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Editorial.

MORE than three years have passed since the School opened, and the time has now arrived, which comes soon in the history of all schools, and all too soon in ours, when boys begin to leave us for their work in life, carrying school memories with them, and leaving behind the stamp of their influence. This is the first turning point in the School's history, the beginning of that stream of influence, which the School as long as it exists, will continue to send out into the surrounding world; it is also the foundation of school traditions, for every boy leaves behind him for his successors some contribution to that public spirit which makes the life of a school continuous.

It is very important for both that boys when they leave should not lose sight of their old school, nor their school of them; and though old Hulmeians need not be asked to remember us, yet with the best intentions they may be prevented by various causes from keeping themselves

informed of our doings—though they are not likely to forget their own school days, they will be glad of a record to refer to.

It is equally if not more important that present members of the School should remember that standards of success in work and games have been set up by their predecessors, which it should be their aim to raise, but below which they must never fall.

Hence, a School Magazine is not merely a desirable luxury, but has a double purpose to perform, to interest the old in the doings of the new, the new in the doings of the old, to keep within the sphere of its influence all who have at any time been connected with the School.

This our first number, a simple record of our history and our doings, we issue in the confidence that it will be welcomed by all members of the School Past and Present, and that both will combine to make *The Hulmeian* a success.

School News and Notes.

THE Examiners appointed for this year by the Governors are H. W. Just, B.A., formerly Scholar of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, (for Classics, Modern Languages and English), Mr. W. W. Haldane Gee, Lecturer at the Owens College, (for Mathematics and Physical Science), and Mr. F. G. Jackson, Second Master of the Birmingham School of Art, (for Drawing and Writing).

We record with great regret the departure of three members of the staff. Mr. Urwick and Mr. Oldham have rendered valuable services to the Games' Committee ever since its beginning, as Treasurer and Secretary; and to the untiring interest taken by them and Mr. Meade in the Athletics of the School their present flourishing condition is largely due. Mr. Oldham is going to a Modern Mastership at Harrow, Mr. Urwick and Mr. Meade for a lengthened stay on the Continent. Our best wishes go with them.

Mr. E. J. Urwick, Classical Scholar of Wadham College, Oxford, Mr. E. G. Hewlett, B.A., formerly Foundation Scholar in Classics, Trinity College, Cambridge, and Berkeley, Fellow of the Owens College, Manchester, and Mr. K. J. Fison, B.A., of Clare College, Cambridge, have been appointed to Masterships at the School.

F. M. Saxelby, who was elected to the Dalton Mathematical Entrance Exhibition at the Owens College, in September last, has been placed in the First Class at the Preliminary Examination of the Victoria University.

"Ex Africa semper aliquid novi." In a recent general knowledge paper a young Hulmeian ingeniously completed a scrap of quotation thus:—

On! Stanley, on!

Were the last words of Livingstone.

At the supper which followed the Past v. Present cricket match the idea of founding a cricket and football club for old Hulmeians was warmly received. The old boys are, as yet, few in number, but there are materials for a good eleven at both

games. The expense attending the provision of a suitable field is the main difficulty. Perhaps some of our older readers may help us, and render the very great service of keeping the old boys together and in touch with the School.

Thirty boys and three masters from the school spent their extended Easter Holidays at Port Erin, Isle of Man, this spring. All the party will long remember with pleasure the succession of excursions over the cliffs, the football and cricket matches on the shore, the paper-chase and the boat races, even though they forget the few hours of lessons which varied the monotony of holiday.

Next term will begin on Tuesday, September 16th. The Examination for Entrance and for Entrance Scholarships will be held on the day before.

The Prize Day and the Athletic Sports take place on Thursday, July 31st. There are 53 entries for the 600 yards handicap, 90 for the 300 yards, and 37 for the open half-mile. 12 have entered for the old boys' race. Altogether 115 competitors have put down their names for the various events.

The Games' Club.

THE Games' Club dates its existence from the Spring of 1889. Since our School opened in 1887, Cricket, Football, and Lacrosse had been played with steadily increasing success, under the care of Mr. A. D. Hall, and afterwards of Mr. R. Holmes. Indeed, towards the end of the Winter of 1888-89, our reputation had become somewhat embarrassing. The climax was reached when we found, one day, that one of our opponents thought it necessary—"to make an even game"—to put a team in the field composed of five Masters, four "old boys,"—and two actual members of their School! At the close of this season, it was decided to establish the Games on a definite basis, and to vest the management in a Committee of Control.

The first meeting of the Games' Committee was held on April 1st, 1889, when the School was represented by A. R. Lowe, H. J. Amos, A. G. Baker, H. Haynes, J. R. P. Sclater, G. L. Hansford, J. White, P. Williams, T. Hart, and F. V. Hansford. The three lowest Forms did not elect Members of Committee. A. G. Baker was elected Captain, H. J. Amos, Vice-Captain of Cricket, and A. R. Lowe, Secretary of the Games' Committee. Mr. Urwick and Mr. Sykes were appointed Treasurers.

At the next meeting the report of a Sub-Committee on the duties of these officials, and of the professional cricketer, was presented and adopted. T. Whatmough, the well-known ex-Cheshire County player, and Stockport professional, had been engaged for the season. To his steady and excellent coaching, there is little doubt our striking success in cricket is largely due, and we are glad to be able to place his services on record here.

After the Summer Lowe was appointed Captain of Football, with E. Shorrocks as Vice-Captain. The duties of the Secretary having proved rather exacting for a member of the School, Mr. Oldham, who had undertaken them for some time during Lowe's absence, was asked to resume them. The Treasurers were re-appointed, and the result of fresh elections in the different Forms was the selection of the following representatives:—Amos, H. J., Shorrocks, E., Classen, H. L., Hardie, J. H., Thrustle, G. H., Lowe, F. H., Silkstone, W. F., Spencer, R. B., Booth, V., Farquharson, G. At a later date Clarke, H. F. was chosen in place of Silkstone who found himself unable to serve on the Committee. The next appointments made were Amos, H. J. as Captain of Lacrosse, Bennett, P. M. Vice-Captain, and Hague, O. Captain of 2nd Football Team.

