westwood b Buckingham	2		
Thomson, R. G., not out	2		
Extras	6	Extras	6
Total	25	Total for three wickets	16

Wednesday, May 17th, v. St. Bede's College Second. Played on their ground. Winning the toss, we went in first. Rain stopped play.

Score :—

Wright run out.....	3
Dobbs c Paris b Lever	0
Smith, S. A, c Dolphin b O'Gorman	12
Payne, A., not out	8
Buckingham, H. b O'Gorman	0
Bennett, C. H., c and b O'Gorman	4
Collier, F., b Paris	2
Extras	4

Total for six wickets ... 33

E. Classen, Robertson, Baird, and R. E. van der Veen did not bat.

Saturday, June 3rd, v. Nicholls Hospital. Played on their ground. We lost the toss, and Wright and Bennett took up the attack, proving very destructive. Bennett took five wickets for two runs and Wright four for four. We did not score heavily ourselves, and had the "hat-trick" performed on us, but we won the match.

Score :—

NICHOLLS HOSPITAL.

1st innings.

Hulton lbw b Bennett	0
Willis b Wright.....	0
Dillon b Wright.....	1
Walker b Bennett.....	1
Mottershead b Wright.....	0
Dakayne b Bennett	0
Makin b Wright.....	2
Cole b Bennett ..	2
Beck run out	0
Goodwin not out	0
Wood b Bennett	0
Extras	7

Total 13

2nd innings.

b Wright	2
run out	7
not out	6
b Bennett.....	1

Extras 7

Total for three wkts 23

THE SCHOOL.

Clarke, R. G., b Dakayne.....	6
Price b Dakayne	1
Caw c Walker b Dakayne	5
Payne b Dakayne	0
Maguire b Dakayne	0
Bennett not out ..	9
Wright b Wood	0
Buckingham b Wood ..	0
Collier b Wood	0
Classen, G., b Dakayne...	7
Robertson run out	1
Extras	5
Total.....	34

Saturday, June 10th, v. Manchester Grammar School Second. Played on their ground at Higher Broughton. They won the toss, and put us in first. We made a poor display of batting, Price and Maguire alone offering any resistance to the bowling. Our score was passed with one wicket down, and the last batsman did not leave the crease till 114 runs had been totalled. Our fielding was poor, and so was the bowling, with the exception of Wright's. He performed the remarkable feat of taking the ten wickets, all clean bowled, at a cost of 35 runs only, for which he was warmly applauded by both sides. We fared only a little better at the second attempt.

Score :—

THE SCHOOL.

Clarke, R. G., b Hearn ..	0	b Ewan	0
Price c Acratopulo b Hearn	8	c Cox b Ewan.....	3
Maguire b Ewan	10	c Ewan b Miles.....	0
Payne b Hearn	1	b Ewan.....	0
Dobbs b Hearn	0	c and b Ewan.....	0
Young, W. J., run out	3	b Timperlake.....	15
Bennett b Ewan	0	b Cox.....	5
Wright b Hearn.....	1	c and b Miles.....	16
Collier b Hearn	0	b Ewan.....	2
Buckingham b Hearn	5	not out	0
Robertson not out	0	c and b Timperlake ...	0
Extras	3	Extras	7
Total.....	31	Total ...	48

MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL SECOND.

Ugarte b Wright.....	6
Hearn b Wright	33
Cox b Wright	11
Ewan b Wright	4
Frankenburg b Wright	0
Acratopulo b Wright	0
Miles b Wright.....	20
Smith b Wright	0
Timperlake b Wright	13
Cottrill not out.....	2
Heywood b Wright	2
Extras	26
Total	117

Wednesday, June 14th, v. Chorlton High First. Played on our ground. They won the toss and put us in. None of our first eight bats did anything of note except Bennett. For the last wicket, however,

the two Classens put on 34 runs. Chorlton High fared badly against Wright and Bennett, the former taking six wickets for ten runs and the latter four for ten in their first innings. They went in again, but we could not get them out in time.

Score :—

THE SCHOOL.

