



DR. JOSEPH HALL



Contents.

	PAGE
THE HEAD MASTER'S RESIGNATION	101
SCHOOL NOTES AND NEWS	102
OLD HULMEIANS' GOLF MEETING	105
CRICKET—	
Notes	106
Characters of First and Second Elevens	107

	PAGE
CRICKET (<i>continued</i>)—	
Averages of First and Second Elevens	108
The Livesley Shield Competition	108
First Eleven Matches	110
Second Eleven Matches	116
The House League... ..	117

DR. JOSEPH HALL (*Illustration*).

The Head Master's Resignation.

THE present number appears when the School is about to pass, for the first time in its history, through a change of head master. On June 23rd Dr. Hall announced that he was retiring from the headmastership at the end of the present term, and when the School meets again after the summer holidays a new head master will have entered upon his duties. Dr. Hall has held this important post since the opening of the School in January, 1887, and our regret at his retirement after over a quarter century's service will be shared alike by present boys and Old Hulmeians. At the time of his appointment Mr. Joseph Hall (as he was then) had been for ten years on the staff of the Manchester Grammar School. He took the degree of B.A., with honours, at Queen's University, Ireland, in 1875, and

his M.A. in 1882. In 1904 he received the honorary degree of Doctor of Literature from the University of Durham, in recognition of his eminent services to English scholarship, which has always been the chief pursuit of his leisure hours. To describe what the School owes to Dr. Hall's long connection with it would be to write its history; a few facts, however, may be taken as landmarks.

The School opened with 64 boys, and grew rapidly during the first three years; since then its numbers have never been far short of the capacity of the buildings. At the present time there are 234 boys in the main school and 31 in the preparatory department. Dr. Hall has pursued throughout the aim of raising the importance and standing of the School. The original scheme fixed the leaving age of boys at 16, and remained in force for three years until

1890, when, by an amended scheme, the age limit was raised to 17. A further extension was not obtained until 1909, when the leaving age was fixed at the end of the school year after the attainment of the age of 18. At the same time the former restriction as to the status of Greek was removed; it had been an "extra" subject with an additional fee. Now it is a regular subject in the top forms on the Classical side. Thus in status as in curriculum the School has become first grade.

Until the amalgamation of Withington Urban District with the City of Manchester, in 1905, the Hulme Grammar School was in the administrative County of Lancashire, and was recognised as one of the most successful and efficient in the area of the Lancashire Education Committee. Those were the halcyon days for county scholarships and exhibitions; in one year the school took 26 exhibitions and three scholarships. Dr. Hall served on the County Education Committee for three years as the joint representative of the Head Masters' and Assistant Masters' Associations.

A fact may here be mentioned which speaks for itself as to the harmonious relations between Dr. Hall and his colleagues. Of the present staff no less than seven masters have been working with him for at least twenty-two years.

The extension of the School building had long been a cherished project of the Head Master's, and the opening of the new hall in 1911 was the partial realisation of his wishes. The reference library for the highest forms is another improvement which he has long advocated and has seen accomplished. The advantages of the playing field adjoining the school were constantly urged by Dr. Hall in his annual addresses on Prize Day, and it was owing to his belief in its value that the bequest of £2,000 by Mr. William Roberts in 1899 was applied by the Governors to the upkeep of the

school grounds. At the same time the way was found to enlarge the field from seven to eleven acres, thus giving it a frontage on the projected extension of Princess Road. And no one who has known Dr. Hall at school will need to be reminded of the personal care and affection which he has always bestowed on the upkeep and improvement of the field.

Within four years of the opening of the School there was a sufficient number of Old Boys to form a nucleus of an Athletic Club for Old Hulmeians. It was by Dr. Hall's initiative that the Club was started, as it was largely owing to his encouragement and support that it continued to grow and prosper. The success, in particular, of the Lacrosse Club, which has won every honour open to it in the lacrosse world, has brought distinction upon the School and justified Dr. Hall's expectation.

In saying farewell to him, we wish him many long years of happy life in whatever sphere of work he may take up.

School Notes and News.

The resignation of the Head Mastership by Dr. Hall is referred to in another column.

Miss E. Longden has been acting as assistant in the Preparatory Department.

The School had a whole holiday on July 14th, on the occasion of the Royal visit to Manchester.

The following University and other successes have been obtained:—

Manchester University Degrees:—

M.Sc.: S. G. Birks.

B.A., in Honours School of History, Second Class, First Division: G. M. van der Veen.

B.Sc., in Honours School of Chemistry, Second Class: A. V. Rhead.

B.A.: A. L. Powell, F. B. Turner, J. J. Wilkinson.

B.Sc. Tech., in Mechanical Engineering, First Division: E. Williamson, F. H. Williamson.

B.Sc. Tech., in Applied Chemistry, First Division: A. H. Goodger.

LL.B., First Division: H. Cardwell, with Graduate Scholarship in Law; Third Division: R. H. Cade.

M.B. and Ch.B.: F. C. Bentz.

Manchester University Teachers' Certificate, Second Class: J. J. Wilkinson; Third Class: A. L. Powell.

Examination Results:—

Final B.A. (Special): E. N. Oppenheimer in Greek, First Class; A. L. Powell in French, First Class.

Final B.A. (General): F. B. Turner in Ethics and Politics, Second Class.

Intermediate B.A.: P. Dorrington in Ancient History, First Class, and English Literature, Second Class; E. N. Oppenheimer in Political Economy, Second Class.

Intermediate B.Sc. Tech: C. W. Palmer, L. A. Ravald.

Final B.D.: S. G. Birks in English Bible.

Qualified to present Thesis for M.A. degree: J. J. Wilkinson.

Final M.B. and Ch.B. in Forensic Medicine: B. Browning.

Third M.B. and Ch.B. in Pharmacology: S. Chorlton.

Dalton Chemical Scholarship of £50 for two years (divided): D. Cardwell, M.Sc.

Dauntsey Legal Scholarship (B.), of £35: H. Cardwell.

Vice-Chancellor of Lancaster's Prizes in Equity and Conveyancing: H. Cardwell.

Peacock Prize: H. Cardwell.

Heginbottom Scholarship, *proxime accessit*: G. Lindsey.

F. H. Williamson, B.Sc. Tech., has been awarded an Industrial Bursary of the Royal Commission of 1851, of the value of £100, tenable for three years.

Mr. Douglas Knoop, M.A. (Manchester), Lecturer on Economics in the University of Shef-

field, has been appointed Fellow of the English Foundation of the Albert Kahn Travelling Fellowships, of the value of £660. These Fellowships were founded in this and other countries by Mr. Albert Kahn, of Paris, to enable the Fellows to travel round the world. The object of the founder was that persons selected from the first rank of those engaged, in whatever way, in the education of the nation might, by gaining some personal knowledge of other countries, become better qualified to teach and to take part in the instruction and education of their fellow-countrymen. The Fellows are elected from a list of candidates nominated by the Vice-Chancellors of the Universities in the United Kingdom, and by the Presidents of the Royal Society and the British Academy. Mr. Knoop took First Class Honours in Economics and Political Science at Manchester University in 1905, and obtained the Gartside Scholarship and the Langton Fellowship. As Gartside Scholar he travelled in the United States, and embodied the results of his enquiries in his book on "American Business Enterprise." He has also written "Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration" and "Principles and Methods of Municipal Trading."