After Christmas it was necessary to select a successor to Lowe as Captain of Football. Accordingly Shorrocks, E. was appointed, with White, J. as Vice-Captain. On the Cricket Season coming round again, Baker and Amos were re-appointed to the positions they held last year.

The effect of the Committee in stimulating

public spirit, and rousing strong interest in the games has been marked, and the honour of representing one's form on it, will, we feel sure, be more and more coveted.

Cricket, 1889.

OUR first systematic season opened successfully, and closed with a brilliant record. To begin by beating a strong team from the Manchester Grammar School was good, but better still was to end with following record:—

Matches played 16. Won 10; lost 4; drawn 2.

The matches lost, as will be seen below, were against the Masters, Shrewsbury C.C., Manchester Grange C. C. "A" team, and a team from Farnworth Grammar School, of which, it was ascertained, no less than five members had no connection whatever with the School. The principal features of the season were the successful batting of Lowe, and the brilliant bowling of Amos. On May 8th, against the Deaf and Dumb Schools, Lowe made 102; and on May 4th, against Norman Road School, Amos took nine wickets for one run in the first innings, and did the hat trick in the second. The rule about closing the innings was successfully put in force more than once, the first time being almost immediately after it came into operation.

The best averages read as follows:—

BATTING.

	Runs.	Completed Innings.	Highest Score.	Average.
LOWE, A. R.	324	15	102	21.6
BAKER, A. G.	189	17	42	11.1

BOWLING.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
AMOS, H. J.	133	62	130	67	1.9
LOWE, A. R.	60.2	19	103	32	3.2

A batting average of over twenty is distinctly good, a bowling average of under two phenomenal.

In the appended list of matches played, an asterisk indicates that the game was on our opponents' ground.

Sat., April 27, *v.* Manchester Grammar School 2nd.—Won. The School 32, and 39 for eight wickets. Manchester Grammar School 28.

Wed., May 1st, *v.* Next XVI.—Won. The School 92. Next XVI. 16.

Thur., May 2nd, *v.* The Masters.—Lost. The School 39. The Masters 68.

Sat., May 4th, *v.* Norman Road School.—Won. The School 127 for four wickets (innings declared closed). Norman Road School 9 and 24.

Wed., May, 8th, *v.* Deaf and Dumb Schools.—Won. The School 256 for nine wickets. Deaf and Dumb Schools 23.

Wed., May, 15th, *v.* Catholic Collegiate Institute.—Won. The School 88 and 18 for four wickets. Catholic Collegiate Institute 34.

*Sat., May 18th, *v.* Ashton High School.—Drawn. The School 66. Ashton High School 12 for three wickets.

*Sat., May 25th, *v.* Shrewsbury C. C.—Lost. The School 15 and 14. Shrewsbury C. C. 43 and 39.

*Wed., May 29, *v.* Farnworth Grammar School.—Drawn. Farnworth Grammar School 41 for six wickets. Rain then stopped further play.

Sat., June 1, *v.* St. Paul's C. C. 2nd.—Won. The School 76. St. Paul's C.C. 21.

Sat., June 22, *v.* Woodlands School.—Won. The School 92 for five wickets (innings closed). Woodlands School 12 and 20 for nine wickets.

*Wed., June 26, *v.* Catholic Collegiate Institute.—Won. The School 50. Catholic Collegiate Institute 35.

Sat., June 29, *v.* "Farnworth Grammar School."—Lost. The School 33. Farnworth Grammar School 81 for four wickets.

Sat., July 6, *v.* Manchester Grange C.C. "A" team.—Lost. The School 52. Manchester Grange C.C. 81.

Sat., July 20, *v.* Shrewsbury C.C.—Won. The School 79. Shrewsbury C.C. 62.

*Sat., July 29, *v.* Woodlands School.—Won. The School 67, and 26 for eight wickets. Woodlands School 25.

CRICKET TEAMS, 1889.

1st Eleven.

Baker, A. G. (Captain).
Lowe, A. R.
Amos, H. J.
Shorrocks, E.
Adshead, A. G.
Youatt, G.
Rowe, E. B.
Bennett, P. M.
Hart, T.
Hague, O.
Classen, H. R.

2nd Eleven.

Williams, P. (Captain).
Payne, S.
Spencer, R. B.
Barrett, L.
Silkstone, W. F.
Farquharson, G. S.
Thrustle, G. H.
Hardie, J. H.
White, J.
Thompson, W. T.
Clarke, H. F.

Football 1889=90.

IN arranging fixtures it was decided to have two classes of matches,—1st, against schools, a purely school team—2nd, against clubs,—team to include some masters. The system worked excellently and enabled us to measure our strength occasionally against strong teams. We were unfortunate in losing our first match, and during the first half of the season lost four other games, the principal defeats being at the hands of the Catholic Collegiate Institute, a heavy and clever team. As the season advanced, however, our style of play steadily improved; a vicious style of individual dribbling and selfish play, which had prevailed at the beginning, gave place to good passing and combination, and as a result, after the New Year began we never lost a match, and ended the season with a string of ten successive victories.

The Masters' match, which was arranged for March 29th, had to be abandoned on account of the unfortunate simultaneous illness of several members of the staff, and a game with St. Mary's A.F.C. "A" team was substituted; a game with them which should have been played on December 14th having been cancelled owing to fog. An "Old Hulmeian" match was hastily arranged, owing to a team being unable to fulfil an engagement, and played on February 8th. The "Old Hulmeians" had a fair.

though scarcely representative team, but found that training and combination mean a great deal in football, and so came off only second best. The game was notable as forming the first of what it is to be hoped will be a long series of similar struggles between Past and Present.