Caw b Furnival	0
Payne b Schuberth	5
Wright b Schuberth	1
Bennett b Mason	18
Buckingham b Schuberth	0
Young lbw b Schuberth	4
Collier b Schuberth	1
Rushton c Cooper b Schuberth	1
Classen, E., b Schuberth	16
Atcheson c Schuberth b Mason	10
Classen, G., not out	22
Extras	23
Total	101

CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Sutcliffe b Bennett	0	b Wright	2
Furnival c Payne b Bennett	4	b Buckingham	0
Schuberth, O., b Wright.....	0	b Buckingham	6
Schuberth, P., c Caw b Wright	1	not out	6
Cooper c Collier b Bennett	0	b Buckingham	2
Mason b Wright	7	b Bennett.....	0
Ashton b Bennett	2	b Bennett.....	0
Shackleton c Payne b Wright ...	0	c Payne b Bennett.....	0
Wilson b Wright	0	not out	5
Goodwin b Wright	2		
Gumuchian not out	4		
Extras	5	Extras	3
Total	25	Total for seven wickets	24

Saturday, June 17th, v. Field House College. Played on our ground. Our opponents won the toss, and went in first. Their captain, running out to the bowling, knocked up a score of 29 and carried out his bat. We made a poor show, and had it not been for the extras we should have done still worse. They went in again, and some more leather-hunting ensued for us, five wickets falling for 69 runs.

Score :—

FIELD HOUSE COLLEGE.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Heaward b Bennett	0	b Wright	7
Boardman b Wright.....	1	b Wright	1
Maclean,A.,c Robertson bWright	3		
Cheetham b Bennett.....	0	c E. Classen b Bennett	
Stagg not out	29		
Maclean, Ar., b Wright	1	c E. Classen b Wright	12
Williamson c G.Classen bWright	4	not out	31
Life b Robertson	9	b Bennett.....	1
Marshall b Price	0		
Tomlinson b Price	0		
Walton b Robertson.....	3		
Extras	17	Extras	15
Total.....	67	Total for five wks	69

THE SCHOOL.

Price c Stagg b Williamson	4
Maguire run out	1
Wright lbw b Stagg	7
Bennett b Williamson	0
Young b Williamson	0
Collier run out	2
Robertson b Stagg	0
Classen, E., b Stagg	2
Classen, G., b Williamson	8
Atcheson b Williamson	0
Booth, N., not out ..	2
Extras	20
Total	46

Saturday, June 24th, v. Field House College. Played on their ground. We won the toss, but put them in first, to the bowling of Wright and Buckingham. They did not do so well as on the previous Saturday, four wickets being down for three runs, and the innings only realising 31. Price and Clarke made 13 for the first wicket, but seven batsmen were out for 35 runs. G. Classen, Baird and Adshead, however, improved the look of things, and 21 runs were added for the last wicket. We thus retrieved our defeat in the first match.

Score:—

FIELD HOUSE COLLEGE.

1st innings.	2nd innings.
Williamson b Wright	2 run out
Maclean, Ar., b Wright	0 run out
Heaward b Wright	1 b Robertson
Maclean, Al., b Buckingham.....	0 run out
Cheetham b Wright.....	0 c E. Classen b Wright 0
Stagg lbw b Wright.....	13 c and b Wright
Jordan b Buckingham.....	0 b Wright
Heywood b Wright	0 not out
Life b Wright.....	3 c E. Classen b Rob'tson 7
Wallwork b Wright.....	0 b Wright
Tomlinson not out	0 b Wright
Extras	13 Extras
Total	32 Total

THE SCHOOL.

Price b Stagg	7
Clarke, R. G., lbw b Williamson	4
Wright b Stagg	0
Buckingham c Life b Williamson.....	5
Collier b Stagg	0
Dobbs b Williamson	3
Classen, G., c Cheetham b Williamson	11
Classen, G., hit wkt b Williamson	0
Robertson b Stagg	3
Baird c Cheetham b Heaward	11
Adshead, E. W., not out	6
Extras	7
Total	57

Saturday, July 1st, v. Manchester Grammar School Second. Played on our ground. We won the toss, and put them in first, but did not dispose of our opponents till they had scored 121, 49 of which were put on for the eighth wicket. Price was the most successful with the ball, taking five wickets for 24 runs. Bennett and Classen started our innings and put on 10 runs, but our batting then collapsed, and the innings closed for 36.

Score:—

MANCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL SECOND.

Ugarte b Buckingham	11
Richards b Price.....	23
Adair c Buckingham b Price	9
Cottrill b Price.....	0
Acratopulo b Wright.....	0
Timperlake b Price	3
Smyth b Collier	27
Frankenburg b Price	2
Hearn c Clarke b Bennett	20
Mercer not out.....	9
Stubbs c Wright b Bennett.....	0
Extras	17
Total	121

THE SCHOOL.