Manchester Education Committee Senior Secondary School Scholarship of £15, tenable at the School: I. D. Goodwin.

Lancashire County Council Open Junior Exhibition: A. D. Williamson.

The examination for the Manchester University Senior School Certificate has been taken by the sixth forms this term.

H. Greville Irwin has been gazetted to the 3rd South Lancashire Regiment.

C. M. Ford has been appointed Third Officer on the Cunard Line, s.s. *Carmania*, and Sub-lieutenant in the Royal Naval Reserve.

The School Swimming Sports were held on July 28th. The results will be published in our next number.

The School prizes will be distributed on Prize Day by the Head Master, and the sports prizes by Miss Hall.

Our thanks are due to the following contributors of School news: C. W. Murphy and

J. Calderwood, and to the cricket scorers, A. D. Ray and E. Wilde.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the *Whalley Range High School Magazine*, *Portmuthian*, and *Leodiensian*.

Old Hulmeians can subscribe to the *Hulmeian* by sending one shilling annually to Mr. J. A. Barber at the School. The three numbers will be sent post free, as they appear, in December, April, and July.

Michaelmas Term will begin on Tuesday, September 16th, at nine o'clock, and the Entrance and Scholarship Examination for new boys will be held on Monday, September 15th, at nine o'clock.

BIRTHS.

TAYLOR.—April 12th, at St. Catherine's, Ontario, to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Taylor (late of St. Helens), a son.

ALLEN.—April 25th, at St. Ives, Knighton Church Road, Leicester, the wife of E. Cecil Allen, a daughter.

WRIGHT.—May 8th, at 17, Moorfield Road, West Didsbury, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Wright, a daughter.

FOSTER.—May 25th, at 1, Park Edge, Harborne, Birmingham, to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster, a son.

LANE.—May 29th, at Melbourne, Australia, to Mr. and Mrs. William C. N. Lane, a son.

SEARLE.—July 5th, at Campsirew, Chipping Sudbury, Glos., to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. A. Searle, a son.

MARRIAGES.

HOLDING—BARTRAM.—November 30th, 1912, at St. Anne's Parish Church, South Lambeth Road, London, S.W., Gilbert Holding (late of Didsbury, Manchester), to Ellen Maud Bartram, of London.

McKEEVER—STONE.—April 19th, at St. Peter's, Eaton Square, James McKeever, eldest son of J. McKeever, barrister-at-law, Manchester (late of Wigton, Cumberland), to Florence Grace Claudia Stone, eldest daughter of the late Robt. Stone, Esq., of Beaconsfield, Streatham, S.W.

BUCKLAND—MICHEL-BOURGAREL.—April 24th, at Alexandria, Egypt, James H. Buckland, to Emilie Michel-Bourgarel.

CARTLEDGE—WOOD.—June 3rd, at St. Margaret's Church, Whalley Range, Edward H., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cartledge, East Bank, Park Road, Whalley Range, to Bertha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wood, Fern Lea, Upper Chorlton Road, Whalley Range.

EVANS—MILNE.—June 4th, at the Heywood Unitarian Chapel, by the Rev. T. Bowen Evans, M.A. (uncle of the bridegroom) and the Rev. John Evans, B.A., Walter Herbert Evans, son of the late Rev. George Evans, M.A., of Middleton, to Florence Mary Milne, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Milne.

PEDDER—WILSON.—June 12th, at the City Road Wesleyan Church, John Norbury, only son of John and Annie Pedder, to Hilda Haynes, younger daughter of Frederic George and Ellen Wilson, both of Old Trafford.

MATTHEWS—PARKES.—June 18th, at Saskatoon, Canada, Ernest Arthur Matthews, to Alice May Reeves, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Parkes, Brookside, Abergele (late of Cheadle Hulme).

BROADY—McHALE.—June 24th, at All Saints' Church, Stoneycroft, George Sheard, eldest son of Joseph Broady, Stretford and Manchester, to Emma (Amy), eldest daughter of John McHale, Liverpool.

ASHE—GRASON.—June 26th, at St. Peter's Church, Barnsley, Stephen, younger son of the late F. W. Ashe, to Mary, elder daughter of Mrs. H. Grason, Barnsley.

MUDIE—BURGESS.—July 15th, at All Saints' Church, Cheadle Hulme, Walter Harrison, elder son of the late S. R. Mudie, Esq., to Edith Marian, youngest daughter of John Burgess, Esq., of Shaftesbury House, Cheadle Hulme.

DEATHS.

LAWTON.—June 20th, Alfred Harold, only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Lawton, aged 9 years.

HARGRAVES.—July 20th, accidentally, at Southport, Stanley Hargraves, aged 21 years.

The Old Hulmeians' Association.

GOLF SECTION.

The Golf Section has made a very successful beginning. It consists of some 30 members, of whom 25 took part in the first competition for the challenge cup presented by Mr. Bradbury. The competition took place on Wednesday, June 25th, by the kind permission of the Council, on the links of the Chorlton-cum-Hardy Golf Club. The honour of holding the cup for one year was decided by a stroke competition of one round of 18 holes, under handicap. The limit handicap was 25, and the best net return was made by C. H. Fox, who was one of the five starters to whom the handicapping committee had conceded this rather liberal allowance. Fox finished four strokes ahead of R. J. Bradbury, who was playing from 14. The best gross return was made by C. P. Wright, whose 84-3 was just five too many to make him a winner. In the evening most of the competitors and some Old Hulmeians who are not members of the golf section took supper together at the Club House.

The committee of the section take this opportunity of thanking Mr. Harris, a member of the Council of the club, for the trouble that he took in providing for the comfort of the club's guests during the afternoon and evening.

Mr. J. A. Barber, the only member of the committee who was also a competitor, rendered very valuable assistance in looking after the entries and the returns.

Correspondence.

"TWENTY AND THIRTY AND FORTY YEARS ON."

To the Editor of the "Hulmeian."

That was my favourite song as a youngster, and it came home forcibly to me the other day when I ran up against H. J. Charlton in the Punjab quite accidentally. I had the advantage over him, and had to explain that twenty years ago we played "soccer" together at the H.G.S.

The old theme came up at once. "Do you

still play?" I queried. "Yes," came the reply; "my last game was with the thermometer 106° in the shade"! It is said that Englishmen take their sports seriously. Perhaps they do so for two reasons—firstly it keeps them fit, and secondly they are worth doing well. Anyhow, Charlton looked 'orribly fit.

One of the greatest pleasures I had at home last year, when on furlough, was running up against Old Boys with whom I was at school twenty years ago, and whom I had not seen for nearly 14 years. Many of them are now married to old Whalley Range High School girls, but that doubled the pleasure, for had I not, time and again, broken my own heart over their wives "twenty years ago"?

H. R. PILCHER.

Lahore, Punjab, May 13, 1913.

Cricket, 1913.