The record of the whole season reads :—

Matches 19, Won 13, Lost 5, Drawn 1.
Goals—For 65, Against 40.

In the following list, an asterisk indicates that the game was on our opponents' ground. The numbers after the names of some teams show the number of Masters who played in the School team. The game on January 25th was won by default, our opponents not putting in an appearance.

Sat., Oct. 12, *v.* St. Mary's A.F.C. "A" team (5),—
Lost. Goals—For 3, Against 4.

Sat., Oct. 19, *v.* Next XVI,—Won—For 6, Against 2.

Sat., Oct. 26, *v.* Dalton Hall 3rd (4)—Won—For 3,
Against 1.

Sat., Nov. 2, *v.* Catholic Collegiate Institute—Lost
—For 0, Against 12.

Sat., Nov. 9, *v.* Hulme Hall (4)—Lost—For 2,
Against 5.

* Sat., Nov. 16, *v.* Brooklands A.F.C. (2)—Lost—
For 0, Against 4.

Sat., Nov. 23, *v.* Bury Grammar School—Won—
For 4, Against 0.

* Sat., Nov. 30, *v.* Catholic Collegiate Institute (3)—
Lost—For 0, Against 8.

Sat., Dec. 7, *v.* Manchester Grammar School 2nd—
Won—For 1, Against 0.

* Sat., Jan. 25, *v.* Manchester Grammar School 2nd—
Won—For 1, Against 0.

Sat., Feb. 1, *v.* Chetham's Hospital—Won—For 16,
Against 0.

Sat., Feb. 8, *v.* Old Hulmeians—Won—For 9,
Against 0.

Sat., Feb. 15, *v.* General Post Office A.F.C. (3)—
Won—For 6, Against 1.

Sat., Feb. 22, *v.* Brooklands School—Won—For 2,
Against 0.

Sat., Mar. 1, *v.* Brooklands A.F.C. (1)—Draw.
Nothing was scored.

* Sat., Mar. 8, *v.* Brooklands School—Won—For 2,
Against 0.

Sat., Mar. 15, *v.* General Post Office A.F.C. (4)—
Won—For 4, Against 0.

Sat., Mar. 22, *v.* Dalton Hall 3rd (5)—Won—For 3,
Against 2.

Sat., Mar. 29, *v.* St. Mary's A.F.C. "A Team" (4)—
Won—For 3, Against 1.

FOOTBALL TEAMS, 1888-89.

1st Eleven.

Lowe, A. R. (Capt.)
Amos, H. J.
Baker, A. G.
Classen, H. R.
Hart, T.
Haynes, H.
Robinson, F. A.
Sclater, J. R. P.
Thrustle, G. H.
van der Veen, J.
Wright, E. E.

2nd Eleven.

Adshead, A. G.
Bell, J. D.
Bennett, P. M.
Booth, V. S.
Corbett, J. S.
Hardie, J. H.
Ingham, J. E.
Spencer, R. B.
White, J.
Whitehead, D. K.
Youatt, G.

The above are printed alphabetically for lack of records as to seniority.

1889-90.

1st Eleven.

Lowe, A. R. (Capt.)
Shorrocks, E. (Vice-Capt.)
Baker, A. G.
Haynes, H.
Thrustle, G. H.
White, J.
Hart, T.
Classen, H. R.
Amos, H. J.
Bennett, P. M.
Edge, J. G.

2nd Eleven.

Hague, O. (Capt.)
Hardie, J. H.
Corbett, J. S.
Ingham, J. E.
Whitehead, D. K.
Spencer, R. B.
Saxelby, S. W.
Youatt, G.
Barrett, L.
Norbury, L.
Rickitt, F.

Norbury, L.
Hague, O.
Hardie, J. H.

Booth, V. S.
Holroyd, A.
Lawrence, E.

Characters of Football Team.

LOWE, A. R., forward. The best all round player we have had. An excellent back or half-back, played centre forward with great skill and irresistible dash. A good Captain.

SHORROCKS, E., forward. A good wing; neat dribbler, quick, but inclined to keep the ball too long and work into the centre with it. Very painstaking and promising. Succeeded Lowe as Captain.

BAKER, A. G., back. Invaluable to the team, sure, steady, and always reliable.

HAYNES, H., half-back. Played up with dogged persistency, but rather slow.

THRUSTLE, G. H., forward. Played with great dash at times. Shoots well with either leg, but easily disheartened and then fails to keep his place.

WHITE, J., back. Developed into an excellent back. Never shirks. Great dash and strength.

HART, T., half-back. Strong and fast. Improved greatly during the season. Is also an excellent goal keeper.

CLASSEN, H. R., half-back. Played for half the season very pluckily. Rather too light as yet for the team.

AMOS, H. J., forward. Played well as right wing. Fast and centres excellently, though sometimes too late.

BENNETT, P. M., goal. On the whole good. Quick, lively, and can kick well. Practised hard, and improved considerably.

EDGE, J. G., forward. Fast and neat, at times the best forward on the field, but uncertain.

The following received their colours to fill vacancies after Christmas, 1889:—

NORBURY, L., half-back. Plucky. Can kick, but inclined to loiter, instead of backing up the forwards.

HAGUE, O., forward. Played up well, and tried his best to fill Lowe's place.

HARDIE, J. H., half-back. Perhaps the hardest working member of the team, but should learn to kick better.

Lacrosse.

LACROSSE was played in the winter of 1888-89 in a desultory manner, with natural results. Nearly all our energies were concentrated on football, and, that having become an assured success, it was possible last season to take up Lacrosse with greater vigour. A good list of fixtures was arranged, but several were interfered with by bad weather and other circumstances, especially the Owens College Challenge Shield Ties, which entailed considerable alterations in our list. In this competition the season before last we were knocked out in the second round—last season, however, we reached the semi-finals; and next, we hope to get even further.