Bennett b Adair	9
Classen, G., c Ugarte b Stubbs	4
Baird c Acratopulo b Adair.....	0
Wright b Adair.....	6
Price b Stubbs.....	0
Classen, E., b Adair	0
Buckingham b Adair.....	0
Atcheson b Adair ..	7
Young b Adair	0
Clarke, A. A., not out.....	5
Collier b Stubbs.....	0
Extras	5
Total.....	36

Wednesday, July 5th, v. Albert Park School. Played on their ground. Both sides having completed an innings, we went in again with a majority of three runs and scored 43, thus leaving them 47 to win. Their second innings was eventful. The score was 40 for one wicket, when Atcheson was put on to bowl. The change was immediately successful, and with the last balls of his first over and the first of his second he also performed the "hat-trick." Nine wickets were down for 45, seven having fallen with the addition of six runs. The last man then hit a three and won the match.

Score:—

THE SCHOOL.

1st innings.	2nd innings.
Bennett c A. b E. Gaukroger ...	3 b E. Gaukroger
Railton c Thomson b E. Gaukroger	2 c Thomson b A. Gaukroger
Buckingham b E. Gaukroger ...	1 b E. Gaukroger.....
Classen, G., c Lindley b A. Gaukroger	9 c E. b A. Gaukroger...
Atcheson c Leonardi b E. Gaukroger	6 b E. Gaukroger..
Classen, E., b E. Gaukroger.....	0 b E. Gaukroger.....
Collier b E. Gaukroger	1 b E. Gaukroger
Baird lbw b A. Gaukroger	0 c Thoms b E. Gauk'r
Robertson b A. Gaukroger.....	3 run out
Rushton b E. Gaukroger.....	8 b E. Gaukroger
Searle not out.....	0 not out
Extras	3 Extras.....
Total.....	36 Total.....

ALBERT PARK SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Thomson b Bennett	4	run out	4
Webb b Buckingham	13	b Bennett	9
Gaskell, W., b Bennett	0	b Atcheson	8
Gaukroger, E., c G. Classen b Bennett	4	b Atcheson	11
Gaskell, I., run out	6	b Atcheson	2
Gaukroger, A., b Robertson	0	c Collier b Atcheson	0
Scholes c and b Robertson	0	b Robertson	0
Lindley, c G. Classen b Bennett	0	c Buckingham b Atcheson	0
Thoms run out	0	not out	1
Westwood, not out	0	c Bennett b Atcheson	0
Leonardi b Bennett	3	c and b Atcheson	6
Extras	3	Extras	12
Total	33	Total	53

THIRD ELEVEN MATCHES.

Wednesday, June 14th, v. Chorlton High Second.
Played on our ground. Chorlton High won the toss,
but put us in first.

Score:—

THE SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Railton, C. C., b Lloyd	3	b Moorhouse	1
Simpson, H., b Lloyd	7	c Lloyd	17
Adshead, E. W., hit wkt b Lloyd	1	b Lloyd	5
Adshead, J. D. M., b Moorhouse	1	not out	19
Robertson, J. B., b Moorhouse	0	run out	0
van der Veen, R. E., b Lloyd	0	not out	6
Vlies, H. H., b Lloyd	5		
Buckland, J. H., b Moorhouse	9		
Saxelby, W. H., b Lloyd	3		
Wilhl. J., not out	6		
Miller, H., b Moorhouse	0		
Extras	13	Extras	6
Total	48	Total for four wickets	54

Innings declared closed.

CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Lloyd b Robertson	2	b Robertson	4
Goodwin c Simpson b E. W. Adshead	0	b Adshead	0
Moorhouse b Robertson	0	b Adshead	0
Smalley b Adshead	0	not out	9
Milne b Robertson	0	b Adshead	0
Arnold b Adshead	1	c Adshead b Roberts'n	0
Steele c Simpson b Robertson	0	b Robertson	0
Moore c Railton b Robertson	2	not out	5
Mason c Simpson b Adshead	0		
Wood not out	0		
Lyall b Robertson	0		
Extras	11	Extras	15
Total	16	Total for six wickets	33

Saturday, July 17th, v. Chorlton High Second.
Played on our ground. Chorlton High had their
revenge for their defeat in the first match, beating
us by three runs on the first innings; but we should
probably have won if time had allowed their second
innings to be completed. Score:—The School, 19
and 30 for four wickets, innings declared closed.
Chorlton High Second, 22 and 15 for six wickets.

AN ELEVEN (UNDER 13) v. MANCHESTER
GRAMMAR SCHOOL (UNDER 13).

Played at Rusholme on Wednesday, June 28th.
Score:—THE SCHOOL: F. Chambers 16, H. Hay 1,
E. Classen 25, J. D. M. Adshead 3, J. P. Jones (not
out) 0, H. P. Brown 3, W. Thorpe 7, W. P. Brad-
shaw 0, P. Jefferis 3, B. Robinson 0, R. E. van der
Veen 7, extras 10, total 75. MANCHESTER GRAMMAR
SCHOOL: Whitehead 0, Hunt 3, Hill 0, Ugarte 2,
Kelly 5, Caldwell 0, Smyth 0, Heathcote 0, Jones 0,
Ditchfield (not out) 0, Clare 0, extras 3, total 13.