President: The Head Master. *Hon. Treasurers:* Mr. E. K. Brice, Mr. J. A. Barber. *Hon. Secretary:* Rev. J. H. Smith. *Captain:* C. W. Murphy. *Vice-captain:* G. W. Neill. *Captain of Second Eleven:* J. Calderwood. *House Captains:* Byrom House, S. Irwin; Dalton House, G. W. Neill; Gaskell House, C. W. Murphy; Heywood House, J. K. Allison.

House Representatives on Games Club Committee: L. Beck, S. Irwin, E. H. Royce (Byrom); G. W. Neill, C. H. Travis, F. E. Holmes (Dalton); E. Simcock, C. M. W. Elliott, J. Calderwood (Gaskell); J. K. Allison, J. L. Allison, W. H. Palmer (Heywood).

The House Committees for the term have been:—

BYROM HOUSE.—Mr. Brice and Mr. Smith (House Masters); E. Wilde (Prefect); S. Irwin, L. Beck, E. H. Royce, and J. R. Fox.

DALTON HOUSE.—Mr. Fison, Mr. Morley, and Mr. Owen (House Masters); G. W. Neill and C. H. Travis (Prefects); F. E. Holmes, J. W. Holmes, and J. P. V. Woollam.

GASKELL HOUSE.—Mr. Kelsey, Mr. Tristram, and Mr. Adams (House Masters); E. Simcock,

C. W. Murphy and J. Calderwood (Prefects);
A. D. Ray and R. W. Briggs.

HEYWOOD HOUSE.—Mr. Franklin and Mr. Hewlett (House Masters); J. K. Allison, W. H. Palmer, T. D. M. Powell, J. L. Allison, and W. L. Holden.

CRICKET NOTES.

The cricket season has on the whole been favoured with fine weather. The opening was not propitious, for three of the four half-holidays before Whitsuntide were wet, but since that time the programme has been carried through without a break.

The First Eleven has had a somewhat unfortunate career. At the outset the prospects were good, with five members of last year's First available and eight of last year's Second. But the results have not borne out this promise. Thirteen matches have been played, of which four have been won, while eight have been lost and one drawn. The team's batting seems to have been demoralised, and only one member of the team has reached an aggregate of over 100. Neill heads the averages with 121 runs in 11 innings, having made some good scores. Woollam has played steadily and comes second with an average of 8.2. His best performance was against Bolton, when he went in first and carried his bat through the innings for 29. Murphy and Simcock seem to have lost their form of last season. The bowling of the team has also deteriorated in comparison with previous seasons. In some matches it has been severely punished; for instance, against St. Bede's, who lost only five wickets in both matches for no less than 327 runs—an average of over 60 runs per wicket. The work has been done mainly by Neill, Simcock, and Murphy, the first-named leading the averages with 33 wickets at a cost of 9.81 each, while Murphy has taken 23 for 10.56. It has been very unfortunate that the Allisons have both been kept out of the team through illness for most of the season. This has weakened both elevens. Our fielding has not been at all bad this season, and very few chances have been missed.

The Second Eleven have played 13 matches. Seven have been won and six lost. After commencing with two defeats against St.

Bede's and Stockport Grammar School (the latter after a very close game), the team won the next five games, beginning with a good win against Salford Technical Institute. In this game Neill, D. A., was mainly responsible for the victory, for after taking seven wickets for 16 runs he knocked up 20 runs. Against Bowdon College victory was only secured after a very close fight, the last two batsmen being together when the winning hit was made. Salford Technical Institute were again defeated, as also were Warrington, against whom Walker, G. S., made 44 and Humphries, C. A., 20. The return match with St. Bede's had been eagerly looked forward to, and as the team were playing well at the time victory was anticipated. We began well by dismissing them for 55 runs, Fox taking five wickets for 24 runs, and passed their score with six wickets down, Humphries, C. A., making 32 runs. Stockport Grammar School were also defeated in the return match by six wickets.

Neill, D. A., opened the season with some very good bowling, but has fallen off of late, and our bowling now is in charge of Fox who, since the wickets became harder, has met with more success. Holden, as a change bowler, has also been very effective, and with more seriousness would have been the success of the team both in batting and bowling. The batting has not been of a very even character—some good displays have been followed by very mediocre ones. The fielding has improved, but the returns to the wicket might have been faster. Calderwood has always taken the keenest interest in the team and made the most of the men available. The practices have been well attended.

Two rounds have been played in the Livesley Challenge Shield Competition up to the time of going to press.

In the House League for half-holiday matches for boys not on school elevens 15 matches have been played. Dalton stand first with 108 points out of a possible 150, Gaskell come second with 76, closely followed by Byrom (68), while Heywood have only 32. The A team matches have been well contested, but the B teams have sometimes been very unevenly matched. Dalton have had the largest number of cricketers to draw upon, and have

won both A and B matches seven times. Holmes, F. E., Thom, A. L., Craig, Orr, A. W., and Holmes, J. W., have done well for the A, both in batting and bowling, while Armstead and Marson have made several good scores for the B. Gaskell have had two great hitters in Potter and Mee, and Briggs, J. E., has made some good scores. McGeogh has done best with the ball, and Briggs, Mee, and Land have also bowled with success. Hodgkinson and Flinn have done most for the B. For Byrom, Midgley, Beck, T., and Bleackley have batted and bowled well, and Clark has taken many wickets. Pownall and Needham have made some good scores for the B. Heywood have been very weak in cricketing material, and were unfortunate in having Goodwin and Ashworth taken for the Second in the early part of the season. Cartwright, Mallison, and Hall have batted well, and Goodwin and Ashworth have done well with bat and ball.

Amongst the cricket performances of Old Boys the fine form shown this season by C. S. Baker for Warwickshire stands out pre-eminent. He has an average of 34.64 in first-class matches, and his best scores have been 151 against Sussex, 90 against Derbyshire, 62 and 77 in the same match against Lancashire, 74 against Gloucestershire, 59 against Kent, 54 against Hampshire, and 52 against Surrey.

In local matches several good scores have been made, of which we have noticed the following:—

	Score.	For.	Against.
H. R. Classen	....20..	Whalley	Buxton
		Range	
"	....36..	"	Cheetham
"	....20..	"	Castleton
R. Sykes	.....33*	"	Buxton
B. Muth	.....23..	"	Timperley
"	.....63..	"	Castleton
G. Buckland	....26..	"	S. Manchester
"	.....26..	"	Castleton
"	.....56..	"	"
"	.....45..	"	Earlestown
"	.....55*	"	"
H. Buckland	....84..	"	"
R. Buckland	....40..	"	"
J. H. Clarke	....64..	Chorlton	Longsight
"	.....31..	"	Rusholme
J. Crawford	.....74..	Chorlton	Rusholme 2nd
		2nd	
S. Whitcombe	....23	Levenshulme	Urmston
	* Not out.		

An interesting match was played at Cale Green on June 16th between teams selected from the players of the Stockport and Old Hulmeians Lacrosse Clubs. Stockport made 235 for eight wickets, and the Old Boys' score was as follows:—

N. Fletcher c and b A. Cragg	18
J. A. Barber lbw b J. Lister	12
J. H. Clarke c Henshaw b A. Cragg	30
G. Gilliat c Lingard b S. Hayden	1
G. F. Buckland b S. Hayden	0
H. Buckland b S. Hayden	9
W. A. Hobbins b S. Hayden	0
F. S. Somerset not out	12
L. Davis b A. Cragg	1
C. Fox c Lingard b S. Hayden	1
J. H. Walker b S. Hayden	0
Extras	35
Total	119

CHARACTERS OF THE FIRST ELEVEN.