Games.	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.
8	3	3	2

Goals—For 31. Against 30.

W. Oct. 23, v. CLARENDON ROAD SCHOOL.—Drawn—Goals, one all

W. Oct. 30, v. CATHOLIC COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.—Won—For 13, Against 2.

W. Nov. 6, v. CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL—Lost—For 0, Against 9.

*W. Nov. 20, v. CLARENDON ROAD SCHOOL—Won—For 4, Against 2.

W. Dec. 4, v. WOODLANDS SCHOOL—Lost—For 0, Against 7.

W. Dec. 11, v. WOODLANDS SCHOOL (SHIELD TIE)—Won—For 9, Against 1.

W. Feb. 12, v. WOODLANDS SCHOOL—Drawn—For 3, Against 3.

*W. Mar. 5, v. CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL (SHIELD TIE)—Lost—For 1, Against 5.

An asterisk * indicates that the game was on our opponents' ground.

LACROSSE TEAM.—1889-90.

Amos, H. J. (Captain).

Bennett, P. M. (Vice-Captain).

Lowe, A. R.

Payne, S.

Shorrocks, E.

Norbury, L.

Rowe, E. B.

Hague, O.

Barrett, L.

Hart, T.

Youatt, G.

Lowe, F. H.

Athletic Sports.

WE pride ourselves on our Athletic Sports, and with some reason. For enthusiasm, number of entries, and the rapidity with which a long programme is got through, they probably have few equals. In 1888 there were over 100 entries, in 1889 more than 120, and this year, we understand almost the same number have given in their names. May their number never grow less! We briefly record here the names of those who have assisted in organisation or management.

1888.—*President*: The Head Master. *Hon. Secretary*: H. Y. Oldham, Esq. *Starter*: C. N. Adams, Esq. *Judges*: W. A. Badham, Esq., E. K. Brice, Esq., and W. E. Urwick, Esq. *Referee*: R. Holmes, Esq., *Timekeeper*: Sergeant Mitchell. *Stewards*: H. J. Amos, A. G. Baker, A. R. Lowe, and E. E. Wright.

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We are also indebted to Mr. Brice for a most artistic design for the cover of the programme.

JULY 26, 1888.

600 YARDS HANDICAP.—1st.—Collier, F., 92 yards; 2nd.—Clarke, E., 120 yards; 3rd.—Hague, J., 104 yards; 4th.—Hansford, G. L., 60 yards.
LONG JUMP, OPEN.—1st. Amos, H. J.; 2nd.—Adshead, A. G.
80 YARDS, UNDER 10.—1st.—Muth, C.
100 YARDS, UNDER 12.—1st.—Bell, J. D.; 2nd.—Ingham, J. E.; 3rd.—Thomson, W. T.
100 YARDS, UNDER 13.—1st.—Swindells, A. R.; 2nd.—Thrustle, G. H.
100 YARDS, OPEN.—1st.—Shaw, V. E.; 2nd.—Lowe, A. R.

THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—Lowe, A. R. 65 yards, 1 foot.

HALF MILE, OPEN.—1st.—Shaw, V. E.; 2nd.—Shorrocks, F. W.; 3rd.—Wright, E. E.

HIGH JUMP, OPEN.—1st.—Amos, H. J.; 2nd.—Robinson, F. A. Height: 3 feet 11 inches.

300 YARDS HANDICAP.—1st.—Mac Callum, J., 75 yards; 2nd.—Buckingham, H., 66 yards; 3rd.—Bell, J. D., 48 yards; 4th.—Booth, V., 50 yards; 5th.—Thomson, W. T., 49 yards.

THREE-LEGGED RACE.—1st.—Hart, T., Clementi, R. P.; 2nd.—Hansford, G. L., Hansford, F. V.

CONSOLATION RACE (300 YARDS).—1st.—Rowe, E. B.; 2nd.—White, J.

AUGUST 1st, 1889.

600 YARDS HANDICAP.—1st.—Collier, F., 40 yards; 2nd.—Wilson, A. J., 60 yards; 3rd.—Green, C. J., 80 yards; 4th.—Hague, J., 50 yards.

LONG JUMP, OPEN.—1st.—Lowe, A. R.; 2nd.—Amos, H. J. Length: 14 feet, 2 inches.

80 YARDS, UNDER 10.—Wright, H. J.

100 YARDS, UNDER 12.—1st.—Clarke, L.; 2nd.—van der Veen, H.; 3rd.—Guest, A. S.

100 YARDS, UNDER 14.—1st.—Bennett, P. M.; 2nd.—Thrustle, G. H.; 3rd.—Bell, J. D.

100 YARDS, OPEN.—1st.—Lowe, A. R.; 2nd.—Amos, H. J.

THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—White, J. Distance: 72 yards.

HALF MILE, OPEN.—1.—Rowe, E. B.; 2nd.—Shorrocks, E.; 3rd.—Hart, T.

HIGH JUMP, OPEN.—1st.—Baker, A. G.; 2nd.—Amos, H. J. Height, four feet.

300 YARDS HANDICAP.—1st.—Wright, H. J., 50 yards; 2nd.—Guest, L. H., 35 yards; 3rd.—Van der Veen, H., 35 yards; 4th.—Buckingham, H., 30 yards; 5th.—Brownston, E., 20 yards; 6th.—Minty, F. W. A., 35 yards.

THREE-LEGGED RACE.—Hart, T., Haynes, H.; 2nd.—Railton, C. C., White, A.

CONSOLATION RACE (300 YARDS).—1st.—Barrett, L.; 2nd.—Lowe, F. H.; 3rd.—Hague, O.

Cricket, 1890.

Saturday, May 3, v. Next Sixteen.
NEXT SIXTEEN.