THE FORM MATCHES.

The competition for the Form Championship in
cricket has this season been altered to correspond
with the scheme introduced last winter for the
Football Form Matches. Each form now plays
every other in its division, and two points are scored
for a win, losses being ignored. There are no drawn
games, as an unfinished match has always been
concluded between the same teams at the earliest
available date. The forms are divided, as before,
into Upper and Lower Divisions. The following
tables summarise the results of the matches played
in each division.

UPPER DIVISION.

	Sc. v.	L. v. and iv. U.M. iv.	M.v. and iv. U.M. iv.	Sc. iv.	L.M. iv.	L. iii. and ii.	F. iii.
Sc. V	—	W	L	W	W	W	W
L. V. & IV	L	—	W	W	W	W	W
M. V & U.M. IV	W	L	—	W	L	W	W
Sc. IV	L	L	L	—	L	L	W
L. M. IV	L	L	W	W	—	W	W
L. III & II	L	L	L	W	L	—	W
F. III	L	L	L	L	L	L	—

	Won.	Lost.	Points.
Science V	5	1	10
Latin V and IV.	5	1	10
Lower Modern IV	4	2	8
Mod. V and Upper Mod. IV....	4	2	8
Latin III and II	2	4	4
Science IV	1	5	2
French III	0	6	0

DETAILS OF THE MATCHES.

Science V (71) beat Latin V and IV (62). Science V (44) lost to Modern V and Upper Modern IV (55—van der Veen 19). Science IV scratched to Science V. Science V (34 for eight wickets) beat Lower Modern IV (26). Science V (64 for one wicket—Rowbotham 26, Muth not out 26) beat Latin III and II (46—Rushton 19). Science V (49 for two wickets) beat French III (46—Batty 15).

Latin V and IV (138 for one wicket—Sclater 53, Smith not out 62) beat Modern V and Upper Modern IV, who after scoring 12 for two wickets retired. Latin V and IV (68 for three wickets—Booth not out 16) beat Science IV (19). Latin V and IV (105 for seven wickets, Clarke not out 56) beat Lower Modern IV (65). Latin V. and IV. (74—Sclater 22, Booth 23) beat Latin III and II (40). Latin V and IV (134) beat French III (60).

Modern V and Upper Modern IV. (86 for three wickets—Parker not out 22, van der Veen not out

33) beat Science IV, who retired. Modern V and Upper Modern IV (44) lost to Lower Modern IV (68). Modern V and Upper Modern IV (158—van der Veen 55, Searle 30, A. A. Clarke 23) beat Latin III and II (82—Rushton 24). Modern V and Upper Modern IV (61 for four wickets) beat French III (39).

Science IV scratched to Lower Modern IV. Science IV (68) lost to Latin III and II (72). Science IV (34 for two wickets—Dobbs not out 19) beat French III (30—Batty 17).

Lower Modern IV (93) beat Latin III and II (24). Lower Modern IV (51—Buckland 15) beat French III (50).

Latin III and II (32) beat French III (27).

LOWER DIVISION.

	L. i.	F. ii.	F. i.
Latin I	-	L	W
French II	W	-	W
French I	L	L	-
	Won.	Lost	Points.
French II	2	0	4
Latin I	1	1	2
French I.....	0	2	0

Latin I (23) lost to French II (37). Latin I (37 for one wicket) beat French I (34). French II (105) beat French I (11).

THE HULME GRAMMAR SCHOOL—GAMES' CLUB.

Dr. Treasurer's Statement of Accounts for the half-year ending June 30th, 1893.

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To Boys' Subscriptions:—	£	s	d.	£	s	d.
Lent Term	30	10	0			
Midsummer Term.....	31	0	0			
				61	10	0
„ Mr. Hibbert's Subscription				6	0	0
„ Sundry Receipts				0	1	0
„ Balance				2	2	6

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	£	s	d.
By Balance	7	8	1
„ A. Watson (Cricket and Football Materials) ...	22	10	4
„ W. Wall (Professional).....	28	0	0
„ Caps Presented	1	12	6
„ Subscription to the Northern Lacrosse Association	0	10	6
„ Entrance Fee, Lacrosse Competition.....	0	2	6
„ Travelling Expenses of Teams	7	14	3
„ Printing and Stationery	1	13	0
„ Postage and Telegrams.....	0	2	4

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