MURPHY C. W. (captain).—Has improved as a bowler but fallen off in batting. Has made a good captain.

NEILL, G. W. (vice-captain).—A good fast bowler and hard-hitting batsman. A smart fielder, but suffers from lack of practice.

SIMCOCK, E.—Has not come up to expectations, but bowls and bats well at times. Throws in well, but might improve in fielding.

BECK, L.—A steady, patient bat, but rather unenterprising. A good fielder and useful change bowler.

IRWIN, S.—A good fielder, and in batting has improved considerably in the latter part of the season.

WOOLLAM, J. P. V.—A steady, left-handed batsman, who has played some excellent innings. A useful wicket-keeper.

POWELL, T. D. M.—An excellent fielder, but his batting has fallen off during the latter part of the season. A very keen cricketer.

ELLIOTT, C. M. W.—A steady batsman, but has been unfortunate. A reliable fielder.

WALKER, G. S.—Has recently gained his place on the team. Keen, but rather nervous.

BRIGGS, R. W.—A useful fielder and batsman at times, but has fallen off lately through lack of practice.

CHARACTERS OF THE SECOND ELEVEN.

CALDERWOOD, J. (Captain).—A good captain; has always done his best for the team.

NEILL, D. A.—A good medium-pace bowler. Might improve in fielding.

HUMPHRIES, N. S. A.—A steady bat and useful bowler.

WALSHAW, N.—A fair wicket-keeper, but not very successful with the bat.

HUMPHRIES, C. A.—A hard-hitter who has played several good innings.

FOX, J. R.—A fast bowler, but rather apt to become erratic. Has played two good innings.

HOLDEN, W. L.—A good bat and useful change bowler.

PALMER, W. H.—A stylish bat and good fielder.

BARR, J. N.—A moderate bat, but has fallen off of late.

THOM, W. G.—A steady bat and good fielder.

BALDWIN, B. E.—A moderate bat, but rather nervous.

AVERAGES OF THE FIRST ELEVEN.

(Up to July 16th.)

BATTING.

	Innings.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Total Runs.	Av'ge.
Neill, G. W.	11	0	39	121	11.0
Woollam, J.P.V.	12	2	29*	82	8.2
Simcock, E.	11	0	26	90	8.18
Murphy, C. W.	11	0	15	71	6.4
Beck, L.	10	0	12	57	5.7
Irwin, S.	11	0	12	50	4.5
Walker, G. S.	6	0	9	25	4.1
Elliott, C. M. W.	8	3	4*	17	3.4
Powell, T. D. M.	12	1	16*	33	3.0

The following have also batted:—

Allison, J. L.	3	0	25	34	11.3
Ray, A. D.	4	0	11	23	5.75
Briggs, R. W.	8	2	6	15	2.5
Allison, J. K.	3	0	4	8	2.6
Parkes, L. A. E.	4	0	9	10	2.25
Palmer, W. H.	6	0	6	10	1.6
Humphries, C. A.	6	3	1*	1	0.3

* Not out.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av'ge.
Neill, G. W.	145.5	42	324	33	9.81
Murphy, C. W.	78.1	15	243	23	10.56
Simcock, E.	106	16	312	16	19.5

AVERAGES OF THE SECOND ELEVEN.

BATTING.

	Innings.	Times not out.	Highest Score.	Total Runs.	Av'ge.
Humphries, C. A.	8	0	32	109	13.60
Palmer, W. H.	6	0	29	61	10.10
Goodwin, I. D.	5	1	11	25	6.25
Thom, W. G.	5	0	12	31	6.20
Holden, W. L.	10	2	17	48	6.00
Clift, S. N.	5	1	16	21	5.20
Humphries, N.S.A.	11	1	12*	51	5.10
Calderwood, J.	9	2	15	26	3.70
Barr, J. N.	8	0	9	29	3.63
Neill, D. A.	10	0	20	32	3.20
Fox, J. R.	11	2	12*	27	3.00
Walshaw, N.	11	3	3*	16	2.00
Baldwin, B. E.	6	1	3	6	1.20

* Not out.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Av'ge.
Holden, W. L.	49	14	114	20	5.7
Neill, D. A.	104.1	26	215	37	5.8
Fox, J. R.	112.1	38	208	33	6.3
Humphries, N.	25.4	7	67	9	7.44

LIVESLEY SHIELD COMPETITION.

BYROM v. GASKELL.

Wednesday, May 28th. Gaskell won the first, Byrom the second and third. Score:—

Byrom First.

Royce b Murphy	0
Beck, L., run out.....	3
Barr b Murphy	3
Irwin, S., c Elliott b Murphy	0
Humphries, C. A., c and b Simcock ...	1
Walker, G. S., c Simcock b Murphy...	2
Fox c Calderwood b Simcock	0
Dent c Ray b Murphy	0
Cooper, F. C., b Simcock	1
Brocklebank not out	0
Extras	9
Total	19

Wickets: Simcock 3 for 6, Murphy 5 for 5.

Gaskell First.

Murphy b Walker	26
Elliott run out	11
Calderwood c Dent b Walker	3
Simcock c Irwin b Fox	18
Ray run out	0
Pidd b Fox	0
Briggs, R. W., b Beck	19
Baldwin b Beck	0
Briggs, J., c Walker b Irwin	3
McGeogh c and b Beck	0
Thomas not out	5
Extras	8

Total 93

Gaskell Second 11; Byrom Second 21.

Gaskell Third 21; Byrom Third 24.

DALTON v. HEYWOOD.

Wednesday, May 28th. Dalton won all three matches. Score:—

Dalton First.

Orr, A. W., b Powell.....	0
Woollam c Walshaw b Parkes.....	1
Shirra b Powell	1
McAdam b Powell	0
Neill, D. A., b Parkes	8
Alley b Powell	1
Neill, G. W., not out	52
Holmes, F. E., b Parkes	9
Craig b Parkes	7
Orr, C. J., b Powell	0
Extras	7

Total 77

Heywood First.

Palmer b Neill, G.	2
Walshaw c Orr, A., b Neill, D.	0
Holden c Holmes b Neill, G.	3
Ashworth c Neill, G., b Neill, D.	15
Parkes b Neill, G.	4
Goodwin b Neill, D.	0
Clift run out	0
Powell c Orr b Neill, D.	1
Hughes not out.....	0
Hall b Neill, D.	0
White b Neill, G.	1
Extras	7

Total 33

Dalton Second 21; Heywood Second 13.

Dalton Third 19; Heywood Third 15.

BYROM v. HEYWOOD.

Friday, July 18th. Byrom won all three matches. Scores:—

Heywood First.

Palmer b Beck	0
Allison, J. L., b Fox	11
Powell c Irwin b Fox.....	19
Allison, J. K., run out	5
Parkes b Beck	0
Clift not out	3
Holden c Beck b Fox	3
Walshaw c Irwin b Beck	0
Goodwin b Beck	4
Ashworth lbw b Beck	0
Hughes c Beck b Fox.....	4
Extras	4

Total 53

Wickets: Fox 4 for 15, Beck 5 for 33.