White, J., b Amos	0
Rickitt, F., b Amos	0
Clarke, H. F., c Payne b Youatt	0
Sclater, J. R. P., b Amos	2
Silkstone, W. F., b Amos	6
Spencer, R. B., b Amos	8
Hardie, J. W., b Youatt	1
Thrustle, G. H., c Payne b Youatt	3
Thompson, W. T., b Amos	8
Booth, V. S., c Bennett. b Amos	0
Lawrence, E. G., b Baker	7
Norbury, V., c Bennett, b Baker	2
Holroyd, A. F., b Amos	9
Williams, C. F., b Amos	2
Deacon, W. G., b Amos	0
Farquharson, A., c Payne b Baker	0
Corbett, J. S., c Payne b Baker	0
Baird, A., b Baker	0
Rowbotham, A. E., c Baker b Youatt	1
Smith, W. B., c Bennett, b Baker	0
Youatt, E., b Youatt	0
Muth, H. B. L., not out	0
Byes	16
Total	65

THE ELEVEN.

Rowe, E., run out	1
Shorrocks, E., run out	0
Baker, A. G., c Norbury b Muth	19
Amos, H. J., b Rickitt	0
Youatt, G., b Rickitt	4
Bennett, P. M., st Hardie b Muth	7
Hart, T., c and b Lawrence	0
Payne, S., b Rickitt	6
Classen, H. R., c. Norbury b Lawrence	0
Farquharson, G., not out	4
Barrett, L., b Rickitt	0
Byes 10; Leg byes 5	15
Total	56

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

NEXT SIXTEEN.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Amos, H. J. ...	18	9	16	10
Baker, A. G. ...	9	5	14	6
Youatt, G. ...	12.2	6	19	5

THE ELEVEN.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Silkstone, W. F. ...	9	5	12	0
Rickitt, F. ...	9.8	3	15	4
Lawrence E. ...	3	0	6	2
Muth, T. ...	3	2	5	2
Spencer R. B. ...	1	0	3	0

Saturday May 10, v. Chorlton High School.
AT ALEXANDRA PARK.

We won this, our first match, with great ease by nine wickets. Rain came on and stopped play after 55 had been scored.

CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL.

Prusmann, lbw b Amos	0
Blockey, L., run out	2
Wilkinson, b Amos	0
Flockton, b Amos	7
Smith, b Amos	0
Poyser, c Classen, b Rowe	3
Blockey, G., c Amos b Rowe	2
Wallwork, b Amos	1
Schmolder, c and b Amos	0
Fulton, not out	0
Wachter, st Shorrocks b Rowe	0
Leg bye	1
Total	16

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E., b Blockey, G.	22
Shorrocks, E., not out	19
Baker, A. G., not out	5
Byes	9
Total for 1 wicket	55

Amos, H. J., Youatt, G., Bennett, P. M., Hart, T., Spencer, R. B., Rickitt, F., Classen, H. R., Farquharson, G. did not bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Amos, H. J. 5	3	6	6	
Rowe, E. ... 4.8	1	9	3	

Wednesday, May, 14, v. Catholic Institute, at Alexandra Park. The School won by 77 runs. Baker's 36 (not out) included 1 four, 5 threes and 3 twos. Rickitt was very successful with the ball.

THE SCHOOL.

Youatt, G. b Wheeling	3
Shorrocks, E. b Wearden	13
Baker, A. G. not out	36
Rowe, E. b Wearden	0
Amos, H. J. b Wheeling	1
Bennett, P. M. b Wearden	3
Hart, T. b Wearden	13
Rickitt, F. c and b Wearden	2
Spencer, R. B. b Wheeling	0
Classen, H. R. run out	5
Farquharson, G. c and b Sanchez	0
b 20, l-b 4, w 2, n-b 2	28
Total	104

CATHOLIC COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Wearden, R. b Rickitt.....	4	b Amos.....	0
Wheeling, W. c Rowe b Rickitt.....	1	not out.....	8
Keeley, J. c and b Amos.....	8	b Amos.....	7
Sanchez, L. b Amos.....	2	b Amos.....	2
Hyde, E. b Amos.....	2	.....	.....
Deigado, S. run out.....	0	.....	.....
Foley, W. b Rickitt.....	0	.....	.....
Reavy, I. b Rickitt.....	2	.....	.....
Buttersley, T. b Rickitt.....	0	.....	.....
Wall, F. b Amos.....	0	b Rickitt.....	0
Ball, T. not out.....	8	Byes.....	5
Byes.....	—	.....	—
Total.....	27	Total.....	22

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	1st inn.					2nd inn.			
	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Amos, H. J.	10	5	10	4	5'4...	2	7	3	
Rickitt, F.	9'4	6	9	5	5	2	10	1	

Saturday, May 17, v. Brooklands School, at Brooklands. This was our first match with Brooklands at cricket, and proved very exciting. We won by four runs on the first innings, but had there been time to play out both, we should probably have had five wickets to spare. Amos was very successful as a bowler, especially in the second innings, but the batting, with the exception of a pretty innings of 17 by Youatt, was indifferent.

BROOKLANDS SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Cressy b Amos.....	22	b Amos.....	0
Campbell c Classen b Rickitt.....	4	b Amos.....	3
Ogden l-b-w b Baker.....	2	c Payne b Amos.....	0
Beswick c Baker b Amos.....	2	c Rickitt b Amos.....	2
Thompson c Rickitt b Amos.....	1	b Amos.....	10
Davies b Amos.....	4	c Spencer b Baker.....	4
Wright run out.....	0	b Rickitt.....	3
Wright c Shorrocks b Baker.....	0	not out.....	1
Best c Shorrocks b Amos.....	1	c Classen b Amos.....	4
Willing run out.....	2	b Amos.....	1
Jones not out.....	6	b Rickitt.....	2
Byes.....	1	Byes.....	5
Total.....	45	Total.....	35

THE SCHOOL.