Byrom First.

Beck, L., c and b Powell	14
Barr b J. K. Allison	1
Humphries, C. A., run out	36
Walker, G. S. b Powell	1
Irwin, S., b Clift	21
Humphries, N., not out	16
Royce b Clift.....	0
Dent not out	1
Extras	12

Total (for 6 wickets)..... 102

Heywood Second, 41 (Hall 15); Byrom Second, 99 (Beck, T., Bleackley 19, Hobson 14).

Byrom Third, 74 for six wickets (Needham 33, Marsden 13, Walker, A., 10); Heywood Third, 37 (Gibb 19).

DALTON v. GASKELL.

Friday, July 18th. Gaskell won the first and second, Dalton the third. Scores:—

Dalton First.

Woollam c R. Briggs b Murphy	4
Thom, W. G., b Simcock	12
Neill, G. W., b Murphy	15
Holmes, F. E., b Murphy	3
Neill, D. A., b Simcock	0
Travis, C. H., lbw b Murphy	0
Holmes, J. W., c Simcock b Murphy	1
Craig not out	10
Orr, A. W., b Murphy	0
Alley c Briggs b Ray	8
Extras	14

Total 67

Gaskell First.

Ray c and b G. W. Neill	4
Simcock b G. W. Neill	8
Briggs, R. W., run out	6
Potter c Orr b D. Neill	0
Elliott b Orr	8
Murphy c Holmes, F., b Orr	9
Baldwin not out	9
Briggs, J. E., not out	13
Extras	13

Total (for six wickets) 80

Gaskell Second 65 (Mee 27); Dalton Second, 46.

Gaskell Third, 16; Dalton Third, 69 (Nesfield, S., 18, Nichol 12).

FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES.

v. ST. BEDE'S COLLEGE.

May 7th. Home. Lost. Winning the toss, we went in first, but made a bad start, the first 3 wickets falling with only 9 runs scored. Beck and Murphy then put on 24 for the fourth wicket, but the whole side was out for 57. When St. Bede's went in, our bowlers could make no impression. They passed our total with all their wickets in hand, and had scored 97 for 3 when time was called. Score:—

The School.

Simcock b Wearden	0
Woollam b Wearden	4
Neill c Farrell b Marra	3
Murphy b Wearden	15
Beck lbw b Wearden	12
Parkes c Britt b Wearden	0
Palmer b Wearden	6
Allison, J. L., b Wearden	0
Allison, J. K., b Wearden	4
Powell c Britt b Griffin	2
Briggs, R. W., not out	2
Extras	9

Total 57

St. Bede's College.

Wearden lbw b Neill	35
Farrell c Neill b Parkes	48
Maxwell not out	7
Doherty c Powell b Parkes	2
Extras	5

Total for 3 wickets 97

v. STOCKPORT GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

May 31st. Home. Lost. They won the toss, and put us in. We lost the first 3 wickets for 5 runs, but Neill played a useful innings of 23, and we reached 62. Stockport lost 3 for 29, when a great stand was made. Our total was passed, and the fourth wicket did not fall till 84 had been scored. Neill took 3 wickets for 24. Score:—

The School.

Murphy b Dixon	3
Elliott b Tugman	1
Neill b Atkinson	23
Simcock b Dixon	0
Irwin b Dixon	4
Parkes b Tugman	9
Beck c Sharp b Atkinson	4
Powell c Gregory b Tugman	11
Palmer c Dixon b Atkinson	0
Barr run out	0
Woollam not out	2
Extras	5

Total 62

Stockport Grammar School.

Ormesher b Neill	4
Bennett run out	11
Gregory c Woollam b Murphy	1
Astle run out	31
Atkinson b Neill	28
Barkley b Neill	5
Morley not out	3
Parry b Simcock	0
Dixon not out	0
Extras	18
—	
Total for 7 wickets	101

v. SALFORD TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.

June 4th. Home. Lost. Salford went in on a hard wicket, and put on 27 runs for the first wicket. At 106 for 7 they declared, Neill taking 4 wickets for 33. Our fielding was below the mark. We made a fair start, the first wicket falling at 15. Then came a collapse, and six men were out for 36. Simcock and Powell then played very well together, and brought the score to 62, Simcock making 22, and Powell carrying out his bat for an excellent 16. Score:—

Salford Technical Institute.

Boscolo, G., c Briggs b Murphy	14
Hodgkinson b Murphy	12
Burgoyne c and b Parkes	1
Hoepstein c Briggs b Neill	29
Brown b Neill	9
Boscolo, L., not out	32
Bray b Neill	1
Hill c Powell b Neill	0
Stevenson not out	7
Extra	1
—	
Total for 7 wickets	106

The School.

Murphy c Ennion b Boscolo, G.	6
Woollam b Boscolo, L.	6
Irwin c Burgoyne b Boscolo, G.	2
Beck b Boscolo, G.	7
Neill b Boscolo, G.	2
Simcock b Boscolo, G.	22
Parkes run out	1
Powell not out	16
Palmer b Boscolo, L.	0
Briggs, R. W., b Hodgkinson	6
Allison, J. K., run out	1
Extras	9
—	
Total	79

v. WARRINGTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

June 7th. Home. Won. Winning the toss, we put them in to bat, with a strong wind blowing across the pitch. Their first wicket fell at 2, and play was very slow. Five of their wickets fell at 19, and the whole side was out for 31. Simcock took 5 wickets for 12, Neill 3 for 3. Of the 29 overs bowled, 17 were maidens. Our first batsmen knocked up 17 between them, but another collapse occurred, and six men were out for 24. Neill again played well and made 39. Score:—

Warrington Grammar School.

Ferguson run out	0
Healey b Neill, G. W.	4
McIntyre b Simcock	11
Delaney lbw b Simcock	3
Whyman b Simcock	0
Bunch b Simcock	0
Skelton b Neill, G. W.	9
Stringer not out	1
Skinner b Neill, G. W.	0
Rushworth c Briggs b Simcock	2
Lither run out	1
Extra	—
—	
Total	31

The School.

Murphy run out	11
Woollam c McIntyre b Stringer	4
Beck b Stringer	0
Irwin lbw b Stringer	0
Neill, G. W., b Stringer	39
Simcock c Ferguson b Stringer	3
Powell c McIntyre b Skelton	0
Ray b Stringer	9
Neill, D. A., b Stringer	4
Humphries, C. A., c Ferguson b Stringer	0
Briggs not out	0
Extras	2
Total	72

v. SALFORD TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.

June 11th. Away. Lost. Batting first, Salford lost 2 wickets for 11, but put on 50 for the fifth wicket by steady play, and declared with 8 wickets down at 127. We failed badly with the bat. Seven men were out for 22, and the whole side for 37. Ray was top scorer with 11. Wickets, Murphy 6 for 35. Score:—

Salford Technical Institute.

Hodgkinson c Ray b Murphy	1
Ennion c Powell b Murphy	22
Boscolo, L., b Murphy	0
Hoepstein b Murphy	16
Boscolo, G., c Woollam b Simcock	53
Brown b Neill, G. W.	18
Bray b Murphy	5
Burgoyne lbw b Murphy	5
Proffitt not out	0
Extras	7

Total for 8 wickets..... 127

Innings declared.

The School.

Beck b Boscolo, L.	0
Woollam c Hodgkinson b Boscolo, L.	0
Powell b Boscolo, L.	1
Murphy b Boscolo, L.	0
Neill, G. W., b Hodgkinson	1
Simcock b Boscolo, L.	0
Irwin b Hodgkinson	7
Briggs b Hodgkinson	2
Ray b Hodgkinson	11
Neill, D. A., b Boscolo, L.	1
Humphries not out	0
Extras	14
Total	37

v. OLD HULMEIANS ASSOCIATION.

June 14th. Home. Lost. The Old Boys won the toss and batted first. Four wickets fell for 23, but Lyall and Brewer made a good stand for the fifth wicket, which added 38. The former was caught for 21, and Brewer went on hitting till he was bowled for a useful 35. We then adjourned for tea, at which we were the guests of the Association. Murphy began well for the School, but after his departure runs came slowly and wickets fell fast before Merchant's bowling. We were all out for 41, Merchant taking 6 wickets for 7 runs. For us, Neill took 5 for 29, Simcock 4 for 41. Score:—

Old Hulmeians Association (12 men).

Merchant, W. F., b Neill	5
Barrett, F., b Simcock	0
Walker, J. H., b Simcock	12
Lyall, F. W., c Murphy b Beck	21
Cox, W. H., b Neill, G. W.	2
Brewer, W., b Simcock	35
Greenup, H., b Neill.....	5
Vlies, H., b Neill	0
Saxelby, S. W., c and b Neill	1
Cattrall, H., not out	3
Wihl, H. S., b Simcock	1
Barrett, G., b Beck	7
Extras	5
Total	97

The School.

Murphy b Merchant	15
Woollam c Vlies b Lyall	2
Simcock run out	6
Beck c Vlies b Merchant	3
Neill b Merchant	3
Irwin c Greenup b Lyall	4
Powell c Lyall b Saxelby	0
Parkes b Merchant	0
Briggs c Vlies b Merchant	0
Palmer b Merchant	4
Elliott not out	1
Extras	3
Total	41

v. ST. BEDE'S COLLEGE.

June 18th. Away. Lost. St. Bede's won the toss and went in. The first two batsmen played excellent cricket on a perfect pitch, and put on 104 runs before they were separated. The second wicket added 83, and at 230 for 2 they declared. We could do little with their bowling, and were dismissed for 39. Their large total was partly due to short boundaries, but there can be no excuse for our wretched batting. Score:—

St. Bede's College.

Wearden b Neill	89
Farrell b Murphy	55
Doherty, A., not out	61
Maxwell not out	13
Extras	12

Total for 2 wickets 230

Innings declared closed.

The School.

Beck c Wearden b McNamara	8
Woollam c McNamara b Wearden ...	4
Irwin b Wearden.....	4
Neill c Wearden b McNamara	0
Murphy b McNamara.....	4
Simcock c Farrell b McNamara	4
Powell c Brittorous b Wearden	1
Palmer st Mawdsley b McNamara	0
Walker b Wearden	9
Briggs b Wearden	5
Elliott not out	0
Extras	0
Total	39

v. BOLTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

June 21st. Away. Lost. Batting first, Bolton reached 85 by slow and steady methods. With an hour to get the runs, we made a disastrous start, 3 wickets falling for as many runs. Simcock and Woollam then improved the outlook, putting on 23 for the fourth wicket, and Woollam carried out his bat for a steady 29. Wickets, Murphy 4 for 29, Simcock 3 for 16. Score:—

Bolton Grammar School.

Aspinall c Murphy b Simcock	12
Guest c Powell b Murphy	1
Almond b Murphy	0
Longworth c Ray b Neill	12
Hilton run out	23
Brown c Irwin b Murphy	10
Fletcher not out	7
Taylor b Simcock	7
Fishwick b Simcock	1
Baxendale b Neill	9
Holt c Elliott b Murphy	3
Total	85

The School.

Powell c Hilton b Brown	0
Woollam not out	29
Irwin c Longworth b Hilton	1
Murphy c Almond b Hilton	0
Simcock c Baxendale b Brown	20
Neill b Guest	0
Ray b Guest	2
Elliott c Taylor b Brown	4
Walker, G. S., b Hilton	5
Briggs b Hilton	0
Palmer c Baxendale b Hilton	0
Extras	2
Total	63

v. BOWDON COLLEGE.

June 25th. Home. Drawn. Bowdon won the toss and went in. After slow play, they reached 109, leaving us just over an hour for play. We made a good start, scoring 54 for 3 wickets, but in trying to force a win we collapsed, though the last batsmen managed to play out time. Score:—

Bowdon College.

Bovetti, W. A., b Simcock	9
Smith run out	27
Bovetti, C., b Murphy	8
Brierley c Simcock b Neill	18
Hennings b Beck	16
Lord c Irwin b Murphy	2
Baronian, H., not out	6
Lord b Murphy	8
Wilcocks b Simcock	4
Baronian, J., run out	0
Cooke run out	11
Total	109

The School.

Irwin b Cooke	10
Woollam b Cooke	7
Beck c Cooke b Brierley	7
Neill b Baronian, J.	30
Powell run out	1
Simcock c H. b J. Baronian	9
Murphy c Bovetti b Baronian	6
Walker c Cooke b Baronian	2
Elliott not out	4
Briggs b Cooke	0
Humphries not out	0
Extras	3

Total for 9 wickets 79

v. STOCKPORT GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

June 28th. Away. Lost. We won the toss and put Stockport in. They made a fair start, 3 wickets being down for 40. At that total 6 of their wickets fell, and the whole side were out for 52. Neill took 4 wickets for 18, Murphy 4 for 12. We started badly, but with 3 wickets to fall needed only 6 runs to win. The last men, unfortunately, failed, and we lost by 3. Score:—

Stockport Grammar School.

Ormesher lbw b Neill	22
Bennett b Neill	1
Gregory lbw b Murphy	5
Astle c Woollam b Murphy	5
Atkinson run out	0
Barkley b Murphy	0
Parry b Murphy	0
Morley not out	8
Dixon run out	0
Tugman c Ray b Neill	3
Harrison c Woollam b Neill	1
Extras	7
Total	52

The School.

Simcock b Barkley	0
Woollam b Dixon	3
Beck c Gregory b Atkinson	12
Murphy b Dixon	4
Irwin b Dixon	12
Neill, D. A., st Astle b Atkinson	5
Elliott b Dixon	3
Powell lbw b Atkinson	0
Walker b Atkinson	5
Ray b Atkinson	1
Humphries not out	1
Extras	3
Total	49

v. WARRINGTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

July 2nd. Away. Lost. We had a weak team owing to examinations, and put up the poor total of 34. Warrington lost 4 wickets for 10 runs, but passed our total with 6 in hand. Fox took 3 wickets for 16, Irwin 2 for 13. Score:—

The School.

Elliott lbw b Skelton	2
Woollam b Skelton	7
Irwin c Wyman b Stringer	2
Powell st Ferguson b Stringer	1
Walker b Skelton	2
Parkes b Stringer	0
Humphries b Stringer	0
Allison, J. L., c Wyman b Stringer ...	9
Allison, J. K., run out	5
Holden not out	4
Fox c McIntyre b Skelton	0
Extras	2
Total	34

Warrington Grammar School.