1st inn.		2nd inn.	
Shorrocks, E. c Davies.....	3	b Cressy.....	2
Youatt, G. c Beswick b Davies.....	17	run out.....	1
Baker, A. G. l-b-w b Davies.....	2	not out.....	7
Amos, H. J. l-b-w b Ogden.....	1	l-b-w b Davies.....	12
Bennett, P. M. b Cressy.....	9	not out.....	1
Hart, T. b Ogden.....	0	.....	.....
Rickitt, F. b Cressy.....	6	.....	.....
Payne S. b Ogden.....	0	.....	.....
Spencer, R. B. c Campbell b Ogden.....	2	.....	.....
Classen, H. R. b Ogden.....	4	.....	.....
Farquharson, G. not out.....	0	.....	.....
b 4, l-b 1.....	5	Byes.....	1
Total.....	49	Total.....	24

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	1st inn.					2nd inn.			
	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Amos, H. J.	11'4	3	20	5	10	3	14	7	
Rickitt, F.	6	1	15	1	2'8	1	1	2	
Baker, A. G.	5	9	0	2	7	2	15	1	

Saturday, June 7, v. Old Trafford School, at Alexandra Park. Our opponents arrived half-an-hour late, and, winning the toss, sent us in. A good start was made, the first wicket producing 51 runs. After 110 had been made, with the help of an enormous number of byes, the innings was declared closed. Old Trafford began well, but the bowling soon proved too good, and, when time was called, they were 38 runs behind with one wicket to fall; the result being a draw greatly in our favour. The alacrity displayed by our fielders towards the finish was unsurpassable, but the in-coming batsmen seemed to have great difficulty in finding suitable pads.

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E. b Batty.....	25
Shorrocks, E. b Batty.....	15
Baker, A. G. not out.....	16
Amos, H. J. b Batty.....	4
Youatt, G. c & b Worthington.....	8
Bennett, P. M. b Batty.....	0
Hart, T. b Batty.....	3
Classen, H. R. not out.....	5
b 31, l-b 2, w 1.....	34
Total.....	110

Barrett, L., Payne, S., Silkstone, W. F., did not bat.

OLD TRAFFORD SCHOOL.

Betts c Rowe b Amos	26
Worthington c Barrett b Rowe	0
Rowcliffe c Barrett b Baker	9
Batty b Amos	0
Sharpe b Amos	1
Mouatt b Amos	18
Lilly b Rowe	5
Kenworthy b Rowe	1
Beaty c Barrett b Rowe	0
Sharpe not out	0
Hargreaves not out	3
Byes	9

Total 72

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Amos, H. J.	13	3	26	4
Rowe, E.	9	1	20	4
Baker, A. G.	2	0	10	1
Silkstone, W. F.	2	0	7	0

Saturday, June 14, v. Woodlands School, at Fallowfield. We won easily, thanks chiefly to a splendid innings of 51 (not out) by Baker, which included 1 four 4 threes and 8 twos, and a fine bowling performance by Rowe, who took four wickets with consecutive balls in one over.

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E. b Milne	14
Shorrocks, E. b Mr. Jones	0
Baker, A. G. not out	51
Youatt, G. b Milne	11
Bennett, P. M. b Milne	1
Rickitt, F. c Lowe b Mr. Jones	5
Classen, H. R. b Milne	0
Buckingham, P. b Milne	0
Barrett, L. b Milne	4
Farquahrson, G. b Milne	0
Silkstone, W. F. b Milne	0
b 12, w 1, n-b 1	14

Total 100

WOODLANDS SCHOOL.

1st innings.	2nd innings.
Smith, A. C. b Rowe	0 st Shorrocks b Rowe... 1
Andrews, T. C. b Rickitt	3 c Barrett b Rowe 6
Lowe, H. D. l-b-w b Rowe	0 c Classen b Rowe 0
Jones, Mr. b Rickitt	0 b Rowe
Milne, S. b Rickitt	0 b Rowe
Cumming, W. b Rickitt	4 b Rowe
Scott, L. P. b Rowe	0
Milne, R. c Youatt b Rowe	0 b Rickitt
Noton, H. c Classen b Rowe	2 c Bennett b Rickitt ... 1
Salomons, E. c Bennett b Rowe	0 not out
Kendal, E. not out	0 c Baker b Rickitt 0
Byes	3 Byes
Total	12 Total 32

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	1st inn.				2nd inn.			
	O.	M.	R.	W.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowe, E.	5	2	5	6	5	2	11	6
Rickitt, F.	4'2	2	4	4	5	1	9	3
Baker, A. G. ....	...	...	...	...	1	0	10	0

Wednesday, June 18, v. Brooklands School. This return match had to be abandoned owing to rain, which was very regrettable as the first match had proved close and exciting.

Saturday, June 21, v. Bowdon College, at Bowdon. Rowe again bowled well taking all the Bowdon wickets, but we suffered defeat for the first time, our score being only 35 against their 53. Our team had never played on the Bowdon ground before, and were puzzled by its peculiarities.

THE SCHOOL.

Shorrocks, E. b Wolff	0
Rowe, E. b Wilson	0
Baker, A. G. c Maxwell b Wilson	17
Amos, H. J. c and b Wolff	3
Youatt, G. b Wilson	1
Bennett, P. M. b Wilson	6
Hart, T. b Wolff	0
Rickitt, F. c Hadfield b Wolff	5
Classen, H. R. b Wilson	1
Barrett, L. b Wolff	0
Lawrence, E. not out	0
b 1, l-b 1	2

Total 35

BOWDON COLLEGE.

Hadfield c Hart b Rowe	5
Thornton, H. b Rowe	3
Wolff b Rowe	11
Baker b Rowe	3
Wilson run out	2
Bell b Rowe	0
Taylor b Rowe	9
Howard b Rowe	0
Maxwell not out	11
Thornton, A. c Baker b Rowe	0
Wells c Bennett b Rowe	4
b 4, l-b 1	5

Total 53

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Amos, H. J.	4	0	11	0
Rowe, E.	12'6	3	23	9
Rickitt, F.	9	3	14	0

Wednesday, June 28, v. Catholic Collegiate Institute. Match abandoned on account of rain.

Saturday, June 28, v. Chorlton High School. at Alexandra Park. Return match won by 18 runs.

CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL.

Prusmann c Baker b Lawrence	14
Griffiths b Rickitt	12
Poyser c Youatt b Rickitt	5
Wilkinson b Rowe	4
Smith b Lawrence	2
Lychenheim b Baker	1
Raby not out	2
Handley c Classen b Baker	0
Smalley c and b Baker	0
Williams, C. F. (sub) b Baker	0
Byes	2

Total..... 42

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E. b Griffiths.....	14
Shorrocks, E. b Griffiths	7
Baker, A. G. run out.....	1
Youatt, G. run out.....	11
Bennett, P. M. b Griffiths	0
Rickitt, F. c Griffiths b b Wilkinson	4
White, J. b Prusmann	1
Hart, T. b Prusmann	0
Classen, H. R. b Prusmann	3
Buckingham, P. c Prusmann	0
Lawrence, E. not out	3
b 15, 1-b 1	16
	60

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowe, E.	12	3	19	1
Rickitt, F.	10	3	12	2
Baker, A. G.	6	4	3	4
Lawrence, E. ...	5	2	6	2

Saturday, July 5, v. Old Hulmeians, at Alexandra Park.

OLD HULMEIANS.

Lowe, A. R. c Shorrocks b Rickitt.....	2
Wright, E. E. c & b Rowe.....	17
Robinson, F. A. b Rickitt	3
Shorrocks, F. W. b Rickitt	2
Hague, O. b Rowe.....	2
Barber, G. F. b Rickitt	1
Adshead, A. G. b Rowe	7
Williams, P. b Rickitt	1
Hansford, G. L. not out	8
Jones, F. st Shorrocks b Rowe	0
Barrett, W. C. st Shorrocks b Rowe	2
Byes.....	2
Total	47

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E. b Lowe	0
Shorrocks, E. b Adshead	11
Baker, A. G. b Wright.....	21
Youatt, G. b Adshead	0
Rickitt, F. not out.....	8
Classen, H. R. b Adshead	0
Payne, S. b Adshead	5
Buckingham, P. run out.....	2
Barrett, L. b Lowe	0
Clarke, H. F. b Lowe	0
Silkstone, W. F. c & b Lowe	0
b 8, w 1	9
Total	56

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

OLD HULMEIANS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowe, E.	13	3	27	5
Rickitt, F.	12	3	18	5

THE SCHOOL.

Lowe, A. R.	64	1	17	4
Adshead, A. G.	16	6	16	4
Wright, E. E.	7	1	14	1

Wednesday, July 9, v. The Masters, at Alexandra Park.

THE SCHOOL.

1st innings.		2nd innings.	
Rowe, E. b Mr. Franklin	3	b Mr. Oldham.....	32
Shorrocks, E. b Mr. Franklin ...	4	not out	44
Baker, A. G. c. Saxelby b Mr.		c Silkstone	
Holmes.....	8	b Mr. Holmes	6
Youatt, G. c Mr. Badham b Mr.		c Spencer	
Franklin	5	b Mr. Holmes.....	2
Bennett, M. b Mr. Holmes.....	1	b Spencer.....	14
Rickitt, F. c Mr. Franklin b Mr.		c Silkstone	
Holmes	2	b Mr Oldham	7
Classen, H. R. b Mr. Holmes ...	1	b Mr. Oldham.....	0
White, J. b Mr. Holmes.....	0	not out	1
Buckingham, P. c Mr. Adams b			
Mr. Franklin	2	.....
Lawrence, E. not out	2	.....
Barrett, L. run out	1	.....
Sclater, J. R. P. c Mr. Adams b			
Mr. Holmes.....	0	.....
b 5, 1-b 2	7	Byes.....	7
Total	36	Total.....	113

THE MASTERS.

Mr. Oldham b Lawrence	17
Spencer, R. B.	3
Mr. Holmes c Classen b Baker	41
Mr. Urwick b Rickitt.....	3
Mr. Adams lbw b Lawrence	0
Mr. Meade c Youatt b Lawrence	0
Mr. Badham c & b Baker.....	0
Mr. Hall b Baker.....	0
Mr. Franklin c Rowe b Baker.....	4
Saxelby, S. W. H. b Lawrence.....	2
Silkstone, W. F. c Sclater b Lawrence	1
Thomson, not out	0
Byes.....	2
Total.....	73

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	1st inn.				2nd inn.			
	O.	M.	R.	W.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Mr. Holmes	11	6	13	6	17	5	33	2
Mr. Franklin.....	10	2	16	4	8	0	34	0
Mr. Oldham .....	...	...	...	...	10	1	22	3
Silkstone, W. F. ....	...	...	...	...	7	3	8	0
Spencer, R. B. ....	...	...	...	...	4	1	8	1

THE MASTERS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowe, E.	11	2	31	0
Rickitt, F.....	10	1	21	2
Baker, A. G.....	5	3	5	4
Lawrence, E. ...	5'2	1	14	5

Saturday, July 12, v. Old Trafford School.
Match abandoned on account of rain.

Saturday, July 19, v. Bowdon College, at Alexandra Park.

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E. run out	0
Shorrocks, E. b Wilson	1
Youatt, G. b Wolff.....	14
Bennett, P. M. hit wicket b Wolff	0
Rickitt, F. b Wolff.....	13
Classen, H. R. c Howard b Wilson	13
Payne, S. b Wilson	0
Hart, T. b Wilson.....	0
White, J. b Wolff	0
Lawrence, E. not out	3
Ford, H. lbw b Wilson	2
b 4, l-b 3, w 2	9
Total.....	55

BOWDON COLLEGE.