Ferguson c Woollam b Fox	3
Healey c Allison, J. L., b Allison, J. K.	15
McIntyre lbw b Fox	2
Wyman b Fox	0
Delaney not out	30
Skelton c Fox b Irwin	0
Bunch c and b Irwin	0
Skinner not out	2
Stringer b Parkes	1
Extras	6

Total for 7 wickets 59

v. THE PARENTS.

July 5th. Home. Won. We won the toss and went in first. Our batting showed a marked improvement, and for the first time this season we passed the hundred. The biggest stand was made by Woollam and Irwin for the fifth wicket, which put on 47 runs. Five of our batsmen reached double figures, and the last wicket fell at 129. We then adjourned for tea, kindly provided by our opponents. The Parents began their innings at 5-45. Mr. Clark and Mr. Midgley made a good start, and Mr. Bootherstone scored an excellent 20. The 16th wicket fell at 7-50, with the score at 76. Neill took 6 wickets for 26, Murphy 3 for 29, Simcock 2 for 18. Score:

The School.

Murphy c Barber b Wood	10
Beck c Barber b Wood	18
Neill c and b Barber	4
Woollam run out	31
Simcock c Barber b Wood	0
Irwin c Wilson b Wheeler	23
Elliott b Wheeler	0
Allison, J. L., b Wood	15
Powell run out	6
Walker c Watkinson b Marsden	2
Allison, J. K., not out	9
Extras	11
Total	129

The Parents.

Mr. Clark c Murphy b Neill	9
Mr. Midgley run out	12
Mr. Marsden run out	2
Wheeler c Allison, J. L., b Murphy ...	4
Mr. Barber c Woollam b Neill	4
Mr. Mee b Murphy	2
Mr. Gorell run out	4
Mr. Walker c Powell b Neill	7
Mr. C. H. Owen b Murphy	1
Mr. Moulton b Neill	1
Mr. Willing run out	1
Mr. Wood c Simcock b Neill	6
Mr. Bootherstone c Walker b Neill ...	20
Mr. Sower run out	0
Mr. Watkinson b Simcock	0
Mr. Simcock c Allison, J. L. b Simcock	1
Mr. Walker not out	1
Extra	1
Total	76

v. MACCLESFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

July 16th. Away. Won. Going in first, Macclesfield found Neill's bowling too much for them, and were all dismissed for 24. Neill took eight wickets for as many runs, and Murphy two for seven. For us the first wicket fell at 12, but Neill and Simcock put on 55 runs before they were separated, the former making 35 and the latter 26. Allison, J. L., hit hard for 25. Our innings realised 125, the second three-figure total of the season. Macclesfield went in again and made 44 for five. Score:—

Macclesfield Grammar School.

Mellor b Neill	0
Seel, H., b Neill	7
Maurice b Neill	1
Malkin b Murphy	3
Watts b Neill	0
Seel, G., b Neill	6
Oldfield b Neill	4
Clayton c and b Neill	0
Slater b Murphy	0
Brocklehurst not out	0
Bailey c Irwin b Neill	0
Extras	3
Total	24

The School.

Irwin c Malkin b Bailey	4
Neill run out	35
Simcock st — b Bailey	26
Beck b H. Seel	6
Murphy b H. Seel	7
Allison, J. L., run out	25
Powell run out	0
Woollam c Mellor b H. Seel	4
Elliott lbw b Watts	2
Walker b Watts	2
Humphries, N., not out	0
Extras	14
Total	125

SECOND ELEVEN MATCHES.

v. ST. BEDE'S SECOND.—May 7th. Away. Lost. Second Eleven: Elliott 2, Walshaw, N., 1, Baldwin 1, Holden 0, Humphries, C. A., 19, Calderwood 0, Neill, D. A., 1, Humphries, N., 1, Barr 8, Fox 0, Goodwin not out 8, extras 5, total 46. St. Bede's 60. Wickets: Neill 6 for 22.

v. STOCKPORT G.S. SECOND.—May 31st. Home. Lost. Second Eleven: Humphries, N., 7, Walshaw 3, Baldwin 3, Humphries, C., 14, Walker, G. S., 9, Holden 6, Neill 2, Calderwood not out 2, Goodwin 0, Fox 0, Ashworth 2, extras 7, total 55. Stockport 67. Wickets: Neill 5 for 19, Humphries, N., 2 for 5.

v. SALFORD TECHNICAL INSTITUTE SECOND.—June 4th. Away. Won. Salford 29. Second Eleven: Walshaw 0, Humphries, C. A., 0, Barr 1, Neill 20, Elliott 4, Walker 0, Fox not out 12, Humphries, N., 2, Baldwin not out 0, extra 1, total for 7 wickets 40. Wickets: Neill 7 for 16, Fox 3 for 12.

v. BOWDON COLLEGE SECOND.—June 7th. Home. Won. Second Eleven: Walshaw 1, Humphries, N., 0, Palmer 0, Parkes 6, Elliott 4, Walker 12, Baldwin 2, Fox 0, Calderwood 0, Holden not out 4, Goodwin 11, extra 1, total 41. Bowdon 26. Wickets: Parkes 5 for 6, Fox 4 for 10.

v. SALFORD TECHNICAL SECOND.—June 11th. Home. Won. Second Eleven: Palmer 29, Elliott 8, Barr 9, Parkes 9, Walker 2, Holden 1, Humphries, N., 8, Goodwin 1, Calderwood 3, Fox 0, Walshaw not out 3, extras 7, total 80. Salford 30. Wickets: Holden 5 for 1, Parkes 2 for 8, Fox 2 for 10.

v. WARRINGTON G.S. SECOND.—June 14th. Home. Won. Second Eleven: Humphries, N., 2, Barr 6, Clift 2, Humphries, C., 20,

Walker 44, Neill 2, Holden 0, Goodwin 5, Calderwood 0, Fox 0, Walshaw not out 0, extras 4, total 85. Warrington 32. Wickets: Neill 5 for 12, Holden 2 for 5, Fox 2 for 11.

v. ST. BEDE'S SECOND.—June 18th. Home. Won. Second Eleven: Humphries, N., 5, Barr 2, Royce 0, Humphries, C., 32, Neill 4, Holden 10, Calderwood 0, Baldwin 0, Walshaw 3, Clift not out 3, Fox 1, extras 10, total 70. St. Bede's 55. Wickets: Fox 4 for 24, Neill 3 for 26.

v. BOLTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL SECOND.—June 21st. Home. Lost. School Second: Humphries, N., not out 12, Barr 2, Thom, W., 3, Humphries, C., 0, Neill 0, Holden 17, Baldwin 0, Walshaw 0, Clift 0, Fox 3, Briggs, J. E., 8, extras 7, total 52. Bolton 72.

v. STAND G.S. FIRST.—June 25th. Away. Lost. Stand 172. School Second 14.

v. STOCKPORT G.S. SECOND.—June 28th. Away. Won. Stockport 42. School Second: Palmer 4, Humphries, N., 0, Thom, W., 12, Barr 1, Briggs, R., 9, Neill 0, Holden not out 9, extras 25, total for 6 wickets 60. Wickets: Fox 4 for 11, Briggs, J., 3 for 2.

v. BOWDON COLLEGE SECOND.—July 12th. Away. Lost. Bowdon 130. School Second: Humphries, N., 10, Thom 1, Ray 0, Humphries, C., 8, Briggs, R., 5, Holden 1, Palmer 11, Neill 0, Calderwood 6, Walshaw 0, Fox not out 8; extras 10; total 60.

v. WARRINGTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL SECOND.—July 16th. Away. Won. Warrington 49. School Second: Palmer 16, Thom 12, Ray 2, Humphries, C., 16, Briggs, R., 0, Holden 0, Neill 2, Calderwood 15, Fox 0, Clift 16, Walshaw not out 2; extras 19; total 103.