Hadfield st Shorrocks b Rowe.....	1
Thornton hit wicket b Lawrence	1
Baker b Lawrence	1
Maxwell b Lawrence	4
Wolff b Lawrence.....	0
Wilson st Shorrocks b Rowe	21
Bell c Shorrocks b Rowe	1
Wells c Shorrocks b Lawrence	1
Thornton not out	0
Clarke c Classen b Rowe	0
Howard not out	0
Byes.....	1
Total.....	31

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowe, E.	11	5	13	4
Lawrence, E. ...	10	3	17	5

Saturday, July 26, v. Woodlands School, at Alexandra Park. Rowe played well, making a good innings of 19 and bowling with great success.

THE SCHOOL.

Rowe, E. b Milne	19
Lawrence, E. c Mr. Richardson b Milne	3
Baker, A. G. c Mr. Richardson b Milne	10
Shorrocks, E. b Mr. Richardson	0
Youatt, G. hit wicket b Milne	7
Bennett, P. M. b Mr. Richardson.....	2
Rickitt, F. b Mr. Richardson.....	0
Classen, H. R. b Mr. Richardson	0
Hart, T. b Mr. Richardson.....	0
White, J. b Mr. Richardson	0
Payne, S. not out	3
b 5, nb 1.....	6
Total	50

WOODLANDS SCHOOL.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Smith, A. C. st Shorrocks b Rowe	1	b Baker.....	1
Lowe, H. L. b Rickitt	0	not out	8
Mr. Richardson b Rickitt	2	b Rowe	18
Milne, S. b Rowe	0	c White b Rowe.....	0
Lings, S. b Rowe	0	c Bennett b Baker.....	3
Noton, H. st Shorrocks b Rowe	0		
Cumming, W. c Classen b Rickitt	0	b Baker.....	1
Salomons, E. c Classen b Rowe	0		
Dunn, H. b Rowe	1	b Rowe	1
Bayley, A. not out	4	c Hart b Rowe	0
Keeling, C. V. b Rowe	0		
Extras	0	Byes.....	2
Total.....	8	Total.....	34

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	1st inn.				2nd inn.			
	O.	M.	R.	W.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowe, E.	6	4	4	7	10	3	21	4
Rickitt, F.	6	3	4	3	...	...	...	...
Baker, A. G. ....	...	...	...	...	8	5	6	3
Lawrence, E. ....	...	...	...	...	3	1	5	0

AVERAGES OF THE FIRST ELEVEN.

BATTING.

	Innings.	Times not out.	Runs.	Highest Score.	Average.
Baker, A. G.	13	5	199	51*	24.87
Lawrence, E.	5	4	11	3*	11.0
Rowe, E.	12	0	130	32	10.83
Shorrocks, E.	14	2	119	44*	9.91
Youatt, G.	13	0	84	17	6.46
Rickitt, F.	10	1	52	13	5.77
Bennett, P. M. ..	12	1	44	14	4.0
Amos, H. J.	6	0	21	12	3.5
Classen, H. R. ..	12	1	32	13	2.9
Hart, T.	8	0	16	13	2.0
White, J.	5	1	2	1*	.5

* Signifies not out

BOWLING.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.
Amos, H. J.	56.8	28	110	39	2.82
Baker, A. G.	43	19	72	21	3.42
Lawrence, E.	23.2	7	42	12	3.5
Rowe, E.	99.4	29	183	49	3.73
Youatt, G.	12.2	6	19	5	3.8
Rickitt, F.	73.4	26	117	28	4.17

MATCHES.

Played	Won	Lost	Drawn
12	7	3	2

Characters of the Eleven.

BAKER, A. G. (Captain). The best bat in the team, has played uniformly well, and always in good form; very neat in the field, and a good change bowler; has made a good captain.

AMOS, H. J. (Vice-Captain): bowled uncommonly well in the early part of the season; a fair bat, but inclined to give catches in the slips.

SHORROCKS, E.: bats at times with freedom and good style; has kept wicket well, especially latterly.

ROWE, E.: good all round; bats with vigour and freedom; a successful slow bowler; gets plenty work on the ball, and varies his pace; a smart field.

YOUATT, G.: a good bat, but has been unfortunate, fields well at mid on, a fair change bowler.

BENNETT, P. M.: a fair bat, but rather uncertain, an excellent field.

CLASSEN, H. R.: makes runs at times, but is too nervous; a good field.

HART, T.: has disappointed our expectations, but has the making of a good bat.

RICKITT, F.: a bat of great promise; has good forward play, and can hit well; a very useful bowler.

LAWRENCE, E.: bats in a style of his own, but makes runs; has bowled exceedingly well latterly.

WHITE, J.: a hard hitter; can punish loose bowling; a fair field, and excellent thrower.

THE HULME GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—GAMES FUND.

Statement of Accounts for the year ending
December 31st, 1889.

DR.

	£	s.	d.
To Balance from 1888.....	4	4	10
" Subscriptions:—			
Lent Term.....	21	2	6
Midsummer Term.....	24	15	0
Michaelmas Term.....	26	0	0
	71	17	6
" Subscription from Mr. Hibbert.....	5	0	0
" Entrance Fees, &c., Sports' day.....	4	0	0
" Part of School Grant of £20, remainder expended on improvement of Field.....	3	9	10
" Bank Interest.....	0	3	5
	£88	15	7

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	£	s.	d.
By Watson and Pilling.....	23	3	0
" James Gilbert.....	4	7	0
" T. Whatmough, Professional Cricketer.....	39	5	0
" Postages, Telegrams and Stationery.....	1	5	3
" Travelling Expenses.....	4	15	5
" Bat for A. Lowe.....	0	13	0
" Rope, per J. G. Jones.....	0	9	0
" Repairs to Footballs and other Articles.....	0	11	3
" Expenses of Sports' day, and some Prizes for same.....	7	10	0
	3	17	5
" Balance in Treasurer's hand.....	2	18	4
	£88	15	7

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C. N. ADAMS.

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