THE CRICKET LEAGUE.

Results for Season.

	Won.	Lost.	Points.
Dalton A	12	3	72
„ B	9	4	36
Total.....			108
Gaskell A.....	8	7	48
„ B.....	9	6	28
Total.....			76
Byrom A	6	9	36
„ B	8	5	32
Total.....			68
Heywood A	4	11	24
„ B	2	10	8
Total.....			32

Six points for A team win, 4 points for B team win.

Scores:—

BYROM *v.* DALTON.—May 7th. Dalton A 54 (Thom, W. G., 10, Holmes, J. W., 14), B 27 (Armstead 10); Byrom A 31, B 31.

GASKELL *v.* HEYWOOD.—May 7th. Gaskell A 14, B 22; Heywood A 19, B 20 (Pearson, G., not out 14).

BYROM *v.* GASKELL.—May 31st. Byrom A 13, B 42; Gaskell A 66 (Briggs, J., 13, Potter not out 20), B 46 (Hodkinson 15).

DALTON *v.* HEYWOOD.—May 31st. Heywood A 17, B 8; Dalton A 67 (Thom, W., 31, Craig 15), B 85 (Marson 35, Smethurst 10).

BYROM *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 4th. Heywood A 28, B 16; Byrom A 53 (Midgley 11, Beck not out 21), B 48 (Marsden 12, Pownall, E., 14).

DALTON *v.* GASKELL.—June 4th. Gaskell A 15, B 24; Dalton A 21, B 64 (McIsaac 14, Watkinson, T., 14).

BYROM *v.* DALTON.—June 7th. Dalton A 54 (Holmes, F., 10, Thom, A. L., 13), B 26. Byrom A 9, B 27 (Needham 13).

GASKELL *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 7th. Gaskell A 99 for 6 (Potter 27, Mee not out 25, Briggs, J., 13), B 58 (Baker 10, Hodkinson 10); Heywood A 28 (Cartwright 12), B 9.

BYROM *v.* GASKELL.—June 11th. Byrom A 4, B 46 (Needham 13); Gaskell A 53 (Briggs, J., 18, Mee 11), B 26.

HEYWOOD A *v.* DALTON.—June 11th. Heywood A 39 (Hall 15, Cartwright 18), B 7; Dalton A 57 (Orr, A., 15, Holmes, F., 20), B 97 for 5 wickets (Armstead 32).

BYROM *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 14th. Byrom A 30; Heywood A 19.

DALTON *v.* GASKELL.—June 14th. Dalton A 38, Gaskell A 49 (Pidd 14, Mee 10).

BYROM *v.* DALTON.—June 18th. Dalton A 32 (Holmes, F., 14), B 58 (Armstead 11, Smethurst, G., 15, Nesfield, S., 14); Byrom A 21, B 28.

GASKELL *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 18th. Heywood A 28 (Cartwright 18), B 61 (Evans 15, Edmondson, L., 10); Gaskell A 52 (Mee 18), B 62 (Flinn 17, Hodkinson 14).

BYROM *v.* GASKELL.—June 21st. Byrom A 24, B w.o. Gaskell A 87 for 7 (Mee 34, Potter not out 30).

DALTON *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 21st. Dalton A 22, B w.o. Heywood A 10.

BYROM *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 25th. Heywood A 23, B 24, Byrom A 48 (Willing, F., 14), B 80 for 9 (Pownall, E., 48, Turner 10).

DALTON *v.* GASKELL.—June 25th. Dalton A 33, B 90 for 7 (Marson 12, Armstead 18, Gorell 23), Gaskell A 66 (Potter 39), B 19.

BYROM *v.* DALTON.—June 28th. Byrom A 40 (Bleackley 10), B 28; Dalton A 27 (Orr, A., 10), B 53 (Marson 29).

GASKELL *v.* HEYWOOD.—June 28th. Heywood A 52 (Clift 21, Mallison 12), B 43 (Cadman 15); Gaskell A 10, B 39 (Thomas 12).

BYROM *v.* GASKELL.—July 2nd. Byrom A 79 (Barr 16, Midgley 29, Bleackley not out 10), B 35; Gaskell A 71 (Briggs, J., 11, Mee 12, Thomas, T., 16), B 52 (Flinn 10, Bunn 10).

DALTON *v.* HEYWOOD.—July 2nd. Heywood A 55 (Cartwright not out 30), B 18; Dalton A 62 (Craig 21, Watkinson, J., 11), B 28 (Wake-man 10).

BYROM *v.* HEYWOOD.—July 9th. Heywood A 41 (Mallison 13), B 38 (Edmondson, T., 30); Byrom A 71 (Hobson 24), B 62.

DALTON *v.* GASKELL.—July 9th. Gaskell A 33 (Mee 17), B w.o.; Dalton A 83 (Holmes, F., 30, Armstead 16).

BYROM *v.* DALTON.—July 12th. Dalton A 54 (Armstead 11, Warren not out 12), B w.o. Byrom A 22.

GASKELL *v.* HEYWOOD.—July 12th. Heywood A 56 (Ashworth 19), B 29. Gaskell A 40 (Potter 21), B 21.

BYROM *v.* GASKELL.—July 16th. Gaskell A 73 (Potter 26, Pidd 12, Gates, H., 11), B 24.

Byrom A 50 (Hobson 20, Bleackley 14), B 64 for 4 (Marsden 12, Needham 19, Pownall, E., 18).

DALTON *v.* HEYWOOD.—July 16th. Dalton A 49 (Alley 15, Holmes, F. E., 12). Heywood A 48 (Mallison 14, Goodwin 16).

BYROM *v.* HEYWOOD.—July 19th. Byrom A 53 (Barr 20); Heywood A 98 for 9 (Hughes not out 53, Walker 14).

DALTON *v.* GASKELL.—July 19th. Gaskell A 33 (Baldwin 15), B w.o.; Dalton A 58 (Holmes, F., 18, Armstead not out 13):

The House Championships.

Samuel Jones Football Shield, 1912-13: Dalton House.

Lacrosse Flags, 1912-13: Dalton House.

Livesley Cricket Shield, 1913: Gaskell House.

Henry Worrall Athletic Shield, 1912: Gaskell House.

Swimming Championship, 1912: Byrom House.

Football League, 1912-13: Heywood House.

Lacrosse League, 1912-13: Dalton House.

Cricket League, 1913: Dalton House.